

"Buy Something Made of Copper" -- Buy It Now

SANTA CRUZ PATAGONIAN

PATAGONIA IS IN THE HEART OF THE WORLD'S RICHEST COPPER, SILVER, GOLD AND LEAD DISTRICTS

JOIN PATAGONIA'S CHAMBER OF COMMERCE & MINES AND BE A BOOSTER FOR THE TOWN AND DISTRICT.

VOL. X.

PATAGONIA, SANTA CRUZ COUNTY, ARIZONA, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1921.

NO. 2

BRIDGE WILL NOT BE CONSTRUCTED AT RIVER CROSSING IN PATAGONIA

DIP INSTEAD OF BRIDGE WILL BE PUT IN HERE

CITIZENS OPPOSE CHANGING OF PROGRAM

The report has reached Patagonia that the bridge which was to be put across the Sonota river at this point will not materialize, it being stated that a concrete "dip" will be constructed.

The news has created a certain amount of indignation in this district, as the people have been lead to believe that the bridge would be constructed before the summer rains started. Excavations for piers were made in the bed of the river and surveys changing the grade of the road at the crossing were staked out.

If there is a point in the state of Arizona where a bridge is needed it is at the Patagonia crossing of the Sonota river. This river drains a large territory and during the high water season there are times when it is impossible for any kind of vehicle to cross the stream. After a rain the river rises very rapidly and the water is often more than five feet deep, remaining at a point that prevents crossing for many hours. The fact that a concrete "dip" is constructed will not relieve this situation. When a torrent of water is coming down from the mountain anyons it is not the river bed that prevents a team from crossing, it is the depth of the water and fear of the treacherous current. In the season when the river is on a rampage it is a common sight to see a long line of teams and automobiles waiting to cross and many five dollar bills have been paid by motorists who ignored warnings and attempted to cross the river when the water was too deep.

The cost of constructing a bridge at this point would not be so much as the cost of other bridges on the state highway for the reason that there are no approaches to build, the bridge would not be a long one and there would be only two piers. The piers would be low ones. Another thing, once a bridge has been properly constructed there will be no maintenance charge against it. As stated before, there would be no approaches to build at this point; and approaches cause most of the grief that attaches itself to the bridges spanning Arizona rivers.

According to estimates, the concrete "dip" will cost about one-third as much as the bridge would. A number of prominent road men declare that it would be genuine economy to build the bridge instead of the "dip." If the funds are not available at this time, why not let the crossing stand as it is until the time comes when a bridge can be put in? If a bridge is to be constructed, any money spent on a "dip" will be a total loss.

This matter is being considered by prominent people who are active in the affairs of this community and there is every reason to believe that a strong fight will be made for the construction of a bridge at this point.

PESQUEIRA REPLACES LELEVIER AT DOUGLAS

DOUGLAS, Dec. 15—Alfonso Pesqueira, formerly Mexican consul in Douglas and until six months ago Mexican consul in charge of this district with headquarters at El Paso, will again be stationed at Douglas to relieve Ives G. Lelevier, it became known yesterday. Pesqueira is expected to take charge of the local consulate January 1, 1922. Consul Lelevier will be transferred to some other port, the location of which has not yet been made public. Pesqueira is well known in Arizona and Sonora, his home state. He has been active in Mexican politics since the revolution placed De la Huerta and Obregon in power. Consul Lelevier has been prominent in Agua Prieta and Douglas society since he was sent here by his government last year.

PARENT-TEACHERS MEETING

An entertainment that promises to be of much interest is to be given at the school house tomorrow night. At that time articles made by the pupils will be offered for sale, and it is reported that a fine selection will be on display. The primary department will render a musical program and refreshments will be served during the evening. The meeting is for the purpose of getting together the parents of this community and the teachers of the school. Plans for the betterment of the schools and community will be discussed, and all parents are urgently requested to be present.

HEAVY CATTLE SHIPMENTS REPORTED

WILLCOX, Dec. 15—The cattle shipments from Willcox were heavy during the month of November. About 9,000 head were shipped out. It is estimated that every head brings at least \$20 and the total receipts for cattle shipped in the past month will run from \$180,000 to \$200,000. Shipments are continuing this month. Last week Johnson & Cook shipped 1,000 head of calves to California points. Wednesday they shipped 2,000 head. Yesterday they shipped 800 head from Johnson and Rodes, and on the 18th will ship 800 from Willcox. On Monday 1,200 head were shipped from Silver City, N. M., by this firm. Page & Misener recently shipped four cars of veal to coast points, and on the 15th will ship 500 cows. The shipments are going on merrily. These two firms are breeders as well as dealers. The cattle shipped are a portion of their own, but the big percentage is furnished by stockmen in this section who dispose of their cattle through these firms. With these heavy cattle shipments and the amounts of money they bring in, and the shipments have been going on since early September at a heavy rate, times should materially change in a short time and money become a great deal easier. In fact the loosening up process is being felt and has been felt for some time.

TELEPHONES COMING FOR ELGIN COMMUNITY

President Kleve, who is looking after the telephone situation in the Elgin community in the capacity of community project leader, reports that prices and information which is satisfactory to the installation of a telephone system in that community, has been received, and that within a few days orders for phones will be placed. It is hoped that by the first of the year that the system will be in operation.

GOVERNOR PREDICTS SUCCESS FOR ARMY PARLEY

PHOENIX, Dec. 15—Commenting upon the disarmament conference now in progress at Washington, Governor Thomas E. Campbell has wired his secretary, Henri Behoteguy as follows: "With Dwight R. Heard and Mrs. Campbell, I attended the disarmament conference yesterday. All was wonderful and I predict a success for it beyond the present understanding. America truly directs the world's future and Hughes is the commanding figure."

Governor Campbell also attended the annual dinner of the "Gridiron Club," this famous organization of newspapermen and writers, whereat the foibles and weaknesses of the great and near great in the nation's capitol are once a year held up for good-humored comment.

CHURCH SERVICES
Rev. Forman, of Nogales, delivered a very able sermon at the school house last Sunday afternoon. He will conduct services next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Union Sunday school at 2 o'clock. Both services will be held at the school house. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

SONOITA COMMUNITY BUSY ON THE HAY PROBLEM

A meeting of those farmers of the Sonoita community, was called by Community Project Leader Charley Putnam for the purpose of getting a line on the wild hay situation in the community. A rough census at the meeting showed that several ears of first class prairie hay were ready for market.

METEOR FALLS IN COCHISE COUNTY

BISBEE, Dec. 15—Many local residents going home from work last evening about 6:35 o'clock witnessed a very large meteor display. A large ball of fire was noticed descending from the heavens. After traveling about half way to the horizon in the west it broke into hundreds of pieces and colored balls of fire flew in all directions, but soon faded out of sight. For about 10 minutes after the meteor had exploded there was a long string of smoke, that had a yellow tinge, which gradually floated off toward the north.

Those who saw the meteor were of the opinion that it fell in the direction of Tombstone, but parties coming over from Tombstone at that time, stated that it appeared to fall between the Huachuca and Santa Rita mountains.

ROAD CONDITIONS

State-wide reports indicate that all roads are in good condition with the exception of a few roads that were damaged by washouts during the recent rains. These roads, however, are not considered highways. The Gila river crossing at Sacaton is in good condition. The Ehrenburg ferry is open. Santa Cruz county roads have been greatly improved by the rains. The Nogales road is rough in a few places.

FOURTH OF COTTON CROP IN VALLEY YET UNPICKED

PHOENIX, Dec. 15—Some precipitation in the southern portion of the state, although inadequate for starting growth of winter annuals, has benefited the range by rendering grass less brittle and less likely to damage by high winds.

Reports to the weather bureau are to the effect that high winds of the third and fourth damaged ranges considerably and rendered the soil very dry. A special report from the cattle region observer at Fort Apache states that cattle in that section are in very good condition; the range has been very good ever since the rains and water is sufficient, a number of ranges being supplied by running streams. Fifty miles northwest in the vicinity of the Cibola conditions are not so encouraging, water becoming scarce and stock have been moved to better ranges; cattlemen state, however, that a good snow will replenish the water supply for the winter.

Although the range is very dry in the Pinto section, cattle are said to be in good condition. Two inches of snow fell in the Pinedale section and was followed by colder weather which has caused some shrinkage of stock; the winter range in that section is still good. Cold north winds prevailed near the Mexican border on the third, fourth and fifth, somewhat to the discomfort of stock, but cattle are reported as fat and the range good.

Cold nights have been favorable for lettuce and heads are reported to be solid and of excellent quality; shipment of earload lots from the Salt River valley began Sunday. As a result of high winds on the fourth, cotton from open bolls was strung out considerably and gave the fields the appearance of not having been picked; probably one-fourth of the crop remains unpicked. In the Yuma section cotton is coming in slowly and alfalfa is growing slowly.

BIG TIME AT ELGIN
Announcement has been made that the citizens of the Elgin community will celebrate Christmas eve with a dance. During the afternoon of that day a riding and roping contest will be staged by the punchers of that neighborhood.

U.V. MINE AND SMELTER WILL RESUME IN FEBRUARY--CLARK

JEROME, Dec. 15—Resumption of production by the United Verde Copper company some time in February was forecast by General Manager Charles W. Clark in an interview granted the Verde Copper News yesterday, a few hours after his arrival from the coast for an inspection that will keep him in the district a week.

It is possible that before Manager Clark leaves next week his assistant, Robert E. Tally, operating head of the United Verde, will have authority to begin preparations for reopening both mine and smelter. This will mean an immediate increase in the United Verde forces and consequent benefit to the business interests of the district, which will make it easy to tide over the time that must elapse before actual resumption.

Though naturally unwilling to say anything that might arouse false hopes on the part of the people of the district, who have now passed through eight months of depression resulting from the suspension of copper production, Mr. Clark made no secret of the fact that he regarded very hopefully the metal market, reductions in railroad rates, and other conditions affecting the mining industry.

November Sales
Sales of copper in November totaled 187,000 pounds, practically 200,000,000," he said. "I know that this figure is higher than the most optimistic estimates of eastern financial publications, but it is undoubted."

Better Price in Sight
The steady reduction of the surplus is having its effect on selling prices and I expect to see copper at fifteen cents by February. It ought to move up as readily to sixteen cents."

by authentic. November was the best month we have had this year.

"Production in this country and foreign imports were 42,000,000 pounds, so that November reduced the existing surplus by 155,000,000 pounds. This is certainly gratifying and gives us ground for the belief that our company will be warranted in resuming the production of copper in February."

"Is there any danger that December will fall below the November record, that last month's total was merely the result of a spurt?" the interviewer asked.

"I do not think so," was the prompt reply. "There was nothing abnormal or unhealthy about the November demand. December ought to go ahead of November, and January should be still better, for prosperity is returning to many lines of industry. The building industry, for instance, is almost booming in some parts of the country, and is consuming large amounts of copper."

"Two more months of consumption at the present rate and the copper supply will be down somewhere around 300,000,000 pounds. Then the producers must be ready to begin turning out metal once more. It would not do, however, for all the mines to begin at once to produce at capacity, for that would only mean the demoralization of the market and the rapid accumulation of another surplus. Our resumption will be on a limited scale at first, and as the demand justifies we shall increase our output."

Woman Holds Harry S. Ross 200 At Bay Is Arrested

One lone woman held 200 men at bay for twenty minutes at the Markey avenue crossing of the international line last evening.

Alleged to be insane, the woman, who gave her name as Mrs. Laura Para, afforded plenty of excitement as she flashed a small revolver at the line.

She was finally disarmed by Police-man Lou Parker, assisted by Perry Lundeen and Customs Inspector Collier.

The woman first appeared in front of the Concordia Cafe and by her peculiar actions frightened people who were returning from cafes in Nogales, Sonora.

She finally backed across the line into Nogales, Arizona, then Police-man Parker slipped up behind her. As the officer threw her arm up, the revolver was discharged. Lundeen and Collier rushed to her assistance and after pushing up a hard fight she was disarmed, and lodged in the city jail.

V. L. McCutchan is again handling magazines and taking subscriptions for any periodical.

ENTERTAINMENT SUCCESS
The entertainment staged by the San Rafael Valley Dramatic Club in the opera house Saturday night was a complete success.

The different parts were handled in a manner that brought much credit to the actors. While the entire program was good, the audience got more "kick" out of the songs by Mr. Carliss and the home-made moving pictures than they did from the plays which were presented. The San Rafael freak also scored a big hit with the audience.

A large crowd greeted the actors and the show was a paying proposition. The entire proceeds were donated to the fund that is being raised to complete the local church building. The citizens of San Rafael have the thanks of our people for the interest shown in this matter.

The show was followed by a dance.

JAP REQUEST TO RETIRE MUTSU ALLOWED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14—Agreement on the principal issues involved in limitation of naval armament was understood to be practically at hand as the big treaty at the Washington conference went into session late today at the state department.

The Americans, it is officially said, agreed to the Japanese reservation for substitution of the new battleship "Mutsu" for an old gun ship on condition that the United States permit it to retain its two new battleships, the Colorado and the Washington.

The Chinese delegation asked the powers represented in the far eastern committee at the Washington conference that the famous twenty-one demands of the treaty of 1915 be abrogated.

The Chinese also asked that all treaties granting special spheres of influence in China be abrogated.

NO REAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT OF STATE UNTIL REVISION

(Special to The Herald)

PHOENIX, Dec. 10—That the taxpayers of the state cannot hope for real efficiency and economy in state government, such as is demanded by the present economic conditions until there is a revision of the present governmental machinery, is expected to be shown when Governor Campbell delivers his message to the special session of the legislature which, in all probability, he will call shortly after the first of next year.

Exhaustive investigation of all state institutions, departments, boards and commissions, conducted by the governor and his budget secretary the past few months is said to reveal the fact that, under existing laws, there is much duplication of effort and economic waste as a result of lack of centralization and coordination, both as to chief officers and departmental or bureau heads, and more particularly as to staffs of clerks and employees.

As a result of laws enacted by past legislatures, there has grown up in the state a system of departments, boards and commissions to the number of about 70, each of which is an entity in itself, securing such appropriations as it can from the legislature and expending the funds as it sees fit, existing laws putting no check upon expenditures other than the disbursing officer's statement that the money has been spent for the purpose shown in the claims.

With the creation of each new board or commission there had to be created additional staffs of clerks and employees, thus materially increasing the number of employees on the state payroll, many of whom could be eliminated were the various boards and commissions having to do with one general line of endeavor consolidated in a single department.

As an illustration of this lack of centralization, it is pointed out that there are, under present laws, no less than nine different departments, boards and commissions more or less closely related to agriculture, all of which might well be consolidated in a single Department of Agriculture, thus eliminating much duplication of effort, reducing salary lists and making for greater efficiency by eliminating much of the present office work, thus creating more time for the more essential field work.

Too Much Duplication

In his message to the last legislature accompanying his civil administrative code, which was passed by the Senate but was killed in the House by a vote of 20 to 19, the division being along strict party lines, Governor Campbell pointed out the unnecessary duplication of effort resulting from the functioning of these various boards and commissions, and under such a code as the civil administrative bill, boards and commissions such as the land department, commission of agriculture and horticulture, fair commission, livestock sanitary board, sheep sanitary board, dairy commission, state veterinarian, fish and game warden and biological survey, would be consolidated in a single Department of Agriculture.

Under existing laws, each of these boards or commissions has its own staff, secures its own appropriation from the legislature and expends the funds as it sees fit. Employees of these various boards often follow each other over the same territory, doing work individually that a single employee could do for several of the departments, materially increasing traveling expenses thereby. With the consolidation of these nine departments into a single department, much of the present office work of the different boards and commissions could be eliminated and the work of the various units consolidated that a material reduction in the number of employees would be made. A much closer scrutiny of the financial affairs of the various departments would also be brought about by centralization, the saving in the state in the purchase of supplies, now bought separately by each board or commission, by one central authority, under competitive bids, being one of the big possibilities under this plan.

FINE ORE BEING SHIPPED

Some unusually fine ore is being shipped from the Rhea mine this week by Pete Hanson. There is a good showing of lead and silver.

GARDNER GOES TO FEDERAL PRISON

PHOENIX, Dec. 14—Roy Gardner, who pleaded guilty here to a charge of attempting to rob the United States mails after he escaped from the federal prison at McNeil Island, Wash., where he was serving two sentences for robbing the mails, left here last night for Leavenworth, Kas., where he will enter the federal penitentiary to serve sentences totaling 7 1/2 years.

He was guarded by United States Marshal J. E. Dillon, of this city, and three other guards.

Drafting inspectors last night announced that E. H. Whitney, who was arrested in the United States district courtroom here last Saturday during the trial of Roy Gardner, mail robber, had been identified as a man under indictment in Dubuque, Iowa, and Phoenix, Ariz., as well as the one who robbed postoffice sub-station No. 20 in Chicago on May 13, 1916.

Whitney, the inspectors said, has admitted the Chicago robbery and also has admitted serving a seven-year sentence in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kas., for that offense. His term expired last June. He refuses to discuss the other indictments, however. When informed of the Phoenix indictment, Whitney said, according to the inspectors: "Well, I'm a blasted outlaw now."

Whitney, according to the inspectors, is a drug addict, and is believed to have been implicated in the smuggling of drugs across the Mexican border into the United States.

PATAGONIA COUPLE MARRY
Jesus P. Molina and Mrs. Wenceslao Elgin, both residents of this place, were united in marriage this week at the home of Nick Johnson, the marriage ceremony being performed by Judge Hudson Padergras. Mr. Molina is employed at the road camp. Mrs. Molina is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Puckeisen, who are old timers in the Patagonia district.

NO REAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT OF STATE UNTIL REVISION

(Special to The Herald)

PHOENIX, Dec. 10—That the taxpayers of the state cannot hope for real efficiency and economy in state government, such as is demanded by the present economic conditions until there is a revision of the present governmental machinery, is expected to be shown when Governor Campbell delivers his message to the special session of the legislature which, in all probability, he will call shortly after the first of next year.

Exhaustive investigation of all state institutions, departments, boards and commissions, conducted by the governor and his budget secretary the past few months is said to reveal the fact that, under existing laws, there is much duplication of effort and economic waste as a result of lack of centralization and coordination, both as to chief officers and departmental or bureau heads, and more particularly as to staffs of clerks and employees.

As a result of laws enacted by past legislatures, there has grown up in the state a system of departments, boards and commissions to the number of about 70, each of which is an entity in itself, securing such appropriations as it can from the legislature and expending the funds as it sees fit, existing laws putting no check upon expenditures other than the disbursing officer's statement that the money has been spent for the purpose shown in the claims.

With the creation of each new board or commission there had to be created additional staffs of clerks and employees, thus materially increasing the number of employees on the state payroll, many of whom could be eliminated were the various boards and commissions having to do with one general line of endeavor consolidated in a single department.

