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### PROFESSOR HARE **DELIVERS TWO** TALKSON AGRI-CULTURE HERE

Du Account of Meeting Not Being Idvertised But Few Were in Attendance to Hear Nin

Some of the Ways in Which This De partment of the State College May Help Farmers

The New Mexico College of

Agriculture, located at the town of State College, New Mexico, is a state institution that is supported largely by federal funds. The endowment from this fund is a liberal one, but must be used for annual licence tax as follows: certain specific purposes. The work of the college is divided into three great divisions. First, we have the division of instruction, the object of which is to instruct the young men and young women of the state along the lines of a general education as well as to prepare them for a life work along the lines of engineering, agriculture or in the trades. The young women are instructed in both the theory and practice of domestic science, and when ing out a license.' graduated are prepared to teach in the high schools of the state. or to properly conduct a home. The second great division of the tural experiment station. For conducting experiments of interest to the farmers of the state. the federal government has appropriated \$30,000 and a force of about 15 men are busily engaged to pass upon the constitutionality in a study and effort to improve of said ordinance, but simply the farming and stock raising conditions of the state. If the farmers of this state have problems that need investigation. a study of these problems with the funds that congress has so liberally appropriated for this purpose. The third great division of the work is that of agricultural extension. This is to be conducted under a new appropriation from congress called the Smith-Lever bill. Its object is to carry instruction to the farmer in his own home. The college now has about ten men traveling be sold within the city of Roswell over the state teaching the farmers those problems that have as provided in this ordinance. been solved at the state experiment stations. Professor Hare. one of these traveling men, was a visitor in Portales this week and delivered an address at the court house Thursday afternoon.

### Opinion by Judge Richardson

Judge G. A. Richardson recently handed down the followlocal interest, since it involved the right of the farmer to sell his own products in the city of swell. Judge Richardson's opinion in full follows:

"This case is before the court on appeal from the justice of the peace court of precinct No. 1. Chaves county, New Mexico.

pleadings we find the defendant sale of products which are the is charged with the violation of result of labor, skill and expense sections 23 and 28, ordinance 24 of the man who produces. of the compiled ordinances of the city of Roswell, New Mexico.

thereof, we find that the same the products of his farm are not denounces as a crime for any person to sell meats within the limits of the city of Roswell with- (Signed) out first having taken out a

license as a butcher.' Section

"Every butcher doing business or who shall hereafter do business within the city of Roswell shall be required to take out license as such butcher and shall pay an annual license fee of \$25, payable quarterly in advance, and every person, firm or corporation whose business it is to slaughter animals for meat or who shall sell fresh veal, beef, pork or mutton shall be considered butchers.'

"Section 28 of said ordinance reads as follows:

"It shall be unlawful for any person to peddle or sell from any wagon, cart or other vehicle within the city of Roswell any coffee, tea or groceries, hay, vegetables or other farm products license therefor, and every such peddler or huckster shall pay an For peddling groceries, coffee and tea, or either of same, \$50; for peddling hay, vegetables and other farm products or any such, the sum of \$15; and no license shall be issued for a period less than three months. Provided person from selling any article above mentioned where the same

imprisonment of not less than

"The court is not called upon time arrives. upon the question as to whether inhabitants thereof. It is the opinion of the court that said ordinance was not intended to apply to such persons or to prohibit possible until the high point strikes. the sale of products of any kind and sold by the person who raises them, as in this case; in fact, the proviso at the conclusion of section 28 distinctly recites the fact that such products so raised may without first taking out a license

"The only question further involved in the controversy is as to whether or not animals which and by the answer of the defendants filed herein are farm procourt that anything produced by the farmer upon his farm as a own expense is a farm product, ing ruling in the noted Sim New- and that an animal slaughtered for slaughter is as much a farm perity that prevails. product as the corn, butter, eggs, poultry and fruit that he produces nance 24 is not intended to pre-

'This court is not in sympathy and would not look with favor "By an examination of the upon any restriction limiting the

"It is therefore the opinion of the court that this defendant has not violated ordinance 24 of the "Upon examination of said or- city of Roswell or any part thereprohibited by said ordinance.

Dated: At Roswell, N. M. this 26th day of December, 1914. (Signed) 'G. A. RICHARDSON,

## 28 of said ordinance reads as fol- PORTALES PULLS OFF THE lows: LID, GRAIN PRICES GO **SKYWARD AND FARM-**ERS GRAB THE GLUE

The Peerless Princess Maintains Her Record for **Paying From Five to Twenty Cents Per Hundred More Than Any Other Town** in Grain Producing Districts of State

without first having taken out a There is Genuine Competition Among the Buyers and it Begins to Look as Though "Mr. Corntassel" Was About to Make His Debut Into the Limousine Club and Mumms Extra Dry Class

It sure is some scandalous the way Roosevelt county has laid it all over all the other counties of the state this year in the production of grain and the feeding of live stock. Not content with annexing all the good things at the state fair at Albuquerque, both in dry farming and irrigated products, and not content with feeding more catthat nothing herein contained stock. Not content with annexing all the good things at shall be construed to prohibit any the state fair at Albuquerque, both in dry farming and tle and hogs than any county in the state, she must, it apis raised or produced by himself pears, furnish the greater part of the grain for the other Howard, C. O. Leach and F. T. stock feeding counties on the eastern slope. This, how-"Section 35 of said ordinance provides the penalty for a viola- has it made any appreciable inroad upon the supply on the supply tion thereof by fine of not less than \$10 or more than \$100 or by imprisonment of not less than gons hauling this grain to the Portales market would soon are appreciated very much by ten nor more than one hundred exhaust the crop but, from all sections comes the report the girls who dote on dancing and days, in the discretion of the that the hauling has barely started. Notwithstanding the court having jurisdiction of the fact that every thresher is working over time, it will be impossible to get all this crop threshed before planting sewing bee on last Monday after- will employ more who want to

The market has had an upward tendency from the Mrs. W. E. Lindsey, which was rapidly toward the organization first, beginning at eighty cents for bulk grain, the price especially enjoyed by the anti's. of his forces, and it is confidently or not it applies to a farmer who steadily advanced to its present high mark of one dollar raises products upon his farm five. While this appears to be a pretty stiff figure, it is departed. and sells them within the limits confidently predicted that the price will go to a dollar and they should organize and request of the city of Roswell and to the a half before next harvest time. The indications being so good for a further advance in price, it would frem to be good business judgment to hold as much of this crop as table was beautifully decorated teams necessary for this charac-

This one grain crop, the product of our dry farms, or character raised upon a farm together with our increased live stocks interests, has begun to make a substantial showing upon business. From the various mercantile establishments come reports of debt liquidation and a larger volume of cash trade, while bank deposits show an increase, within the past sixty days, of, approximately, fifty thousand dollars. Of course the sale church. of cattle has given a great impetus to business, but the proceeds from these transactions have been reinvested in last Friday evening at the home it, but by reason of the failure of more cattle, consequently the added wealth to the county of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Terry. Curry to perform her part of the from this source, is represented by the increased number Everyone seemed to enjoy the contract, this expenditure was have been slaughtered as shown of cattle and hogs now being fed here. This leaves the to the ladies and Mr. and Mrs. by the stipulation in this case matter of the large increase in deposits and general debt liquidation up to these dry farmers and their millions of a few days this week, Brother to know that this work has now ducts. It is the opinion of the tons of grain. That this responsibility does not rest heav- Reece, the Clovis pastor. ily on their shoulders is evidenced by the broad grins that result of his own labor and at his decorate their faces as they push their daposit slips inside the window; by the large number of new wagons that the 11 o'clock hour. There will man case, which was of deep by him thus raised and fattened daily go out from our stores, and the general air of pros-

> While this immense grain crop has put our farmers on said farm, and that this ordi- on their feet, they should now take advantage of their bettered conditions and surround themselves with some within the city limits of Roswell sort of stock to consume their next year's crop. It can by the producer thereof without scarcely be expected that this year's prices will be obtained next year, yet, by feeding it to cattle or hogs, even more money may be certainly counted upon.

Should our farmers now put in pit siles and follow up this year of unprecedented prosperity with intelligent and aggressive stock farming, there will be no way in the world of keeping them from connecting with the kale. Those who have adopted this route already, have, without exception, made good and there appears to be no reason dinance and the aforesaid sections of, and that his acts in selling why others should fail. It would, also, be good business to put out from five to ten acres of Sudan grass for hay, but cheap, condemned seed, usually sold for ten to fifteen cents per pound, or given away as premiums, should be shunned, as dangerous to your farm and the community. physicians of the city.

Wednesday, January 20, the Portales suffragettes were invited to the home of Mrs. Lindsey for a luncheon, and it is needless to to say that it was enjoyed by all. First course: Half Oranges. Second course: Tomato boullion. Third course: Scalloped potatoes veal loaf, roast pork, tomato salad, southern biscuits, relish, pickles. Fourth course: Half peaches and whipped cream, and fudge. Fifth course: Coffee. In the afternoon the suffragettes held their regular meeting. Those Patterson, C. B. Rogers, Harold Rogers, S. F. Culberson, R. Cul-berson, H. F. Jones, L. R. Hough, G. W. Carr and Robert Hum-phrey, mother of Mrs. C. O.

The Civic and Art club met with Mrs. C. O. Leach. The afternoon was spent working fancy work. Quite a number had the gineer who will have the build-honor of being guests. Delicious ing of the Portales Clavis road in refreshments were served of cherry salad and bananas, cheese sandwiches, coffee, cocoa and commence operations. He excake, sea foam candy.

friends last Friday evening. All in plenty of time to have arrived of you have heard of the Wilson's before him but, through some cooking and many have sampled it so no more need be said.

Mrs. Robert Puckett gave luncheon last Friday noon in be long before it will be here. joyed this luncheon: Mesdames

the Civic and Art club with a number of men and teams and noon. The ladies had the pleasure of a short talk on suffrage by Coffee, sandwiches and cake expected that actual work will were served and late the ladies

Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. Rogers celebrated their first wedding anniversary with a six o'clock dinner on January 20th, 1915. The with sweet peas and fine linen. The following were present: Mrs. C. B. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Rogers and family, and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Leach and son.

### **Baptist Notes**

into the membership of the

The Ladies Aid entertained the grown people of the church on occasion very much. Many thanks Terry for the good time.

We were glad to have with us

We will have the morning service next Sunday and will administer the ordinance of baptism at be no service at night owing to the meeting at the Methodist church. All members are requested to be present at the morning service.

W. E. DAWN, Pastor.

### "Runaway June"

In two reels with an all-star cast. Don't miss the first installment next Monday at the Cosy. It is the most beautiful picture you have ever seen.

### STATE ENGINEER C. J. MARIUS AR-**RIVES TO COM-**MENCE WORK

On Portales-Clovis Automobile Road and Expects to Have Things uning Next Week

Has Looked Over the Road and Is Prepared to Break Ground on Arrival of Equipment

Casteran J. Marius, the ening of the Portales-Clovis road in charge, arrived this week to pected, upon his arrival, to find Miss Dell Wilson gave a six his equipment already on the o'clock dinner to a few of her ground, it having been shipped hitch or other, it has not arrived at this time, however it cannot of locating the clay pits, camping grounds, etc. Mr. Taylor, it is understood, will have supervision ard all and everything nece for the construction work. He Mrs. G. W. Carr entertained has employed a considerable work, in fact, he is proceeding begin not later than the first of the week. He stated to the News man that he had been afraid that he would find it difficult to obtain the number and character of ter of work, but that, upon his arrival, he was agreeably surprised to find that he would experience no difficulty, at all, along this line. This is a road that has long been contemplated, in fact, Last Sunday the pastor had the Roosevelt county, some three or pleasure of baptising Mrs. Poets four years ago, upon the promise of Curry county to build its part, had expended some thousands of dollars in completing her part of not followed up as it should have been, and this money was a loss. However, the people will be glad been put into such capable hands and that it will be vigorously prosecuted until final completion. The people of Roosevelt county are requested to co-operate in every way possible with Mr. Marius to the end that no time may be lost and that his stay among us may be as pleasant as possible.

