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### Lawyer Hughes Appears to be Having Considerable Trouble in Finding a Reasonable Excuse for His Candidacy

#### **Good Corn and Other Crops**

A representative of the News There will be many other things made a visit to the country home at The State Live Stock and Proof John A. Fairly Wednesday ducts Exposition to be held at evening of this week and found Roswell September 18 to 23 bemany things that surprised him. sides products and live stock. As a general proposition Mr. These features will be bigger Fairly is busy most of the time than ever before, but the fair will with his insurance business and, also have more amusements than while considerable talk has been ever before. A. D. Crile manheard about the splendid condi- ager of the fair, realizes that betion of the crop on his forty acre cause the interest is so much farm, the News man had not greater than ever before and the paid much attention to it, believ-crowds so much larger it will be ing that it would not have been necessary to provide more amusepossible for him to have devoted ments. much attention to it. However, This year there will be a big it did not take long to be con-frolic staged on the down town vinced. The first place visited streets each night by the Elks of was a seven acre patch of corn Roswell. This will consist of that sure did look good to dozens of amusing features and "Benny." This place has been the electrical display alone will irrigated four times and the be worth going a long way to see. stalks are almost as tall as trees, Each day's program at the fair and most of them bearing two will contain in addition to the large ears of grain. It showed races a number of novelty events. good attention and cultivation. Although the races themselves Mr. Fairly stated that his boys were the best in the southwest had sold right at two hundred last year, C. J. Franks superindollars worth of roasting ears tendent of this department is defrom this patch and yet one can termined to make them better not find where the ears were this year. And he is receiving pulled. A conservative estimate much encouragement from the would be seventy-five bushels owners of good horses all over per acre for this patch.' He also the country. has another ten acres that is al- The live stock departments most as good as this. Among will not only be larger than ever the other crops he had an acre of before but the competition will peas, five acres of oats, four be keener in every class. Nearly acres of alfalfa and another \$2500 has been offered in premiseven acres of corn. This fall he ums in the live stock and products expects to put in a much larger department and the growers of acreage of alfalfa with a mother southeastern New Mexico are de-Fairly has demonstrated this good way to get to the buyers, year that corn and other crops, and many exhibitors will be at can be irrigated with profit. shown before. Take, for instance, his seven! acre patch of corn. He has watthan have been repaid for his ness, is in the city for a few days. time and expense, but there is Wiley has about two thousand no question but what he has extra good steers at the Keen more than doubled his crop by what can be done on a small irriag reat number of warm personal gated farm when the owner is friends who are always glad to

#### Frank Wilson Moves to Ranch

and when he really tries. It will

pay you to go out to his place,

adjoining the town on the west,

and take a look for yourself.

thousand heifers that are of exceptionally good quality. There piness. ment of this ranch.

Professor Frank H.H. Roberts, ity will so amply justify. of the Las Vegas normal, was in the city the latter part of last Messrs. T. A. Jean and W. L. week in attendance upon the Kane, both of Melvin, Texas, are county normal. He informed the in Portales this week the guests News man that he had been au- of Jim Crawford. These gentle-Culberson a hundred dollars a pleasure and are looking for a lomonth position at Capitan, this cation. They appear to be well state.

Professor Sam J. Stinnett and family returned Thursday from Dr. Miller, surgeon in charge

chant of Rogers, left Sunday for arrived Thursday to look after the St. Joseph, Missouri, mar-some property he owns in the kets. Mr. Anderson expects to vicinity of this place. He had

#### State Live Stock Show

#### Wiley Franklin Here

#### Southard-Vinson Marriage

Oldham ranch, about fifty miles ties are both well known in the

is plenty of good water and the Dr. D. B. Williams, whose pro- start? grass is fine, also the improve- fessional card appears in this ments are much better than the issue of the News, has located in ordinary and it is every way a Portales and will make his home very desirable place. Mr. Wil- with us. The doctor comes well son is a cow man of much exper- recommended, both as a physician ience and there is no question of and a gentleman and the citizens his making good in his manage- of Roosevelt county will, without doubt, accord him that welcome that his standing in the commun-

seen of Portales Valley.

an auto trip to the western part of the Santa Fe hospital at Clovis, of the state. Professor Sam says was in Portales last Saturday, in that he did not see any place company with W. S. Winter, that had anything on the Por-Santa Fe agent at this place. tion at Clovis.

### TIME TO GET BUSY ON THE **COUNTY AND STATE** FAIR PROPOSITIONS IF WE GET ANYWHERE

Time is All Too Short in Which to Raise Money Advertise, Prepare Premium List, Secure Suitable Grounds and do the Many Other Things Necessary to a Good Fair

The Portales Valley and Roosevelt County Cannot Afford to Stay Away eral merchandise dealers. Mr. From the State Exposition This Year Lest the Impression Goes Out That We Can't Repeat. We Must Hustle or Get Out of the Road While the Band Wagon Goes by