As an illustration of this lack of centralization, it is pointed out that there are, under present laws, no less than nine different departments, boards and commissions more or less closely related to agriculture, all of which might well be consolidated in a single Department of Agriculture, thus eliminating much duplication of effort, reducing salary lists and making for greater efficiency by eliminating much of the present office work, thus creating more time for the more essential field work.

Too Much Duplication

In his message to the last legislature accompanying his civil administrative code, which was passed by the Senate but was killed in the House by a vote of 20 to 19, the division being along strict party lines, Governor Campbell pointed out the unnecessary duplication of effort resulting from the functioning of these various boards and commissions, and under such a code as the civil administrative bill, boards and commissions such as the land department, commission of agriculture and horticulture, fair commission, livestock sanitary board, sheep sanitary board, dairy commission, state veterinarian, fish and game warden and biological survey, would be consolidated in a single Department of Agriculture.

Under existing laws, each of these boards or commissions has its own staff, secures its own appropriation from the legislature and expends the funds as it sees fit. Employees of these various boards often follow each other over the same territory, doing work individually that a single employee could do for several of the departments, materially increasing traveling expenses thereby. With the consolidation of these nine departments into a single department, much of the present office work of the different boards and commissions could be eliminated and the work of the various units consolidated that a material reduction in the number of employees would be made. A much closer scrutiny of the financial affairs of the various departments would also be brought about by centralization, the saving in the state in the purchase of supplies, now bought separately by each board or commission, by one central authority, under competitive bids, being one of the big possibilities under this plan.

FINE ORE BEING SHIPPED

Some unusually fine ore is being shipped from the Rhea mine this week by Pete Hanson. There is a good showing of lead and silver.

GARDNER GOES TO FEDERAL PRISON

PHOENIX, Dec. 14—Roy Gardner, who pleaded guilty here to a charge of attempting to rob the United States mails after he escaped from the federal prison at McNeil Island, Wash., where he was serving two sentences for robbing the mails, left here last night for Leavenworth, Kas., where he will enter the federal penitentiary to serve sentences totaling 7 1/2 years.

He was guarded by United States Marshal J. E. Dillon, of this city, and three other guards.

Drafting inspectors last night announced that E. H. Whitney, who was arrested in the United States district courtroom here last Saturday during the trial of Roy Gardner, mail robber, had been identified as a man under indictment in Dubuque, Iowa, and Phoenix, Ariz., as well as the one who robbed postoffice sub-station No. 20 in Chicago on May 13, 1916.

Whitney, the inspectors said, has admitted the Chicago robbery and also has admitted serving a seven-year sentence in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kas., for that offense. His term expired last June. He refuses to discuss the other indictments, however. When informed of the Phoenix indictment, Whitney said, according to the inspectors: "Well, I'm a blasted outlaw now."

Whitney, according to the inspectors, is a drug addict, and is believed to have been implicated in the smuggling of drugs across the Mexican border into the United States.

PATAGONIA COUPLE MARRY
Jesus P. Molina and Mrs. Wenceslao Elgin, both residents of this place, were united in marriage this week at the home of Nick Johnson, the marriage ceremony being performed by Judge Hudson Padergras. Mr. Molina is employed at the road camp. Mrs. Molina is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Puckeisen, who are old timers in the Patagonia district.

NO REAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT OF STATE UNTIL REVISION

(Special to The Herald)

PHOENIX, Dec. 10—That the taxpayers of the state cannot hope for real efficiency and economy in state government, such as is demanded by the present economic conditions until there is a revision of the present governmental machinery, is expected to be shown when Governor Campbell delivers his message to the special session of the legislature which, in all probability, he will call shortly after the first of next year.

Exhaustive investigation of all state institutions, departments, boards and commissions, conducted by the governor and his budget secretary the past few months is said to reveal the fact that, under existing laws, there is much duplication of effort and economic waste as a result of lack of centralization and coordination, both as to chief officers and departmental or bureau heads, and more particularly as to staffs of clerks and employees.

As a result of laws enacted by past legislatures, there has grown up in the state a system of departments, boards and commissions to the number of about 70, each of which is an entity in itself, securing such appropriations as it can from the legislature and expending the funds as it sees fit, existing laws putting no check upon expenditures other than the disbursing officer's statement that the money has been spent for the purpose shown in the claims.

With the creation of each new board or commission there had to be created additional staffs of clerks and employees, thus materially increasing the number of employees on the state payroll, many of whom could be eliminated were the various boards and commissions having to do with one general line of endeavor consolidated in a single department.

As an illustration of this lack of centralization, it is pointed out that there are, under present laws, no less than nine different departments, boards and commissions more or less closely related to agriculture, all of which might well be consolidated in a single Department of Agriculture, thus eliminating much duplication of effort, reducing salary lists and making for greater efficiency by eliminating much of the present office work, thus creating more time for the more essential field work.

Too Much Duplication

In his message to the last legislature accompanying his civil administrative code, which was passed by the Senate but was killed in the House by a vote of 20 to 19, the division being along strict party lines, Governor Campbell pointed out the unnecessary duplication of effort resulting from the functioning of these various boards and commissions, and under such a code as the civil administrative bill, boards and commissions such as the land department, commission of agriculture and horticulture, fair commission, livestock sanitary board, sheep sanitary board, dairy commission, state veterinarian, fish and game warden and biological survey, would be consolidated in a single Department of Agriculture.

Under existing laws, each of these boards or commissions has its own staff, secures its own appropriation from the legislature and expends the funds as it sees fit. Employees of these various boards often follow each other over the same territory, doing work individually that a single employee could do for several of the departments, materially increasing traveling expenses thereby. With the consolidation of these nine departments into a single department, much of the present office work of the different boards and commissions could be eliminated and the work of the various units consolidated that a material reduction in the number of employees would be made. A much closer scrutiny of the financial affairs of the various departments would also be brought about by centralization, the saving in the state in the purchase of supplies, now bought separately by each board or commission, by one central authority, under competitive bids, being one of the big possibilities under this plan.

FINE ORE BEING SHIPPED

Some unusually fine ore is being shipped from the Rhea mine this week by Pete Hanson. There is a good showing of lead and silver.

GARDNER GOES TO FEDERAL PRISON

PHOENIX, Dec. 14—Roy Gardner, who pleaded guilty here to a charge of attempting to rob the United States mails after he escaped from the federal prison at McNeil Island, Wash., where he was serving two sentences for robbing the mails, left here last night for Leavenworth, Kas., where he will enter the federal penitentiary to serve sentences totaling 7 1/2 years.

He was guarded by United States Marshal J. E. Dillon, of this city, and three other guards.

Drafting inspectors last night announced that E. H. Whitney, who was arrested in the United States district courtroom here last Saturday during the trial of Roy Gardner, mail robber, had been identified as a man under indictment in Dubuque, Iowa, and Phoenix, Ariz., as well as the one who robbed postoffice sub-station No. 20 in Chicago on May 13, 1916.

Whitney, the inspectors said, has admitted the Chicago robbery and also has admitted serving a seven-year sentence in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kas., for that offense. His term expired last June. He refuses to discuss the other indictments, however. When informed of the Phoenix indictment, Whitney said, according to the inspectors: "Well, I'm a blasted outlaw now."

Whitney, according to the inspectors, is a drug addict, and is believed to have been implicated in the smuggling of drugs across the Mexican border into the United States.

PATAGONIA COUPLE MARRY
Jesus P. Molina and Mrs. Wenceslao Elgin, both residents of this place, were united in marriage this week at the home of Nick Johnson, the marriage ceremony being performed by Judge Hudson Padergras. Mr. Molina is employed at the road camp. Mrs. Molina is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Puckeisen, who are old timers in the Patagonia district.

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

Frank Parmelee, 74 years old, formerly president of an omnibus company in Chicago...

Running away from the Security State Bank at Robbinsdale, a suburb of Minneapolis...

Six persons were killed in a head-on collision between the eastbound Portland-Spokane limited and westbound Oregon-Washington limited trains...

A jury in the District Court at Scotchbluff, Neb., rendered a verdict acquitting Mrs. Paul Tachna of the charge of first degree murder...

Jack Sankey, prominent oil man formerly of Tulsa and Los Angeles, was found dead in his apartments at a local hotel in Fort Worth, Texas...

Davis Sandles, 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Sandles, who had a needle removed from his heart on Nov. 7, in what surgeons said was one of the most remarkable operations ever performed...

While playing with a roller towel at his farm home, ten miles north of Huron, S. D., Everett Mediger, 12 years old, twisted the towel about his neck, slipped on the bathroom floor and fell, breaking his neck...

WASHINGTON

The net imports of peanuts during the first eight months of 1921 were only 39,040,000 pounds, as compared with 117,050,000 pounds during the same period of 1920...

Patrons of the foreign money order service will be saved in the aggregate large sums of money through a plan adopted by the Postoffice Department...

The greatest need in education in the United States today is "a square deal for the country child," John J. Tigert, commissioner of education, declared in a statement issued in connection with the opening of "American Education Week..."

The Russian famine is spreading and now threatens 25,000,000 people, ex-Governor James P. Goodrich of Indiana reported to Secretary Hoover in Washington...

A petition more than a mile in length and containing around 200,000 individual signatures as well as the signatures of presidents of women's organizations with a total membership of more than 2,000,000, was presented to Secretary of State Hughes recently...

Formerly a somewhat neglected vegetable from a commercial standpoint, celery has gained in popularity quite steadily the past half-dozen years. Shipments in 1916-17 were less than 6,000 cars, but each year since then the 6,000 mark has been exceeded...

Voluntary railroad proposals for inauguration of a 10 per cent decrease in freight rates on practically all farm, ranch and orchard products in the United States, outside of New England, have been accepted by the Interstate Commerce Commission...

W. R. Stansbury, the new clerk of the U. S. Supreme Court, is now enjoining that satisfaction which comes from the knowledge that long, faithful and intelligent service has been recognized. His position is for life, and he started in as a junior clerk more than thirty years ago...

Defending what he described as his own "liberties and the liberties of his countrymen," E. A. Widenmayer of New York filed in the Supreme Court a brief in a case in which he seeks to have the national prohibition amendment declared unconstitutional.

FOREIGN

President Obregon of Mexico is considering two invitations to visit Texas. One is from the American Legion post at San Antonio and the other from Gov. Pat Neff of Texas.

Germany and Switzerland have signed a treaty of arbitration, under which each country is compelled to submit almost all questions in dispute between them to arbitration.

A soviet delegation is on the way to Buenos Aires to negotiate for the reopening of trade relations between Argentina and Russia, La Razon learns from diplomatic sources.

Former Turkish Grand Vizier Said Ali Pascha was fatally shot at Rome while taking a walk. He was rushed to a hospital, but was dead when the ambulance arrived. His assailant has not been apprehended.

The Russian ruble is still depreciating. It now requires 200,000 of them to purchase a dollar. In one day the dollar has jumped from 150,000 to 200,000 rubles, which is the most violent fluctuation since the free trade policy was inaugurated.

According to Lucille's London branch, which held its autumn fashion parade, there are to be no more bare backs, bare arms or bare shoulders. The expanses of neck and shoulders hitherto revealed in past seasons are to be covered by gossamer lace.

Strens attached to the rear end of trains will in future warn against railroad collisions in France, according to a decision of the State Railways Commission. Thus a use has been found for 6,000 air-raid sirens which formerly sent Parisians hurrying to shelter when German airplanes approached.

Peace negotiations between the Spanish government and the rebellious Moorish tribesmen in Morocco, which have been carried on indirectly for six weeks, have been broken off. It was officially announced at Madrid. The tribesmen demanded arms, ammunition and money as the price of their concessions.

Embezzlement of \$18,500 is charged in a complaint filed at Manila against Isidore Lerma, former chief of the foreign department of the Philippine National Bank, and Nicanor Karak, an attorney. Bond was fixed at \$5,000 each. It is alleged Lerma and Karak conspired to defraud the bank of profits on the sale of marks to the bank's clients.

A total of 420,000 automobiles in Canada covered a road mileage in 1920 which exceeded 1,680,000,000 and registered a passenger mileage of not less than 6,920,000,000. The steam and electric railroads of the dominion combined carried but 629,121,000, according to S. L. Squire of the Canadian Good Roads Association, as quoted in Canadian Motorist. The number of passengers carried is 252,000,000 annually.

GENERAL

Thirty-five-cent breakfasts and dollar dinners on dining cars of the Chicago Great Western railroad have been announced at Chicago. Travelers are given a choice of eight menus at the new prices.

After sleeping continually for 188 hours, Mrs. Harvey G. Johnson, 80 years old, was dead at her home in Granville, New York. Her physician declared she suffered from no disease. She fell asleep Nov. 25 and never awoke.

Damages of \$21,400 for the death of Charles F. van de Water, congressman-elect of Long Beach, on Nov. 20, 1920, against the owners of the truck into which his automobile crashed, have been entered by stipulation in the Los Angeles Superior Court.

Requests of \$10,000 in jewelry to each of her children and grandchildren amounting to approximately \$100,000, and the bestowal of her two town houses in New York City to her husband, so long as he does not marry, are the major items in the will of the late Mrs. George J. Gould, filed in Surrogate's Court at Toms River, N. J.

The annual Methodist conference in session at Pine Bluff, Ark., adopted a resolution urging Congress to pass the proposed law forbidding operation of trains and newspapers on Sunday and requiring closing of all business and amusements on Sunday.

One solid carton of liquor was seized at Richmond, Va., by revenue agents on the Atlantic coast line. The liquor was shipped from Georgia and was destined for New York. The revenue officers refuse to divulge names until the warrants are served.

Chicago society women who carry their liquor in neat gold, jewel-set flasks were given warning by United States District Attorney Charles E. Clynne not to be surprised if they are arrested for violation of the prohibition act. Clynne is now investigating the fashionable Casho Club.

Police records of New York compiled for the month of November show that 1,837 persons were arrested in the month. The largest number arrested during any month in 1921 was 1,883, the record for April. Increases were evident in the number of persons arrested for drunkenness and vagrancy during the month just past.

Operation of a counterfeiting plant was halted in Chicago when federal agents raided a basement shop and arrested Henry J. Brechong, said to be an ex-convict. Photographic plates of \$1, \$5 and \$10 federal reserve notes and other equipment were seized. Brechong was held to the grand jury in \$5,000 bonds.

More than 7,000 bales of long staple cotton were destroyed by fire of undetermined origin in the warehouse of the Greenwood Compress and Storage Company at Greenwood, Mass. The loss was estimated at \$750,000.

Frederick J. Kelly, formerly a deputy collector of internal revenue, pleaded guilty at New York to a charge of embezzling \$25,000 in treasury certificates received in payment of income taxes, and was sentenced by Federal Judge Augustus Hand to serve a year and a day in the Atlanta penitentiary.

Thirty-six persons, including women and children, were rescued by firemen from a four-story building in New York. The flames destroyed the stairway, cutting off the escape of the inmates.

'U. S. MUST SAVE WORLD'-HARDING

PRESIDENT DELIVERS STIRRING ADDRESS TO CONGRESS IN PERSON.

SYNOPSIS OF SPEECH

URGES MANY REFORMS IN ADMINISTRATION POLICIES BY NEW CONGRESS.

(Western Newspaper Union News Service.)

Washington.—Stressing the great and far-reaching contribution which the American people must be prepared to make toward the economic and financial rehabilitation of a world still staggering under the disordered conditions bequeathed by war, President Harding voiced a solemn warning in the message he delivered in person to Congress that "no permanent readjustments can be effected without consideration of our inescapable relationship to world affairs in finance and trade."

"We should be unworthy of our best traditions if we were un mindful of social, moral and political conditions which are not of direct concern to us, but which do appeal to the human sympathies and the very becoming interest of a people blessed with our national sympathies," the President said. The President emphasized that in the main the contribution of this republic to restored normalcy in the world must come through the initiative of the executive branch of the government, but the best intentions and most carefully considered purposes would fail utterly if the sanction and the co-operation of Congress were not cheerfully accorded.

For the first time in years, since the grim shadows of the World War first began to gather over the American people, Congress listened to a presidential message that was almost entirely devoted to the grave domestic issues confronting the American nation, and which skipped over, except in the most general way, the serious international questions facing the American people.

The synopsis of President Harding's message to Congress follows: Mr. Speaker and Members of the Congress—It is a very gratifying privilege to come to the Congress with the republic at peace with all the nations of the world. More, it is equally gratifying to report that our country is not only free from every impending menace of war, but there are growing assurances of the permanency of the peace which we so deeply cherish.

For approximately ten years we have dwelt amid menaces of war or as participants in war's actualities, and the inevitable aftermath, with its disordered conditions, has added to the difficulties of government, which adequately cannot be appraised except by those who are in immediate contact and know the responsibilities. Our tasks would be less difficult if we had only ourselves to consider, but so much of the world was involved, the disordered conditions are so well-nigh universal, even among nations not engaged in actual warfare, that no permanent readjustments can be effected without consideration of our inescapable relation to world affairs in finance and trade.

Indeed, we should be unworthy of our best traditions if we were un mindful of social, moral and political conditions which are not of direct concern to us, but which do appeal to the human sympathies and the very becoming interest of a people blessed with our national good fortune. It is not my purpose to bring to you a program of world restoration. In the main such a program must be worked out by the nations most directly concerned. They must themselves turn to the heroic remedies for the menacing conditions under which they are struggling, then we can help and we mean to help.

We shall do so usefully because there is compensation in the consciousness of assisting, selfishly, because the commerce and international exchanges in trade which marked our high tide of fortunate advancement are possible only when the nations of all continents are restored to stable order and normal relationship.

In the main the contribution of this republic to restored normalcy in the world must come through the initiative of the executive branch of the government, but the best of intentions and most carefully considered purposes would fail utterly if the sanction and the co-operation of Congress were not cheerfully accorded.

I am very sure we shall have no conflict of opinion about constitutional duties or authority. During the anxieties of war, when necessity seemed compelling, there were excessive grants of authority and an extraordinary concentration of powers in the chief executive. The repeal of wartime legislation and the automatic explanations which attend the peace proclamations have put an end to these emergency excesses, but I have the wish to go farther than that. I want to join you in restoring, in the most cordial way, the spirit of co-ordination and co-operation and that mutuality of confidence and respect which is necessary in representative popular government.

Encroachment upon the functions of Congress or attempted dictation of its Seeking Quadruple Entente. Washington.—The effort to find an acceptable substitute for the Anglo-Japanese alliance has so diverted attention of many arms delegates as to throw even the question of the naval ratio temporarily into the background. Both the Japanese and the British have shown a desire to include the United States in any entente that may replace the alliance, and a tentative treaty draft under consideration by some governments concerned would provide a quadruple arrangement, including France.

policy are not to be thought of, much less attempted, but there is an insistent call for harmony of purpose and concord of action to speed the solution of the difficult problems confronting both the legislative and executive branches of the government.