### Civic and Art Club

The sociesy met with Mrs. G. W. Carr on last Monday. A large number were present and a short time was taken up with the revival prayer meeting, led by Mrs. Dr. D. D. Swearingin, the eye, Culberson. An appropriation of ear, nose and throat specialist, of \$5.00 was voted for the state fed-Roswell, is here this week filling erated legislative measures. his regular appointment. Also vote of thanks was extended to he has been called in consultation Mrs. Oldham and Mrs. Pew for in some very serious cases of magazines donated for the county sickness. While he has quit the library, and to Mr. Humphrey regular practice of medicine, yet for making the boxes for the lihe is much sought after for con- brary. The society will meet sultation by the most reputable next Monday afternoon at 130 with Mrs. Pearl Leach-Rogers.



Fun for the Baby, but Bad for the Tree.

If the tops of your trees are nipped | crimson clover to plow under next by excessive cold this winter do not chop down the trees at first sight. Wait until the leaves gtart, prune off all dead wood and cultivate the ground thoroughly. This will put new life into your trees.

me people seem to think that in order to spray their orchards they sust have a big two-horse outfit and pay out a lot of money to start. Nothing of the kind! An orchard of 100 trees can quickly be sprayed by a barrel sprayer set on a stone sled, drawn by a single horse.

Scraping out the dead wood and filling the cavity with cement will be the means of saving valuable apple trees yards. that otherwise would be destroyed by

We cannot paint peaches a nice lusclous color without a liberal use of

Plow the peach orchard in the spring and keep down the weeds and grasses until August, then sow rye or trade. It will come to him.

### ALFALFA ON DRY LAND

Prepare Soil One Year Before the Seed Is Sown.

op Plowing is important and it is Essential That Moieture Should Be Conserved to Greatest Extent Practicable.

(By PROF. THOMAS SHAW.) Alfalfa may be grown in nine-tenth of the land in the northwestern states. providing the land is properly prepared, the right kind of seed is sown, and the seed is properly put into the ground and the plants suitably cared

The preparation of the soil should begin one year before the seed is sown when the plants are sown on dry land. The object sought is, first, to clean the land, and second, to conserve the soil moisture as far as this may be possible. These objects may be secured by carefully summer fallowing the land when it does not blow, or by growing a clean, cultivated crop on it, and by growing a corn crop where the soil does not blow. Before plowing the land for the sum-

mer fallow or the cultivated crop, no less than a dozen good loads of farm yard manure should be applied to the land, which ought to be plowed deep ly. Deep plowing is important, excep on light, sandy land. It is essential that the land shall be kept clean and that the moisture shall be conserved in it to the greatest extent practica ble. Whether the land is summer fallowed or a cultivated crop is grown, it should not be again plowed before sowing the seed. In the early spring, however, it ought to be disked, but not deeply, and then harrowed. The harrow may be used further at intervals before the seed is sown. This maintains a dust mulch and destroys weeds that may sprout.

The seed sown should be northern grown. Turkestan, Grimm and what is called Northern Montana are all good. Northern Montana is another name for northern grown. All of these are good when they can be obtained true to name, and all are sufficiently hardy.

The seed should be sown with the drill and without a nurse crop. should be buried from one to two inches. When thus sown it comes up evenly. When sown broadcast it is not buried evenly, and if dry weather follows the stand will be uneven. If the drill will not sow the seed alone, it may be mixed with something, as dry soil, free from grit, or wheat bran. LIVE STOCK RELISH

Where the rainfall is not more than 15 inches in a year, six pounds of good seed on well-prepared land is enough Where the rainfall is not more than 18 to 19 inches, it may be better to sow seven or eight pounds. If the plants are too many for the moisture. in the land, the roots will not go down sufficiently, and the yield of hay will be correspondingly reduced.

The plants may be harrowed; if necessary, when from five to six aration for stock is raised in a group inches high, if weeds are present or of feeders, there is an argument. The if the tops of the plants should lose question is one that is hard to decide color, the mower should be run over upon, because there are so many the ground with the cutterbar set so high as not to clip the crowns of the mine whether or not it is the best plants. What is thus mown should be thing to do. There is little doubt that left on the land to mulch the same. in some cases it is advisable, but valu-Before the arrival of winter the plants will be high enough from the subse farm, there is danger that the enthuquent growth to hold the snow that slasm for them will cause it to be overfalls for winter protection.

When the plants are one year old, they may be disked lightly with profit to the crop. Every year subsequently the crop should be disked more or less if carried too far in this case. severely in the early spring and under some conditions after each cutting. The disking loosens and aerates the a hot feed three times a day should soil and allows the moisture to penetrate more deeply. The harrow should follow the disk.

It is probable that seed will be grown by sowing the alfalfa in rows from 30 to 42 inches distant, and cultivating as for corn when thus sown, two or two and a half pounds of seed per acre should be ample.

### MAINTENANCE OF THE ROADS

General Impression Current That Cer tain Types of Highways Are Permanent is Erroneous.

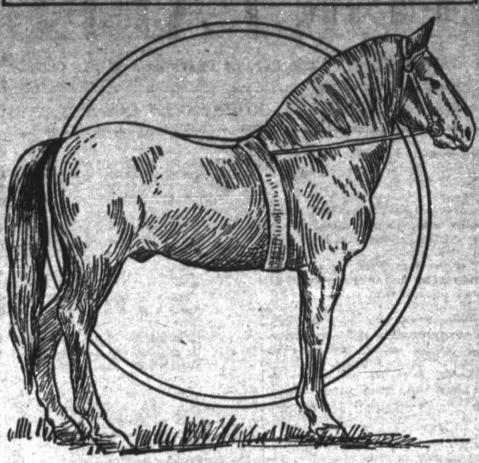
There is no phase of the road problem more important than that of maintenance. The general impression that there are certain types of roads that are permanent is erroneous. No permanent road has ever been constructed, or ever will be, according to the road specialists of the department. The only things about a road that may be considered permanent are the grading, culverts and bridges. Roads constructed by the most skillful highway engineers will soon be destroyed by the traffic, frost, rain and wind, unless they are properly maintained. But the life of these roads may be prolonged by systematic maintenance.

Late Sowing of Crops. Mr. Campbell of dry-farming repute

ecommends very late sowing of corn and cane on ground that has been kept thoroughly tilled to conserve moisture. Some remarkable results have been obtained by this method. The growth being very rapid, the fiber is less, the digestible part greater and the protein content greater than in corn of longer growth.

Alfalfa on Dry Land. In a dry country nothing should run over or eat off alfalfa until it is well rooted at least, and then pasturing had better be lightly done, if at all.

MAKING PROFIT IN GOOD DRAFT HORSES



a Fine Specimen of Carriage Type of Horse

It costs but very little more to raise | ing and are profitable only to men who good draft borses than the ordinary thoroughly understand the business of scrub and the drafter will sell for three or four times as much.

A well bred draft horse is almost as good as cash in the bank, because he sells on sight and brings a good price. A farmer who breeds good drafters, using first class stallions, can in a few years make a reputation which will add from 10 to 25 per cent to the price of his animals over the prices of others equally good bred by men without reputation.

There is always good money to made in raising horses of this class, although many farmers seem to think that it does not pay. Most of them are right about this as far as their own experiences go because they do not raise the right kind.

It is true that horses of a nondescript character, lacking proper form, therefore, not profitable to raise. The at three years. average farmer has no business to attempt to raise fancy carriage or sad- much work on the farm as horses, and die horses because they require spe- if properly handled these working cial knowledge of breeding and train- mares will prove the best breeders.

Cold Weather of Winter.

visability of cooking feed in its prep-

Whenever the question as to the ad-

Warming feed in cold weather for

one feed a day is a good practice, but

be condemned. The hot meal has its

place, but as a steady diet it will do

more harm than good. On cold days,

when stock have an opportunity to fill

on warm feed, they will suffer with the

cold more than if the feed had not

been warm. A warm feed once a day

is very much relished, and when fed

with other feed such as hay, fodder

and other roughage that is not cooked,

will assist the animal greatly in keep-

ing in good condition. Dairy cattle

can be handled a little differently, for

a little warm feed during cold weather

at each milking, fed in connection with

the other feed, will be found advan-

tageous, as the animal will respond by

The two objections to cooking feed

are that it sometimes requires too

much labor, and that some feeds are

When food is cooked the protein in it

will coagulate, thus causing it to be

less digestible. This is illustrated by

the fact that when an egg is cooked,

the albumen, or white, is less digesti-

ble than it is when it is raw. Some

feeds that contain little protein, as po-

tatoes, are greatly improved by cook-

ing, and many other feeds can be made

palatable by cooking that would not

Make Hens Pay.

breed depends largely on what you

are breeding for, whether for eggs or

for market broilers. Then some like

one breed the best and some like

another. This question of breed is

best left for the breeder to decide but

whatever breed you may choose, be

Deserving of Punishment

A man who will work a horse with

a sore shoulder and make no attempt

shoes that would raise a new crop of

sure that the strain is pure

blisters every week.

The kind of chickens you should

otherwise be eaten by the stock.

made less digestible by being cooked.

giving an increased flow of milk.

preparing them for market.

The draft horse, however, is the animal that does the hard work not only on the farm but in the big cities and he is always in demand. The reason there have been so few good drafters raised in the past few years, is because too many farmers took up with the craze several years ago of trying to produce roadsters by breeding their mares to light stallions and as most of them were not willing to pay for the service of a first class animal, the result is that the country is filled with second and third rate horses of no particular use and which bring low prices.

It is gratifying to note, however, that farmers are coming to their senses and are now breeding more drafters than ever before. Using stallions on mares of the same type with weight or style for any particular pur- proper weight, he can produce a type pose, never bring high prices and are, of animal that will turn out a profit Draft mares will do practically as

#### USING GROUND CORN TO FATTEN STEERS FEED WHEN COOKED

Missouri Experiment Station Has Found Quite Advantageous When Given to Dairy Cattle During Been Investigating This Question for Two Years.

> By H. O. ALLISON, Missouri Experiment Station.)
> Does it pay to grind corn for fatten-

ng two-year-old steers? The Missouri experiment station has been investigating this question for the last two years. While this investigation is not things that enter into it that will detervet completed, results obtained up to the present time indicate that more rapid gains in live weight and a quicker finish may be expected by the use able as some cooked feeds are on any of ground grain. Cattle also feed more uniformly on ground than on whole corn. There is no doubt but that twodone and the result may be positive rear-old steers will much more comdanger to the stock. The old saying pletely digest ground grain and the about getting "too much of a good finer it is the more completely it will thing" may not give favorable results be digested.

The work at the Missouri College of Agriculture shows clearly that when ground corn is fed fewer hogs are needed to follow the steers. The figures obtained indicate that from 17 to 22 per cent of the value of the ear corn fed to steers should be charged to the hogs, while with finely ground corn chop it will not be more than 3 to 4 per cent. The evidence concerning the total gain in live weight on cattle and hogs per bushel of corn fed is not yet conclusive. It is not likely that there will be much difference between feeding ground or whole grain if the hogs are properly cared for and if the feeding is done in lots which are reasonably free from mud.

### FRENCH TONIC FOR THE YOUNG TURKEYS

It is of Greatest Importance to Begin Treatment Before Commencement of the Red.

A French authority, many years go, recommended the following tons for young turkeys during the critical

Take cassia bark in fine powder, three parts; ginger, ten parts: gentian, one part; anise seed, one part; carbonate of iron, five parts; mix thoroughly by sifting.

A teaspoonful of the powder should be mingled with the dough for 20 turkeys each morning and evening. It is of the greatest importance to begin the treatment a fortnight before the appearance of the red, and to continue it two or three weeks after.

Best Time to Sell. Under average conditions and with the majority of crops and stock, the best time to sell is when fully ready. Holding beyond this time increases to cure it or change the collar ought the cost and adds to the risk of loss; to be compelled to wear ill-fitting besides with grain there is always besides with grain there is always more or less loss by shrinkage that is unavoidable.

It is impossible to be strong and robust if handicapped by a weak stomach or lazy liver; but you can help Nature conquer them with the assistance of

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Wasted Dress.

Clarence-Did you wead that the deuced dyes they use to color clothing will no longer be obtainable because of the horrid wah? Reggie-Dear, dear! What's a fellow

to do? Dwess in black? Clarence-if we are to dwess in black I shall feel almost sorry mothah didn't insist upon making me a clergyman, don't you know?-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

#### GRANDMA USED SAGE TEA TO DARKEN HER GRAY HAIR

She Made Up a Mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur to Bring Back Color, Gloss, Thickness.