The coming state fair at Albuquerque and the live by Edgar Savage and that busistock exhibition at Roswell are both events in which ness in the poultry and produce Roosevelt county should take an active interest. It is true that conditions have not been so good this year for dry farming as they were last year, and that lack of mois- head of barnyard fowls that had Dr. J. F. Garmany. Bascom ture has to some extent, injured the range, yet this mat- been received during the past Howard, John Ballow, Nolan Mcter of crop shortage is only comparative. There are many two days. portions of the county where growing plants have suffered little, if any, from scarcity of rainfall. As to conditions on the range, cattle are all in good shape, sleek and fat, tomers were not scarce by any Morrison, Elmer Denton, W. W. and with rain during the next thirty days there will be an means. Mr. Coffee stated when Bracken, J. E. Brown and crop of oats. He has about sixty termined that if they can't get abundance of grass for winter pasture. None of our invited to come to Portales for head of good shoats which he it all, the money will be well stock farmers are feeding at this time, as is the case in the big barbecue, that he cerwill feed out this fall, besides scattered. More and more owners many less favored districts, and no difficulty would be ex- tainly would like to but that his some fancy brood sows. Mr. of good live stock at fairs is a perienced in selecting good show stuff for the Roswell business was crowding him to stock exhibition. As to the state fair, there is plenty of very difficult, if not impossible, aside from alfalfa and fruit trees, the fair this year who have never dry farmed and irrigated stuff to go to this town of Albu- to get away for even a single day. querque and again come romping home with the regalia. Mr. A. A. Beeman, cashier of There is no question of having an abundance of exhibits the First National bank, very Wiley Franklin, one of the for both of these events. There is, however, an apparent frankly stated that the scarcity cost of, approximately three dollars per acre. Had he only increased his yield by twenty-five years has been at El Paso, Texas, place no definite steps have been taken towards arranging cows, were not complaining, and bushels per acre he would more in the live stock commission busi- for our county fair. This should be the first, or prelimithat they were in very good connary step, towards both the other affairs and there is none dition to meet the coming winter, too much time left in which to accomplish this. If we are that his deposits were holding irrigation, and that is also true ranch and his visit was partly going to Albuquerque our committee should have, at the up wonderfully well and that the of his other crops. Mr. Fairly for the purpose of looking after least calculation, one thousand dollars with which to transhas a splendid demonstration of them. It is also true that he has port exhibits and so arrange them that they will attract The only gentleman who did attention when put upon display. We won last year be- not appear to be steadily emnot afraid of a little perspiration see him and to hear of his success. cause we went after everything in sight, and we went ployed was Dr. W. J. Smith, who family. Mr. Warren is the after it like we wanted it. We should do no less this informed the reporter that the senior member of the Warrenyear, though the getting will be considerably more diffi- general health of the Elida com- Fooshee company of this place, Married, Saturday, August 12, 1916, Mr. Woody Southard, of Kenna, and Miss Mamie Vinson have determined to show to the world that Roccovalt was not overworked, however. Kenna, and Miss Mamie Vinson, have determined to show to the world that Roosevelt he said that the dry weather had he has been a resident of This week Mr. and Mrs. Frank of Elida, Judge J. P. Henderson county is not the only community where stock and irrinot affected the advent of new Nocona, Texas. Mr. Warren is Wilson moved to the Williamson- officiating. The contracting par- gated farming flourishes and they are coming strong for arrivals, several of which had an uncle of J. B. Priddy and some of the prizes. Whether we succeed this year or not come into the neighborhood with manages to pay him a visit, at southeast of here. There are on both have many friends who will depends wholly upon the efforts put forth by our citizenthis ranch something like two wish them prosperity and hap-ship. We can repeat if we try. Now are we going to try or not, and if we are, when are we going to make the confirmed the reporter the excelland marks and is the oldest dry

	Saturday's riugi	alli
10:00 A. M.	Music	Clovis Ladies' Band
10:15 A. M.	Address of Welcome	T. E. Mears
10:30 A. M.	Response	E. P. Williams
10:45 A. M.	Music	Clovis Ladies' Band
11:00 A. M.	Introduction	G. L. Reese
	Speech Hon. Is	saac Barth, of Albuquerque
12:00 M.	Dinner-Free Barbe	cue, Bread, Pickels, Coffee
2:00 P. M.	Music	Clovis Ladies' Band
2:00 P. M.	Free Picture Show	
Ge	t your tickets to free pict	ure show from

Get your tickets to free picture show from any merchant in Portales thorized to offer Professor Frank men are combining business with 2:00 to 4:00 P. M. Free Skating to Out of Town Guests

Free Automobile Ride to Out of Town Guests pleased with what they have 3:00 to 5:00 P. M. Races and Sports

#### **Buys More Cattle**

another hundred head of cows morning and evening, at the tween Elida and Benson, has and calves from the Williamson- usual hour. A cordial invitation bought a new Ford touring car tales Valley, in fact nothing Mr. Winter is spending his vaca- Oldham Cattle company. Mr. is extended to all. -Rev. Fifield, and will carry the mail hereafter Portales visitors the first of the Gore had quite a nice little bunch pastor. Colonel Sam Anderson, mer- O. C. Lawson, of Avery, Texas, before this last purchase but hav- There will be a meeting of the of the discomfort out of the mail tory. ing plenty of grass he decided Kansas club at Mr. and Mrs. line business, that he wanted more. He got a Shapcotts August 22, 7.30 p. m. buy a large stock of fall and been to Cloudcroft before coming mighty good bunch of stock and All Kansas people are cordially absent from town from Monday week. Mr. Wilson is going to try got them worth the money.

This week Emmett Gore bought Christian church next Sunday.

invited by order of committee. until Friday of next week,

#### **News Man Visits Elida**

Tuesday of this week the News | There will be a big picnic and this particular time appears to given the time of their lives. any length of time.

Among the busy places was that of Courtney & Herbert, gen-Herbert appeared to have about all that he and his clerks could attend to waiting upon the trade. He informed the News man that his firm had just bought the produce business formerly conducted the initiatory work was conline was exceptionally brisk at by both the visitors and the resithis time. A glance at his coops dent membership. Among those showed something like a thousand who went from Portales were:

Coffee everybody seemed to have C. O. Bickham, Bracket Lawon their hustling clothes and cus- rence, Harve Atkinson, Paul

tarded live stock sales, yet the

lent health of his clients, how- goods and clothing house in the ever, he did not have the ap- city. pearance of one who was not red ceiving a liberal patronage, and general merchandise store in the his large stock of toilet articles building formerly occupied by and sundries was in good de- Fred Crosby and appears to be

Arthur Reid, of company "M" New Mexico national guards, ree turned from the border where e he had been on duty, Tuesday and was accorded a cordial welcome by his many friends.

Miss Shannon, of Taiban, arrived the first of the week, to be ready for the opening of school, in which she will be one of the

Dr. Smith reports that Mr. and Mrs. Homer Nelson, of Redlake There will be services at the are the proud parents of a new girl which arrived Monday.

> R. S. Weaver, the mailman beby auto. Mr. Weaver says that week. They were gathering the automobile sure takes much data for the New Mexico direc-

#### **Picnic at Emzie**

man made a trip to Elida for the barbecue at the new town of Empurpose of renewing old acquaint- zie on Friday and Saturday, Sepances and of forming new ones. tember 1 and 2, to which the Elida is not making any pretense whole state of New Mexico is intoward a boom but the average vited. The arrangements are in laymen could not help but feel the hands of Emzie Roberts, who that it was enjoying its full quota never does anything by halves. of the general prosperity that at and those who attend will be be the good fortune of every city, The News man asked Emzie how town and hamlet in the nation. many beeves he was going to The business men had an appear- barbecue and he replied. "I have ance of thrift and contentment a whole herd and will kill them usually to be found among those all if necessary," and that no one who are making good, and while will want for plenty of meat. not too busy to extend the glad | The place of the picnic is threehand to visitors, it was yet notice- quarters of a mile from Redland able that they were not idle for post office and there will be amusements galore.