It is worth while to make allusion here to the character of our government, mindful as one must be that an address to you is no less a message to all our people for whom you speak most intimately. Ours is a popular government through political parties. We divide along political lines and I would ever leave it so.

Summary of the main points as follows: First—The imperative need of "elastic and flexible" tariff legislation which would enable the President, through the federal tariff commission, to meet effectively the changing trade and industrial conditions, not only in this country, but abroad.

Second—The urgent necessity of a "general policy of transportation of distributed industry, and of highway construction to encourage the spread of our population and to restore the proper balance between city and country."

Third—The strong desire of the administration for further revenue revision and "renewed consideration of our tax program," despite the inevitable divergence of opinion in seeking the reduction, amelioration and readjustment of the burdens of taxation.

Fourth—The expressed opposition of the administration to the abrogation of certain commercial treaties proposed by the Jones merchant marine act on the ground that to do so would "involve us in a chaos of trade relationships and add indeliberately to the confusion of the already disordered commercial world."

Fifth—The expansion of the American merchant marine under an administration plan to be later submitted to Congress which, while contemplating no greater draft on the public treasury than is provided by the Jones act, "will appeal to the pride and encourage the hope of all the American people," in American shipping flying the American flag.

Sixth—Early enactment of the foreign debt funding that the administration may be clothed with ample authority to deal with the \$11,000,000,000 foreign indebtedness to the United States which is now denied it and which is hindering readjustments among our debtors and accomplishing nothing for ourselves.

Seventh—Systematic encouragement of agriculture by the development of adequate distribution and marketing facilities for agricultural products and the adoption of co-operative marketing programs for that purpose.

Eighth—The early termination of a "great volume of uneconomic and wasteful transportation" and a revision of "the existing scheme of adjusting freight rates," with adequate legislation to meet the serious railroad problems so vitally affecting the welfare of the American people.

Ninth—Recommended a congressional appropriation to purchase food for the starving Russians.

Tenth—Suggested the advisability of a constitutional amendment to prohibit the issuance of tax free securities.

Eleventh—Declared both corporations and labor unions should be regulated and supervised in the interests of public welfare and suggested quasi-judicial tribunals to settle labor disputes.

Touches on Conference. Agreeable to your expressed desire and in complete accord with the purposes of legislative branch of the government, there is in Washington, an international conference now most earnestly at work on plans for the limitation of armaments, a naval holiday and the just settlement of problems which might develop into causes of international disagreement.

It is easy to believe a world hope is centered on this capital city. A most gratifying world accomplishment is not improbable.

A hearty reception was given the President by what was said to be one of the largest audiences ever jammed into the House chamber. Demonstrations of a minute each occurred when he entered and again when he concluded, the audience standing and applauding. Applause also broke into his address frequently, especially from House members when he discussed administration policy and with special volume when he advanced his plan for a tribunal to weigh disputes between capital and labor and declared labor organizations should not be permitted to "exact unfair terms of employment or subject the public to actual distress."

The audience, which also included the cabinet, diplomatic corps and many high officials, responded warmly when with feeling the President urged aid for starving peoples of Russia and proposed a gift of 10,000,000 bushels of corn and 1,000,000 bushels of seed.

Yanks Bring Wives From Rhine. New York.—The first detachment of American troops to be sent home from the army of occupation in Germany, consisting of eleven officers and 600 men, arrived here on the transport Cantigny. The ship's best accommodations were occupied by seventy-three German-born wives of American soldiers and eight Rhine babies.

Wreck Dead Total Twenty-seven. Philadelphia, Pa.—The death list as a result of the collision of Reading railway passenger trains at Bryn Athyn apparently stands at twenty-seven. Thirteen of the victims have been identified and fourteen others are still missing and believed to have been killed.

Mexicans Confiscate Fishing Boat. Los Angeles, Calif.—Eight Americans were said to be under arrest at Ensenada, Lower California, and their fishing boat, the Mabel, seized and given to the prize crew by the Mexican gunboat Tecate, according to a report to customs officers at the harbor here by Capt. Andrew Petrich of another fishing boat. The arrest and seizure took place and was the result of contentions by Mexican officials that American fishing boats are illegally operating off the coast of Mexico.

Southwest News From All Over New Mexico and Arizona

(Western Newspaper Union News Service.)

A. H. Orcutt, en route from El Paso to Roswell, N. M., was held up and robbed of \$84 in cash by bandits at the foot of Picacho hill, thirty miles west of Roswell.

The Roy, Hagerman and Alamogordo high school stock-judging teams, having won the district contest, will compete in the state contest to be held at Roswell, N. M., Dec. 17.

One man was killed, several others injured, none seriously, and property was damaged to the extent of \$200,000, as a result of a fire in the business district of Yuma, Ariz.

Approval of advances aggregating more than \$6,500,000 has been announced by the War Finance corporation. Agricultural and live-stock loans of \$6,420,000 were distributed among twenty-four states, including Nebraska, Colorado, Arizona, New Mexico, Oregon, Iowa, South Dakota, Idaho, Utah, Nevada and Texas.

The receipts of the office of secretary of state of Arizona are mounting higher each month, and where formerly the revenue was negligible, it now amounts to a considerable sum monthly. During the month of November the total sum of \$14,277.31 was taken in. In 1920 the receipts were \$1,574.48 and in 1919, \$1,779.77.

A feature of the boys' department of the Y. M. C. A. for the month of December will be the organization of a club among the newshays of Albuquerque, N. M. The club will be formed to get all the newshays of the city into one organization under the leadership of the Y so they will have better opportunities for all kinds of sports.

Statistics from the 1920 government census show that there are 5,023 registered Hereford cattle in Arizona. This is 4,799 more than any other beef breed, showing how greatly the Herefords predominate in this state. There are also 2,990 registered Hereford bulls in the state as compared with 215, the greatest number of any other breed.

According to reports given out by sportsmen who have just returned from the Black Range country in New Mexico, the number of hunters in that section this year has broken all records. It is estimated that over 300 hunters were in the Black Range and the Burro mountains alone, besides many others in the Pinos Altos and the Datil hills.

The two-year-old daughter of Sheriff and Mrs. M. G. Montoya of Bernalillo, N. M., died at the hospital as the result of getting the shell of a pigeon out fast in her throat. Several children had been eating the nuts and as soon as the trouble was discovered the little one was rushed to the hospital, but in spite of all that could be done for her passed away in a short time.

Mrs. David Sun, wife of David Sun, a Maripea Indian, died on the Maripea reservation, about fifteen miles southwest of Phoenix, being struck in the face with an axe by her husband. Sun was arrested and taken to the county jail. Joseph H. Holub, assistant United States district attorney, announced that the government would file a murder charge against Sun.

An injunction permanently restraining the Arizona Fire Insurance Company from doing business in Arizona and an order directing that the State Corporation Commission assume charge of its affairs, were issued in the Superior Court at Phoenix. Both were issued at the request of Attorney General W. J. Galbraith, acting for the State Corporation Commission.

New Mexico gets \$61,508 of the more than \$1,000,000 allotment for road building carried in the recently passed \$75,000,000 highway act for every \$31,492 the state puts up. Highway Engineer Gillet has been officially advised.

A big three days rodeo will be staged at Fort Bayard, N. M., under the auspices of the American Legion, the dates having been set for Dec. 24, 25 and 26. Liberal prizes will be awarded to the winners of the events, and besides the hundreds of people from all over the southern part of the state the big show will furnish amusement for more than a thousand men from the big hospital.

Mrs. Edna McDowell was awarded damages in the sum of \$15,000 against Hale Chenoweth by a jury in the Superior Court at Tombstone, Ariz., following a short deliberation. Mrs. McDowell had sued Chenoweth for \$50,000 for damages due to the death of her husband, Claude McDowell, alleged to have been caused by a gunshot wound at the hands of Chenoweth, and for which he was convicted and sentenced to state prison, afterward having been pardoned.

Ridge-Igo Post of the American Legion plans to build a community building in Nogales, Ariz., next year that will cost approximately \$60,000. The building will house a public library, gymnasium, and will be large enough to take care of any and all public gatherings to be held in Nogales for a long time to come.

Two men, alleged to have held up McFarland Bros. bank at Logan, N. M., and escaped with \$1,500, were captured by a posse near Gallegos, twenty miles north of the scene of the robbery. They are Mexicans and live near Gallegos.

C. A. House, deputy customs collector in charge of the port of Douglas, Ariz., for more than six years, has resigned his position with the customs department and will become federal prohibition agent for the state of Arizona under Mike Cassidy, in charge of the same district. "Plant a Tree in Honor of every ex-Serviceman in Las Cruces" is the slogan of a committee of seven appointed by C. F. Knight, president of the Chamber of Commerce, to work out plans to beautify the residential streets in Las Cruces, N. M.

Large Can, 12 Ounces. 25¢. A Pure, Sure, Healthful Baking Powder at an Economy Price. Contains no Alum. Use it -and Save! Write for New Dr. Price Cook Book - It's free. Price Baking Powder Factory, 1603 Independence Blvd., Chicago, Ill.

USE DRUGS TO GAIN COURAGE

After Stimulant Subsidies, Criminals Are Cringing Cowards Again. Declares a Writer.

Stick-up men, shoplifters, burglars and pickpockets are the largest users of drugs. Most persons think morphine, heroin, cocaine and opium are indulged in by the criminal classes after the commission of a crime as a succor for their minds.

"Nothing is farther from the facts," said an old detective. "The criminal who works in the open uses drugs to supply him with courage. It is a sort of false courage. For it does not work with the effects of the opiate. Nevertheless without it your holdup man would never have the nerve to carry through a daylight robbery. A census of the drug addicts is a roster of the crooks in nine cases out of ten. Of course after a time the criminals acquire a permanent appetite for drugs, but the seeming super-courage that sends a man with a pointed gun into a jewelry store filled with customers to grab trays of diamonds is only stimulated from the effect of the drug. Half an hour later when the influence of the poison has worn off he is left a cringing, cowering coward."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Matters Were Even.

An elaborately dressed woman got into a smoking compartment just as the train was moving. A few minutes later she informed a man who was smoking a pipe that she would be obliged if he did not smoke. "Do you object to the smell of tobacco, ma'am?" he asked politely. "Yes," she said emphatically. "Well," he replied, with a laugh, "I'm sorry, but as it happens, I object to the smell of scents—so we are quits."

What Did He Mean?

"I long for the kind of a man who would love and protect me always," she murmured, "one who would understand, a man who would kneel in the dust to kiss the hem of my skirt," her voice trailed dreamily. "Clarine, dear," said the young man, earnestly, "it wouldn't be necessary for him to kneel in the dust."

Japan Has Widow's Headdress.

Japanese widows designate themselves by the arrangement of their hair, and also signify whether they desire to marry again.

When a woman no longer finds fault with her husband she's a widow.

Illinois produced more than 12,000,000 barrels of petroleum last year.

Real Rest Depends Largely Upon the Depth of Your Sleep. A warning to "light" or "poor" sleepers. The deeper and sounder you sleep the better you feel. Five hours sound refreshing sleep does you more actual good than ten hours restless, disturbed sleep. This is because the final conversion of food into vital tissue and nerve cells goes on more rapidly when the physical and mental forces are at rest. You can't get sound, refreshing sleep if your nerves are agitated with tea or coffee. Both these drinks contain caffeine, which is sometimes very irritating to the brain and nervous system. If you want to know the joy, vigor and stamina that comes to the person who gets sound, healthful sleep, why not stop taking tea or coffee for a while, and drink delicious, invigorating Postum instead. Thousands of people everywhere have found that this was the only thing they needed in order to bring about these very happy results. Order Postum from your grocer today. Drink this delightful cereal beverage of coffee-like flavor, for a week. Perhaps, like thousands of others, you'll never be willing to go back to tea or coffee. Postum comes in two forms: Instant Postum (in tins) made instantly in the cup by the addition of boiling water. Postum Cereal (in packages of larger bulk, for those who prefer to make the drink while the meal is being prepared) made by boiling for 20 minutes. Postum for Health "There's a Reason"

"Top of World" 50 Miles Away

Writer Gives Some Interesting Facts in Connection With Recent Aviation Feats.

OF LITTLE SCIENTIFIC VALUE

Attempts to Go Higher Than MacReady's Record-Breaking Flight Would Not Be Productive of Worthwhile Results.

height where the pressure was but three tons. And had he gone three times as high he would have reduced the pressure to 80 pounds.

No interest in Poles.

Any higher airplane flights than those that have been taken by these two men will have little scientific value. Their observations will give scarcely more information than that to be had from a balloon sent up with various pieces of recording apparatus.

But neither did the poles of the earth have great scientific interest.

Washington.—The "top of the world" still waits to be reached. Lieutenant MacReady's record-breaking flight to a height of nearly eight miles left the "ceiling of the earth" still at least forty miles away.

How near the aviator may come to what is practically the upper limit of the atmospheric layer surrounding the earth we may not know in this generation. But the meteorologist and the astronomer tell us that both Major Schroeder after his flight of 38,190 feet and Lieutenant MacReady after his 40,800 were speaking only figuratively when they spoke of having attained the "top of the earth."

Layer Fifty Miles Thick.

The layer of atmosphere, many say, is at least fifty miles thick.

Aviators now have the means of taking sufficient oxygen along with them for their engines and for themselves, and the heat that keeps their bodies from freezing. They lack only denser air to fly upon at great heights. But this, of course, they will never have.

Yet there is another solution: The faster plane capable of rising still higher on an ever-thinning ocean of air.

It will be a problem forever increasingly difficult. The higher man rises, the thinner will be the air upon which he must depend for buoyancy.

Indeed the air gets thinner even in greater proportion than the increased height of the flight. For though MacReady had risen through but one-sixth of the air cushion that cloaks the earth, he had left behind him four-fifths of the air.

From the surface of the earth, where the total pressure upon his body was fifteen tons, he had risen to a

Stewart's Life Romance Bared

Speedometer Man Really Was Terence O'Brien, One-Time Clipper of Horses.

ALSO WAS MINING PROSPECTOR

Litigation Over \$5,257,343 Estate Left by Manufacturer Leads to Barring of "Family Skeleton"—Eccentric About Money.

Chicago.—Litigation over the \$5,257,343 estate left by the late John K. Stewart, founder and president of the Stewart Manufacturing company and the Stewart-Warner Speedometer company, bared a "family skeleton."

Search of records of the Surrogate court in Riverhead, L. I., in which one of the two wills made by the Chicago millionaire was filed, revealed that his name was really Terence O'Brien. Under this name he had been a mining prospector in the West, always without much success.

From prospecting O'Brien turned his hand to clipping horses, following county fairs. In Seattle he met Arthur and Michael Conlon. Together they invented a horse clipping machine. This

Yet men sought and attained them. And so long as the astronomer and the meteorologist make known the existence of an ocean of air beyond any sailed thus far, there will be a struggle to fathom its depth.

But for the present that fathoming will be done only from observation and deduction to be made upon terra firma. Among the best of the methods that are used to determine the upper limit of the blanket of air about the earth is called the "twilight method."

It has been determined that twilight lasts until the sun is about eighteen degrees below the horizon, and with this as a known value and the radius of the earth given as 4,000 miles, it is not difficult to solve, by the methods of trigonometry, a right triangle that gives 48 miles as the height of the air still dense enough to reflect the twilight rays of the sun after it has set.

The AMERICAN LEGION

BOOSTER FOR HIS HOME TOWN

Bert Hutchings Served as General Chairman for Legion at Kansas City.

"If there is anything going on for the good of Kansas City, Bert Hutchings is usually the motive power behind it."

This is a common remark in Kansas City regarding Albert E. Hutchings, general chairman of the third annual national convention of the American Legion, under whose direction Kansas City entertained the largest assembly of ex-service men and women since the war.

The career of Mr. Hutchings is closely interwoven with the progress of Kansas City, which he visualized in 1900, when he decided to live there. Since then he has organized the Kansas City Advertising club, he has been president of the Rotary club and the Automobile club, and has participated in every movement for the advancement of the city.

During the World war he was given the immense task of organizing the Liberty loan campaigns in the Tenth Federal Reserve district, but civilian service was not enough for him when his country was involved in a war. He organized a Seventh Missouri National Guard company, and served as its captain. Later he was transferred to the motor transport corps of the regular army, serving at Camp Meigs and Camp Merritt, in command of headquarters motor command No. 36.

ONLY POLICE WOMAN MEMBER

Mrs. Rose F. Taylor Belongs to New York Post Composed Entirely of the "Bravest."

Mrs. Rose F. Taylor, police woman of the United States, is the only woman member of the Lafayette Post of the American Legion, New York City, composed entirely of members of the New York police force. Mrs. Taylor has been stationed at the 47th street station, the busiest in the "Great White Way" district for ten years and she was the only policewoman of the 65 employed in New York who went into war service.

AFTER THE FAKE PROMOTERS

American Legion on Watch to Detect and Expose Organizations Victimized by Ex-Service Men.

The harpies who prey on public sympathy and the vultures who attack themselves to every legitimate and worthy campaign for the relief of human distress, have been flying in flocks behind the trudging army of job-hunting ex-service men. The police courts are revealing the sordid operations of scores of avaricious persons who have been conducting money-raising campaigns on a get-rich-quick basis, on the pretense of assisting unemployed World war veterans. Some of these fly-by-night promoters have formed large organizations, using as dupes veterans who are, themselves, honest, but have been induced by urgent need to grasp at the straw of a job which the swindler dangles before them.

Behind a shield of plausibility, the promoter sends his money solicitors out upon the public. Needless to say, little of the money raised actually is used to assist the unemployed ex-service men. The promoter takes good care to see that his account books, if he keeps any, never record the full amounts which have been extracted from the sympathetic public. And if he makes a pretense of accounting for the way the money is expended, this accounting is only a clever construction of falsities, intended to protect the promoter, if he is made the subject of inquiry by public officials. The system by which he operates precludes honesty.

WOMAN IS VICE COMMANDER

Mrs. Amy Robbins Ware of Minnesota Is First of Sex to Hold Office in State.

Mrs. Amy Robbins Ware, Robbinsdale, Minn., who served during the World war as a member of the army nursing corps, is the first woman of Minnesota to hold the office of state vice commander of the American Legion. Mrs. Ware started delegates to the last convention of the Legion, at Winona, Minn., by arriving at that city in an airplane.

In the convention, Mrs. Ware was nominated for the vice commandery by a man—Dr. M. E. Withrow of International Falls, Minn.—who had served with Mrs. Ware in the Argonne forest.

Mrs. Ware is the third member of her family, in as many generations, to serve as war nurse. Her mother and grandmother were volunteer nurses during the Civil war.

While in France, Mrs. Ware wrote a book of poems, "Echoes of France," which have been widely praised.

90 PUBLICITY MEN IN POST

Number of Boosters in S. Rankin Drew Unit Assures Body of Most Effective Advertising.