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compound ed, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray; also ends dandruff, itching scalp and stops falling hair. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is mussy and troublesome. Nowadays, by asking at any store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," you will get a large bottle of the famous old recipe for about 50 cents.

Don't stay gray! Try it! No one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time, by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy,-

**NEW IN NATURAL HISTORY** 

Donald's Sharp Eyes Had Noticed Animal That None of the Class Recognized.

The class of little people were telling stories in geography recitation. Each one was allowed to describe an animal and the others were to guess the name. Donald anxiously awaited his turn. When it came he began with enthusiasm: "Why, It's a great, big, clumsy animal with a thick hide and a tall like a rope. It has little eyes close together, big, flappy ears, a long Here he was interrupted by many

eager to guess.

"An elephant," shouted the first boy permitted to speak. "No," said Donald, stolidly.

The class searched their brains for other guesses and even the teacher was puzzled. Finally all "gave up," and Donald was asked the name. "Why, I see pictures of it every day in the paper and so do you. It's

A CHILD'S BOWELS

a Gop."

It is cruel to force nauseating. harsh physic into a lick child.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on - castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them. With our children it's different.

Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only deliclous "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomor-

Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for bables, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Adv.

"They took that junior officer off the ship to command the torpedo

"I guess that was because he was a sub marine."

### PROTECT THE FRUIT TREES FROM INJURY

Stovepipe, Slit Lengthwise, Will Keep Away Injurious Little Rabbits and Mice.

Rabbits do many hundred dollars' of damage to orchardists, nurserymen and gardeners every year. In view of the damage they do it would seem better to offer a bounty for their destruction than to impose a fine for so doing. In winter where they are very numerous they kill many young trees every year. Older trees of eight inches in diameter and upwards are seldom disturbed unless the rabbits are closely

pressed for food. A good way to protect young fruit trees from injury by these pests is to procure sections of stovepipe, slit them lengthwise and pass them around the body of the tree. Secure the pipe to its natural shape by means of a strong string tied about it, and press the lower end an inch or two into the soil. This method is very effective, but might be found slightly expensive to the large orchardist who has several hundred trees to protect. To the farmer with only a dozen or two trees to give protection it is a cheap and conrenient method of keeping the rabbit

Remember that mice do almost as nuch damage per year as rabbits and If the slit in the pipe be close fitted after it is put around the tree, and the sipe pressed well into the soil, it will e just as impossible for mice to get to he tree as rabbits. Keep the orchard ree of hollow logs, tree tops, tail weeds or grass, rail or tile piles or any ther places where rabbits are apt to frequent, and get every one on the

### **ERADICATING PESTS DURING THE WINTER**

Elevated sites are desirable for

peach orchards, some of the oldest

The application of too much fresh

barnyard manure stimulates an un-

healthy growth of wood and leads to

the winter killing of many of the

A few mulberry trees set out around

the fruit orchard will divert the at-

tention of the birds and afford a wind-

Poultry and plum growing make a

nice combination for the small farmer

who wishes to make use of his poultry

The human eye is the great fruit

buyer and we must put our fruit up in

neat, attractive packages if we care to

obtain the best prices on the market.

The honest fruit grower who puts

up good fruit and gives honest sized

packages does not need to look up

break for the fruit trees.

peach trees are on the tops of hills.

Little Extra Work During Cold Weather Season Will Save Trees From Codling Moth.

During fall and winter, when the trees are bare, is a good time to rid all trees of the cocoons or nests of numerous insects. They are then easily discernible and may be removed from the branches or trunks of trees with little trouble. A little extra work during the winter will save many trees from destruction by the codling moth. It is the larvae or young of this insect that are responsible for our wormy apples. Even the work of removing the cocoons will not suffice, but it will help. The spring treatment is to spray with an arsenical poison, paris green or arsenate of lead, immediately after the petals fall, using three pounds of arsenate of lead to 50 galions of bordeaux mixture or of water. If paris green is used it should be at the rate of from six to eight ounces to each 50 gallons of spray. This spraying should be repeated in about ten days. Where the second brood of codling moth causes damage, a further spraying should be given, in latitudes about parallel with northern Indiana in the latter part of July, and la latitudes like southern Indiana about two weeks earlier. The first codling moth spraying given just after the petals fall, should be as thorough as it can possibly be made. Try to get some of the poison in the open calyx throat of every blossom on the

Timely Work. Now is a good time to clear out fence corners and burn the trash and brush found there.

### REMOVAL OF OLD STUMPS IS MADE EASY



The Modern Stump Puller.

To some sections of the north-central states the difficulty of restumps from "cut-over" lands has been, in the past, the chief drawhe land can be cleared more rapidly and at less cost is now coming into coneral use, and the removal of stumps from newly cut-over timber lands is accomplished cheaply and effectively by the use of modern stump-pulling

FAIL TO SUBSIDIZE THE COUNTRY EDITOR.

In waging a campaign for inthe country press on my side. wanted to get more kind words into the columns of the small newspapers and country weeklies because I realfred then, as I do now, the power of the country press and the great Value it possesses to present a claim for preference before the people of the community.

I outlined a plan to whip the country newspapers into line and arrange for them to carry my advertising matter as well as to persuade them to give me free reading notices and editorials, telling what a great help and comfort the mail order houses were to the people of the country.

It was nothing more nor less than bribery. I believed that I could get the editors of the country newspapers to be false to their home interests and foster ours, for a price. I had the money to pay them and I thought lots of dollars could do the work easily and readily.

I worked months over that campaign. I prepared an electrotyped advertisement in which I advised the use of the mail order medium and urged the readers of each newspaper to send into the big cities for the catalogue. I prepared sheets of "press notices" and editorials, with elaborate and plain instructions for their use. I was going to convert the people of the whole country to mail order

buying. I expected to spend thousands of dollars during the course of the next few years, but it would be worth it. of I obtained the results. I was after the people's dollars.

A strong form letter was prepared as the first step, this letter to be sent out to the editors of the country newspapers. From advertising agencies and from various other sources I compiled a list of something like 19,-000 newspapers, all of which were published in small towns. I was already fixed with the big daily newspapers. how or another fix it with the coun-

The letter read something like this:

Dear Sir-You are publishing a newspa business reasons - not for your

You find it difficult to obtain adequate support from the merchants in your town. They do not appreciate the value of your wepaper as an advertising medium.
We know that you are printing a live

newspaper in your community and that you are entitled to more support than you are receiving.

The postal laws, under which you enjoy the privileges of second class postage for mailing your newspaper, require you to accept all legitimate advertising offered

r your rates.
Enclosed please find a contract for ad-

vertising to the amount of...... dollars. Please sign it and return to us and we will forward electrotypes of adver-tisements to be run together with in-

In giving you this business it is but natural that we shall expect you to run, each week, the reading notices and editorials sent herewith.

Very truly yours,
BLANK ADVERTISING AGENCY.

Yes, it was a great scheme. I expacted to swamp the country with sugared editorials and splendid notices about the mail order business. I cheerfully anticipated that I would put the country merchants out of business. I even went so far as to figure out a plan for taking advantage of the conditions of business depression that would inevitably follow such a sweeping fall in values and considered the organization of some sort of a land trust to buy up the richest farms and most desirable town property in the communities where the poifcy would work out the quickest. I was becoming a multi-millionaire with-

But I experienced the most astonishing disappointment of my life. The plan, so well considered, so carefully planned, so craftily laid out, was an absolute fizzle.

Why? It was the perversity of the newspaper editor. He would not be bought, he would not be bribed, he would not be caloled or threatened.

In reading the preceding letter you have noted the "bunk" and the jollying, followed by the appeal to his business instincts and then the covert threat about the postal laws. Yes, the plan was well laid.

But who can delve into the soul of the man who will spend his days and nights in running a country newspaper in a community that will not give clipped syllables of the street. Haradequate support? Who can fathom the motives of a man who hustles all the time to boost his home town, but who has difficulty at times in collecting the subscriptions to his paper and who falls to obtain more than a grudging pittance in advertising from the

merchants in his town? I could not understand it. I be-Heved that every newspaper editor would be overloyed to receive real advertising copy and, of course, the

which to fill up his paper.

editors were wealthy and all their own automobiles. atlon, represed, invective

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They did not want the money. They were poor but proud. They would not be bribed. They would not print the fulsome and false boosts which I had forwarded with the contract to be signed. They would stand by their home town. They would be loyal to the community in which they lived. They would preserve their fealty to the local merchants. They would stand by their subscribers and would not prostitute the columns of their news papers to inveigle the people in their community to send their money to my mail order house.

I haven't recovered from my astonishment yet. To think that the poorest paid and hardest worked men in every community should decline a good business proposition out of sentiment. I couldn't understand it.

And even yet I maist that was the most chivalrous act, taken with perfect accord by thousands of men scattered all over the country, that I have known of. Honest and loyal to their home communities I could not fall to admire their disinterestedness while deploring that a great scheme had failed of accomplishment.

What was their recompense? Did the merchants in their home towns spring to the support of those newspapers as a reward for their declination to introduce competition. I don't Of Course It Docum't Often Happen, know. Ask the editor.

Of course, this plan failing it was necessary for my success to evolve a new plan. I must get into close touch with the people in the country. I had my appropriation of thousands of dollars, and more, so I worked out another plan.

I'm not going to tell you just what it was, but if you will remember that a few years ago there was a great flock of mail order journals flying all over the country-probably every reader of this article has received many copies, samples and otherwise you can guess what became of thousands of dollars.

Here's something that the business men in every small city should give a careful thought to. Perhaps you do not know it, and perhaps you never heard of it. I give the tale out of admiration for a good enemy, a good and a fair fighter. There is nothing in the story for me to be proud of, because I was the loser.

But you business men in the small towns were the gainers. It was worth millions of dollars to you. It is worth millions to you every year.

What did the newspaper editor get for this service to the business men of the community? Ask him.

If he had rendered a similar service for my mail order house he would have been handed a pocketful of advertising contracts that would have made his newspaper a very profitable business indeed. It would have been worth it.

What did the business men of his home town do for him after he had chased the mail order magazine competition away?

Ask the newspaper editor in your

Reforming a Chief. In "Among the Primitive Bakongo" Mr. John H. Weeks tells the story of a chief, Mampuya of Kinkuzu, who called on him at Wathen station to request that a teacher be sent to his town. He seemed a very quiet, gentlemanly sort of a man, says Mr. Weeks. and I was very much surprised to hear that he had not always been so

deferential and modest. Mampuya at one time treated the people of his town in very contemtuous fashion, and was always extorting. on one plea or another, fowls, goats, and other goods from them. At last they could bear his extortions no longer, and so they bound him securely. put him on a shelf in his own house. built a fire under him, and sprinkled a quantity of red pepper on it. Then they went out, and shut the door closely behind them. The pungent smoke filled the hut, and Mampuya sneezed tremendously. He would have died if there had been a little more pepper on the fire. At last they took him out of the smoke, and tied a stick across his chest to his extended arms with the intention of punishing him still further; but they let him off on payment of a fine and many promises of better behavior-which promises he has scrupulously kept.

Price of Democracy.

The price that Harold pays for democracy is in a slovenliness of speech which I find offensive and Emmeline finds utterly distracting. It seems a pity to have his school drill in phonetics and the memorizing of good literature vitiated by the slurred and old says, "It is me," and frequently he says, "It is nuttin'." The final g of the participle has virtually disappeared from his vocabulary. He sometimes says, "I ain't got nuttin'." While Emmeline is distracted I am merely offended, because I recall that there is a great body of linguistic authority growing up in favor of Harold's democratic practices in phonetics and grammar. When Harold says, "It is me," money to the amount of many dollars | Professor Lunsbury should worry. By each week, merely for printing the the time Harold grows up it will probably be good grammar to say, "I ain't lew paragraphs in the way of read- got nothing." By the time Harold ing notices and editorials, which I grows up, the Decalogue, in its latest ought he would like to have with recension, will read, "Thou shalt not have none other gods before I," and, And the answers. When! What a "Thou shalt not bear no false witness against some of thy neighbors."—
One would imagine from the an-Bimeon Stransky, in Atlantic.