#### **Woodmen Go to Richland**

Wednesday night several cars of Woodmen of the World went to Richland to assist in exemplifying the work of that order to a large class of applicants and a splendid time is reported. After cluded a bounteous repast was spread and full justice done to it Call, James Reynolds, J.K. Reese, Also at the store of Charley M. H. Campbell, W. H. Braley,

#### Moved to His Farm

This week Mose B. Jones, county treasurer, moved to his handsome country home adjoining the town on the east. He has recently erected a handsome bungalow residence and made other substantial improvements. This farm consists of forty acres mostly put out in orchard and grapes and is one of the most desirable country homes in the county. Mose says that he will be at home to his friends just as soon as the madam can get household matters straightened out.

#### M. E. Warren Here

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Warren, of California, arrived Wednesday Warren-Fooshee house in Por-Mr. Eaton, at the drug store tales has come to be one of the

W. F. Jabara has opened a doing a good business. Mr. Jabara says that his goods are not all here yet and that as soon as they arrive he will have something of interest to say to the people of Roosevelt county. In the meantime, he wants you to know that he can save you a nice piece of money on anything in the grocery line.

Miss Maude Fickensher, of Dayton, Ohio, arrived in Portales last Saturday and will visit with her brother, H. Fickensher, and wife. Returning home, she and her mother, will go by way of Colorado Springs, Salt Lake and other noted resorts.

Cash and W. K. Austin were

Superintendent Wilson, and Judge W. E. Lindsey will be wife are visiting near Elida this to see a coyote while on the ranch

## CANADIAN CROPS EXCELLENT

Returning Tourists Speak Well of Their Treatment in Canada.

The Canadian Government, having made extensive preparations during the last few years to impart to the National Park system a degree of comfort and pleasure to the visitor, combining the best efforts of man with the very best gifts of creation, has now the satisfaction of seeing an appreciation of the efforts they have made. Tourists returning from a trip over the Canadian Pacific, the Grand Trunk Pacific and the Canadian Northern railways speak enthusiastically of the beauties that are revealed as these roads enter and pass through the mountains. The Government has spent enormous sums of money laying out roads, and developing easy means of access to glacier, hill, valley, lake and stream. For what purpose? That the wonders that Canada possesses in its natural parks may become more easily accessible and afterward talked about that a tourist travel through Canada would result. Tourist travel means business, and it is business that Canada seeks. To make it even more easy for this travel, the Government has taken pains to make every step of the tourist's entry into Canada one that will give the very least degree of trouble. On crossing the border, there is only the ordinary examination of baggage, and the only precaution is that In the case of foreign aliens, and even in their case there is no difficulty when the officials are satisfied that they are not attempting entry as enemies. Although officials of the Governmen.

have taken every means to bring to the attention of the tourist and others that no difficulty could be placed in the way of their admission, there still remained doubt in the minds of some. Only the other day the Government took action again, and authorized the statement that no measures taken for recruiting the forces either have been or will be applied to any persons who are not ordinarily resident in the Dominion. Nor is it the intention to ask for volunteers except from among British subjects, resident in Canada. Moreover, the Military Service Act, under which conscription is applied in Great Britain, affects only persons "ordinartly resident in Great Britain.

Americans and British subjects resident in the United States who desire to visit Canada will find no more trouble at the border than they have experienced in the past, and upon arriving they will be made as welcome as ever. War conditions of any kind will not inconvenience or interfere with them.

The immigration authorities sugconvenience, naturalized Americans whose country of origin was one of telligent eyes, and she had masses of those at war with the British empire, beautiful black hair. Her voice was should provide themselves with their certificates of naturalization.

Now that it is impossible to visit Europe, the planning of your vacation trip through Canada is one to give consideration to. The Government has taken an active interest in its National Parks in the heart of the Rocky mountains. These can be reached by any of the lines of railways, and the officials at these parks have been advised to render every attention to the visiting tourists, who in addition to seeing the most wonderful scenery in the world-nothing grander-nothing better-have excellent wagon and motor roads, taking them into the utter recesses of what was at one time considered practically inaccessible.

In addition to this the tourist will not be inactive to the practical possibilities that will be before him as he passes over the great plains of the Western Provinces. The immense wheat fields, bounded by the horizon, no matter how far you travel. The wide pasture lands, giving home and food to thousands of heads of horses and cattle. The future of a country that he before only heard of but knew Be little about, will be revealed to him 40 the most wonderful panorama, and amprinted in the lens of his brain in for Doctor Lambassy, who saved her such a way that he will bring back life. with him the story of the richness of Agricultural Western Canada. And drink given her by Marie, the doctor he will also have had an enjoyable outing.—Advertisement.

#### Hailed the Change.

ing. Toner," said Bailey. "I guess 1 ought to be. I went to a fortune teller last night and she prophesied immediate financial reverses," chor-

"I fail to see anything very joyous in that," said Bailey.

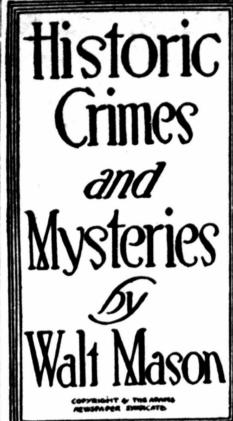
"You would if you knew anything about my finances," said Toner. "I tell you right now that if they don't reverse pretty quick I'll be busted."

#### Willing to Oblige.

"Have you found space for my poem get?" asked the party with the unbarbered hair as he entered the editorial sanctum.

'Not yet," replied the busy man beand the blue pencil, "but I expect to as soon as the office boy finds ime to empty the waste basket."

ience and Philanthropy. ak of the lives science saves." t all depends on whether your sci-



THE POETRY OF POISON.