Of all the 11,000 posts of the American Legion in the United States and in 14 foreign countries, the one that slips into the lime-light most often is the S. Rankin Drew unit of New York City. The fact that the post has 90 publicity men on its roster should explain it all.

Named for the first American actor to die in France, some of the country's foremost actors of the legitimate stage sought membership following their war experiences. Motion picture men and those interested in the allied amusements, along with 35 gaudy and successful, more or less, playwrights complete the membership.

The post stages an annual show in the New York hippodrome, calling a meeting of its membership to assemble a stellar cast. The 90 publicity men do the rest and the money is given to charity.

WOMAN AS STATE ADJUTANT

Miss Honorah Sue Gittings of San Francisco, First of Sex to Hold Legion Office.

Miss Honorah Sue Gittings, of San Francisco, Cal., is the first woman to hold the position of state adjutant of the American Legion. She was appointed to that position by the commander of the California department, pending the election of a permanent adjutant.

Miss Gittings was one of the first women to enlist in the service of her country during the World War. She joined the navy as a yeomanette in 1917.

Bryan Favors Bonus

In a statement on adjusted compensation for ex-service men, William Jennings Bryan says: "I am in favor of a bonus for ex-service men. I think the law should present alternative propositions so that each soldier can choose cash, land, insurance or anything else, according to his needs. I would prefer to have the money necessary collected from those who profited by the war, but Justice requires the payment of a bonus regardless of the source from which the money comes."

LEAVES SENATE FOR LEGION

Connecticut Lawmaker Resigns to Accept Commandership of Department of His State.

Clarence W. Seymour, Hartford, Conn., tendered his resignation as state senator in the Connecticut legislature to accept the commandership of the Connecticut department of the American Legion, to which he was elected last September.

The constitution of the Legion makes it impossible for a state commander to hold a public office, and when Mr. Seymour was called upon to decide between the legislature and the Legion, he placed the commandership first in importance.

Mr. Seymour, a graduate of Yale in both arts and law, enlisted in the Connecticut cavalry in 1914. He served on the Mexican border in 1916, and later was commissioned a first lieutenant at the Plattsburg training camp. He served in France as battalion adjutant of the One Hundred and Eighteenth field artillery, Thirty-first division.

After his return from France he was elected state senator. He was a member of the military committee of the 1921 general assembly.

Refreshment Stand

The refreshment stand of the American Legion at Plattsburg, N. Y., has been voted the best in the state by the state commander.

The stand is located in the town of Plattsburg, which is the headquarters of the American Legion in the state. It is a fine example of what can be accomplished with a little effort and a lot of common sense.

Refreshment Stand

The refreshment stand of the American Legion at Plattsburg, N. Y., has been voted the best in the state by the state commander.

The stand is located in the town of Plattsburg, which is the headquarters of the American Legion in the state. It is a fine example of what can be accomplished with a little effort and a lot of common sense.

Refreshment Stand

The refreshment stand of the American Legion at Plattsburg, N. Y., has been voted the best in the state by the state commander.

The stand is located in the town of Plattsburg, which is the headquarters of the American Legion in the state. It is a fine example of what can be accomplished with a little effort and a lot of common sense.

Refreshment Stand

The refreshment stand of the American Legion at Plattsburg, N. Y., has been voted the best in the state by the state commander.

The stand is located in the town of Plattsburg, which is the headquarters of the American Legion in the state. It is a fine example of what can be accomplished with a little effort and a lot of common sense.

Refreshment Stand

The refreshment stand of the American Legion at Plattsburg, N. Y., has been voted the best in the state by the state commander.

The stand is located in the town of Plattsburg, which is the headquarters of the American Legion in the state. It is a fine example of what can be accomplished with a little effort and a lot of common sense.

Refreshment Stand

The refreshment stand of the American Legion at Plattsburg, N. Y., has been voted the best in the state by the state commander.

The stand is located in the town of Plattsburg, which is the headquarters of the American Legion in the state. It is a fine example of what can be accomplished with a little effort and a lot of common sense.

Refreshment Stand

The refreshment stand of the American Legion at Plattsburg, N. Y., has been voted the best in the state by the state commander.

The stand is located in the town of Plattsburg, which is the headquarters of the American Legion in the state. It is a fine example of what can be accomplished with a little effort and a lot of common sense.

Refreshment Stand

The refreshment stand of the American Legion at Plattsburg, N. Y., has been voted the best in the state by the state commander.

The stand is located in the town of Plattsburg, which is the headquarters of the American Legion in the state. It is a fine example of what can be accomplished with a little effort and a lot of common sense.

Refreshment Stand

The refreshment stand of the American Legion at Plattsburg, N. Y., has been voted the best in the state by the state commander.

The stand is located in the town of Plattsburg, which is the headquarters of the American Legion in the state. It is a fine example of what can be accomplished with a little effort and a lot of common sense.

Refreshment Stand

The refreshment stand of the American Legion at Plattsburg, N. Y., has been voted the best in the state by the state commander.

The stand is located in the town of Plattsburg, which is the headquarters of the American Legion in the state. It is a fine example of what can be accomplished with a little effort and a lot of common sense.

Refreshment Stand

The refreshment stand of the American Legion at Plattsburg, N. Y., has been voted the best in the state by the state commander.

The stand is located in the town of Plattsburg, which is the headquarters of the American Legion in the state. It is a fine example of what can be accomplished with a little effort and a lot of common sense.

The Kitchen Cabinet

Copyright, 1921. Western Newspaper Union.

This world's a pretty good sort of a place.

Taking it all together; In spite of the grief and sorrow we meet, In spite of the gloomy weather, There are friends to love, and hopes to cheer,

And plenty of compensation For every ache, of those who make The best of the situation.

MORE WAYS WITH DRIED FRUITS.

When you have a cupful or less of plump stewed prunes, you have the beginning of a most tasty salad.

Prune and Pecan Salad—Drain the fruit and cut in pieces lengthwise and mix with one-quarter of a cupful pecan nuts cut into small pieces. Mix one-third of a cupful of olive oil with three tablespoonfuls of lemon juice, one-half teaspoonful of salt, and a few dashes of paprika and cayenne. Toss the nuts and prunes into the dressing and add one-half teaspoonful of powdered sugar. Serve in nests of lettuce with roast fowl. If a large platter is used they may be placed around the fowl for a garnish.

PARISIAN SANDWICH FILLING.

Soak one cupful of prunes over night, drain, remove the stones and put through a meat chopper with one cupful each of dates and figs. Add enough orange juice to make a paste that will spread easily. Butter graham or whole wheat bread and spread with the filling. This will keep some time in a covered jar and is good for cake filling.

STUFFED PRUNES.

Wash one-half pound of large prunes, cover with cold water and simmer for 15 minutes. Drain and steam until tender; remove the pits carefully from the prunes by a slit in each, then set aside to chill. Mash one cream cheese with one-half teaspoonful of salt, one-fourth teaspoonful of paprika and enough mayonnaise to moisten. Fill the cavities with the cheese mixture and serve with crackers, or arrange in a bed of lettuce and serve as a salad.

PRUNE PIE.

Bake a pastry shell, and into it pour one cupful of stewed prunes with some of the juice, sprinkle thickly with chopped pecans, add another layer of prunes and more nuts. Cover with a meringue and bake until brown or cover with stewed and flavored whipped cream.

WITH HAND ON THE SPODE AND BAIT IN THE SKY.

Dress the ground and bill it. Turn to the seed, brown and dry. Turn out the golden millet. Work and your house shall be duly fed.

Work and the rest shall be wum; I hold that a man had better be dead Than alive when his work is done. —Alice Cary.

SOME SPECIALS IN GOOD THINGS.

A tasty salad which may be prepared any time in the year, but is especially good at this season is Fruit Salad.

Pour a cupful of boiling water over half a pound of dates, drain dry and cut in eighths removing the stones. Add to the dates one cupful of finely cubed, good flavored apple; two slices of minced pineapple, the apple and pine may be cut in strips if preferred, sprinkle with salt and two tablespoonfuls of French dressing and one-half cupful of finely cut celery. Let stand an hour then serve with mayonnaise and whipped cream using a cupful of cream to two tablespoonfuls of mayonnaise. Serve in apple cups on lettuce.

IT IS NECESSARY TO HAVE SOME IMAGINATION TO BE A GOOD SALAD MAKER.

It is seldom that in the best-regulated homes all of the ingredients are at hand that a recipe requires.

The best salad makers are the best tasters, for much tasting is necessary to produce good results.

Kumquat Salad.—Wash twelve kumquats and cut cross wise in thin slices. Mix with one cupful of white grapes cut in half and seeded, add one orange divided into sections and broken into halves. Make a dressing of two tablespoonfuls of grape fruit juice, one tablespoonful of lemon juice, a teaspoonful of powdered sugar, a dash of cayenne and salt to taste. Arrange on lettuce and serve very cold with the dressing poured over it.

RAISIN ROLY POLY.

Raisins are one of our most wholesome fruits as they furnish assimilable iron in a most desirable form. Take one cupful each of chopped raisins and apple. Prepare a roll of pastry, roll very thin and heap the fruit in the center, pinch up and overlap, having the lips on the top. Place in a deep baking dish, pour over one cupful each of brown sugar and boiling water, two tablespoonfuls of butter. Bake an hour in a slow oven, basting occasionally.

LEMON RAISIN PIE.

Take one cupful of large raisins, add one cupful of sugar, one large lemon, juice and grated rind; a tablespoonful of flour, a cupful of water, one tablespoonful of butter. Bake with two crusts.

NEELIE MAXWELL

The Effect of Ease.

Experts say that American women are sicker than they were 40 years ago and that athletics is responsible. But only a small proportion of the women of the country indulge in athletics. It would be just as easy to prove that the person in health is due to less exercise than formerly. Surely the liver and the stomach are as effective muscle products as the gut stick and the tennis racket, and the modern housekeeper does not as a rule have to work as hard as did her mother and grandmother.

THE LEATHER MEDAL WINNER.

"Was there any excitement at this show last summer?" asked Esther.

"Yes," replied Dolly. "One day as I was sitting on the pier a man who couldn't swim fell off. I ran to where there was a coil of rope for just such purposes, and threw it to him."

"Perfectly great! And pulled him out?"

"No, I didn't have anything to pull on. I threw him the whole coil."—American Legion Weekly.

BEFORE AND AFTER CHILDBIRTH

Mrs. Williams Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Kept Her in Health

Overpeck, O.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me both before and after my baby was born. I suffered with backache, headache, was generally run down and weak. I saw Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised in the newspapers and decided to try it. Now I feel fine, take care of my two boys and my own work."

I recommend your medicine to anyone who is ailing. You may publish my testimonial if you think it will help others.—Mrs. CAROL WILLIAMS, Overpeck, Ohio.

For more than forty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been restoring women to health who suffered from irregularities, displacements, backaches, headaches, bearing-down pains, nervousness or "the blues." Today there is hardly a town or hamlet in the United States wherein some woman does not reside who has been made well by it. That is why Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is now recognized as the standard remedy for such ailments.

If Your Ford Does This



It Needs Advance Cork Insert Brake Lining for Fords

Write for "Study of Cork Lining," its benefits and free ADVANCE AUTOMOBILE ACCESSORIES CORP., 3733 Prairie Avenue, Chicago

SUBTRACTION.

"A poor excuse!" said Senator Borah in an argument on disarmament. "As poor an excuse as Aunt Dinah's!"

"Look here," I said to old Aunt Dinah one day, "I put four pairs of white flannel pants in the wash on Monday, and you've only brought me back three pairs. What's your excuse?"

"Mah excuse, Mars Will," said Aunt Dinah, "is dem fo' pairs mumber shrank up to free. Don' yo' know, Mars Will, dat flannel shrinks awful?"

FRESHEN A HEAVY SKIN

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

USE THE FIREPLACE.

A fireplace that is really used to add to the comfort and good cheer of the family on cool evenings is a never-failing source of joy. One that fails to draw—a too common fault in latter-day buildings—can often be enlarged or otherwise changed at small expense, and made useful. The custom of having a house full of fire-places which never have a fire in them is one that is as absurd as it is common.

A Beautiful Woman is Always a Well Woman

San Antonio, Tex.—"After a serious illness, when my strength seemed as though it would not come back to me, I decided to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription as a tonic. I had seen it recommended so highly that I felt I could not go far astray. This medicine did all for me that could be desired. It restored me to perfect health and strength in a comparatively short time and I am just as strong and well as can be. 'Favorite Prescription' is a splendid tonic and builder for women and it is a pleasure to recommend it."—Mrs. Hettie McLane, 308 Bowie St.

The use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has made many women happy by making them healthy. Get it at once from your nearest druggist in either tablet or liquid; or send 10c to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., for a trial pkg. tablets and write for free medical advice.

PATENTS

Walter E. Coleman, Patent Lawyer, Washington, D.C. Advice and book free. Send reasonable. Patent references. Discretionary.

The Leather Medal Winner.

"Was there any excitement at this show last summer?" asked Esther.

"Yes," replied Dolly. "One day as I was sitting on the pier a man who couldn't swim fell off. I ran to where there was a coil of rope for just such purposes, and threw it to him."

"Perfectly great! And pulled him out?"

"No, I didn't have anything to pull on. I threw him the whole coil."—American Legion Weekly.

TAKING HIM DOWN.

W. L. George, the English novelist, declared at a woman's club in Chicago, during his lecture tour, that women novelists were inferior to men.

"Men," he said, "with their larger outlook, can write about all sorts of things. Women, however, only write about love."

"Well," said a woman novelist who was present, "that is as it should be. The best way to stir your readers is with a spoon."

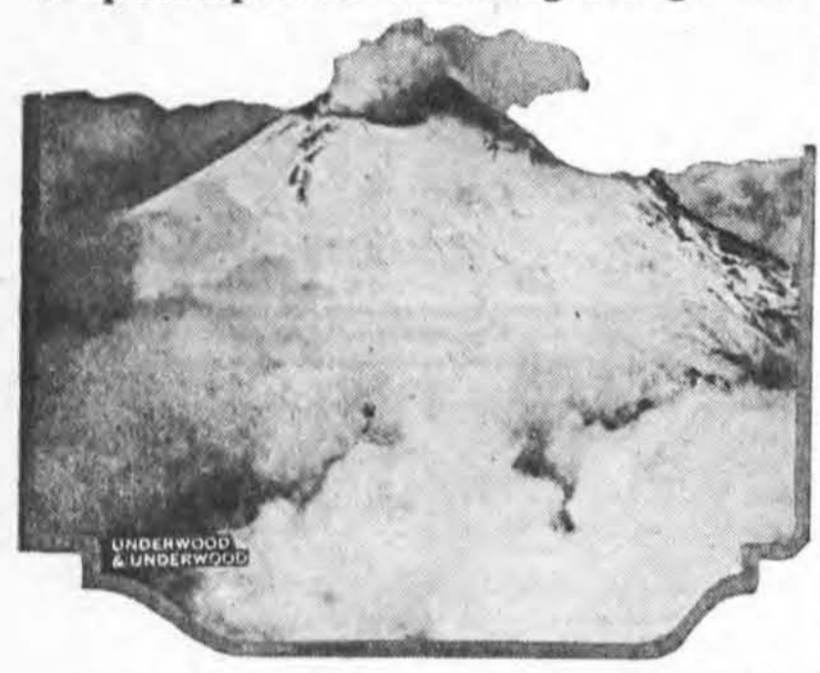
AT THE BALL GAME.

He (explaining)—"You see that man stole second." His Girl—"Well, what did he do first?"

MURINE

Night and Morning
Keep Your Eyes Clean and Healthy
Write for Free Eye Book Murine Co., Chicago, U.S.A.

Popocatepetl Is Becoming Dangerous



First airplane photograph of Popocatepetl, Mexico's famous volcano, which is just now becoming so vigorously active that the inhabitants of the villages at its base have left their homes. The mountain, composed chiefly of porphyritic obsidian, rises in a cone 17,720 feet above sea level, about ten miles southwest of Mexico City.

Virginia Boy, 7 Years Old, Arrested as Horse Thief

Roanoke, Va.—Russell Smith, seven years old, was arrested recently on a charge of stealing a horse. The boy was turned over to I. E. Watson, probation officer. This is the youngest offender of the law who has been arrested here in 20 years, it was said.

Gems Kicked About Street.

Pittsburgh, Pa.—Diamond rings worth \$5,000, tied in a linen handkerchief, were kicked about the streets and trampled by residents of Tarentum two days before Joseph DeNanze of Tarentum picked up the bundle in Center street. The diamonds were lost by Mrs. Joseph Klein of Tarentum one Monday morning, when she was shopping. The jewelry was turned over to the owner by DeNanze. Mrs. Klein had offered \$300 reward.

WILL STUDY SLEEPING SICKNESS

First Organized Investigation of Disease to Be Made.

Expedition Conducted by Four Physicians and Two Veterinary Scientists Will Study Sickness in Tropical Africa.

London.—An expedition formed by the Tropical Diseases Prevention association soon will leave to make the first organized attempt to investigate on the spot the treatment of sleeping sickness, as distinct from the question of the more transmission of the disease.

The expedition will be conducted by four physicians and two veterinary scientists, and it is expected the work will occupy two and a half years. It is sought to carry out the work in different centers with the sanction and support of the governments interested, and it is hoped that it will result

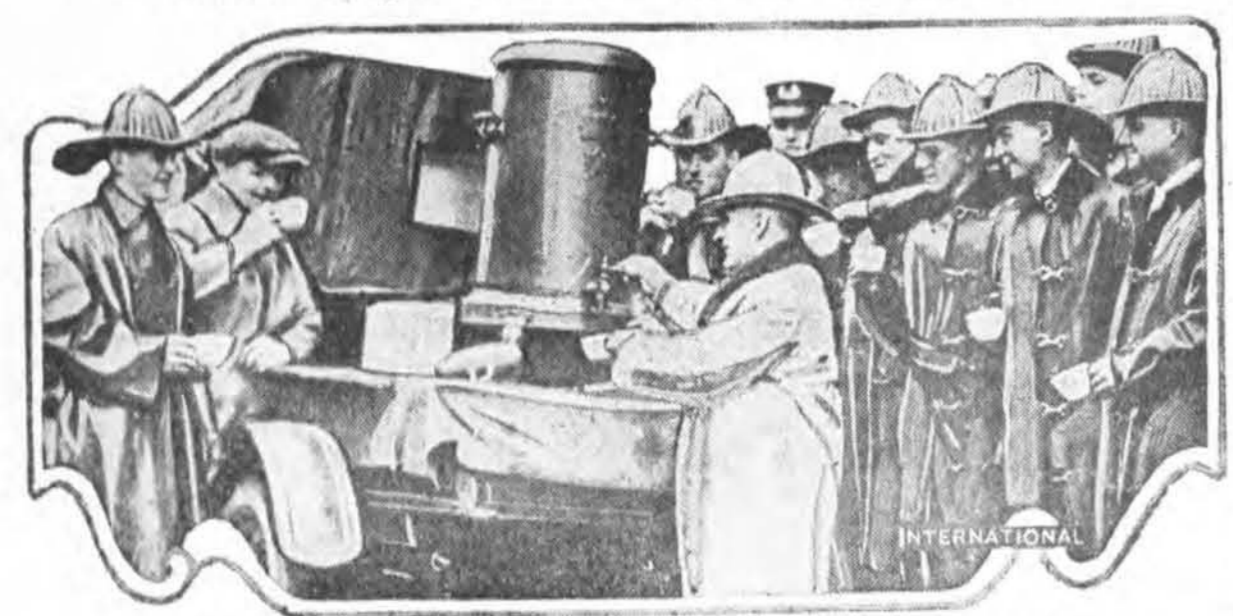
In a general system of vaccination whereby all individuals arriving in a danger zone will be inoculated and so gradually rendered immune.