Timenit! Pape's Diapepsin ends all Stomach misery in five

Do some foods you eat hit backtaste good, but work badly; ferment into stubborn lumps and cause a sick, sour, gassy stomach? Now, Mr. or Mrs. Dyspeptic, jot this down: Pape's Diapepsin digests everything, leaving nothing to sour and upset you. There never was anything so safely quick, so certainly effective. No difference how badly your stomach is disordered you will get happy relief in five minutes, but what pleases you most is that it strengthens and regulates your stomach so you can eat your favorite foods

without fear. You feel different as soon as "Pape's Diapepsin" comes in contact with the stomach-distress just vanishes-your stomaca gets sweet, no gases, no belching, no eructations of undigested food.

Go now, make the best investment you ever made by getting a large fiftycent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or bad stomach. Adv.

### MR. BUSBY AS A HUMORIST

But on This Occasion Ha Failed to Score.

Busby-I see th' Turks have been kicking up th' sand around the Suez canal.

Mrs. B. (faintly interested)-Some eligious ceremony? Busby-No-o-o! It's war. They're fighting. The report from Berlin says

they've licked th' British army to a

frazzle. It looks as if the canal would fall into th' Turks' hands. Mrs. B. (calmly)-I can't see what good it would do them.

Busby (leading up to his climax)-Why, they'd loot it.

Mrs. B. (innocently)-Of what? Busby (triumphantly)-Of the hardware. They'd take the locks, of course. Ha, ha, ha!"

A brief silence ensues. Mrs. Busby (sweetly)-But there are no locks in the Suez canal.

And it wasn't any consolation to Busby to remember that he had no

Something in This Name.

In New York a teacher found that little negro girl was named Fertilizer Johnson "Are you sure that Fertilizer is your

ight name?" she asked. "Yes, ma'am," replied the little girl "Well, tell your mother to come ere." said the teacher.

The mother came the next day. "Yes; Fertilizer is right," she said. You see, I named her after her father and mother both. Her father's name is Ferdinand and my name is Liza, so we called her Fertilizer."

Wonders of Science.

A French scientist says that the billions of cubic feet of heated gas that have been shot into the upper air since the first of August have been displaced by cold air from the north pole, thus causing the early freeze along the battle line. On the same theory it may be that the safe and sane Fourta of July crusade was to blame for cur hot summer.

No Fallure is Final. One of Napoleon's marshals is said to have approached him on the battlefield and exclaimed:

"General, I fear that the battle is Napoleon coolly looked at his watch

and replied

"Time for another battle. Summon the army to a fresh charge."

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His Own Fault "Sir, your daughter has promised to become my wife."

"Well, don't come to me for sympathy; you might know something would happen to you, hanging around here ave nights a week."—Houston Post.

Accounted For. "How do you like my new fence?" "I'd like it better if the pickets were an equal distance apart. What's the idea of building it like that?" "The only man I could get to build

She Kept Her Now.

it stuttered."

"Gladys vowed she would never live to be gray-haired." "She has kept her oath. I found her in a dyeing condition."

Her Age. Howard-How old can Miss Jones

Victor-Old enough to call college men "college boys."-Judge.

# GANADIAN LANDS

THE CANADIAN GOVERNMENT ASKING FOR INCREASED ACRE-AGE IN GRAIN, TO MEET EUROPEAN DEMAND.

There are a number of holders of land in Western Canada, diving in the United States, to whom the Canadian Government will shortly make an appeal to place the unoccupied areas they are holding under cultivation. The lands are highly productive, but in a state of idleness they are not giving any revenue beyond the unearned increment and are not of the benefit to Canada that these lands could easily be made. It is pointed out that the demand for grains for years to come will cause good prices for all that can be produced. Not only will the price of grains be affected, but also will that of cattle. hogs and horses, in fact, everything that can be grown on the farms. When placed under proper cultivation, not the kind that is often resorted to, which lessens yield and land values. many farms will pay for themselves in two or three years. Careful and intensive work is required, and if this is given in the way it is given to the high-priced lands of older settled countries, surprising results will fol-

There are those who are paying rent, who she 'd not be doing so. They would do better to purchase lands in Western Canada at the present low price at which they are being offered by land companies or private individuals. These have been held for the high prices that many would have realized, but for the war and the financial stringency. Now is the time to buy; or if it is preferred advantage might be taken of the offer of 160 acres of land free that is made by the Dominion Government. The man who owns his farm has a life of independence. Then again there are those who are renting who might wish to continue as renters. They have some means as well as sufficient outfit to begin in a new country where all the advantages are favourable. Many of the owners of unoccupied lands would be willing to lease them on reasonable terms. Then again, attention is drawn to the fact that Western Canada numbers amongst its most successful farmers, artisans, business men, lawyers, generation ago. The fact that a man sorts of bladder disorders. is not following a farming life today. does not preclude him from going on a Western Canada farm tomorrow, and making a success of it. If he is not in possession of Western Canada land that he can convert into a farm he should secure some, make it a farm by equipping it and working it himself. The man who has been holding his Western Canada land waiting for the profit he naturally expected has been justified in doing so. Its agricultural possibilities are certain and sure. If he has not realized immediately by making a sale, he should not worry. But to let it lie idle is not good business. By getting it placed under cultivation a greater profit will come to him. Have it cultivated by working it himself, or get some good representative to do it. Set about getting a purchaser, a renter or some one to operate on shares.

The department of the Dominion Government having charge of the Immigration, through Mr. W. D. Scott, Superintendent at Ottawa, Canada, is directing the attention of non-resident owners of Western Canada lands to the fact that money will be made out of farming these lands. The agents of the Department, located at different points in the States, are rendering assistance to this end.—Advertisement.

Ammunition Used in War.

How much ammunition does a modern army use? We shall not know until after the war what the German and the allied forces have been expending: but we know what the Germans used in 1870-71. The total for rifles was 30,000,000 cartridges, for field artillery 362,000 rounds. It is worth noting that battles are much less costly in ammunition than sieges. The siege of Strassburg alone cost, weight for weight, three times the amount of ammunition used in all the decisive battles and actions throughout the whole war. Of course these figures are a mere bagatelle comgle, with its millions of soldiers and its quick-firing guns and its week-long battles .- Manchester Guardian.

Not Ready. "Put on your helmet an' your red shirt, Silas, there's a big fire down the

"Shucks! I can't go. My shirt's in the washtub an' the old woman's out in the garden fillin' my helmet with a mess of beans."-Birmingham Age-

road a piece.

Probably the most convenient thing about a woman's figure is her ability to shift her waist line anywhere between her knees and shoulders.

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I Guarantee "Dodsons' Liver Tone" Will Give You the Best Liver and Bowel Cleansing You Ever Had-Doesn't Make You Sick!

Stop using calomel! It makes you spoonful and if it doesn't straig pated, listen to me!

which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel, when it comes into contact with sour bile crashes into it, breaking it cannot salivate or make you sick. it up. This is when you feel that awful nausea and cramping. If you feel "all knocked out," if your liver is torpid and bowels constipated or you have headache, disziness, coated tongue, if breath is bad or stomach sour just try a spoonful of harmless I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's

Dodson's Liver Tone. drug store or dealer and get a 50-cent your children. It is harmless; doesn't

sick. Don't lose a day's work. If you you right up and make you feel fine feel lazy, sluggish, bilious or consti- and vigorous I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dod-Calomel is mercury or quicksilver son's Liver Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it is real liver medicine; entirely vegetable, there

I guarantee that one spocaful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish lives to work and clean you bowels of that sour bile and constipated waste which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable. Liver Tone will keep your entire fam-Here's my guarantee Go to any ily feeling fine for months. Give it to bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone. Take a gripe and they like its pleasant taste



### WORMS.

SPOHN MEDICAL CO., Chemiets. Goeben, Ind., U. S. A.

Not a Misdemeanor.

Colonel Carter had been playing golf for but three months. Therefore, when the secretary of the club saw the colonel playing his ball several feet in front of the tee disks during a tourna- er. ment he thought the veteran soldier had forgotten the rules.

"Colonel! Colonel!" he exclaimed, "you must play from behind the tee disks!"

The colonel's face turned red, but he preserved his dignity.

"It's none of your business, sah," he answered as calmly as possible, "but this is my third stroke!"-Collier's les!" Weekly.

#### TAKE'SALTS TO FLUSH KIDNEYS IF BACK HURTS

Says Too Much Meat Forms Uric Acid Which Clogs the Kidneys and Irritates the Bladder.

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally. doctors and many other professions. else we have backache and dull misery Farming today is a profession. It is in the kidney region, severe headno longer accompanied by the drudg- sches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, ery that we were acquainted with a acid stomach, sleeplessness and all

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is harmless to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acids in the urine so it no longer trritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is harmless: inexpensive: makes a delightful effervescent lithiawater drink which everybody should take now and then to keep their kid-

nevs clean, thus avoiding serious com-A well-known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble

Quiet Louvain.

while it is only trouble.-Adv.

I had a look at the now much-talkedof Louvain, quite a pretty old place. with its magnificent hotel de ville crowded in by the impressive church in the center of the town, and its innumerable other old gray churches with long sloping roofs—the place a perfect nest of nuns and friars. The streets were lined with the high walls and closed windows of convent after convent, and huge clusters of monasteries were on the hills about the town many very newly built and modern LIVER PILLS never -and the town was seething with fail. Purely vegetablack-robed priests and brown bare ble - act surely footed monks and coped nuns. This was the great Roman Catholic center, where some of the monastic orders have their chief establishments. The library of the university, so ruthlessly destroyed, contained a priceless collection of church documents.-"A Glimpse of Belgium Before the War." Isabel Anderson, in National Maga

True to Type.

The Customer-These grand opera phonograph records are no good. I can't get anything out of half of them. achievement. You never can tell when these records will sing. They're so temperamental.-London Opinion.

A Gentle Hint.

He-Once for all, I demand to know who is master in this house? She-You'll be happier if you don't find out.-Philadelphia Ledger.

Lovers oft rush in where husbands fear to tread.

"Mamma," said Parties "Mamma," said land that, "Aunt Mary is getting awre... for isn't she?" "It isn't polite to say 'fat,' dear. You should say 'stout'," rejoined her moth-

At dinner that evening when she was asked what kind of meat she would like, Lauretta replied: "A little of the lean and a little of the stout, please."

The Shocks of Football. "How rough this sport of football is! What shocks of irresistible bod-

ble hair!" Many a school boy's life is made miserable by trying to learn the multi-

"Humph! What shocks of irresisti-

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New Mexico State Record Lauds Members of the State Legislature and Lambasts the Democrats of the National Administration

It has now come to pass in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and of our emancipation from the sovereignty of "Terrible Ted" the seventh thereof; the same being the third year after the banishment from the White House at Washington, of "Sunny Jim," whose chief claim to distinction consisted of the enormous girth of his paunch; that a new messiah has arisen at Santa Fe. The oracle of this personally discovered and all wise prophet at Santa Fe is the New Mexico State Record, a publication that holds to the belief of the total depravity of everything Democratic, and in the virgin purity of all thing that are "stand pat" Republican. This all knowing organ of Omnipotence has arrived at the mature age of sixteen weeks, of seven full days each, and from the profundity of its logic no appeal is posssible. Read some of its official utterances.

"Romero selected speaker of the house. The membership is of high order in the New Mexico legislature. Few old members in the house." Now, get a list of this membership and read it over. Does it not listen like the roll call of some company of South African natives? High grade membership only in that, like a bunch of sheep, they may be depended upon to blindly follow the leadership of their "bell weather." High grade membership State of New Mexico to Ellen W. Jones, J. W only in that their one confession of faith is that of the "Grand Old Party," to which they render an idolatrous, idiotic and fanatical homage, for revenue only. High grade membership is, in this instance, servility, ignorance, unpronounceable names, predilection to boodle in bills of one dollar denomination, unfamiliararity with the American tongue and a lack of all other virtues usually held to annum. be good by pale faced people.

Many people are trying to be cheerful under all the untoward circumstances. They are whistling to keep up their courage. First of all, they are hopeful that congress will compiete its work and get away from Washington to give the country a rest. If the 'New Freedom' must be endured-and there is, apparently, no escape from it for a while—the busi ness nan feels he would be safer without a Democratic congress being in session to vitalize new isms. The situation in Mexico is unsatisfactory. President Wilson's policy there has been anything but successful. No one can tell when there will be such a flagrant outbreak among warring factions that our treops must again march on Mexico City. New complications ere arising in other quarters, foreign and domestic, and there is gloom in Washington, generally, over the outlook.