The prison regulations at Geneva are extremely liberal, so for many years prior to 1884, hundreds of tourists from all over the world were permitted to see and converse with Marie Jeanneret, "the Swiss Brinvilliers." Marie's cell was a large, comfortable, well-lighted room, and there she sat, day after day, making lace and exulting in the fact that her fame was

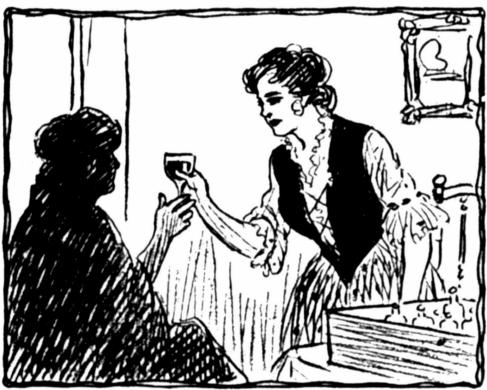
Having no conscience, and being incapable of remorse, Marie has been described by the historians of crime character may have been, there was nothing repulsive in her appearance proved that their deaths were due to

"I don't ask for a salary," said the gentle, soft-eyed girl. "I have private means, and don't need the money. My ambition is to do what good I can, by ministering to the sick and suffer-

Madame Juvet was sure she had gained a treasure when she engaged Marie. The hospital was opened, and Marie soon was in full control. Despite her gentle, yielding manners, she had a will of iron. The madame, as well as the staff, took their orders from her. Madane Juvet had two bright children, a boy and a girl. Marie professed to be very fond of them, and one day she said to the mother: "I am afraid Julie is very delicate, and am sure Emile is about to be seriously sick." The mother was amused. for the children were pictures of health. Meanwhile Marie told some of the servants, in strict confidence, that she was greatly worried over Madame Juvet. "She is a doomed woman," said Marie; "I read her fate in her eyes."

Presently Julie fell sick and then little Emile, and then Madame Juvet took to her bed, suffering miserably. The doctors came and were puzzled. bay. They seemed to recognize the symptoms of poisoning, but poisoning was impossible. Was not all the medicine administered by that gentle creature with the yearning eyes? There was so much sickness in the house that Emile was sent away, and his life was saved. Julie grew worse and died at Christmas time, 1867, and a month later her mother died and almost her last word was an expression of gratitude to the faithful nurse who had been at her bedside night and day through so many up stewardship there. This means weary weeks.

Meanwhile Marie had not been During the lingering sickness of



"She Mixed Up a Tempting Effervescent Beverage and Handed It to Berthe Who Drank It Eagerly.

ble, was lighted up by large, dark, insoft, gentle and caressing, and all her actions seemed to indicate an affectionate, sensitive nature.

When she was tried for her crimes and convicted, she looked so much like a martyr that the jurors couldn't find It in their hearts to assess the death penalty, which was then the prescribed punishment for murder, so she was given 20 years. The canton legislators then reasoned that it would be unfair to bring any other murderer to the gallows after permitting her to escape, so they abolished capital punishment. So Marie did some good in the

She began experimenting with poisons when a girl. She seemed to have a fascination for her. She always kept in her room a medicine chest, and was forever toying with its little boxes and bottles. One day her room mate, Berthe Berthet, complained of feeling ill. The helpful Marie opened her med!cine chest and said: "I know just what to do for you, my dear." So she mixed up a tempting effervescent beverage and handed it to Berthe, who drank it eagerly, and a few minutes later was in a paroxysm of pain. The landlady heard her screams and sent

When Berthe had told him of the said: "You have escaped death by a hair's breadth. The girl made a mistake that would have been fatal had there been any delay in sending for "You look very smiling this morn- me. She gave you belladonna."

That usually was the verdict whenever Marie scored a victim. It was assumed that she had made a mistake. It was impossible to believe that a girl with such a gentle, wistful face could have administered poisons delib-

For a time Marie dispensed her poisons as occasion offered, but she wanted larger opportunities, so she went into training as a nurse, and, although she did not finish her course, she had no trouble in securing employment in the desired capacity. Nature evidently had designed her for service in the sick room, she was so quiet, so gentle, so patient, her hands and voice were so soothing. She went to nurse Madame Chabloz, and promptly gave her poison, which brought her to the edge of the grave, but the madam was

a strong woman, and she rallied. Madame Juvet of Geneva conceived the idea of establishing a private hospital, and Marie applied for the posi-

vivors of the household.

Then Marie, still intent upon doing good, went to nurse a Madame Lenoir, and the madame's funeral occurred a few days after her arrival. By this time her reputation as a death angel was beginning to attract attention, and she found it difficult to get patients. The strange thing is that nobody seemed to suspect her up to this time. Time and again the doctors had found indications of poisoning in her suffering patients, and yet they seemed unable to believe that Marie could be anything but what she seemed. It is this that makes the story of her career remarkable. She was careless to the point of recklessness. She would predict the early death of people in perfect health, and when these people died nobody seemed to see anything strange in it. It speaks much for her ingratiating manner that she could so long be "shaking from out her condor wings invisible woe," and still avoid suspicion.

When at last she was arrested, it was easy to secure the proofs of her crimes, and the indictment against her accused her of the murder of nine percons. Her attempts at murder were too numerous for consideration.

She was an artist in crime. She had none of the ordinary motives. It was art for art's sake with her. She never tried to profit by her horrid deeds. She was willing to work for nothing any time, if it would give her a chance to remove somebody. She was absolutely pitiless and enjoyed the sufferings of her victims. "Death had such beautiful moments," she said, when asked why she committed her crimes. "There is poetry in poison," she remarked, upon another occasion,

She died in 1884, in her little white cell, and to the last she retained her weird beauty. Her marble white face. with its beautiful dark eyes, haunted journeyed to Geneva to see the strangest criminal of modern times.

#### Just in Style.

"You have a complaint to make, madam?" asked the milkman. "Yes, I have," said the lady of the

house at the door. "The milk you have left for three mornings is blueabsolutely blue."

"Well, my dear madam, you must know that blue is the season's most fashionable color. Now, if it were purple or pink you might complain, but nothing can be more fashionable than blue just now, madam, I assure

# The Remaking of Mindanao



HERE was one rich and unruly realm the Spaniards were glad to rid themselves of following the battle of Manila The huge Island of Mindanao, pronounced as though spelled Mind-anow, known in the Philippines as Moroland, had the reputation of being largely unconquered, as much by the military as by the missionaries. The Mores clung to their religious beliefs as tenaciously as they opposed Spanish domination in government, writes Monroe Woolley in the Utica Satu. day Globe.