The expedition will first work in Uganda. It will probably proceed later to the Belgian Congo, and it is hoped to extend the work to Rhodesia and the Sudan, where there is a big epidemic of the disease.

The sleeping sickness has been prevalent among the natives of West Africa for 100 years. It is generally attributed to a parasite carried by a species of the tsetse fly which infects cattle. The disease has caused heavy mortality among the natives of the Congo and Uganda for many years, and is greatly dreaded by Europeans in the parts of Africa where it exists. Its origin has been the subject of much medical research.

Sulphite tartrapegine gas given off when wood is boiled in paper making is used in making TNT.

Coffee Wagon of Cincinnati Fire Department



A "coffee wagon" has just been added to the Cincinnati fire department. It consists of a coffee urn mounted on the rear of a light truck, where steaming hot coffee can be prepared for firemen, right on the job.

H. R. SISK Publisher
 ABE COSBY Editor and Mgr.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES
 (In Advance)

One Year \$2.25
 Six Months \$1.50
 Three Months \$1.00

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

PUBLISHED EVERY FRIDAY

OFFICIAL PAPER
 Santa Cruz County Farm Bureau

Advertising Rates on Application.
 To Whom It May Concern

It will be the earnest endeavor of The Santa Cruz Patagonian never intentionally to wound the feelings of any one. Should an erroneous statement appear in the columns of this paper, call our attention to it, and if an error, due correction will be made and ample justice cheerfully accorded.

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

EDITORIAL

PATAGONIA ROADS

Patagonia is receiving much advertising around the country these days because of the many fine highways that are now being constructed in this district. People who are familiar with the mountain scenery in the southern part of Arizona are not giving much attention to anything except the good roads but tourists who are being routed through this section are not failing to appreciate the wonderful view one gets of the lofty mountain peaks of Arizona and of old Mexico from the summit on the Patagonia-Nogales road. In travelling over this scenic highway one reaches by easy grades an altitude of more than five thousand feet, passes through fertile valleys where there are huge trees and rivers of sparkling mountain water and travels through canyons where towering walls of beautifully colored stone rise hundreds of feet in the air.

In the valleys are many farms where profitable crops are grown and the hillside furnish excellent grazing lands for the cattle owned by the cowmen of Santa Cruz county.

The Patagonia-Nogales highway is not the only road that goes through beautiful country. The road to Duquesne passes through a territory that is rich in natural beauty and serves many mining camps, including Harshaw, an interesting old mining town that ran a close second to "Red Dog" in days gone by. The San Rafael Valley road also deserves mention, as does the road that leads into the Santa Rita mountains. In fact, there are no roads in this section that are not interesting to those who appreciate mountain scenery and we can truthfully say that the roads entering Patagonia are good ones.

In an article on highways, the Tombstone Prospector has the following to say concerning the roads around Patagonia:

"The state highway known as the Tombstone-Nogales section which has been under construction during the present year, is very nearly completed from the Cochise county line in Santa Cruz to Patagonia, and will probably be completed and opened for traffic the entire distance the first week in January. It is a fine piece of highway and Patagonia is to be congratulated as well as the county of Santa Cruz.

"In fact the enterprising little city of Patagonia is the center of a network of fine highways, both county and state. When the state highway into Nogales is rebuilt from Patagonia there will be added traffic over that route which has two inlets from the north, the state highway from Tombstone and the county route branching off of the Borderland near Sonoita in the Santa Rita mountains.

"It is said that Santa Cruz officials are doing everything possible to complete the road from a point one mile beyond Patagonia into Nogales and they will make no mistake as they will find it a 'paying' investment."

HIGHWAY DIVIDENDS

According to figures compiled by the Tucson chamber of commerce, over twelve thousand dollars was spent in that city by automobile travelers from May 9 to December 1. During that period 3,894 persons were guests at the municipal auto park. Inasmuch as many automobile tourists probably passed through without knowledge of the free parking facilities maintained by the city of Tucson and were

therefore not checked by the chamber, the number of tourists probably exceeded the number used by the chamber of commerce in reckoning the total expenditures of travelers while in that city. Moreover, as impressive as is the figure arrived at, it is apparent that a reckoning taken at that time of the year will not give a fair idea of the volume of touring or the volume of trade done in interstate highway tourists.

The Tucson chamber's figures are also illuminating with respect to the character of this traffic. During the month of November 327 automobiles registered at the Tucson auto park, and of this number 303 were from other states. Eighty-three of the machines were traveling east, 235 were going west, and the remaining nine were going south.

Although these figures establish the value to the communities through which the Bankhead highway passes, of interstate traffic over those highways, and while the proven worth of it to one community is impressive, it is clear, too, that we have only begun to benefit from this traffic and that it will grow and increase in value year by year. Up until two months ago a great part of the Bankhead highway travel was being diverted, in New Mexico, to the northern Arizona route; and it is only within the last year that the cities on the southwestern traverse of the Bankhead have established and equipped free auto parks. The dissemination of information concerning the Bankhead and the perfection of the highway will multiply the number of tourists and the benefits to the cities through which the highway passes. It is certain that, properly advertised, the Arizona traverse of the Bankhead will in a little time repay the original cost of the highway.—Douglas Daily Dispatch.

LATEST BOOZE NOTES

Over around Miami, this state, the officers discovered two stills by following the trails made by the cows in that neighborhood who had formed the habit of dropping around after a run of hootch had been made and cleaning up the mash. It seems that the cows were well-behaved on the trip up but after partaking of the mash they got on a high-lonesome and became cock eyed and hilarious on the way home.

In Wadsworth, Ohio, the police gave a local hospital twenty-two gallons of high-grade whisky to be used in bathing patients. Just think of it! Using perfectly good whisky for external bathing, and doubtless some of it will be used on the carcasses of violent antis when there are hundreds who have grown old in the true faith suffering for a small treatment. Twenty additional gallons of hootch, confiscated and held unfit for "patient" bathing purposes, were emptied into a sewer.

The police of Chicago have ordered the saloons around the stock yards closed. When we read the news item telling all about it, our first thought was that we had picked up the "40 Years Ago in Chicago" column but a glance at the date line convinced us that it was 1921 news, and then we wondered what in the world was the matter with that gang of striking packing house employees.

WORTHY OF SUPPORT

We were pleased to see so many people present at the entertainment given Saturday night for the benefit of the local church building fund, which is being raised to complete the building that has been started in Patagonia.

There is not a civic movement that is of more import to this city than the completion of the church building. Good churches and good schools are among the strongest drawing cards of any town, especially the smaller towns. Advertising literature sent out by towns seeking new citizens always call attention to the churches and schools of that community.

The fact that our church building has not been completed is a daily reminder that the citizens of Patagonia have work to do and the crowd which turned out Saturday night is proof that the citizens recognize their duty and are willing to perform it. An account of the entertainment is given in another column.

FROM BANDIT TO PREACHER

In the Colorado state prison there is a man who has been a notorious robber and gunman but now sees the light and is spending his spare time preparing for the ministry. An exchange remarks that it is some jump from banditry to the ministry. We have read of men who jumped from banditry to the presidency.

We hesitate to condemn this student in the Canon City prison; but very few men of that type ever "make the grade." Take the case of that publicity seeker, Al Jennings. He was a second-class lawyer, an imitation bandit, a bum preacher, an unsuccessful politician and a total loss in moving pictures. And the men who jump from banditry to the presidency don't live in this country.

PASSENGER RATES REDUCED

The date for the abrogation of the collection of war tax upon passengers' railroad tickets is January 1. The rescinding of this tax law was provided in the tax revenue bill passed at the special session of congress. That this order will result in considerable saving to passengers is shown in the fact that \$14.50 is saved in a round trip ticket from Tucson to New York after the first of the year. After the tax on ice cream sodas has been removed the general public should be in position to start a savings account by adding the soda water tax to the railroad ticket tax unless some bright boy raises the amusement tax rate.

CHAUTAUQUA PLATFORM NEXT

Judge Jack, of Douglas, entertained the Federation of Men's Bible classes in the Douglas Y. M. C. A. Thursday night with the story of his kidnapping by bandits in Mexico to prevent him testifying at the trial of W. H. Smith in Nogales last month. The story describes in detail how he was forced to drink Mexican coffee until the whole world looked like a coffee plantation, and the tale of his escapade is said to be "more thrilling than a dime novel." Why shouldn't it be when they charged twenty-five cents to hear it?

EDITOR'S SAD FLIGHT

Newspaper men of Arizona extending sympathy to Kenneth E. Marshall, former editor and manager of the Morning Democrat, a Nogales publication, because of the great misfortune that has befallen him. Mr. Marshall, while employed in newspaper work, lost his eyesight and has gone to California for treatment. He was accompanied on the trip to California by Warren G. Adair, a linotype operator.

Mr. Marshall has our best wishes for a quick and complete recovery.

PRESCOTT'S LAWYERS

Prescott, in northern Arizona, claims to be a peaceable community but is having trouble explaining the reason for having 39 lawyers in a town of that size. They have an allowance of one attorney for every 128 persons in the city and about one-fifth of the attorneys' work is criminal practice which makes it appear that the worst is over and that we may reasonably hope for gradual improvement from now on. He adds that "clear recognition of the conditions as they exist should help us to realize this hope."

GET WISE, BROTHER

An editor, who is stumbling in the dark, makes the statement that "if the bare-knee style keeps up this winter, there's a fortune awaiting the manufacturers of chapped skin remedies." Lord bless you, buddy, they don't chap, they turn pink.

TEST OF WISDOM

"Solomon had 700 wives, so he had to be wise" declares the editor of the Nogales Herald. He had more wives than that and nobody ever accused him of possessing unusual wisdom when it came to matrimonial affairs.

Catarhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surface. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts upon the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Circulars free. All Druggists. 75c.

F. J. CHENET & CO., Toledo, O.

SEC. OF AGRICULTURE ISSUES ANNUAL REPORT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Freely and frankly discussing the present plight of the American farmer, Secretary Wallace tells the President in his first annual report today that there "seems to be good reasons for believing that the worst is over and that we may reasonably hope for gradual improvement from now on." He adds that "clear recognition of the conditions as they exist should help us to realize this hope."

In large part the troubles of the farmer today are due to world-wide conditions and the inevitable result of the world war, the Secretary of Agriculture says, adding that it is not to be expected that by some "miraculous transformation" the period of adversity may be turned over night into a period of prosperity.

High freight rates, big crops produced in the face of high costs, unemployment in other industries in the country with attendant lessening in buying of foodstuffs, and the lack of foreign markets for the farm surplus are given by the Secretary as the more immediate causes for present conditions in agriculture. He lays particular stress upon the lack of foreign markets and high freight rates.

"It is a terrible indictment of modern civilization," he asserts, "that with such abundance here there are millions of people overseas suffering for the bare necessities and other millions starving to death. And surely we are sadly lacking in our understanding of economic laws or in our adjustment to them when the production of bounteous crops grown by the hard labor of 15,000,000 farmers and farm workers and their families is permitted to play such a large part in paralyzing our industries and business at home."

Large advances in freight rates, while bearable in time of high prices, Mr. Wallace says, if continued are bound to involve a re-making of the American agricultural map.

"The simple process of marking up the transportation cost a few cents a hundred pounds," the Secretary writes "has the same effect on the surplus-producing state as picking it up and setting it down 100 to 300 miles farther from the market. Agriculture is depressed until the rates are lowered or until population and industry shift to meet this new condition."

The agriculture secretary thinks that when the country finally emerges from the present condition it will find itself at the beginning of a new agricultural era. Pointing to the large increase in the country's population and the fact that most of the easily cultivated land has been taken up, he said the time is not far distant when home needs will require practically all that American farms produce in the average year.

"This means," he adds, "a more intensive agriculture, with larger production per acre and lessened cost; if we are to meet foreign competition and still maintain our standard of living."

The department is planning to meet these new conditions, Mr. Wallace continues, by strengthening certain phases of its work, more especially the scientific research, the applications of the result of research to farm practice, more extended studies of marketing farm crops with a view to reducing costs, investigation of both production and consumption at home and abroad for the purpose of better adjusting American production to market needs, and studies looking toward making available to the farmer those devices of modern business which provide needed credit on easy terms and which may help to distribute production risks more equitably.

In his discussion of present conditions, Mr. Wallace declares that the difficulties of the farmers are a matter of national concern and one that should be given attention by every thoughtful citizen.

Congress has aided in improving the situation, he says, by passing at the special session legislation of a constructive character that "will be more helpful than is now realized." He points to the extension of the power of the War Finance Corporation; the increase in the capital of the Federal farm loan banks; and the bringing of the packers and market agencies and the grain exchanges under government supervision.

Reviewing the work of the various bureaus of the department, Mr. Wallace says that during the past year more improved roads were built under the federal aid road act than during any similar period, the mileage completed being more than three times as great as the entire mileage completed during the preceding years under the act. During the fiscal year 7,409 miles of highways were completed and 19,977 miles were under construction.

YUMA—Oil well on Kelly ranch going down at rate of 20 feet per day. YUMA—Water and gas rate increase granted Yuma Light, Gas & Water Co.

CASTORIA
 For Infants and Children
 In Use For Over 30 Years
 Always bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Ritchie*

Patagonia Engineering and Assay Office
 C. A. PIERCE, MINING ENGINEER
 Member American Institute Mining Engineers and American Association of Engineers
 ASSAYING—SURVEYING—MAPS—MINE EXAMINATIONS
 COMMERCIAL AND PHOTOGRAPHIC SURVEYS
 PATAGONIA ARIZONA

Special Low Round Trip Fares For
Christmas

For the holiday season tickets will be sold at greatly reduced rates.

Sale Dates Dec. 22-23-24.
 Return Limit Jany. 4.

Our Agent will be glad to give you full particulars.

Southern Pacific

Every Boy Wants It

If you could realize how much that boy of yours, or that young relative or friend in whom you are interested, craves the healthy, well-balanced reading matter he will get in THE AMERICAN BOY, never for a minute would you deny him this pleasure. For a Christmas present, or birthday gift, a subscription to THE AMERICAN BOY is unexcelled. It lasts the whole year through—and its influence is of the best.

AMERICAN BOY
 "The Biggest, Brightest, Best Magazine for Boys in All the World!"

In the next twelve numbers there will be serials by such famous authors as Melville, Davison Post, Ralph D. Paine, William Heyliger and Clarence B. Kelland, the short stories are by authors of equal note, and the big departments which are edited by experts, are devoted to every legitimate interest of boyhood.

Price Reduced
 THE AMERICAN BOY is now only \$2.00 a year. Make some boy happy—fill out the coupon and mail it TODAY!

Mail this coupon to the publication in which this offer appears.

For \$2.00 enclosed send a Year's Subscription to THE AMERICAN BOY, beginning with the Number to

Name
 Address

We Sell Wood
 When in need of Fuel, Hay, Grain or Distillate
Let Us Supply You
 Wood ready for the cook stove, chunks or 4-foot wood always on hand.

WE CARRY THE FOLLOWING IN STOCK
 Hay, Rolled and Seed Barley, Bean, Corn, Stock Salt, Condition Powders, and a FULL LINE of Chicken Feed in large and small quantities.

We have just received a tank car of FUEL DISTILLATE which we are selling at a very attractive price, in addition to GASOLINE, OILS and GREASE.

PATAGONIA ICE AND ELECTRIC PLANT
 Patagonia, Arizona

Maier Brothers
 WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GROCERS
 Importers, Jobbers and Retailers of All
GENERAL MERCHANDISE
 Quotations Upon Application

BENSON, ARIZONA

DO YOU LIKE TO READ?
 Then Read "Telling Tales" Magazine At Our Expense!

Every month it contains one complete novelette and from a dozen to twenty short stories by such authors as Octavia Roy Cohen, H. Bedford Jones, Henry Leverage, Katharine Metcalf Kool, Margaret Sangster, W. Carey Wonderly, Robert W. Sneedon, Christine Whiting Farmer, Du Vernet Rabell, Eric Levison, Clay Perry and others of equal note. You will enjoy this magazine. Its stories are clean, American, live and interesting. You will like the big picture section with its new photographs of stage and screen stars, and if you love good poetry, you will find plenty every month. If you cannot get it in your town, send 25 cents for a three months trial subscription to

The Readers' Publishing Corporation, 799 Broadway, New York and get
Three Months for the Price of One!

Arizona Packing Company
 OUR MEATS ARE KNOWN ALL OVER THE STATE—OUR MEATS ARE BUTCHERED IN ARIZONA
ARIZONA PACKING COMPANY
 NOGALES, ARIZONA

FOR SALE FOR SALE FOR SALE
 BY MILLER & COX, ASSAYERS & MINING ENGINEERS
 223 Grand Ave.

MILLING MACHINERY—Motors, Ball mill, Tube mill, Stamps, Tables, Flotation Machines, Crushers, Etc. Prices on application.
 One set of Gold Balances—Ainsworth Type F.
 Mercury (Azogue)—\$50 per flask—75c lb. small lots.
 Also—One Saddle, Frank Olzer make, Gillette, Wyo. Price \$40.
XMAS-SPECIALTIES—Mexican gold nuggets—watch fob or stick pin size. Ideal souvenir of Nogales. Limited number on hand. \$1 and up as per weight.