The above rather elaborate tissue of falsehoods is a part of one of the front page articles of the Record, and a companion of the one which lauds our present Republican legislature. Has this organ of "stand pat" Republicanism forgotten that Mr. Wilson's policy toward Mexico is the identical policy of their former chief, Mr. Taft, he of the mighty girth? Surely this mountain of statesmanship was not in error when he ordered "hands off" in Mexico.

Again, how is it possible that this universal grouch against Mr. Wilson and the Democratic congress is known only to the Santa Fe prophet? The general public, apparently, is laboring under a delusion. If this public distrust is anything more tangible than a reflection of the hopes and prayers of the new messiah at the ancient town. then it has not become visible to the naked eye.

Is it possible that the Record, not content with laying the fault for the Mexican revolution at the door President Wilson, also desires to hold him and his Democratic friends directly responsible for the European war now in progress and for the downfall of the Belgian government? Why not, also, accuse him of having a hand in the blowing up of the Maine, or the Boxer uprising in China?

Speaking of financial matters, the depression of 1907 is not yet ancient history. At that time the markets of the world were not closed to American exports, neither was the country being drained of every foreign dollar invested here. It was, in fact, at a time when the nation should have been prosperous, yet, under the wise administration of "Teddy the Trustbuster" the trusts had multiplied so rapidly that ruin threatened. The banks paid out no money and clearing house checks were the only medium of exchange. These things occurred under a Republican administration and at a time when the whole world was at peace and prosperity promised well for all.

Why this continued falsifying of the facts? It lends no dignity to the Record, neither does it render it more drug store, on the 20th, 21st and valuable as a party organ. If you ever acquire any prom- 22d of each month, to treat disinence as a newspaper, it will not be through your ability to misrepresent, though your rise to distinction might well be the result of misrepresention. However, your efforts are not seriously embarrassing Mr. Wilson, or the administration at Washington.

#### HERR VON KLUCK

(NEW YORK HERALD)

It was three weeks ago, today? That first we heard the allies say, "Tomorrow morning you'll have learned, Herr von Kluck's right flank's been turned." Somehow the turning movement stuck; He didn't budge, did Herr von Kluck.

A few days later, word from Paris, Announced that two new corps would harass Von Kluck's right wing and, rank by rank, Maneuvre round and turn his flank. But these new corps had rotten luck; It's no dead cinch to turn von Kluck.

A week went by, when we were glad, To get a cable from Petrograd. It said, "Von Kluck's communication Was threatened with annihilation." But he stood pat, and passed the buck. He's got some flank, has Herr von Kluck.

And all last week our headlines whirled, With the various ways von Kluck was "hurled" Von Kluck's right wing was being pounded; Von Kluck's whole armay'd been surrounded; The hour for turning that flank had struck; But the flank's still there, and so's von Kluck.

So take your kaisers, and princes, and grafs, Your iron crosses, and general staffs, Your General Joffres, and Sir John Frenches; With all their men in the shelter trenches. I'll take for mine, that game old buck, Who won't be turned—ja! Her von Kluck.

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Dr. Swearingin's Dates

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we much more to their local harvest time. merchants than is generally realized, Secretary of State Antonio Locero, in a statement given out today, makes a plea to residents ing away for things we can get of New Mexico for the expendi- right here at home. ture of their money "at home." He says:

ing at all times and under any and never come back. and all circumstances. Mr. Stern 'The general public has forced or here, should be that person.

ty, by residents of our state?

midst, and, therefore, is not a tions were different. than the general public has any never have another chance at it. to his rescue and helps him to us do it."

on cultivating the habit of send- Ballow, deputy.

can get things cheaper by send- missioners and sat as a canvass-"In Albuquerque, a gentleman ing away for them than they can ing board for the purpose of cananswering to the name of Simon by buying them here. That may vassing the returns from the J Stern, who, impelled by the de- be true, although I am not pre- P. election held in the various sire, no doubt, to suggest some- pared to admit that it is. If our precincts of the county, on Monthing calculated to make times merchants cannot sell us some day, January 11, 1915, when the tank. Chas. Goodloe. good in New Mexico, advances things as cheap as we can buy following results were obtained. the proposition that business them outside of New Mexico, we, to-wit: men should cultivate the habit, the general public, in a measure, from now on, more than they are responsible for all of that. have in the past, to be as prompt We don't do by them as they do derson, constable. as possible in the matter of pay- by us. We expect too much 2. Edgar Savage, justice: Os ing their bills, at home, if they from them and then, if they car Anthony, constable. would set an example which they don't do as we want them to do, would insist upon others follow- we fly off in another direction stable.

seems to be so strongly of the the merchant to establish a deopinion that this sort of thing livery and credit system to do C. Evans, constable. would go a long ways toward any business at all, which keeps helping things along for better the poor fellow on a continuous M. Spencer, constable. times in New Mexice that he jump to make both ends meet. even proposes that if anybody is Some of his best customers quite N. A. Vaughter, constable. to be made to wait for his money frequently abuse one or both of the fellow wno lives outside of those privileges, and he, in order M. L. Rogers, constable. New Mexico, and not the credit- to save himself from ruin, sells something higher than he would "The suggestion of Mr. Stern is this were not so. To illustrate, has the right ring to it. But a customer living a mile away what about the thousands of doi- from the store, orders a five-cent lars that leave the state every loaf of bread about five minutes day of the year, for the pur- before dinner time and she must chase not only of fineries but have it sent immediately. The even of articles of first necessi- merchant complies in order not to lose a customer. A special This money goes and we messenger is sent with the loaf never see it again, and its de- of bread. The trip costs about parture means a loss not only to fifteen cents. To make back the the merchants but to the whole loss the business man must do commonwealth. We owe noth-something and his only alternaing to the outside merchant. He tive is to sell some goods a little hasn't a dollar invested in our higher than he would if condi-

bit interested in our material or "I am not pleading the cause even spiritual welfare. But we of the merchant. The merchants, do owe a great deal to the local as a rule, are well bale to take merchant. He helps us pay our care of themselves and of their taxes, helps to improve the com- business. My plea is for a sysmunity where he does business, tem, for an effort, so to speak. and when money is needed for a to keep our money at home. We public enterprise he is the first need it here. We need it to help person upon whom a demand is develop the resources, the latent made for a contribution. And, wealth of our state. The money if we stop to think, we will find we spend here, it makes no difthat a merchant seldom fails to ference with whom, remains respond, when such demands are among us and we still have anmade upon him. But that is not other chance at it. The money all our merchants do. They do a that is spent outside of the state great peal of charity work—more goes never to return. We will

idea. If a man with a family is "We cannot force people to out of work, through misfortune buy all they consume right here or otherwise, the merchant in at home. That is impossible and ninety-nine cases out of every I do not know that anybody is hundred, is the man who comes ever going to try to do it. All to his rescue and helps him until we can do is to appeal to the pathe is able to work. If the farmer riotism, to the home pride of our Herald Printing company. needs provisions to tide him over people, and if this thing is done. until he makes a crop, the mer- systematically, by our press and chant is the friend in ninety-nine by our business men generally, I C. W. Ison, work and recases out of a hundred who comes believe we will get results. Let

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county commissioners of Roose velt county, at a recessed session of the regular January, 1915, term thereof, held in the court Pointing out that communities keep the wolf from his door until house at Portales. New Mexico, Friday, January 15, 1915. Pres-"These things considered, I do ent, D. K. Smith, chairman pro K not believe we do the right thing tem, S.E. Johnson, commissioner, by our merchants when we keep C. P. Mitchell, clerk, by J. W.

**Commissioners Proceedings** Proceedings of the board of

After setting as a board of county commissioners the board "Some will argue that they rose as a board of county com-

Precinct 1. J. P. Henderson. justice of the peace; L. M. An-

3. S. A. Fry, justice; no con-

4. Moses Hawkins, Dug Cheek, constable. 5. J. W. Cowart, justice, I

9. A. M. Sanders, justice; J 10. · A. T. Cheshire, justice:

13. J. A. Newburn, justice;

14. J. W. Ross, justice; no constable. 15. G. W. Jones, justice; J M. Riley, constable.

16. E. P. Williams, justice: J. A. Matheson, constable. 18. Oliver Gore, justice; Hor-

ace Cowart, constable. 19. J. F. Cranford, R. L. Perry, constable.

20. M. A. Goldston, justice: L. G. Scott, constable. 22. J. N. Tibbett, justice: F.

P. Russell, constable. 25. W. W. Hensley, justice;

T. A. Higgins, constable. 27. N. B. Long, justice; J. N. Swain, constable.

There were no returns from the following precincts, to-wit: Nos. 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 23 and 28. Precincts Nos. 17, 21 and 26 reported no election. This board rose as a canvassing board and sat as a board of county commissioners, after which it was ordered that a recess be taken until tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

**SATURDAY**, JAN. 16, 1915 Court convened pursuant to recess of yesterday, present and presiding as then.

The following bills were examined and approved and the clerk was ordered to draw warrants in payment of same, to-wit: Herald Printing company,

printing assessor's no-Herald Printing company, printing treasurer's re-

port and cards..... 12 92 printing commissioner's proceedings 24 84 pairs on courthouse 38 35 judge of election ..... 5 90

W. O. Davis, registrar J. P. Nash, registrar and J. W. Dodd, election judge 2 00 R. A. Stoker, registrar 3 00 W. R. Shook, elec. clerk 2 00 J. W. Franse, registrar 3 00 James Stinson, elec. judge 2 00 Oliver Gore, registrar Chas. Goodloe, work and paint for court house\_\_\_\_

L. B. Tucker, court house D. A. Gordon, elec. clerk 2 00 No further business appearing at this time, it was ordered that court take a recess until the next Prompt and careful attention is

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FOR SALE-Good as new surrey, a bargain if taken at once. See G. L.

FOR SALE-Some nice choice shoats. See them at Boucher's wagon yard.

Horses and Automobiles to trade for land. See A. E. Siegner at Travelers Inn. 12-tf

BROOM CORN-Any one having small lots of broom corn bring it to the Portales Broom factory.

WANTED-All kinds of pultry. Pay the highest cash price. J. A. Saylor, at Saylor's Cafe. 12-tf

FOR SALE-Three colts; one coming two years old and two yearlings, good draft mare colts. See or address L. L. Brown, Portales, N.M. 4-5p

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### Dr. Marden's Uplift Talks

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"Some folks tries so hard ter be ppy in dis' worl' dey gits miserable in'. Happiness is allus whar you ain't lookin' fer it."

That they have not found happiness where they expected to find it has been the experience of every hu-man being who has made a specialty of hunting for it. Happiness is not gained that way. It is the product of a deed and not to be found by ng, as sportsmen hunt for wild

Real happiness is so simple that most people do not recognize it. It is derived from the simplest, the quietest, the most unpretentious things in the world.

It is difficult for many people who are honestly striving to make the most of themselves to see how they possibly get happiness out of monotonous, humdrum vocations to which they are chained by necessity or on account of those who are dependent upon them. These people would get a good lesson by tudying the bees, who, every minute during the day of the honey season, are finding sweets in every weed, in poisonous flowers, in things in which we would never think of looking for anything good.

If we are ever happy, it will be because we create happiness out of our environment with all its vexations. cares and disheartening conditions. He who does not learn to create his happiness as he goes along, out of the day's work, with all its trials, its antagonisms, its obstacles, with all its little annoyances, disappointments, your reputation has been injured so has missed the great life secret. It is out of this daily round of duties, out of the stress and strain and strife of life, the attrition of mind with Rub them off the slate of memory. the sweetness from all sorts of flow- your life and its effect upon those

An old farmer was once asked at a meeting of the Agricultural congress to give his opinion on the best slope of land for the raising of a particular kind of fruit: "It does not make so much difference," said the old man, "about the slope of the land as the slope of the man." Many a farmer who has the right slope makes a good living and gets a competence on very poor soil, while the farmer who does not slope the right way barely exists upon the richest

Happiness does not depend so much upon our being favorably environed as upon the slope of our mind.

Nothing contributes more to the highest success than the formation of a habit of seeing the bright side of things. Whatever your calling in life may be, whatever misfortunes or hardships may come to you, make up your mind resolutely that, come what may, you will get the most possible real enjoyment out of every day; that you will increase your capacity for enjoying life by trying to find the sunny side of every experience of the day. Resolutely determine that you will see the humorous side of things. No matter how hard or unyielding your environment may seem to be, there is a sunny side if you can only see it. . The mirth-provoking faculty, even under trying circumstances, is worth more to a young man or woman starting out in life than a fortune without it. Resolve that you will be an optimist; that there shall be nothing of the pessimist about you; that you will carry your own sunshine wherever you go. Thus you may make poetry out of the prosiest life, bring sunshine to the darkest home and develop beauty and grace amid the ugliest surround-

LET IT GO WITH THE OLD YEAR.