But the Moro archipelago today is not what it was when we first took that it is not the unconquerable empire it was when the Spanish essayed neglecting her other opportunities. to rule and run it. For a long time we sought to make the Moros obedias a monster. However abhorrent her Madame Juvet three patients in the ent by whipping them-by killing hospital died, and it was afterwards them off. Hundreds, thousands of them, were slain in periodic campaigns, yet the flery Mohammedans lost no opportunity to treacherously murder our troops and officials at times when pacification seemed ap-

Military operations failing to a considerable degree, and mindful of the hopeless task of the Spaniards, another method was devised to win the people to new government and to new ways of living. At first the Philippine government smoked a peace pipe with the sultans and dattos, chiefs of community factions, seeking in this manner to make itself popular with the masses. As much good will as posare wont to do with royalty. Later, in his territory. brute force was wholly abolished. But today the Moros are laying Kindness and diplomacy were finally substituted therefor, and with this enlightened new system we are gradually and thoroughly remaking Moham-

by white men for centuries past, Mindanao is today just beginning to be lifted from a savage past into the limelight of civilization. The rich gest that, as a precaution against in- and slight and her face, pale as mar- campaign she and M. Juvet and a cause the inhabitants were always hos-

Mindanao has a larger colony of American planters, engaged mostly in hemp cultivation, than any other spot in the islands, notwithstanding that the people there have always been hostile to trespassers. Many of these have been wantonly murdered, but the fatality list is growing less right along, an evidence that the people are being converted to a new order of things. Many of these brave Americans started business on what they saved from a soldier's wage, and today not a few of them are Oriental nabobs.

Responding to Education. For centuries the Moro thought the only kind of effective government was that having force behind it. To be kind to him, in his opinion, meant that you feared him. But to be kind, with a means of making kindness acceptable through a standing military force, has completely wrought a change in the warlike people. Under good leaders the Moros are good people; under bad ones they, too, are bad.

The Mohammedan religion teaches that to slay a white man, or a Christian, is a sure way to get to heaven. Therefore, in Spanish times, and during our early occupation, fanatical Moros used to run amuck, chopping down as many foreigners as they could with their wicked knives. Often it. it has taken a dozen bullets, wellaimed from a high-power army rifle, to kill the crazed followers of the Koran. All Moros hate pork as a hull does a red flag, and the military officer who placed the dead body of a sible was thus literally bought. Cost- fanatic inside a pork carcas and ly gifts and junketing trips were be strung the two up in the plaza for stowed on the tribal chiefs, and they the inspection of others effectually were fawned upon as loyal subjects kept "running amuck" within bounds

aside their war krises and spears, are discarding their tight-fitting, gaily colored costumes for modern dress, similar to the Filipinos, and are sending their children for the first time to Known to and thoroughly explored public schools. A decade hence there may be Moro professional men, such as lawyers, doctors and scientists.

A committee of Moro chieftains who went to Manila recently to meet Resior manners. She was rather short poison. When Marie had finished her realm has never been exploited be- dent Commissioner Manuel Quezos of Washington, himself a Filipino, told couple of servants were the only sur- tile to any outside interference. Min- the commissioner that schools were

# MY HEALTH

To Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Washington Park, Ill. - "I am the mother of four children and have suffered with female



trouble, backache, nervous spells and the blues. My children's loud talking and romping would make me so nervous could just tear everything to pieces and I would ache all over and feel so sick that I would not want anyone to talk

to me at times. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills restored me to health and I want to thank you for the good they have done me. I have had quite a bit of trouble and worry but it does not affect my youthful looks. My friends say 'Why do you look so young and well?' I owe it all to the Lydia E. Pinkham remedies." -Mrs. ROBT. STOPIEL, Moore Avenue.

Washington Park, Illinois. We wish every woman who suffers from female troubles, nervousness, backache or the blues could see the letters written by women made well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you have any symptom about which you would like to know write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for helpful advice given free of charge.

Big Status. "There is one author I know who hasn't bought himself an automobile." "Perhaps it is because he is a hack

A FRIEND IN NEED. For instant relief and speedy cure use "Mississippi" Diarrhoea Cordial. Price 50c and 25c.—Adv.

A stupid man may harvest a bumper crop; it takes a clever man to enjoy

#### Stop That Ache!

Don't worry about a bad back. Get rid of it. Probably your kidneys are out of order. Resume sensible habits and help the kidneys. Then, kidney backache will go; also the dizzy spells, lameness, stiffness, tired feelings, nervousness, rheumatic pains and bladder troubles, Use Doan's Kidney Pills, Thousands recommend them.

A Texas Case



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The kidney

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NATIVE BASE BALL TEAM danao, with the Sulu archipelago- intensely popular, and asked him to

the Mohammedan empire—is well worth reconstruction, and it is perhaps this fact which has made us so

persistent. Largest of Philippine Islands. Mindanao itself is the largest island

by far in the entire Philippine archipelago. It is about the size of our own state of Mississippi, and is bigger than Indiana or Ohio. It would make seven states like New Jersey, and is by far much larger than several of our Atlantic coast states combined. To be precise, it has an area of 46,721 square miles.

In ancient times the Moros had little, if any, business sense. They had woeful lack of the appreciation of money. To overcome their antiquated ideas of 'trade we have established markets for them in the leading towns where they meet to buy and sell. Some day Mindanao will be one of the leading countries of the world for the production of rubber. The rubber tree grows wild there in great prothe memories of the thousands who fusion. Although the industry is as yet undomesticated, exports from a single locality have reached nearly sport. 1.000,000 pounds in a year. The island also produces much hemp, as well as tapioca, cócoanuts and other tropical

> We have been successful in giving railroads to that part of the Philipoine archipelago occupied by the Filipino, even though foreign capital had to furnish the money, but we have yet to lay the first steel rail in Mindanao, the greatest and richest of the islands of our insular frontier. Borneo, distant only a stone's throw from Zamboanga, Mindanao's metropolis, is far ahead of Moroland in everything ble to the remade Mohammedans of save natural wealth.

say to congress that as long as that body was disposed to furnish school books that the Moros themselves would furnish the schools and the scholars. Datto Plang, one of the powerful chieftains, has himself erected two costly schoolhouses in Mindanao solely at his own expense. A Moro doing anything of this sort in olden times would have been hanged by his own people.