BUYERS AND SELLERS OF GOLD AND SILVER BULLION, LEAD AND SILVER ORES

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

E. M. Mather
 JEWELER
 SPECIAL ATTENTION TO MAIL ORDERS
 EXPERT REPAIRING AND JEWELRY MANUFACTURING
 WE REPAIR FOUNTAIN PENS
 117 Morley Avenue Nogales, Arizona

When You Go To Nogales Put Up At The
SERVICE GARAGE
 First Class Repair Work
 Cars Washed and Polished
CARS STORED
 All Work Positively Guaranteed
OPEN DAY AND NIGHT
 339 Morley Ave.—Nogales, Ariz.—Phone 52

The Patagonia Commercial Co.
 PATAGONIA, ARIZONA

We Sell **SKINNERS'** The Highest Grade Macaroni
 Egg Noodles, Spaghetti and other Macaroni Products

General Merchandise

HARRY ROSS SAYS INDICTMENT "POLITICAL MOVE"—LEWIS TO BE RETURNED FROM EAST

PHOENIX, Dec. 12.—Declaring that his indictment by the county grand jury on a charge of conspiracy is an aftermath of the last election when he ran for secretary of state on the Democratic ticket and was defeated by Ernest E. Hall, the Republican nominee, Harry S. Ross brands the affair as a political move.

The former state treasurer, who was indicted with P. K. Lewis, appeared Saturday afternoon before Judge Stanford for arraignment, but was granted until Dec. 14 to enter his plea to the charge. He was released under a bond of \$1,000.

Mr. Ross was served with the warrant charging conspiracy Saturday morning by Deputy Sheriff Al DeWitt following his arrival from Los Angeles. Mr. Ross stated that he has been engaged in the real estate business in Los Angeles for the past three months and received a telegram Friday notifying him of the indictment. He took a train for Phoenix that afternoon, he said.

To Arrest Lewis in Chicago — Mr. Lewis is said to be in Chicago and a requisition for extradition papers to the governor of Illinois was signed Saturday by Ernest R. Hall, secretary of state and acting governor. Attached to the requisition was a copy of the indictment and a bench warrant for his arrest.

According to advices from police officials in Chicago, Lewis will be arrested upon receipt of the warrant. He will be brought back to Phoenix by Deputy Sheriff C. P. Anderson, who is now in Michigan.

The grand jury alleges in its indictment that Ross and Lewis unlawfully conspired together for the purpose of preventing and obstructing the administration of the laws of the state of Arizona and in carrying out the alleged conspiracy, Lewis, president of the Central Bank of Wickenburg, had that bank designated as a depository for state moneys, and Ross in carrying out the alleged conspiracy deposited and caused to be deposited from time to time state moneys and funds in the Central Bank of Wickenburg, state funds in excess of the amount the bank was entitled to receive under the bond furnished by it to the state as a depository.

The grand jury alleges in the indictment that Ross as state treasurer did check and draw against the deposits in the Central Bank of Wickenburg and that the interest payable and due to the state computed upon the daily balances in the bank as shown by the records and books of the banks was less than the true amount of interest properly and lawfully chargeable to the Central bank and payable by it to Ross as state treasurer for the state.

Charge Law Violated — Under the state law, the grand jury alleges in the indictment, certain banks in the state may be designated as state depositories for state funds when the banks so designated furnish bonds with good surety, and such banks shall be entitled to receive on deposit for the state, funds not to exceed the amount of the bond given as surety. The state law further states, the grand jury alleges, that the banks may be designated as active and inactive depositories, the funds in active to be subject to draft for expenses while the funds in inactive banks shall remain until the treasurer is obliged to withdraw them. Active depositories shall pay interest at the rate of not less than 2 per cent, the state law says, according to the grand jurors, and inactive depositories shall pay not less than 3 per cent interest for deposits of less than six months and not less than 4 per cent for deposits of more than six months, all interest to be calculated on daily balances.

The indictment returned against Ross and Lewis does not state that either of them derived any benefits through the alleged conspiracy, or that either of them received any benefit from the alleged failure of the bank to pay the correct amount of interest due the state.

Among the witnesses called before the grand jury on the matter were W. H. Plunkett, R. W. Bouter, H. M. Moritz, H. B. Watson, W. C. Sprunger, former cashier of the Central Bank of Wickenburg and now under indictment by the grand jury for receiving deposits in a defunct bank, D. N. Stafford, president of the Bank of Phoenix, R. N. Forster, Charles W. Fairfield, state auditor; Hal Miller and R. O. Whyman.

FOR SALE Good, Gentle Saddle Horse; Light Saddle and Bridle For Sale, Cheap. Write or see A. L. Kinsley, Patagonia, Arizona.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS Nogales Lodge No. 13 Meets every Wednesday night at Masonic Hall Visiting knights are cordially invited to attend the conventions. H. E. Berner, K. of R. and S. Jas. L. Fitts, C. G.

ELGIN Extracts

Mrs. P. A. Hanson entertained a number of friends at a card party Monday in honor of her grandson, Don Watson. Music and cards were enjoyed by those present.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sebok entertained the whist club at their home Saturday night. The prize was won by Mrs. W. P. Neil.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Davis were Elgin visitors Monday.

There will be a dance in Elgin December 24.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cunningham spent Monday in Elgin.

TOURING IN COMFORT

W. C. Moss and family, of Beloit, Wis., passed through town this week enroute to Nogales. They are traveling in a Packard truck equipped with many modern conveniences. During the two months they have been on the road many points of interest have been visited by them and before their return to Beloit a trip will be made to the Grand Canyon.

Good Meats At All Times. Everything Clean at Barnett & Barnett's.

VAUGHN Views

Mrs. Woods is visiting her son, Henry and family. She will spend the full days in Vaughn.

Mr. W. R. Rountree spent Sunday with James Parker and family. They enjoyed a game dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Beaty and baby daughter were callers at the Wood ranch Sunday.

Mr. Jim Rountree made a business trip to Fairbank Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardner were shoppers at Sonoita Tuesday. They also visited the Vaughn school.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Collier, formerly of Elgin, are spending the winter in Arkansas. Mrs. Collier's health is not improved.

CHRISTMAS SEALS

Christmas seals are on sale at the office of the Commercial Hotel. It is possible to buy any amount of them. Because you do not feel like buying a quantity of these seals do not hesitate about buying a few of them. Every penny helps in the big battle that is being waged against the white plague—tuberculosis.

ESCAPED CONVICT CAPTURED IN NOGALES

Gabriel Cota, who escaped from the Arizona state prison authorities August 22, was captured in Nogales, this morning.

Cota was taken into custody by the city police, for shoplifting at the El Paso store where he stole a pair of pants.

Upon being placed in jail, he was recognized as the man who was arrested here last February, also on a charge of shoplifting. He was sentenced on February 26 to serve a term of two to five years in the state prison, and was taken to prison on March 6.

He confessed to the police that he escaped from the prison guards, while he was working as a member of the prison road gang near Superior, August 22.

"How did you escape?" he was asked. "They sent me to a store to get some potatoes and I kept on going," he replied. He said he visited Miami, Ray, Bowie, El Paso and Tucson, after making his escape, and that he arrived in Nogales last Sunday.

He stated that he came back here because he wanted to be returned to the prison at once so he could again begin serving out his prison sentence. His desire will be granted.

He also stated that he likes prison life. In his possession was found \$2.73 in cash. Police claim he is a "hop head."

STATE AND FEDERAL ATTORNEYS TO MEET

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Governors of states will be asked to call a conference of federal district attorneys and state prosecuting attorneys with a view of bringing about greater cooperation between federal and state legal agencies, Attorney General Daugherty announced today.

MESA—Latter Day Saints dedicate site for \$500,000 temple.

Fresh shipments of Oysters received regularly at Barnett & Barnett's.

HOTEL BOWMAN Nogales, Arizona TUCSONIA HOTEL Tucson, Arizona

Duffy & Purdum Attorneys-At-Law Nogales, Arizona

LOS ANGELES HOTEL LEE 6th & FIGUEROA STS. W. B. CLARK, Prop. All Depot Cars Pass the Door

Nogales Undertaking Parlors F. B. Carron, Prop. Phone 200 Nogales, Arizona A. D. SYDENHAM Representative Patagonia District

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. Mothers Know That Genuine Castoria Always Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Hatcher* In Use For Over Thirty Years **CASTORIA**

Exact Copy of Wrapper. THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

Your wife can save you money if you give her a Bank account

This Bank Invites Accounts Regardless of Size As it is to This Community's Interest to Encourage Saving

First State Bank of Patagonia

Patagonia, Arizona

BIG SUBSCRIPTION OFFER

You Get ALL FOUR of These MAGAZINES and OUR NEWSPAPER For One Year Each FOR \$2.90 Order Now

THIS EXCEPTIONAL OFFER IS GOOD FOR A SHORT TIME ONLY

MR. MOTORIST!

WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT CORD TIRES?

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

Roy & Titcomb, (Incorporated)

Automobile Accessory Department NOGALES, ARIZONA "IF IT'S A FEDERAL IT'S RIGHT."

One of the best Hotels in Southern Arizona, with every home appointment for the traveling public is the

COMMERCIAL HOTEL

PATAGONIA, ARIZONA

Clean Beds, Clean Linen, Cleanly kept. Excellent Lobby. Dining Room in connection

Cooking With Us Is A Science

SO DON'T BE FORCE-FED. OUR NUMEROUS DISHES CONTAIN THE STRENGTH-BUILDING QUALITIES OF REAL COOKING AND EVERY BITE IS MOST EASILY DIGESTED. WE SERVE EVERYTHING IN SEASON.

The Stag Restaurant

Nogales Arizona

The old stand by for—

Fresh Beef, Mutton, Pork and Vegetables

Patagonia Meat Market

A. A. Gathin

A. S. HENDERSON

AGENT FOR

STOVER SAMSON WINDMILL

The Greatest Windmill Improvement in the Last Ten Years

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

Requires Oiling Only Once in Five Years

ARGO-PHOSPHATE

THE WORLD'S TONIC

GRAY HAIR

Helps Make Strong, Sturdy Men and Beautiful, Healthy Women

Quickly restores to its natural, original color a few days with MILDRED's Hair Tonic. It is not a dye. Removes dandruff and makes the hair clean, healthy, shining and beautiful. Sample mailed for 12 cents by The Mildred Louise Co., Malden 45, Boston, Mass.

THIN FOLKS

Increase their weight 10 pounds or more by simply taking 5 grains of MINTOL tablets, which strengthen their regenerative and reconstructive power, liberally soak up the fattening elements of your food, and you gain flesh and strength quickly. Sample mailed for 12 cents by The Mildred Louise Co., Malden 45, Boston, Mass.

Reduce Your Weight

at the rate of 10 to 25 pounds per month. By simply guaranteed safe reliable treatment, MINTOL will reduce your weight without unnecessary exercise and dieting, and will not injure or weaken your system. Write today for FREE 50c box enclosing 15c in coin or stamps with check to The Mildred Louise Co., Malden 45, Boston, Mass.

MINTOL

Is a Home Protector against Influenza, Chest Colds, Croup and Bronchitis. MINTOL relieves all congestion.

LADIES

WHEN irregular or suppressed, use Triumph Pills. Safe and dependable in all proper cases. Not sold at Drug Stores. Do not experiment with others; save disappointment. Write for "Relief" and particulars—it's free. Address: National Medical Institute, Madison, Wis.

CATTLEMEN

You are taking chances if you fail to immunize your calves against blackleg. Don't take chances with cheap vaccine; it may prove to be very costly.

ONE DOSE

of the O. M. Franklin Blackleg Antigen (vaccine) will protect them for life. Can be used at branding time. Comes ready to inject, in 5-10-20-45 and 90 dose bottles. Syringes \$3.00 each. This trade mark on every bottle.

THE KANSAS BLACKLEG SERUM CO.

Box 508, Phoenix, Arizona.

SONOITA MERCANTILE CO., Agents Sonoita, Arizona

LOS ANGELES HOTEL

LEE

\$1.50 with single bath 6th & FIGUEROA STS. W. B. CLARK, Prop. All Depot Cars Pass the Door

quiet, homelike, congenial, morally and physically clean, free from the spectacular; an hotel you can safely patronize and recommend; particularly attractive to women traveling alone

GARAGE CONNECTED RATES \$12 to \$40 CAFE NEXT DOOR THE HOUSE OF COMFORT

"A Penny Saved Is a Penny Earned."

If you have not already started a savings account, begin now to prepare for the inevitable day when you are no longer a producer.

You will be surprised at the results, in a few years, after you have commenced systematically to save money for the "rainy day."

Our banking institution offers you the best protection for your savings.

The First National Bank of Nogales

Nogales, Arizona. ASSETS OVER \$2,000,000.00

BRING YOUR TROUBLES TO THE AMERICAN GARAGE

WE HANDLE EVERY KNOWN ACCESSORY FOR ALL AUTOMOBILES FORD PARTS A SPECIALTY

CHEVROLETS FOR SALE HERE

AMERICAN GARAGE

F. D. Valles, Manager Patagonia Arizona

FRIEDMAN'S SPORTING GOODS STORE

AMMUNITION — ATHLETES GOODS

The Store Where You Get What You Want When You Want It

Nogales, Arizona

Staple & Fancy Groceries Hardware of All Kinds

Wholesale and Retail MAY BE HAD AT ALL TIMES at Patagonia's Up-to-Date Store

We Sell **SKINNERS** The Highest Grade Macaroni Egg Noodles, Spaghetti and other Macaroni Products

EVANS MERCANTILE CO

The Clan Call

By Hapsburg Liebe

Copyright by Doubleday, Page & Co.

"HE KILLED ADAM."

Synopsis.—Young Carlyle Wilburton Dale, or "Bill Dale," son of a wealthy coal operator, John K. Dale, arrives at the Halfway Switch, in eastern Tennessee, abandoning a life of ease...

CHAPTER X—Continued.

A little after work-time that day, Bill Dale started alone on the way of the narrow-gauge railroad for the dist-

At a point near where the little stream that flowed past the Halfway switch emptied into Doe river, where Doe river turned almost squarely to the left, Dale halted abruptly.

Following it, there came the coarse, hoarse voice of Black Adam Ball, the mountaineer Gollath:

"You can't fool me. I jest shot to put a hole in yore new hat and to show ye 't I ain't no bad shot. You can't hit my hat!"

Dale's temper, the temper that had always been so hard to keep under control, rose quickly. He tried to reason with himself, and couldn't; his passion mastered him.

Then a third shot rang out on the morning stillness. It had been fired from a point some little distance away, and Dale's condition of mind at the moment was such that he didn't even note the direction from which the sound had come.

dimly, it had been a squirrel-hunter that had fired that shot. He forgot about it very quickly for the time being, and went on toward Adam Ball, who now was lying perfectly still.

There was a bullet-hole through and through the great, curly black beard was the colorless hue of soapstone. The giant hillman was dead.

Bill Dale knelt there beside Black Adam. Again he clutched at his throat with his two shaking hands, and this time he tore his blue flannel shirt. All the agony and all the remorse in the universe seemed to be gathering there in his heart.



"Shoot, if You Like!" He Said Bitterly.

was a compensation, a pitifully beautiful compensation. Five minutes passed, five minutes that were as five years to the man who had never been in the presence of death before.

"Shoot, if you like," he said bitterly. "It was an accident, y'know, but—shoot, if you like."

"No," commanded Adam Ball's father, a slender and angular old man with a straggling iron-gray beard.

"I fired only once," disagreed Dale. "Your son fired first; I fired second; and somebody else, I haven't the slightest idea who, fired the other shot."

death has made me feel sort of bad, and tobaccoer's allus a consolation."

The sounds of the shooting had carried far, and it wasn't long until the scene of the tragedy was crowded with Balls and Torreys, Littlefords and Morelands. Major Bradley and Hayes, too, were there.

Up on the side of David Moreland's mountain there had been a silent and unseen witness to the arrest of Bill Dale. She was hidden behind a gnarled and twisted clump of sheep-laug, sitting on a patch of tiny, dainty, pure blue dapples—crushing in her hands the tiny purple blossoms that are known as Job's tears.

"Lord, what'll I do now?" she murmured. It was a great and unanswerable question, and it was a prayer, too.

When Bill Dale had ridden out of her sight, she threw down the crushed flowers and herself prostrate, with her face close to the hemlock needles and the earth, and wept low and bitterly, and wept and wept—"Lord, what'll I do now?"

CHAPTER XI
By Heck Keeps a Secret.
When Sheriff Tom Flowers and the others had been gone for half an hour, Elizabeth Littleford sat up in the silence.

She went on to tell him good-by. She knew it would be hard, but she steeled herself; she would be a Littleford, and strong. He saw her coming, and he turned his bay horse and rode to meet her.

"You promised me," he said gently, "that you'd go back to Patricia and finish your education."

"I keep my promises," was the quick reply. "Just like every other Littleford that ever lived kept their promises. I would ha' went back this mornin', if it hadn't ha' been—"

"Lord, What'll I Do Now?" She murmured. "That many a man had been shot while taking a revolver barrel first, and he was taking no chances. Old Ball obediently turned the weapon around."

ride your own horse along beside me, as though you were not under arrest at all."

"I reckon it does," granted the old woman. "But who was it shot Black Adam?"

"Somebody who is a friend o' Bill Dale's," said Babe. "Somebody who was a-follerin' Bill with the idee o' perfectin' him ef he needed it."

"If I was pinned down to guess who it was 't done it," drawled Mrs. Littleford. "I'd guess it was By Heck. He was a plumb fool about Bill Dale."

"I don't think who killed Black Adam. I know who killed Black Adam."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

SENT FRIEND UNIQUE GIFT

When Andrew Johnson Resumed His Needle to Fashion a Mark of Personal Affection.

There's always just one more story about any of America's former Presidents. This time there is another about Andrew Johnson, Lincoln's tempestuous successor.

Johnson, while governor of Tennessee, once resumed his vocational implements. He had formed a strong friendship in the Tennessee legislature for W. W. Pepper of Springfield.

Life's "Fits" and "Misfits." Many would have to do a bit of thinking before they replied to the question at the head of this paragraph.

Immunity of Teak and Cypress. Of the many timbers tested in a Japanese investigation, only teak and cypress pine escape attack by termites.

Hay and Grain Prices. Corn, No. 2 yellow, per cwt., \$1.34; White, No. 1, per bushel, .75; Oats, per cwt., \$1.12; Barley, per cwt., .85.

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

Chicago May wheat advanced 1 cent, closing at \$1.35; Chicago May corn unchanged at 45c. Domestic and foreign growth conditions were the market features.

Butter markets except Chicago steady to firm; Chicago declined sharply under heavy supplies of practically all grades.

Live Stock and Meats. Chicago hog prices declined 5c to 25c, light hogs declined 1c to 10c. Good steers and fat cows and heifers mostly 25c to 50c higher, those selling in the lower grades of hogs declined 5c to 10c.

"I don't think who killed Black Adam. I know who killed Black Adam."

SENT FRIEND UNIQUE GIFT

When Andrew Johnson Resumed His Needle to Fashion a Mark of Personal Affection.

There's always just one more story about any of America's former Presidents. This time there is another about Andrew Johnson, Lincoln's tempestuous successor.

Johnson, while governor of Tennessee, once resumed his vocational implements. He had formed a strong friendship in the Tennessee legislature for W. W. Pepper of Springfield.