How many of us make our backs ache carrying useless, foolish burdens! We carry luggage and rubbish that are of no earthly use, but which sap our strength and keep us jaded and tired to no purpose. If we could only learn to hold on to the things worth while and drop the rubbish-let go the useless, the foolish, the silly, the things that hinder-we should not only make progress, but we should keep happy and harmonious as well.

One of the secrets of right living is letting that go which absorbs our energies and retards our progress. We should let our unfortunate past exriences drop into the world of oblivion. We should never recall a dis-agreeable memory or mistake unless It be to arm ourselves against falling into further errors. If the past torments and haunts you cut it off sharply as if with a knife. Do not allow its shadow to darken your present or rob your future of its possibilities. Profit by the lessons it has taught, but do not morbidly brood over them.

Do not hang on to the things that

keep you back, that make you up-happy. Let go of the worry, let go of the anxiety, let go of the scolding, ing, let go of critiiem, let go of fear, let go of anxious

ving, let go of the rubbish, the use-as, the foolish, the silly; let go of he shares, the shoddy, the false; let to of the straining to keep up appearances, let go of the superficial, let go of the vice that cripples, the false thinking that demoralizes, and you will be surprised to see how much lighter and freer and truer you are to run the race, and how much surer of

The American people do not know how to let go. We keep our muscles tense and our nerves up to such a pitch that it is the hardest thing in the world for us to drop things.

Why not resolve this coming year that whatever you do or do not do, you will not be haunted by skeletons, that you will not cherish shadows? Determine that you will have nothing to do with discords, that every one of them must get out of your mind. No matter how formidable or persistent, wipe them out. Forget them. Have nothing to do with them. Do not let the little enemies-worry and fear, anxiety and regret-sap your energy, for this is your capital for future achievement.

Whatever is disagreeable, whatever irritates, nags, destroys your balance of mind, forget it-thrust it out. It has nothing to do with you now. You have better use for your time than to waste it in regrets, in worry, in useless trifles. Make war upon despondency, if you are subject to it. Drive the "blues" out of your mind as you would a thief out of your house. Shut the door in the face of all your enemies and keep it shut. Do not wait for cheerfulness to come to you. Go after it; entertain it; never let

If you have had an unfortunate experience forget it. If you have made a fallure in your speech, your song, you book, your article; if you have been placed in an embarrassing position; if you have fallen and burt your self by a false step; if you have been slandered and abused, do not dwell upon it. There is not a single redeeming feature in these memories, and the presence of their ghosts will rob you of many a happy hour. If you have been indiscreet, imprudent; if that you fear you can never redeem it, do not drag the hideous shadows, the rattling skeletons about with you. mind, disposition with disposition- Forget them. Start with a clean slate out of this huckstering, buying and and spend all your energies in keeping illing world—that we must get the it clean for the future, and you will be ney of life, just as the bee sucks surprised at the transformation in

Lowest Note Fitted to Organ.

An organ stop which emits a note one full octave below any that has ever been heard before has been installed in an organ at Lowell, Mass. This stop is 128 feet long and its note is musically indicated as CCCCCC.

"To understand what this means," says the Scientific American, "it may be said that a 32-foot pipe vibrates 16 times a second at its lowest note (CCCC), and this is very near the point below which vibrations cease to form a continuous sound, while a 128foot pipe vibrates but four times a second when producing its lowest sound. It was found, however, that a group of pipes giving overtones could be arranged to produce, when sounded together, a synthetic tone, and by this means stops producing the effect of a 64-foot pipe have been built without requiring the use of a pipe of that length; and now in the same way this monster 128-foot stop has appeared, which is described as 'a mighty atmospheric throb of most awesome majesty.' Indeed, it would seem that its tones must be rather felt than heard."

Detecting Impurities in Honey.

Biological tests of money are described by J. Thoni in the Schweizerische Bienen-Zeitung. Such tests are necessary for detecting artificial or adulterated honey, when the natural product is almost perfectly imitated as to its physical and chemical properties.

Two tests are described in detailthe diastase reaction, based on the fact that honey contains a diastatic ferment secreted by the bee, which in contact with soluble starch, is capable of transforming the latter into sugar; and the precipitin reaction based on the fact that honey contains a special protein secreted by the bee which, when inoculated into rabbits causes the formation of antibodies in the blood serum. These antibodies when mixed with the honey under examination, yield a precipitate, and the quantity of this precipitate indicates the kind and amount of the adulteration.

Race Track on Salt.

What is undoubtedly the most novel motor race course in the world is found at Salduro, Utah, where natural salt beds furnish the roadway. The beds are on the line of the Western Pacific railroad and are 65 miles in length and eight miles in width, furnishing a smooth, unbroken surface, level as a table, and are from two to twenty feet in depth. The salt is crystalized, 98 per cent pure, and white as snow. The surface is hard and dry.-Kansas City Times.

Gray Horse's Handicap. The dark horses are the ones that go to the war. The only objection to the gray horse is that to keep his coat spick and span he needs twice as much grooming as a dark horse. Currying is not enough. He must have soap and water "no end," as an English groom would say.-Youth's ComSatin Coat of French Design



D making houses were caught in the that terminate in flat rosettes. maelstrom of the war, they had brought out many new modes that were successful upon their presentation, and had in them a vitality that makes them apparent now in the fashions of the hour.

Our coats and gowns and hats are rarely exact copies of the original models, but the original models are reflected in them. As Americans we see fit to follow certain Paris creations at a little or a great distance, according to their adaptability to our needs. The originals are beautiful, or, at least, interesting.

The coat pictured here is one of waist and flaring skirt, the fronts cut in one piece. Three cords are inserted near the bottom, giving the skirt its outward swing. The body is cut in one, with the sleeves and its ample it is joined to the skirt.

It is cleverly shaped in at the neck by means of cords inserted in shirrings. The neck and revers are finished with a narrow fringe of ostrich flues and malines, and the sleeves with rows of cording like that at the bot-

The coat is lined and interlined, and

DEFORE the great French dress- | Luished at the back with sash ends

Narrow borders of fur might be substituted for the ostrich feather fringe, and the sleeves and skirt bordered with wide bands of fur. Coats very similar to this in outline have been made of heavier materials and trimmed with fur.

The skirt appears only of moderate length because of the long waist line. But the garment is long, graceful, at-tractive and comfortable. And it is distinctly original and new in design.

Simple Blouses.

Attractively simple blouses for womthose that may be copied exactly to en who cannot stand fussy trimmings advantage. It is of satin with long are of daphne silk made with long sleeves, a little fullness at the shoulder seam to give soft lines over the bust, and a kimono finish around the neck and down the front edges-that is a flat facing on the outside which fullness at the back gathered in where forms a narrow upstanding collar band across the back of the neck. A blouse of this sort of dark green daphne slik over white has a kimono facing of black satin, and within this a facing of equal width of white satin. The blouse crosses in kimono fashion at plaiting of malines beaded with two the bust and a single snap fastener holds it in place. The rather severe neck finish is becoming because of the softness of the materials.

Dainty Morning Caps That Cost Little



▲ LTHOUGH there is nothing star- about the head. It is finished with caps, they continue to captivate the bon a half inch wide. feminine public and cause them to part with small sums of money. which offered more in the way of bright, well-known and well-loved ribbon flower, flowers

The two caps shown here are made of thin satin ribbon and shadow lace. The ribbon is about three inches form the cap. Wide flouncings of shadow lace cut into strips will provide a lace frill for one cap and the insertions in the crown of two. That is, a flouncing of ordinary width may be cut into five strips.

In the cap shown at the left two strips of ribbon join three of lace. to the frill at the front. making a square of 18 inches. The turned up in a narrow hem. A nar- Thin slik may be used, cut into strips, row side-plaiting of net is sewed instead of ribbon. There is economy is stitched on the under side along are made up in ell the light, beauti-the top edge of the net, to form ful colors pink, blue, lavender, rose, a casing. Flat elastic cord is run in green, etc. this casing, gathering the cap in

A tlingly new in morning and boudoir small flowers and loops of satin rib-A ribbon only two inches wide is

used for the second cap, cut into one Surely nothing was ever designed length of 23 inches and one of 15. The short length is drawn up, by gatherdaintiness and beauty in return for ing it along one edge, into a small cira little outlay than the gay caps of cular piece for the center of the cap. ribbon and lace which remind one of and finished at the center with a tiny

The lace strips are 31/2 inches wide. They are machine stitched to both edges of the longer strip of ribbon. This makes a wide band of ribbon wide, and one yard of it is used to and lace. The ends are sewed tojoin the strips of lace together, which gether, forming a circlet. The top edge of this is fulled in to the center already made, and stitched down, completing the cap.

Baby ribbon is threaded through the lace frill and ties in a bow at the back, adjusting the cap to the head. Three little ribbon flowers are sewed

All the materials for a cap of this corners are rounded off and the edge kind will cost less than fifty cents. about the edge, and a narrow bias tape in making two caps at one time. They

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

UP TO HIM.

"Oh, Geoffrey, I like you well enough "Well, if you love me, Geraldine ien't that suf-"No, dear! Years ago I took a

mn vow-"What was it, darling?" "That I never would marry-" "A yow of that kind is better broken

than kept! It isn't-" "You mustn't interrupt me. The vow I took was that I never would marry any but a handsome man!" "Great Scott! Am I so-" "And so, Geoffrey, dear, I have to

have to tell you, but-" "Go on! I can stand anything now." You'll have to shave off that dinky little tuft of hair on your chin!"

The Difficulty. "It is a wonder that the Germans did not find it easy to march into France."

"Why is it?" "Didn't they find their way paved with Belgian blocks?"

Same Object. "Why is a lynching party in the West the same thing practically as a band of art judges in the East?" "Why are they alike?" "Because they're both hanging committees."

SHE KNEW.



Mrs. Smith-The fire in my range always goes down. Mrs. Jones-Use a gasoline stove That'll likely go up.

No Perfect Men, However. There was a man in our town Who always knew just when to quit, But those he owed said with a frown He did not know when to remit.

"Do you believe opals are unlucky? "I know it. I bought a peach of an opal one time."

"And it brought you bad luck?" "Well, I offered it to a girl thinking she was superstitious, and she wasn't."

Fish That Bite. "You'd think," said he eagerly, "that fish would know better than to bite at those artificial baits."

"Oh, I don't know," she replied. "It isn't so long ago that you bought a their purposes-" lot of very pretty automobile stock."

Misleading. Sergeant-Halt! You can't go there. Private Murphy-Why not, sir? Sergeant-Because it's the general's

Private Murphy-Then, bedad, what are they doing with "Private" above

The Duffer's L'ament. Old Player-Well, how do you feel after your fir.t two-some at golf? Duffer-Feel? Huh! I started ahead of about forty two-somes and a half lozen four-somes, and I had so many people say, "Would you mind our going :hrough you?" that I feel 'ike a human

An Obliging Spirit. "I thought you were going to move into a more expensive apartment." "The landlord saved us the trouble," replied Mrs. Flimgilt. "He raised the rent of the one we have been occupy-

Wished He'd Been Forgotten. "Did your uncle remember you in his will?" "Yes; he directed his executors to collect the loans he had made me."

Very Unusual. "I can't understand why they apointed. Wombat on that board." "Why, he understands all about it." "And that's why I can't understand

the appointment."

/. Diplomat. "How do you like your new music

naster?" "He is a very nice, polite young man. When I made a mistake yester- all hands)—Ha! I am sorry for the day he said: 'Pray, mademoiselle, why poor sailors that were drowned. do you take I much pains to improve Old Lady-Sailors! It isn't the sailupon Beethoven?"-Paris Figaro.

Affaire du Coeur. "So Maud is married. Was it an Mair of the heart?" "Yes, she married a rich old man whose heart, she was told, might give put at any moment."

QUEER.



-What's the excitement? Dills-Man run run down by an auto, and they can't find anything to carry him on.

Gills-H'm. With all those rubbers it should be no trouble to find a stretcher. Slim Fare.