Baseball Has Helped. Baseball has helped wonderfully

with the Moros, as it did with the Filipinos, to cement affections for the Americans. It is claimed by a learned Filipino who recently toured Mindanao that in two decades the visitor in Moroland will not be able, so far as dress and manners are concerned, to distinguish a Moro from a Filipino. No American baseball fan really knows what fun is until he is privileged to see a hotly contested game of ball between Filipinos and Moros and gives an attentive ear to the game vernacular as it is spoken by our wards in the excitement of the

With the awakening to civilization the Moro is acquiring some chivalry. One of the sultans thought he had reached the acme of politeness when he asked the popular daughter of one of our ex-presidents, at the time visiting his palace, to become No. 1 in his harem. Of course, there was a blushing declination, at which the dusky ruler was probably chagrined. But the incident goes to illustrate that the American, as well as the Christian Filipino, is for the first time making himself and his institutions acceptaour farthest-flung frontier.

EASY TO MEASURE HEIGHT OF ANY TREE

### CALOMEL IS MERCURY, IT SICKENS! STOP USING SALIVATING DRUG

Don't Lose a Day's Work! If Your Liver Is Sluggish or Bowels Constinated Take "Dodson's Liver Tone."—It's Fine!

ambition.

You're bilious! Your liver is slug-| sluggish liver better than a dose of gish! You feel lazy, dizzy and all nasty calomel and that it won't make knocked out. Your head is dull, your you sick. tongue is coated; breath bad; stomach sour and bowels constipated. But don't take salivating calomel. It makes you sick, you may lose a day's work.

Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. stomach will be sweet and your bowels Calomel crashes into sour bile like dynamite, breaking it up. That's when you feel that awful nausea and cramp-

If you want to enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced just take a spoonful not salivate. Give it to your children! of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone. Your | Millions of people are using Dodson's druggist or dealer sells you a 50-cent Liver Tone instead of dangerous calbottle of Dodson's Liver Tone under omel now. Your druggist will tell you my personal money-back guarantee that the sale of calomel is almost that each spoonful will clean your stopped entirely here.—Adv.

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Cuticura Soap Is Best Because So Soothing and Cooling. Trial Free.

If baby is troubled with rashes, ecsemas, itchings, chafings or hot, irritated skin follow Cuticura Soap bath with light application of Cuticura Ointment to the affected part. Nothing so soothing, cooling and refreshing when he is fretful and sleepless.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Sold everywhere.—Adv.

#### More Practical Than Men.

The Woman's Home Companion

"That women are more practical than men our correspondent proves by offering an undeniable fact. When a man finds his hair becoming scanty and wishing to increase it, what does he do?

"He buys hair 'grower,' never yet known to produce a hair.

"When a woman finds it desirable to augment her portion of hair what does she do?

"She buys hair."

#### HAVE YOU A STUBBORN COUGH If So, Read This:

"My wife had a terrible cough and was spitting up considerable—seemed to be bordering on tuberculosis," writes Mr. W. T. Daniels, Hohenwald, Tenn. "I saw your advertisement and decided at once to try Lung-Vita. I ordered a bottle and she began to get better after taking the first dose and is entirely well."

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#### Conversationalist.

"That man prides himself on being a conversationalist."

"Yes," replied Miss Cayenne. "He's never so happy as when he makes a string of people miss their trains while he monopolizes the bureau of Information."

#### Best for Horses.

Give your horses good care and you will be doubly repaid by the better work they will do. For sores, galls and other external troubles apply Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh. Ranchmen, lumbermen and liverymen recommend it. Adv.

#### Literal Way.

"I heard the spoony young couple I passed say they wanted to drink in the starry night. How did they suppose they could do it?"

#### "Well, there's the Dipper."

General Utility. The Business Man (to applicant for a situation) - Yes; we're short handed, but what use do you think you'd be in

an office? The Applicant-Well, guv'ner; I'm not wot yer might call an orl-round useful sort o' man-light a match for yer; 'old a door open; ring ther bell for ther lift; look an' see if it's left off rainin'; and tell people yer out when yer ain't.-London Sketch.

#### Wrong List Was Printed.

A corps leader being informed that certain decorations would be allotted to his command started his staff to compile a list of recommendations, which they dispatched, says a correspondent. When the Gazette appeared it contained none of the names sent in, but a selection of unknown heroes. Inquiry disclosed that a roll of conscientious objectors to inoculation had got into the wrong envelope. -London Globe.

#### On Eugenics.

Prof. Herbert L. Flower said in an address on eugenics in Boston:

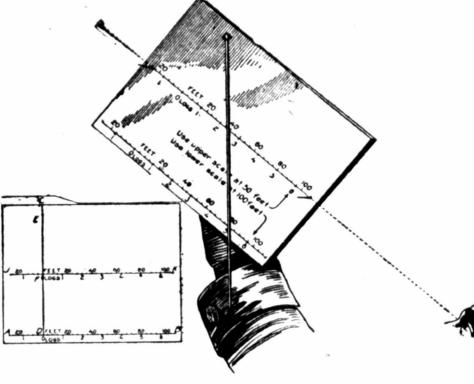
"Youth's point of view is better than age's when it comes to questions of

"Here, for example, is a dialogue to prove my claim.

"A beautiful girl said to her fashionable mother: "'Yes, mother, dear, I like Mr. Gob-

sa Golde, but isn't he too old to be considered eligible? "The fashionable mother compressed her rouged lips.

"'On the contrary, my love,' she said, 'he is too eligible to be considered old."



Instrument for Measuring Trees.

With the simple homemade instru-

easy matter to measure the height of

any tree provided one can get a view

of its top from a point 50 or 100

feet from its base. It is the instru-

ment which the Forest Service, in

Farmers' Bulletin 715 recommends to

timber from woodlots and who wish to

base their sale upon the actual amount

Making the Instrument.

uring distances is extremely impor-

would do well to provide themselves

Take a piece of half-inch board 7 by

9 inches and plane it smooth on all

sides. Draw the line AB, three eighths

of an inch from the lower edge and pa-

right angle to AB. Make a mark at E,

61/4 inches from D, and another at F.