Life's "Fits" and "Misfits." Many would have to do a bit of thinking before they replied to the question at the head of this paragraph.

Immunity of Teak and Cypress. Of the many timbers tested in a Japanese investigation, only teak and cypress pine escape attack by termites.

Hay and Grain Prices. Corn, No. 2 yellow, per cwt., \$1.34; White, No. 1, per bushel, .75; Oats, per cwt., \$1.12; Barley, per cwt., .85.

DENVER LIFE STOCK. Cattle. The local cattle market experienced a fairly active session of trading. Supplies were good, but demand was such that the stock was moved easily at figures which in most cases showed an advance of 10 to 25 cents and in spots as much as a quarter.

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

Chicago May wheat advanced 1 cent, closing at \$1.35; Chicago May corn unchanged at 45c. Domestic and foreign growth conditions were the market features.

Butter markets except Chicago steady to firm; Chicago declined sharply under heavy supplies of practically all grades.

Live Stock and Meats. Chicago hog prices declined 5c to 25c, light hogs declined 1c to 10c. Good steers and fat cows and heifers mostly 25c to 50c higher, those selling in the lower grades of hogs declined 5c to 10c.

"I don't think who killed Black Adam. I know who killed Black Adam."

SENT FRIEND UNIQUE GIFT

When Andrew Johnson Resumed His Needle to Fashion a Mark of Personal Affection.

There's always just one more story about any of America's former Presidents. This time there is another about Andrew Johnson, Lincoln's tempestuous successor.

Johnson, while governor of Tennessee, once resumed his vocational implements. He had formed a strong friendship in the Tennessee legislature for W. W. Pepper of Springfield.

Life's "Fits" and "Misfits." Many would have to do a bit of thinking before they replied to the question at the head of this paragraph.

Immunity of Teak and Cypress. Of the many timbers tested in a Japanese investigation, only teak and cypress pine escape attack by termites.

Hay and Grain Prices. Corn, No. 2 yellow, per cwt., \$1.34; White, No. 1, per bushel, .75; Oats, per cwt., \$1.12; Barley, per cwt., .85.

DENVER LIFE STOCK. Cattle. The local cattle market experienced a fairly active session of trading. Supplies were good, but demand was such that the stock was moved easily at figures which in most cases showed an advance of 10 to 25 cents and in spots as much as a quarter.

DENVER BUSINESS DIRECTORY

CLEANING AND DYING. Grand Dry Cleaning. We develop films—16c a roll. Eastman, Kodak, Camera, Film and Photographic Supplies.

KODAK FINISHING. KODAK SAFETY FILM. KODAK SAFETY FILM. KODAK SAFETY FILM.

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

Wholesale Destruction of Liquor. Pittsburg, Kan.—Federal prohibition agents working with local authorities in an anti-liquor drive the last ten days have destroyed 8,000 gallons of whisky, 2,000 gallons of home brew and 1,000 gallons of corn mash.

Two Barges Lost at Sea. Boston.—The loss of the barges Governor Robey and Carrie Clark, with six men aboard, off Navesink in a storm, was reported by the tug Neptune on her arrival at New York, according to word received by the agents here.

Pays \$150,000 for Picture. New York.—John McCormack, the singer, has paid \$150,000 for the "Portrait of a Man" by Franz Hals. The Hals painting, from the collection of Count Zamoyaski, Polish minister to France, is on its way to this country.

Bulletproof Motor Cars. San Francisco.—Three armored motor cars equipped with bulletproof metal plates have been turned over to San Francisco police to aid them in combating automobile bandits.

Adopt Stringent Resolutions. Philadelphia.—Resolutions urging legislation prohibiting the sale of cigarettes to women, and calling for a better standard of dress were adopted by the National Council of Women.

Three Hung in Effigy. Columbus, S. C.—County and city police authorities were thrown into a turmoil here when a mysterious telephone report of a lynching came to headquarters and, responding, they found on the roadside near the city the remains of three dummies, langed in effigy at the side of the main highway, representing Bruce Craven of North Carolina, Henry P. Fox of Tennessee, and C. Anderson Wright of Georgia. Alleged to be enemies of the Ku Klux Klan.

TO BE CORRECT. And safe in your Christmas Remembrance it must be Bauer's Product. The Oldest Retail Manufacturer of the Best Chocolates and Ion Iona. 1115 E. Colfax, Denver, Colo.

Two Barges Lost at Sea. Boston.—The loss of the barges Governor Robey and Carrie Clark, with six men aboard, off Navesink in a storm, was reported by the tug Neptune on her arrival at New York, according to word received by the agents here.

Pays \$150,000 for Picture. New York.—John McCormack, the singer, has paid \$150,000 for the "Portrait of a Man" by Franz Hals. The Hals painting, from the collection of Count Zamoyaski, Polish minister to France, is on its way to this country.

Bulletproof Motor Cars. San Francisco.—Three armored motor cars equipped with bulletproof metal plates have been turned over to San Francisco police to aid them in combating automobile bandits.

Adopt Stringent Resolutions. Philadelphia.—Resolutions urging legislation prohibiting the sale of cigarettes to women, and calling for a better standard of dress were adopted by the National Council of Women.

Three Hung in Effigy. Columbus, S. C.—County and city police authorities were thrown into a turmoil here when a mysterious telephone report of a lynching came to headquarters and, responding, they found on the roadside near the city the remains of three dummies, langed in effigy at the side of the main highway, representing Bruce Craven of North Carolina, Henry P. Fox of Tennessee, and C. Anderson Wright of Georgia. Alleged to be enemies of the Ku Klux Klan.

A Christmas Dash for Happiness

A Tale of Old Detroit
By Bernice Stewart
IN THE DETROIT FREE PRESS



Editor's Note—This story is based on a tradition of Detroit's frontier days. "The Legend of L'Anse Creuse," preserved both in prose and verse form.

OLd, Detroiters used to say that young Claire Beauvais was beautiful beyond all believing—and arch, as befooved her French name. They told, too, how her father was a brave, impatient man, possessed of no little vanity. He had won many a victory over the Indians and the English, in company with La Foret, warden of the great La Salle, and with Tonty, Cadillac's right-hand man. He had fought with Du Luth, as well, and his name was one which made those earliest inhabitants of Detroit flush with pride. Even when his warring days were over and he had settled down on the river bank, his prestige was such that people would step aside to let him pass as he came striding down the roadway.

Claire had a temperament not unlike her father's. Their wrangles and their reconciliations were known all up and down the river. Yet they were passionately attached to each other and devotedly loved by the whole community. In particular was the fair Claire loved by one Beauclerc, a lithe, dark young Frenchman who hunted more for the sport of the chase than for the profit of his pocket-book at the fur trading post. When Sieur Beauvais would see Philippe Beauclerc's tall, straight figure at Claire's elbow walking down Ste. Anne street, now known as Jefferson avenue, his brow would darken threateningly. But he would find himself commenting secretly, despite his anger, "Dieu, what a pair!" and he would add: "Mais, it isn't permitted for a good French father to let his daughter make a fool of herself for a penniless hunter just because he has the looks of a young god."

Then Claire would be hurried home. There was no man to quell the storm before it broke, for Claire's mother had withstood the rigors of the Michigan winter for only three years. So the old warrior and his gay young daughter would rage at each other for fifteen minutes and then fall into each other's arms. Peace would be made. Claire would go bathe her eyes, brush back the rebellious gold of her hair and come back charmingly dutiful to preside over the tea-cups and to welcome the other young men who came during the course of the evening to pay their respects to her in the presence of her sharp-eyed father—officers of the fort in their swagger uniforms, skilled trappers, a tradesman or two and men who owned many acres on which they raised Indian corn and wheat.

Among the latter group there called now and then rickety old Va-de-bon-Coeur. He was a shrewd old Frenchman whose broad lands down on the Rouge river bank outspanned every other suitors. In spite of his physical unattractiveness, he was possessed of a good, kind heart and capacity for endless devotion. Sieur Beauvais always shrugged a little when he looked in old Va-de-bon-Coeur's direction, as if to shake off an unpleasant impression, but as the old fellow talked Beauvais generally would thaw out and say to himself, "He's really not half bad; he's really surprisingly good for an old man. And, hey, hey! how he could lavish wealth on my little Claire! Fancy, two estates for the girl, her own and his, one at each end of the village. She might be as rich as she is beautiful. And he's really remarkably kind and wise."

After their guests were gone the storm would break again. One night after this had been going on for more than a year the Seigneur of Beauvais determined that matters would have to come to a reckoning.

"This nonsense must stop!" His big brown fist came down on the heavy oak table. The red firelight played over his tall, warrior-like figure, glinting on the buckles of his uniform and sliding the bit of his hunting knife and under his bushy brows little red flames danced, reflected in the pupils of his great black eyes. Claire rose from the small chair where she sat by the hearth, defiance in every line of her lovely little figure.

"You've got to settle down, you've too many moustruck fellows dangling after you. A dozen have asked me for your hand. And when I tell you, you only put me off. You've snapped your fingers at a dozen chances. Why? All for that

languishing beauty in a raccoon hat. I'd like to see you settle down with Va-de-bon-Coeur. He's richer than all the rest of your dandies put together. Mais, I won't insist, I'm no ogre. Choose for yourself, but you must choose now. You've willy-nilly lilted long enough!"

Claire stepped close to him, threw back her head. "I won't marry anyone but Philippe Beauclerc! And you know it!"

"Ugh!" the deer slayer. Bah, he couldn't win you in a fair fight."

"Oh, couldn't he! Give him a chance—" "Sacre, I will! We shall have a public match at Noel time and if he isn't wiped in the dirt you can have the moon-struck fool."

"Tres bien!" Claire was defiant and joyous. It was plain that she had no doubt of her lover's prowess. But on second thought the old warrior decided he could not pick out the husband of his "petite ange" through a public brawl. So, thinking shrewdly of old Va-de-bon-Coeur, he decided on a race with sleighs Christmas day. "And whoever wins," he concluded, "you shall marry him and he shall have all your lands."

Now in the village good horses were a great luxury. Va-de-bon-Coeur had his stables full of the best ponies that money could buy. But Philippe had but one horse, unused to being driven with a sleigh, a good, sure-footed bay, excellent for hunting, but for cutter racing—Claire sighed doubtfully.

Sieur Beauvais decided on a race of sixteen miles on the ice of L'Anse Creuse, the shallow little bay on Lake St. Claire. A twisted tree on the far side was selected as the eight-mile turning point. The contestants commenced to train their ponies. Old Va-de-bon-Coeur was out every morning, lashing his choicest black stallion up and down the street, as he leaned forward in his light steel-rimmed cutter that had been sent from the East. Officers were seen impatiently signing their orders to more careful grooming of their fine runners. Even the tradesmen bought horses, the best they could afford, and went flying along the snowy roads.

Only Philippe Beauclerc remained aloof from the general excitement. As usual, he was gone into the forests at dawn, where it was said he spent the day hunting with the Indian chief, Menetepah. Whenever he rode he was seen astride the same pony that had always borne him. It was known throughout the town that he had not even purchased a sleigh. It was wondered at, for his devotion to the fair Claire was an open secret. Wasn't he going to race? The villagers cast compassionate glances at Beauvais's lovely little heiress. Her preference for him was an open secret, too.

At length Christmas morning dawned. Right after mass was said in the old church of Ste. Anne the crowd collected on the bank of the bay.

A little apart from the crowd stood Claire Beauvais and her father. Claire looked like an etherealized holly berry in great red gown. Her eyes flashed with excitement and her little round chin was held up proudly out of her great collar. The good old Seigneur strutted about with a self-important air, giving orders and waving genial salutations to the townsfolk.

There were 12 contestants, of every kind and condition. There were cutters, jumpers, trains, puns, sleds and carolers. The impatient drivers were accented in devious ways; some in leather doublets, some in furs, some in military manner, some in great woolen blanket-coats of rich color.

And in all that group of contestants none was more impatient than old Va-de-bon-Coeur, com-

pletely muffled in lavish furs of gray-brown racoon. His cutter shone in the sunlight and his big, black horse was curried until he gleamed as if he were oiled.

But why were they waiting? Why was Lady Claire's face like a stricken flower, pale cheeks, despairing eyes that seemed to be seeking something beyond the excited crowd, down the long frosty road? Instinctively the hushed crowd followed Claire's glance. Instinctively they, too, looked and wished for the absent Philippe Beauclerc.

Then there swept around the corner and up to the astonished crowd, the most curious equipage that their eyes had ever beheld. Philippe Beauclerc, looking like some glorious savage clad in shaggy black buffalo robes, held taut the home-made reins of bison hide that guided a curious pony. He was small and shaggy and spotted like a quail. His neck was long and his head was lean. His hind legs seemed shorter than his fore legs. Beside the well-groomed horses of the other contestants he was a grotesque parody. The cutter was rudely wrought of ironwood. But the driver's face was serene and eager. He glanced toward Claire. Their look held. Claire smiled. Then they were off, on the signal of the Seigneur.

The crowd loosed its pent-up laughter as they saw Beauclerc's lean, dappled beast fall behind pace by pace. The other ponies were skimming on like swallows in the wind. But leading them all was old Va-de-bon-Coeur's black stallion. There was a sympathetic shudder for Claire. But she, seeming not to mind, was smiling like a dainty witch.

Va-de-bon-Coeur's black stallion was the first to dash up to the blasted oak. He was flecked with foam. His quivering flanks were streaked with the lashes of the old man's whip. It was plain he was well spent but his driver allowed him not a moment's respite. Off they sped again. Then two soldiers came galloping in, neck to neck. The others followed in quick succession.

Close on the heels of the last sleigh came Beauclerc, his stony little pony as stout and fresh as when he first set out, his reins still drawn taut. He wheeled about deftly, then loosened the leather ribbons. The ugly pony stretched out his long, thin neck and leaped forward.

He gained on the last horse, passed him. Sailed by the second, the third, passed the rest of them, was neck and neck with the leader, Va-de-bon-Coeur's panting black stallion. Farther and farther he stretched out his hoofs till he dashed by the leader.

On the bank the eager crowd craned their necks. Their eyes opened with incredulity when in the flying shape that was dashing toward them they recognized Beauclerc and his unmounted speckled nag. Off in the distance, far behind him, straggled his vanquished rivals. Instinctively the onlookers glanced toward Claire and, though she was hiding her rosy cheeks behind a great muff, they could see that her eyes glowed with the light that was never on land or sea.

The spectators surged up about the victor's sleigh. There was a torrent of welcoming cheers for the tall dark hero. But he had no ears for their acclamations. He was running to the little knoll where Claire stood beside her father, who in spite of himself was looking rather relieved and joyous. They watched Claire as she put out her hands to the good looking but breathless youth who included them in his own so eagerly. They watched him bend above them with grace of a cavalier, and as he did so they heard the old Seigneur exclaim, "Sacre! where did you get that wind-slow demon?" Philippe Beauclerc's answer came back, laughing, "Oh, that's old Menetepah's Indian pony. I've been training him for weeks in the forest."

they, say "Buon Natale," in France it is "Joyeux Noel," in Portugal "Um feliz Natal," and in Holland "Een prettige Kerstmis." We are satisfied with our simple, plain "Merry Christmas."

Efficiency.

"Children," said the efficiency expert. "Ah, yes; a beautiful idea, but expensive. I have figured out that a growing child costs its parents exactly 27½ cents for each tooth of an inch."—Houston Post.

URGES RAISE IN U. S. POSTAGE

POSTMASTER GENERAL HAYS WOULD MAINTAIN SERVICE WITHOUT DEFICIENCY.

WANTS BETTER SERVICE

RECEIPTS \$157,517,688 BELOW EXPENDITURES FOR YEAR ENDING LAST JUNE

(Western Newspaper Union News Service.)

Washington.—Pointing to continuing deficits in his department, Postmaster General Hays, in his first annual report to the president, made public, declared that "if the present gauge of expenditures shall continue there should be such a readjustment of postage rates as will, together with the effects of increasing volume of business, produce sufficient revenue approximately to meet it."

Mr. Hays makes no specific recommendations as to the suggested adjustments, and declares emphatically that "if it were a question between the best practical service on the one hand, and a poorer service with revenue meeting cost, on the other hand, decision should be resolved in favor of rendering the service." He adds that the department should not be conducted for a profit, but that it need not ultimately be run at a loss.

Revenues of the postal service for the fiscal year ended last June, Mr. Hays says, totalled \$163,491,274, an increase of \$26,341,062 over the receipts of the preceding fiscal year. Balanced against this were audited expenditures of \$620,993,673 with the total audited deficiency at \$157,517,688.

The material increase in the deficiency over that for 1920, Mr. Hays states, is due to large increases of expenditures in two principal items without any corresponding increase in the revenues. The two principal items are \$76,130,301 for increased compensation to railroads on the basis of an order of the interstate commerce commission, retroactive to Nov. 1, 1916, and \$41,855,000 for added compensation allowed postal employes by congress.

Approving this added compensation, the postmaster general tells the president that "the salaries provided by law for those in the department are too low to compensate those who continue in the service, or to attract and hold others of the ability required in the conduct of such an institution." Pointing to the inconsistencies in the salaries of employes in the department proper and those who serve in the field, Mr. Hays says they "emphasize the importance and necessity of immediate legislation to readjust the departmental salaries throughout."

The postmaster general also recommends legislation providing for the changing of the name of the department to the department of communications, and to authorize him to:

Collect a fee where directory service is given in post offices to mail insufficiently or improperly addressed.

Fix a charge for a return receipt for registered articles.

To restrict, within his discretion, the application of the special delivery service to first class mail matter.

To dispense with the surety bonds now required of officers and employes accountable for funds or property and to substitute therefor a guaranty fund established and maintained by assessments against such officers and employes.

To provide for the payment by the advertisers of postage on replies to advertising matter.

Mr. Hays also recommends service pensions for those who have been in the service more than thirty years and that Sundays and holidays be excluded from sick leave granted employes of the department and service.

Germany Seeks Dye Monopoly.

Washington.—Germany is seeking secretly to regain her former monopoly of the American dyestuffs market by a carefully organized and strongly financed movement that has already invaded both chambers of Congress, Senator Frelinghuysen, Republican, of New Jersey, charged in the Senate in opposing the adoption of a resolution sponsored by Senator King, Democrat, of Utah, for an investigation of the alleged American dyestuffs lobby. Frelinghuysen offered an amendment providing that if a proposed investigation is undertaken it should include the importers of German dyestuffs and their agents and lobbyists.

Guards Wound Mail Bandits.

Charleston, S. C.—Sergt. S. N. S. Beithers, marine corps, a guard on a mail car attached to Atlantic Coast line train No. 80, Jacksonville to New York, fired his sawed-off gun five times at three men, two of whom were negroes, who were throwing packages from a sealed express car ahead. The shooting occurred about five miles from Savannah, Ga. Two of the men were wounded, according to unofficial information, and the third man is at large.