An optimist, methinks, is one Who hums a little tune, E'en though he goes when work is do To dine upon a prune. His System.

"You seem to have no trouble in finding your way about the intricate streets of Boston." "That is true. I must, however, ad-

mit that my system is purely guesswork." "What do you mean by guesswork?" "I always go in the opposite direc-

tion from what I think is right."

The Lazy Rascal. Tired Employee-Is it true, boss, that a penny saved is a penny earned? Busy Boss-Sure, it is true!

"Then I guess I'll knock off for today. I just earned \$2,000 for the firm by refusing to buy a motor truck a fellow wanted to sell the house."

If Truth Were Told. "Why do you want to earn such a wife will ever need?" "So that I can have enough to keep

my children from learning to do anything to help themselves if ever they should need to."

How It Started. Ninnycus-Wonder who originated that saying, "Busy as a hen with one chicken?"

Cynicus Somebody, probably, who had observed the activity of a hen with one chicken just ready for the matrimonial market.-Judge.

Immune. "I understand your Canadian hunting party had a disastrous time." "Yep. I was the only one that es-

caped injury." "How did that happen?" "Why, I missed the train when the party started."

Celebrating.

"If the czar and his Russian armies are really victorious and carry out

"I'll bet they go to Berlin on the

What He Got. Farmer A.-How much did you get for yer 'taters? Farmer B .- Wall, I didn't get as much as I expected, and I dfdn't calc'late I would.

NO KICK COMING.



Dinks-Don't you find it pretty expensive to keep up that big touring

Winks-Yes, I do. But I'm not grumbling. You see, Helen agreed to give up playing bridge at the Skinflint's if I'd buy the car. Oh! I'm saving money all right.

Drowning No Bother to Them. Old Gentleman (who had just fin ished reading an account of a shipwreck with loss of passengers and ors-it's the passengers I am sorry for. The sallors are used to it.

Domestic Discord. "My husband used to call me his "And now?"

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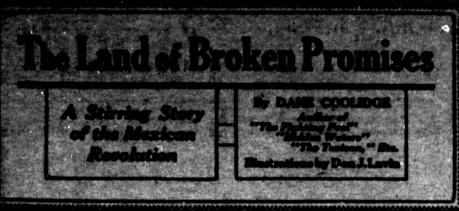
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CHAPTER XIX-Continued

ly, listened long to the of the border and of the rurales' id on their camp, and retired to the the night. Even Bud never and not even the most invitation could make him here the house for a night. To Amigo, is to an animal, a house was a trap; and he know that the times were

So indeed they were, as Hooker was learn to his sorrow, and but for the ut and his murderous knife he sht easily have learned it too late. It was evening, after a rainless day, and Bud was sooking by the open fire, when suddenly Amigo vanished and four men rode in from above. They were armed with rifles, as befitted the pravado, and after a few words Bud in ited them to get down and eat.

very one who stopped, regardless of their merit; and once more the Mexiurply, for his refusal did not augur well, and it struck him the pan's face was familiar. He was tall for a Mexican and heavily built, but with a rather sinister cast of counts-

"Where have I seen you before! asked Bud, after trying in vain to less him. "In Fortune?" No. senor," answered the Mexican ditely. "I have never been in that

ofty. Is it far?" "Ten miles by the trail," responded Hooker, by no means reassured, and under protext of inviting them to eat, he took a look at the other men. If they had not stopped to eat, what then was their errand while the sun was sinking so low? And why this sullen refusal of the coffee which every Mexican drinks?

Bud stepped into the house, as if o ome errand, and watched them unseen from the interior. Seeing them exchange glances then, he leaned his ide just inside the door and went bout his cooking. .

It was one of the ol living out in the brush, but he had some to know this low-browed type of mi-bandit all too well and had small ct for their courage. In case of rouble Amigo was close by in the rocks somewhere, probably with his gun in his hand-but with a little palence and circumspection the unwel-

So be thought, but instead they lin gered, and when supper was cooked he decided to go to a show-down-and if they again refused to eat he would and them on their way.

"Ven amigos," he said, spreading out the tin plates for them. "Come and

The three low-brows glared at their leader, who had done what little talkthe there was so far, and, seized with liberate aim- and once more his rifle sudden animation, he immediately snapped. Then, as the other Mexirose to his feet.

a cringing and specious politeness. whang of a Mauser rent the air and "We have come far and the trail is the leader crumpled down in a heap." hard for poor men now-this traitor, from up the canyon and, as the two Madere, has made us all hungry. It is Mexicans started and stared, Amigo the master.

by him that we poor working men are came dashing in upon them, a spitting As man to man, Aragon would not driven to insurrection—but we know pistol in one hand and his terrible that the Americans are our friends. "wood-chopping" knife brandished Yes, senor, I will take some of your high in the other.

Mexican people. This man has be-trayed us all; he has ruined the coun-

He ran on in this style, after the fashion of the revoltosos, and by the Bud was thrown completely off his guard. That was the way they all talked, these worthless bandit-beggare -that and telling how they loved the Americance and then, if they got a chance, they would stick a knife in

He listened to the big-man with polite toleration, being careful not to turn his back, and ate a few bites as he waited, but though it was coming dusk the Mexicans were in no hurry to depart. Perhaps they hoped to stop for the night and get him in his sleep. Still they lingured on, the leader att-ting on a log and continuing his

Then, in the middle of a sentence and while Bud was bending over the are, the Mexican stopped short and leaned to one side. A tense silence fell, and Hooker was waked from his trance by the warning click of a gunlock. Suddenly his mind came back to his guests, and he ducked like i lash, but even as he went down he heard the hammer clack!

The gun had shapped! Instantly Hooker's hand leaned pistol and he fired from the hip pointhlank at the would-be murgerer.
With a yell to the others, one of the blank at the would-be murderer. Mexicans sprang on him from behind and tried to bear him down. They struggled for a moment while Bud shot blindly with his pistol and went down fighting.

Bud was a glant compared to the stunted Mexicans, and he threw them about like dogs that hang on to a bear. With a man in each hand he rose to his feet, crushing them down beneath him; then, in despair of shaking off his rider, he staggered a few steps the fire.

A yell of agony followed their fall "Muchas gracies, senor," said the and, as the live coals bit through the minst a log, "we are not hungry."

A yell of agony followed their fall and, as the live coals bit through the Mexican's thin shirt, he fought like a cat to get free. Rocks, note and ketcat to get free. Rocks, pots and ket-"Then have some coffee," invited the were kicked in every direction, coker, who made it a point to feed and when Hooker leaned to his feet and when Hooker leaped to his feet the Mexican scrambled up and rushed madly for the creek.

But, though Bud was free, the bal tle had turned against him, for in the brief interval of his fight the other two Mexicans had run for their guns. The instant he rose they covered him. Their chief, who by some miracle had escaped Bud's shot, gave a shout for



Threw Them About Like Dogs That Hang Onto a Bear.

them to halt. Cheated of his victim at the first he was claiming the right to

As Hooker stood blinded by the smoke and ashes the fellow took decans stood agape, surprised at the Many thanks, senor," he said with failure of the shot, the cannonlike

ng, so we will eat. The times are An instant later a shrill yell rose

In the duck his eyes and teeth He filled a plate as he spoke and gleamed white, his black hair seemed he had acknowledged more surely tifted a biscuit from the over, con-tinuing with his false patter while the others fell to in silence.

To bristle with fury, and the glint of his long knife made a light as he vanited over the last rock and went he expected to find all dead and still. "Perhaps you have heard, senor," he went on, "the saying which is in the first glance at this huge, pursuing figure, the two Mexicans had turned and himself face to face with the very man he had sought to hay frijoles, viva Madero! [Much boited like rabbits, and now, as the work, little money; no beans, long Yaqui whirled in after them, Bud could occurred to his men? hear them squealing and scrambling Perhaps, in his ign

at set about cleaning up camp.
After he had washed the ashes fro

body of the chief of the desperadoes. Even in death his face seemed strangely familiar; but as Hooker stood gasing at him the Yaqui picked up his

bullet-splash where, as the Mexican pistol shot had fiattened harm against the lock. It was that which had saved the Mexican chief from in family about him in the city and lives stant death, and the jar of the shot had doubtless broken the rifle and saved Bud, in turn, from the second

All this was in the Yaqui's eye as he carefully tested the action; but, when he threw down the lever, a cartridge rose up from the magazine and glided smoothly into the breech. With a rifle full of cartridges the ignorant Mexican had been snapping on an empty chamber, not knowing enough to jack up a

For a moment Amigo stared at the gun and the man, and his mouth drew down with contempt.

"Ha! Pendejo!" he grunted, and kicked the corpse with his foot.

But if the Mexican had been a fool he had paid the price, for the second time he snapped his gun Amico had shot him through and through.

CHAPTER XX

In a country where witnesses to crime are imprisoned along with the principals and kept more or less indefinitely in jail, a man thinks twice before he reports to the police.

With four dead Mexicans to the Yaqui's account, and Del Rey in charge of the district, Hooker followed his second thought—he said nothing, and took his chances on being arrest ed for murder. Until far into the night Amigo busied himself along the hillside, and when the sun rose not a sign remained to tell the story of the fight. Mon, horses, saddles and guns-all

little food in a sack, Amigo disapse of return.

The sun rose round and hot, the clouds, which lashed back with the ac-customed rain; and when all the earth "Ah, there has been a real war. was washed clean and fresh the last trace of the struggle was gone. Only by the burns on his hands was Hooker aware of the fight and of the treachery which had reared its head against him like a snake which has been warmed

Nowhere but in Mexico, where the low pelado classes have made such deeds a subtlety, could the man be found to dissimulate like that false assassin-in-chief. To pause suddenly in a protracted speech, swing over and pick up a gun, and halt his victim for the shooting by the preparatory click of the lock—that indeed called for a brand of cunning rarely found in the

United States. There was one thing about the affair had failed to load his gun? Twice, and with everything in his favor, he had friend! raised his rifle to fire; and both times it had enapped in his hands. Certainly accustomed to single-shot guns.

The reputed magic of the swift-firing rifles evidently had been his undoing, but where had he got his new gun? And who was he, anyway? With those two baffing questions Bud wreetled as he sat beside his door, and at evening his answer came.

The sun was swinging low and he was collecting wood down the gulch for a fire when, with a sudden thud of hoofs, a horseman rounded the point and came abruptly to a halt. It was Aragon, and he was spying on the camp.

For a full minute he scanned the house, tent and mine with a look so snaky and sinister that Bud could read his heart like a book. Here was the man who had sent the assassins, and be had come to view their work!

Very slowly Bud's hand crept toward his six-shooter but, slight as was the motion, Aragon caught it and sat frozen in his place. Then, with an inarticulate cry, he fell flat on his horse's neck and went spurring out of sight.

The answer to Bud's questions was very easy now. The Mexican who had led the attempt on his life was one of Aragon's bad men, one of the four gunmen whom Hooker had looked over so carefully when they came to drive him from the mine, and Aragon had fitted him out with new arms to make the result more sure. But with that question answered there came up another and another until, in a sudden clarity of vision, Bud saw through the hellish plot and beheld himself

dare to face him now, for he knew that he merited death. By his sly approach, by the look in his eyes and the dismay of his frenzied retreat,

high card, and he was not slow to act. In the murping he saddled Copy Bottom, who had been confined to corral for weeks, and went gallop when the fury had van-into town. There he lingered about the lotel until he saw his man an meent and gased at the started boldly toward him. Surpris slarm and stitful fear chased the selves across Aragon's face as he stood, but Bud walked proudly by.

"Good morping, senor!" was all Bud said, but the look in his eyes was purpose in battle."
sloquent of z grim hereafter. "Well, I guess yes!" responded Bud And instead of hurrying back to ruard his precious mine Hooker tered carelesty about town. His



The Artiflery Drove Them Back

Aragon dared not raise a hand. So he est himself down on the broad verands and listened with boyish interest to Don Juan's account of the war.

"What, have you not heard of the battle?" cried portly Don Juan, delighthad disappeared. And, after packing a led to have a fresh listener. "Agua Negra has been taken and retaken, peared also, with a grim smile in prom- and the railroad will soon be repaired. My gracious! have you been out in the hills that long? Why, it was two same as usual; the south wind came weeks ago that the rebels captured up and blew into a bellying mass of the town by a coup, and eight days

"Ah, there has been a real war, courage of the Mexicans, what do you think of Bernardo Bravo and his men? They captured the last up train from Fortuna; loaded all the men into the ore care and empty coaches; and, while the federals were still in their barracks, the train ran clear into the station and took the town by storm.