31/4 from D. Now draw a line JK

inches and quarter inches AB on both

directions, marking D as zero and put-

as indicated in the illustration, the fig

ures above the line being for feet and

of 16-foot logs on the merchantable

part of the trunk. It will be seen that

each quarter inch on either of the pa-

rallel lines represents 4 feet in height

To Make Sights.

inch from the edge of the board. Drive

it in until the point comes out on the

back of the board; then pull it out and

cut off with pliers any part of the

brad that projects from the back of

the board. In the same way insert an-

other brad near the other end of the

line JK. It is important that the brads

To Make Pendulum.

of the wire. Fasten this piece of

inch thick to the back of the board

to serve as a handle, and the height

Using the Instrument.

tree, stand exactly 100 feet from its

base. Hold the instrument in the right

swings freely but very near the board.

Sight along the brads at the top of the

tree and let the pendulum come to

rest. Then with the left hand press

position. The pendulum may also be

To measure the total height of a tall

Now take a piece of straight, heavy

or sights be straight and true.

off over the head.

measure is complete.

Take a brad or small nail and drive

through F, exactly parallel to AB.

with a good steel square accurately

ruled for inches and quarter inches.

As accuracy in drawing parallel

or a mere acreage basis.

One trial convinces—Hanford's Bal-

If a woman is dressed to kill she is

Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver

medicine. You'll know it next morn-

ing because you will wake up feeling

fine, your liver will be working, your

headache and dizziness gone, your

regular. You will feel like working;

you'll be cheerful; full of vigor and

Dodson's Liver Tone is entirely

vegetable, therefore harmless and can-

Mrs. Lydia Shrake, one hundred and six, of Prairie du Chien, Wis., is the head of six living generations.

#### Already Disciplined.

"I envy Margaret for having maried a steel man."

"Why so?" "Because a steel man must be well tempered."

Sure Sign. "Did you say that Jaggers was bent on this scheme?"

"Yes, sir." "Then I know it is something crooked.'

#### Invaluable Treasures Hidden.

It is reported now that valuable Belgian paintings have been rolled in cloth, inclosed in water-tight metal tubes and sunk in the Scheldt river. The Venus de Milo was hidden in a cellar in 1870 when the Germans entered Paris.

Made since 1846—Hanford's Balsam

#### Scarcity.

"Is help scarce around here?" "Yes," replied Farmer Cornstossel, ting down the number of inches from "I can secure for a consideration any D for each inch mark. Do the same amount of advice and supervisory as- for the line JK. Then mark the scales sistance. But plain ordinary help is gettin' scarcer every year."

Stripes. "Look at 'em!" exclaimed the bur-

"Look at what?" asked the pocket-

book snatcher. "Them black an' white stripes that's long. all the style! I kin remember when they put.'em on us we thought we was disgraced!"

Jimmy Up to Date. Jimmy, an office boy in a downtown office, approached his boss one morning last week:

"If you please, sir."

"Well, Jimmy?" "My grandmother, sir."

"Aha, your grandmother-go on,

"My grandmother and my moth-

"What? And your mother, too? Both very Ill, eh?"

"No, sir. My grandmother and my mother are goin' to the baseball game stay home and mind my little kid brudder."

Jimmy got that afternoon off.-Boston Traveler.

### Adds a Healthful

Zest to any Meal

Most everyone likes a hot table drink, but it must have a snappy taste and at the same time be healthful. Probably no beverage answers every requirement so completely as does

This famous pure fooddrink, made of roasted wheat and a bit of wholesome molasses, affords a rich Javalike flavor, yet contains no harmful element.

The original Postum Cereal must be boiled; Instant Postum is made in the cup "quick as a wink," by adding hot water, and stirring.

Both forms of Postum have a delightful aroma and flavor. are healthful, and good for children and grown-ups.

"There's a Reason" Sold by Grocers everywhere. (Prepared by the United States Depart-) ing should be subtracted from the amount of the first reading. Thus, if the first reading is 80 feet and the secment illustrated herewith it is a very ond is 4 feet (to the right of D), the total height of the tree will be 80 less 4 or 76 feet.

Using Upper Scale. The upper scale is to be used in computing the height of trees less than about 75 feet high or in measuring farmers who are thinking of selling other trees when it is impossible to see the top or the point on the trunk at a distance of 100 feet. In using the of timber rather than upon guess work upper scale the observer should stand only 50 feet from the tree, but in this case the readings, of course, would be made on the line JK and exactly as lines, laying-off right angles, and measthey would be made at 100 feet on the line AD. tant, those making the instrument

#### Finding Number and Length of Mer-

chantable Logs. In the example given, the total height of the tree was measured. To the owner of a woodlot or timber it is even of more practical importance to measure the height to a point on the tree beyond which there is no merrakel to it. Two inches from the left chantable saw timber. This measureend of the board draw CD, at an exact ment is made in the same way as that described above except that the instrument is pointed at what will be the top of the last log when the tree is cut. and then at the point where the top of Starting at D, lay off accurately the stump will be.

### KEEPING CROWS OUT

#### those below the scale for the number | Effective Way of Frightening Birds Is to Kill Few and String Them to Poles.

and each line represents a log 16 feet (By F. L. WASHBURN, University Farm, St. Paul, Minn.) Scarecrows, poisoned corn and crows hung from poles in the field are it in carefully on the line JK about an common methods of protecting seedcorn from crows.

The old scarecrow is still in common use about the corn fields, and drive it in from the back until the point some farmers string white cord about sticks out about one-fourth inch from the field, from which they hang bright Scarecrows, if used, should be changed occasionally. The crows soon become accustomed to any scarecrow

A very effective way of keeping crows from the corn is to shoot two or three and hang them by a string from poles in the field. Some farmers Whit till the hard time comes when wire 10 Inches long, and bend one end resort to trapping, and, having caught she throws flatirons at him." of it into a loop about an eighth of a few crows in steel traps, hanging this afternoon and they wanted me to an inch in diameter. Be certain that them alive from poles. This is not a the center of the loop of the wire is in humane practice, and we cannot, therean exact line with the straight part fore, recommend it.