Block in Tia Juana Burned.

San Diego, Calif.—At least one life was lost and virtually one-third of the business section of Tia Juana, Mexico, was destroyed in the second fire of the week at the border town. Without means to fight the blaze, residents watched the fire sweep through the frame structures until the whole block on the eastern side of the main street had been wiped out. The buildings burned included several saloons, dance halls, cafes, singe office and photographic gallery. The loss is heavy.

Never say "Aspirin" without saying "Bayer."
WARNING! Unless you see name "Bayer" on tablets, you are not getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians over 21 years and proved safe by millions for

- | | | |
|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Colds | Headache | Rheumatism |
| Toothache | Neuralgia | Neuritis |
| Earache | Lumbago | Pain, Pain |

Accept only "Bayer" package which contains proper directions.
Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets—Bottles of 24 and 100—All druggists.
Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacturer of Monocrotinolsolite of Salicylic Acid

ARTISTS IN JAPAN'S CABINET

Writings and Paintings, the Work of Nipponese Statesmen, Have Been Sold at Big Prices.

Japan has a cabinet of artists. Writings and paintings of some of the great men of the Japan of today brought big prices at a recent auction by the Tokyo Fine Arts Club. Three pictures painted by Mr. Hara, assassinated a short time ago, sold for the equivalent of \$900 and another lot of four brought about \$800.

Peace Panagut's productions brought about \$250 to \$300, while some pakenomo writings with proverbs in the Japanese language by Prince Saionji brought from \$200 to \$300.

A chrysanthemum painted by Mr. Noda, minister of communications, sold for \$80 and an orchid from his brush sold for \$70. Mr. Yamamoto, minister of agriculture and commerce, had a picture and Mr. Tokonami, the home minister, a poem.

The painting of kakemono is a favorite pastime of the Japanese.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It

Applicants for Insurance Often Rejected.

Judging from reports from druggists who are constantly in direct touch with the public, there is one preparation that has been very successful in overcoming these conditions. The mild and healing influence of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its remarkable record of success.

An examining physician for one of the prominent Life Insurance Companies, in an interview on the subject, made the astonishing statement that one reason why so many applicants for insurance are rejected is because kidney trouble is so common to the American people, and the large majority of those whose applications are declined do not even suspect that they have the disease.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp Root is on sale at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large. However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper. Advertisement.

All for a Dime.

"What have you got for a dime?" asked a young man with a sweet tooth as he sauntered up to the candy case in a drug store. The clerk looked curiously at his inquirer and then looked toward the case, mumbling incoherently. Finally he drew out a plate from which the young man took one article and stood about eating it, probably thinking of his boyhood days, when a cent could buy the same thing.—Detroit News.

Records His Mower Mileage.

The latest device whereby the suburbanite can lord it over his neighbors is a small dial attached to his lawn mower which keeps a record of the mileage. Because it is more impressive the total is marked in feet instead of miles.

"I pushed the mower 20,000 feet this summer," said the man who introduced the novelty, "while both the fellows that live near me have only done 10,000. The idea is to see how much you can use the thing without having the knives sharpened."—New York Sun.

May Versus Can.

Pollman—"Boy, don't you know you can't ride your bicycle on the sidewalk?" Boy—"Can't I? Watch me."—The Echo.

The first steambot in the United States plied the Hudson in 1807.

Even a sick child loves the "frotty" taste of "California Fig Syrup."

If the little tongue is coated, or if your child is listless, cross, feverish, full of cold, or has colic, give a teaspoonful to cleanse the liver and bowels. In a few hours you can see for yourself how thoroughly it works all the constipation poison, sour bile and waste out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers keep "California Fig Syrup" handy. They know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.—Advertisement.

The Garrulous Sex.

He—"Women always have to monopolize the conversation. A woman can't sit still and listen for one full minute." She—"Oh, indeed! Suppose the other party to the conversation were making a proposal of marriage?" He—"Not even then. She'd say 'yes' before he'd spoken a minute."

Conclusive.

"Algernon, I cannot be engaged to you any longer." "Why not? Some whim, I suppose." "Because yesterday I married Mr. Flubdub." "In that case, I guess I'll have to release you, kid."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

A CHRISTMAS GREETING

A MERRY Christmas morning To each and every one! The rose has kissed the dawning, And the gold is in the sun.

And may the Christmas splendor A joyous greeting bear, Of love that's true and tender, And faith that's sweet and fair.

THE WORLD'S MOST POPULAR WISH

How the Joyous "Merry Christmas" Is Expressed in the Different Countries.

In Norway they say "Gloedelig Jul," and hang out a sheaf of grain for the birds, so that they may enjoy the happy season, too. In Russia the people throng to the churches on the eve of the great festival to wait for the "zvesda," the "holy midnight star of Bethlehem," which is carried aloft on a pole by the priest. Here they wish each other "Cre pasteg-embokaxe Npaemoba." It is from Germany that all the legends of the Christmas Claus come, and there the Christmas tree grows and flourishes. They say, "Froehliche Weihnachten." And Italy is the country where there are so many lovely paintings of the baby Jesus and His beautiful mother, and

Efficiency.

"Children," said the efficiency expert. "Ah, yes; a beautiful idea, but expensive. I have figured out that a growing child costs its parents exactly 27½ cents for each tooth of an inch."—Houston Post.

THE LARGEST CHAIN DEPARTMENT STORE ORGANIZATION IN THE WORLD

For HIS Christmas A Dressy New Overcoat

Selected from Our Collection of Up-to-date
Styles for Men and Young Men

A Worth-While Gift that will be
Appreciated by

**Father—Brother
Husband or Son**



MEN always appreciate gifts of "Something to Wear" and to the man who is in need of a new Overcoat or Ulsterette, a gift selected from the many stylish models and remarkable values we are showing will be doubly welcome. J. C. Penney Co. Overcoats are carefully tailored from select wools and modeled on the best fitting, up-to-the-minute lines for men and young men. They are made for long service and hold their shape in a manner which strongly appeals to the men who wear them.

Prices That Assure Downright Savings on Every Purchase

\$24.75 \$27.50 \$34.75

At these exceptionally low prices we are showing the popular Ulsterette models with convertible collars, pinch-backs and three-quarter or all-around belts, for young men—the Chesterfield and other dressy styles for men who prefer something more conservative. Single and double breasted coats, plain and plaid lined, in Kerseys, Meltons, Chinchillas and Tweeds—browns, greens, heathers, tans and grays.

Coats which fully meet the requirements of every man with an eye for real overcoat style and service—values which leave no doubt as to J. C. Penney Co. supremacy.

OUR POLICY: ONE PRICE TO EVERY BODY

J.C. Penney Co.
A NATION-WIDE INSTITUTION
312 DEPARTMENT STORES

OUR POLICY: ONE PRICE TO EVERY BODY

NOGALES, ARIZONA

to look after his affairs down there. Mr. Olson was a resident of Mexico for seventeen years. While in that country he will be the guest of his father.

OFFICER TO NOGALES

Deputy Sheriff Lou Quinn was in Nogales Monday.

WILL ENTERTAIN

Mrs. E. D. Farley will be hostess to the Patagonia Bridge Club Saturday evening. She will entertain in the parlors of the Commercial Hotel.

TO COUNTY SEAT

Bill Stringfeller had business in Nogales Monday.

HERE TUESDAY

C. F. Peterson was in from San Rafael valley Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. He was accompanied by Mrs. Peterson.

V. L. McCutchan is again handling magazines and taking subscriptions for any periodical.

BACK FROM MEXICO

N. Standley, state highway employe, returned from Cuernavaca, Sonora, Mexico, Monday. Mr. Standley was in Mexico on business connected with property interests there.

PLANTING TREES

H. H. McCutchan, who owns eight lots in the western part of town, is planting eighty fruit trees. Mr. McCutchan believes in improving his property.

VISITS NOGALES

C. L. Scheler visited in Nogales Wednesday.

ENGINEER HERE

J. W. Larrimore, county road engineer, was here this week inspecting the work that is being done on the roads of this district.

BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. E. E. Bethell charmingly entertained the members of the Patagonia Bridge Club in her home Friday evening.

GATLIN HERE

James Gatlin, from the territory west of Bloxton, was in town Tuesday.

FROM SQUAW GULCH

Joe Kane, who lives in the Squaw Gulch country, was here Tuesday on business.

TO BISBEE

V. L. McCutchan motored to Bisbee Wednesday.

TO TUCSON

Frank Blackledge and Chris Eck who have been employed in road construction work, left Monday for Tucson.

V. L. McCutchan is again handling magazines and taking subscriptions for any periodical.

ON TRIP

Cecil Shields left this week for a trip into the surrounding territory. He expects to be gone several days.

TO NOGALES

The following gentlemen were called to Nogales Wednesday: E. B. Byrker, of the Evans Commercial Company; Val Valenzuela, Jr., of the Patagonia Commercial Company, and E. E. Bohlinger, of the Andes mines.

RETURNS FROM VISIT

Mrs. H. H. McCutchan returned Wednesday from a visit with relatives in Bisbee.

ON JURY

Fred Valenzuela is serving as a juror in the Superior court this week.

HAY BUYER HERE

S. N. Holman, hay buyer, of Safford, is spending the week in Sonoita and Patagonia on business.

T. B. GRACE IN TOWN

T. B. Grace, one of the old timers in southern Arizona, was in town yesterday. Mr. Grace's home is in Douglas.

V. L. McCutchan is again handling magazines and taking subscriptions for any periodical.

FROM PARKER CANYON

E. R. Wenger, of Parker Canyon, was here this week. He was en route to Nogales where he will visit his brother.

Victor Wager, tax collector. From Nogales Mr. Wager will go to Prescott to do some assessment work on his property there.

TO NOGALES

T. B. Tils, of San Rafael, and Charles Gardner, of Elgin, passed through town this week en route to Nogales.

FROM HARSHAW

L. E. Stipe, who is engaged in road work near Harshaw was a business visitor in town Wednesday and Thursday.

V. L. McCutchan is again handling magazines and taking subscriptions for any periodical.

ATTORNEY HERE

R. W. Coleman, of Kansas City, accompanied by E. Campbell of Lawrence, Kansas, was registered at the Commercial Hotel Wednesday. Mr. Coleman is an attorney and formerly resided in this place.

FROM TUCSON

C. D. Williams, a minister, of Tucson, was here Saturday and Sunday.

FROM BENSON

W. W. Harrington, of Benson, was a business visitor in town Monday and Tuesday.

MRS. MCINTYRE HERE

Mrs. Maud McIntyre and small daughter, who formerly resided here, were visiting in the city this week. Mrs. McIntyre now lives in Los Angeles.

BUSINESS TRIP

Chas. A. Wheeler of Tucson, had business in Patagonia this week.

WILL ATTEND PARTY

Among those who will attend the party at the Commercial Hotel tonight are Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lawson, of Harshaw, who arrived in the city today.

TO NOGALES

Robt. L. Wood left Wednesday for the county seat where he will serve as a juror in the Superior court.

FROM HARDSHELL

Geo. W. Sanders, an employe of the Hardsell mine, was in town Wednesday and Thursday.

BALDWIN IN TOWN

Clyde Baldwin, a resident of the San Rafael valley, was in town Tuesday.

ROAD MAN HERE

James Parker, in charge of the county road work in the Washington Camp district, was here Tuesday. Mr. Parker was en route to Nogales.

EAM FOSTER BACK

Sam Foster, who left Patagonia about two years ago for Alpine, Texas, returned to the city this week. Mr. Foster was employed here on the Ashborn cattle ranch.

OUT OF COMMISSION

"Buck Nicks" local puglist, has been suffering with an abscess on his arm, which was the result of a bruise he received when struck by the pole

B. P. O. E.

NOGALES LODGE NO. 1997

Meets second and fourth Fridays of each month at Elks' Home on Morley Ave. Visiting brothers always welcome.

W. A. SLOAN, Exalted Ruler
ROBERT E. LEE, Secretary.

on a wagon brake. He states that "Buck Nicks" may own the abscess but that Ray C. Bliven is doing all the hurting.

GOES TO SUPERIOR

John Kyle, who has been living in the Patagonia district for some time, returned to Superior Saturday where he will again make his home.

TO WILCOX

G. E. Lewis left last Monday for Wilcox, where he has gone to join his family. Mrs. Lewis moved to Wilcox several weeks ago but business prevented Mr. Lewis from leaving at that time.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. Hugh Baker, who has been with her sister, Mrs. C. J. Trish, in Elgin, has returned to Patagonia. Mrs. Trish, who became ill while visiting in Elgin, is improving.

OLD TIMER HERE

Wes Fuller, one of the old timers in this district, was in town Saturday.

FROM FLUX MINE

Ed Collier, a miner connected with the Flux mine, spent Friday in town.

MOVES TO APACHE

Pat Perez, who is interested with George Lopez in mining property in the Salario district, has moved to Apache to be nearer his work.

CATTLEMAN HERE

Robt. Bergier, a prominent cattleman, was mingling with friends in town Saturday.

TO KEY CITY

Pete Etchels was in town Tuesday en route to Nogales where he had been called to attend to business affairs.

SHANNON RETURNS

"Brookie" Shannon, a popular citizen of this place, who has been working

in Gallup, New Mexico, for some time, returned to Patagonia Friday. Mr. Shannon has been in the employ of a coal mining concern.

IS IMPROVING

Mr. Eldwell, who has been having trouble with his eyes, reports that he is improving since receiving recent treatment.

DOUGLAS MAN HERE

A. A. Ferguson, an undertaker of Douglas, was here Monday en route to his home after a visit with friends in Nogales.

V. L. McCutchan is again handling magazines and taking subscriptions for any periodical.

Say! Have you bought your mother that Pressure Cooker for Xmas yet? It's waiting for her at the Washington Trading Co.

And that Sheep Lined Coat or Vest for pa. Pa likes initial handkerchiefs and fine wool socks too.

And I'll tell the world that sister likes a Vanity Case, one with all the little accessories that makes shopping easy. There is a splendid selection at the Washington Trading Co.

Little brother wants a Train and a Rocking Horse and little sister a Doll and Doll Carriage and oh dear we almost forgot big brother he wants a Colored Silk Handkerchief and some Perfume, we've got that too.

Also Xmas Tree Trimmings, Candles, Candle Holders and dozens of pretty gifts from 10 cents up. And don't forget to send your friends a beautiful Xmas thought already engraved on some of our Xmas Cards—a pretty selection to choose from.

Dr. W. F. Chenoweth
Physician and Surgeon
Nogales, Arizona

Geo. B. Marsh, Inc.
Undertaker and Embalmer
Day and Night Phone 219
115 Grand Ave. Lady Attendant

SEND YOUR ORDERS FOR DRUGS AND SUNDRIES TO

Nogales Drug Co.

WE MAKE A SPECIALTY ON MAIL ORDERS
PROMPT SERVICE

Nogales Drug Co.

P. O. BOX 567

NOGALES, ARIZONA

Attention Grademen

Join the Fraternal Order of Grade Men.

OUR MOTTO:

More and Better Roads for Less Money.

For information apply Box 153, Patagonia, Arizona.

If You Are in Need

Of any of the following, let us quote you prices; you will save money by doing so. We carry a complete line of

**LUMBER, PAINTS, BUILDERS' HARDWARE,
LIME AND CEMENT AND
RUBBER ROOFING.**

We Are Also Agents For

U. S. WINDMILLS—MODEL B.

PATAGONIA LUMBER COMPANY

J. W. Miller, Manager.

"KELLY-SPRINGFIELD" TIRES
"MOLINE" PLOWS & IMPLEMENTS
C. R. PIQUERO CO.
Importers & Exporters

221 Trust Bldg. Phone 271J Nogales, Ariz.

CORRECT ENGLISH

HOW TO USE IT

JOSEPHINE TURCK BAKER, Editor

A MONTHLY MAGAZINE

\$2.50 THE YEAR

Send 10 Cents for Sample Copy

TO

CORRECT ENGLISH PUBLISHING CO.
EVANSTON, ILLINOIS

INTERESTING LOCAL NEWS

WILL MOVE

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stoddard, of Elgin, were here this week. They expect to leave for the Salt River valley soon, where they will make their home.

RETURNS HOME

Miss Eva Amado returned to her home in this city yesterday.

WATCH PARTY DANCE

Don't forget the Watch Party Dance to be given in the opera house December 31—New Year's Eve.

HERE YESTERDAY

B. W. Curtis and Rodney Wilson, of San Rafael, were in town yesterday.

FROM TUCSON

Geo. Martin, a business man of Tucson who is well known here, was in town yesterday.

VISITORS IN TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Woods and child, of Canille, were visitors in town yesterday.

FROM ELGIN

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Beaty and small daughter, of Elgin, were here yesterday enroute to Nogales. Mrs. Beaty will visit relatives in Continental for a few days.

KODAKS, PHOTO SUPPLIES

We do developing and printing. All orders received by mail are given prompt attention. A. W. LOHN, 311 Morley Ave., Nogales. 1-31-22

TO FLORENCE

Lou Stevens, cattle inspector, accompanied the county officers who took five prisoners to the penitentiary this week. Among the prisoners was W. H. Smith.

TODD IN TOWN

Joseph Todd is in Patagonia this week. Mr. Todd has been employed in road work near Washington Camp, and reports fine work being done in that territory.

VISITS IN HARSHAW

Miss Ethyl McCormick was the guest of Mrs. J. F. Lawson in Harshaw Thursday night.

PLANTING BARLEY

C. L. Northcraft is sowing barley on his ranch west of Patagonia.

BUSINESS TRIPS

J. M. Olsen returned this week from Tucson where he attended to business matters and immediately left for Mex-

NOGALES THEATRE

The Finest Movie House in
Southeastern Arizona

CHANGE OF PROGRAM DAILY

Nogales Theatre

Nogales Arizona

BE YOURSELF AGAIN PE-RU-NA Will Help You

The chances are that you are suffering from catarrhal poisons which have gone all over your system resulting in loss of weight, strength, nerve force and ambition. Systemic catarrh acts that way. The poisons have accumulated faster than the organs of elimination could throw them off, the human machinery has become clogged to the point of breaking down and the general health collapses.

There is in every such case a stagnation of the mucous surfaces preventing normal action of one or more of the vital organs.

What is needed is a remedy of tonic properties that will invigorate the whole body by restoring the digestion and cleaning up the stagnation.

For fifty years Dr. Hartman's Pe-ru-na has been performing just that service for millions. Designed especially for all forms of catarrh and catarrhal poisoning the action of Pe-ru-na is very direct and satisfying as is testified by many, many users.

The great success of Pe-ru-na in such cases makes it worthy of your trial.

SEND FOUR CENTS FOR BOOK ON CATARRH.

For Sale
Everywhere



THE PE-RU-NA COMPANY
COLUMBUS, OHIO
U. S. A.

TABLETS OR LIQUID