"And eight days later, at sundown, the federals took it back. Ah, there was awful slaughter averted, senor! But for the fact that the fuse went out two hundred Yaqui Indians who led the charge would have been blown into eternity.

"Yes, so great was the charge of dynamite that the rebels had laid in their mine that not a house in Agua that vaguely haunted Hooker-why Negra would have been left standing was it that a man so cunning as that if the fuse had done its work. Two tons of dynamite! Think of that, my

"But these rebels were as ignorant of its power as they were of laying he must have been inept at arms or a train. The Yaquis walked into the town at sundown and found it deserted-every man, woman and child had fied to Gadsden and the rebels had fled to the west. "But listen, here was the way it

> happened-actually, and not as common report has it, for the country is all in an uproar and the real facts were never known. When Bernardo Brave captured the town of Agua Negra the people acclaimed his a hero. "He sent word to the junta at El Paso and set up a new form of government. All was enthusiasm, and several Americans joined his ranks to operate the machine guns and cannon. As for the federals, they occupied the country to the east and attempted a few sallies, but as they had nothing but their rifles, the artillery drove them back.

"Then, as the battle ceased, the rebels began to celebrate their victory. They broke into the closed cantinas, disobeying their officers and beginning the loot of the town, and while half of their number were drunk the federals, being informed of their condition, suddenly advanced upon them, with the Yaquis far in the lead. "They did not shoot, those Yaquis;

but, dragging their guns behind them, they crept up through the bushes and dug pits quite close to the lines. Then, when the rebels discovered them and manned their guns, the Yaquis shot down the gunners. "Growing bolder, they crept farther

to the front—the rebels became disorganized, their men became mutinousand at last, when they saw they would surely be taken, the leaders buried two tons of dynamite in the trenches by the bull-ring and set a time-fuse. to explode when the Yaquis arrived. "The word spread through the town

like wildfire all the people, all the soldiers fied every which way to escape—and thon, when the worst was failed to explode and the Yaquis Record. rushed the trenches at sundown." "Did those Yaquis know about the dynamite?" inuired Bud.

"Know?" repeated Don Juan, waving the thought away; "not a word! Their will make a business of it.—Benjamis commanders kept it from them, even Franklin.

this morning on a velocipede and said that the Yaquis are insufferable, think-ing that it was their renown as fightthat drove all the soldiers from town "However, Agua Negra is once more in the hands of the government; the

track is clear and most of the bridges repaired; so why quarrel with the Yaquis? While they are, of course, nothing but Indians, they serve their

warmly. "Berve their purpose, sh! Where were these Mexican soldiers and them Spanish officers when the Yaquis were taking the town? And that was just like a dog-goned Mexican setting that time-fuse and then not having it go off. More'n likely the poor yap that fired it was so scairt he couldn't hold a match-probably never lit it, jest dropped the match and run. They're s bum bunch, if you want to know what I think. I'd rather have a Yaqui than a hundred

"A hundred of whom?" inquired cool voice behind him, and looking up Hooker saw the beautiful Gracia gasing out at him through the screen

"A hundred Mexicans!" he repeated. and Gracia murmured "Oh!" and was "Miss Aragon is very loyal to her country," observed Don Juan, but

Hooker only grunted. Somehow, since those four Mexicans had come to his camp, he had soured on everything south of the line; and even the charming Gracia could not make him take back his words. If she had intended the remark as a challenge a subtle invitation to follow her and defend his faith-she failed for once of her purpose, for if there was any particular man in Mexico that Bud hated more than another it was her false-hearted father.

Hooker had, in fact, thought more seriously of making her a half-orphan than of winning her good-will, and be lingered about the hotel, not to make love to the daughter, but to strike terror to Aragon.

The company being good, and train being expected soon. Bud stayed over another day. In the morning, when he came down for breakfast, he found that Aragon had fled before him. With his wife, daughter and retinue, he had moved suddenly back to his home. Hooker grinned when Don Juan told him the news.

"Well, why not?" he asked, chuckling maliciously. "Here it's the midgoing on all summer and nary a rebel in sight. Where's that big fight you was telling about—the battle of Fortuna? You've made a regular fortune out of these refugees, Brachamonte, but I fail to see the enemy." "Ah, you may laugh," shrugged the

hotel-keeper, "but wait! The time will come. The rebels are lost now-some day, when you least expect it, they will come upon us and then, believe me, my guests will be glad they are here. What is a few weeks' bill compared to being held for ransom? Look at that rich Senor Luna, who was here for a time in the spring. Against my advice he hurried home and now he is paying the price. Ten thousand pesos it cost to save his wife and family, and for himself and son his friends advanced ten thousand more. make no evil prophecies, but it would be better for our friend if he staved on at my poor hotel."

"Whose friend?" inquired Bud bluffly, but Don Juan etruck him upon the back with elephantine playfulness and hurried off to his duties.

until he got his mail and a copy of the Sunday paper and then, well satisfied that the times were quiet and wars a thing of the past, he ambled back to the Eagle Tail and settled down for a rest.

Flat on his back by the doorway he lay on his bed and smoked, reading Mr. Tumulty immediately launched his way through the lurid supplement and watching the trail with one eye. Since the fight with Aragon's Mexicans all his apprehensions had left him. He had written briefly to Phil and Kruger, and now he was holding the fort

It had been a close shave, but he had escaped the cowardly assassins and had Aragon in his power. Not by any force of law, but by the force of fear and the gnawing weakness of Ara-

gon's own evil conscience. Aragon was afraid of what he had done, but it was the suspense which rendered him so pitiable. On a day he had sent four armed Mexicans to kill this Texan-not one had returned and the Texan regarded him sneeringly. This it was that broke the Spaniard's will, for he knew not what to think. But as for Bud, he lay on his back by the doorway and laughed at the funny page.

As he sprawled there at his reading, Amigo came in from the hills, and he. too, was content to relax. Gravely scanning the colored sheet, his dark face lighted up.

It was all very peaceful and pleasant, but it was not destined to last (TO BE CONTINUED.)

Wigg-"Young Bjones thinks he is born leader." Wagg-"Oh, many a fellow who thinks he was born to command marries a woman who was expected to happen, the dynamite born to countermand."-Philadelphia

> to in All Mon's Power. It is prodicious the quantity of good that may be done by one man if he

vou sieen.

Get a 10-cent box.

Sick Kendache, billousness, dir ness, coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath—always trace them to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Polsonous matter clogged in the in testines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret to-night will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep-a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months, Adv.

His Frame of Mind.

The horse had run away and was tangled up in the wire fence at the side of the muddy road. Its half-wit-'ed owner had kicked and sworn and tried to lift the animal until he was out of sorts and covered with mud.

A well-groomed man came along took in the situation, and suggested: "Spring the fence back, then he can get his feet free."

The owner of the horse did as he was told. "Now give him a cut with the whip and ho'll get up himself."

This the owner did. Then he looked at the horse, up and ready for travel, looked at himself covered with mud and looked at the immaculate gentleman in the road. Wrath filled his

"Well," he grumbled, "thank you just as much as if you'd helped me."

### FALLING HAIR MEANS DANDRUFF IS ACTIVE

Save Your Hair! Get a 25 Cent Bottle of Danderine Right Now-Also Stope Itching Scalp.

Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy hair is mute evidence of a neglected scalp; of dandruff-that awful scurf. There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robe the hair of its luster, its strength and its very life; eventually producing a feverishness and itching of the scalp, which If not remedied causes the hair roots to shrink loosen and die-then the hair falls out fast. A little Dunderine tonight-now-any time-will surely

save your hair. Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, luster and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance; an incomparable gloss and softness, but what will please you most will be after just a few weeks' use, when you will actually see a lot of fine, downy hair new As for Hooker, he tarried in town hair-growing all over the scalp. Adv.

> Mark of 100 for "Sammy." "Sammy" April, the small boy who supplies President Wilson with newspapers, called on Secretary Tumulty and asked him what he thought of Mr. Wilson's message to congress. into a laudatory discussion of the subject. When he had talked a few minutes, he paused and asked: "But why do you ask, Sammy?"

"I have to write a composition on it in school tomorrow," replied the boy, "and I thought I would come to beadquarters for the information."

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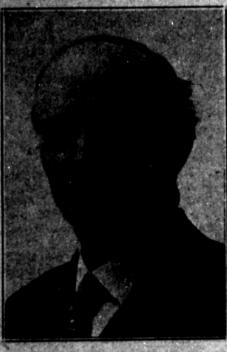
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Politeness is all right to a certain extent, but some people overto it

to grow in inne have been reported Following is a clipping cial Appeal, of

ssee, regarding

ist McIntosh: Roy, William Mitchell McIntrah, the evangelist, was born in Lee county, Alabama, December 28, 1868. His father was a thrifty Scotch farmer, and his mother of Irish descent. He entered the



W. M. McINTOSH, Evangelist

ministry at the age of 20. He received his primary education in his rative state. He entered Emory College in 1882 and gradnated therefrom in 1886, receiving his degree of 'A. B.' and a number of medals. He was poor and worked his way through the four years of his college course, but he had a firm friend in Bishop Hoggood, who always believed in the future of the young, struggling preacher. He has filled a week have been: Mesdames Kohl. number of leading places as pastor, and was president of Grenada Hough, Deen and Stone. Female College, and Woman's College at Oxford, Mississippi, of stature, but with a strong afternoon from four to six. An sent the oil gas burner. See demonstration and a big heart. He is elaborate two two course lunch-stration in Portales this. Address M. for years. Dr. McIntosh is small the school faculty on last Friday brain and a big heart. He is elaborate two two course lunchchuck full of nervous energy and eon was served. The affair was and untiring worker. He has very enjoyable and the faculty proven a success in every work in which he has engaged. Over time during the school year.

FOR SALE—Registered Jersey bull, two good milch cows, two heifer year-lings, 24 head of shoats, one Charter Oak range and household goods. W. E. Brown, Portales, N. M. 8-tf 30,000 people have been converted in his meetings within the last eighteen years."

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L. J. ANDERSON, Singer

ity for years to come, only the great day of judg-t will reveal all the good that coming here has done.

Anderson, the singer

co-operation of the singers f the different choirs of the city. Mr. Anderson is using the Billie Sunday song book, "Great Revival Hymns." Hours of service, 10 a. m. and 6:45 p. m.

A supply of utensils for the domestic science class, has been installed in the lower hall and work J. B. Sledge in the culinary line began this

The High School debating club organized last week with the fol lowing officers: President, Lee Langston; vice president, Professor Timmons; second vice president, Elmer Walker; secretary, Dickbreder; assistant secretary, Lucy Culberson. Regular meetings are held on Monday and Thursday of each week.

Rev. W. M. McIntosh and Professor L. J. Anderson were visitors at the school Monday morning and gave some talks.

Mid-term examinations are be ing enjoyed (?) by the pupils this week.

Work has begun upon the Annual. Officers were elected on Tuesday morning.

J. F. Jones visited the school Wednesday and gave a talk on

been assigned to members of the Senior class for the graduation exercises: Class oration, Lee Langston; class poem, Willye L. L. Brown, Portales, N.M. Warnica; class reading, Edith Reagan; class musician, Willie pay the cash for chickens, turkeys, Ferguson; class essay, Eunice Honea; class declaration Honea; class musician, Willie pay the cash for chickens, turkeys, eggs, beef hides and all country produce. Bring your stuff to me. Curd's Honea; class declamation, Herbert Yates; class will, Helen Lindsey; class prophesy, Bessie

The visitors during the past McCall, Strickland, Johnson, Dr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Merrill entertained the High school teachers at a dinner on January 11th. Those present were Professor and Mrs. Long, the Misser Grinstead and Haynes and Professors Bieler and Timmons.

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Horses and Automobiles to trade for land. See A. E. Sieg-

ner at Travelers Inn. BROOM CORN—Any one having small lots of broom corn bring it to the Portales Broom factory. 6-tf

WANTED-All kinds of pultry. Pay The following subjects have the highest cash price. J. A. Se at Saylor's Cafe. 12-tf

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Professor and Mr. J. S. Long cattle and three head of Jersey cattle and three head of horses. Good terms. For particulars see John W. George.

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