> If one uses poisoning, corn may be wire loosely to the board at E with a soaked in a solution of strychnine. Ten half-inch screw, so that it will swing cents worth of sulphate of strychnine freely when the board is on edge. The dissolved in enough hot water to soak loop should be big enough to fit loose. two quarts of corn will serve well. Poily over the shank of the screw, but soned bait of this kind should be scatsmall enough so that it will not slip tered about the field late in the evening, when there will be less danger Screw a piece of wood about six of its being eaten by poultry, stock or inches long, one inch wide and a half game birds.

#### CAPONIZING IS NOT EMBARRASSING JOB

hand in such a way that the pendulum | Recommended by Louisiana Expert as Good Way of Disposing of Surplus Males.

the pendulum against the board with- (By A. F. ROLF, Louislana Experiment

out giving it a chance to change its Station.)
Allowing the male bird to remain kept in position by tilting the right in the flock during the summer months is the chief reason for poor quality of hand slightly to the right. This brings the wire against the board and holds eggs. A temperature of 85 degrees it in place so that a reading can be ob- will start life development in a fertile tained. Care should be taken that the egg and as soon as this development wire does not slip after the board is is arrested, decay sets in. In our warm summer climate it is a difficult mat-Now read off the number of feet in | ter to keep the temperature of the egg height on the lower scale. If the wire below 85 degrees at all times. We crosses the line five inches from the may see that this is done while the point D, it indicates that the tree is eggs are in our possession; but when 80 feet high above the level of the eye. they are being hauled to the depot, cr Without changing position, next are awaiting shipment, it almost insight at the foot of the tree and take variably happens that they are exthe second reading. If in the second posed to the sun and the temperature reading the pendulum hangs to the left allowed to go too high.

On the other hand, infertile eggs will of D, that is, between A and D, add the amount indicated to the first read- keep almost indefinitely, and need only ing, and the result will be the total to be kept free from dampness.

height of the tree. Thus, if it hangs It would, of course, be expensive half an inch to the left of D, add eight and wasteful to destroy the male birds feet to the first reading, making a total that were not wanted in the flock, so of 88 feet. If, however, the eye is be- caponizing is resorted to. This is a low the foot of the tree, the wire will very simple operation and may be hang to the right of D (between D and mastered by anyone with a little prac-B) and the amount of the second read- tice.

LIQUID BLUE?

No, Mr. Grocer, that's mostly water. Since the war started it's more nearly all water than ever. Give me Red Cross Ball Blue, that's a two-ounce package of real goodness. You should see my clothes. I just can't keep from smiling out loud .-- Adv.

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#### Save the Babies.

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Bess-Is there any insanity in Ma

Jack-Only their millionaire unde

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is her hair. If yours is streaked with

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father last night. How did be take

"By the coat collar."-Boston Kve

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your suit?"

ning Transcript.

possibly happen.

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For galls use Hanford's Balsam

Defined. "What's your idea of a crank?"

family? "A crank is a fellow who insists on trying to convince me, instead of let- He supports the rest of them .- Town Topics. ning Transcript

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Quite Appropriate.

"Mrs. Comeup wanted her husband to buy a gold collar for her pet

"Did he?" "He pooh-poodled the idea."

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The Later Way.

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Farmers pay for their land with one year's cree and prosperity was never so great.

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Prices are high, markets convenient, excellent land, low in price either improved or otherwise, ranging from \$12 to \$30 per acre. Free homestead lands are plentiful and not far from railway lines and convenient to good schools and churches. The climate is healthful.

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Some One Else Might Explain

The New Mexico State Record of August 3 severely arraigns the state administration, that is that portion of it that is Democratic, for many alleged mistakes and acts of criminal carelessness. The News admits that Governor McDonald undertook a great responsibility when he exerted all the gubernatorial influence to thwart the thieving machinations of the Republican highlinders that constituted the last legislature. The News admits that Governor McDonald imposed all the machinery of his office against the Republican banditti that violated every law of common decency when it over rode the free electors of three counties of the state and committed the larceny of those three members of that same legislature in order that they might have the necessary two-thirds majority to work their will against the tax payers of the state. The News further admits that Governor McDonald was somewhat bold when he refused to admit the right of these same highwaymen to violate the provisions of the constitution in regard to keeping this assembly of political sharks in session beyond the time fixed by the constitution. The News is constrained to admit, also, that he made free use of the gubernatorial veto in every case of vicious legislation that came to him for approval. As a matter of fact, this paper is free to admit that Governor McDonald has acted the part of a man and a patroit during his entire term of office, and the Republicans will be hard put to convince the voters that his acts were other than those of honesty and wisdom. When it comes to explanations the Republicans will find that there are a great many things done by them that it will require something more than explanation to put right. They may cry their heads off over the desertion of Chairman Ely and his scathing denunciation of Republican misrule; of his clear and truthful recital of Republican perfidy and dishonor; of their seeming solicitude for the interests of the big mining corporations and their exemption from taxation. When it comes to explanations it is more than probable that the State Record will have its hands full should it attempt to justify the acts of the last legislature without the wasting of further space in libeling the Mc-Donald administration. It is also suggested that Mr. Ely is furnishing you with sufficient material to keep your libel mill busy until after election without having to devote any time to matters outside.

#### The Hughes Candidacy

One would naturally expect that an individual, so widely advertised as the fountain head of all Republican political wisdom, and one who had occupied the exalted position of associate justice of the supreme court of the United States, would be able to find some kind of an argument in support of his candidacy. He should be able to offer some tangible program for the administration of public affairs, aside from vituperation and misstatements. If he does possess knowledge of this character and does not see fit to take the public into his confidence sufficiently to outline, at least, some little part of it, then he cannot but be an object of suspicion to the voting public. It is not sufficient for him to charge that the Wilson administration is weak, vacillating and un-American. He must come across with his proof. Lawyer Hughes has been making speeches now for more than two weeks and in that time he has been able to show to the people of the United States that the Wilson administration has employed some half a dozen or more laborers without their having taken a civil service examination. This is certainly a grave charge and the administration should be held to a strict accountability for it, and, in the meantime, it might not be amiss for this lawyer of high aspirations to make a definite answer to the open letter addressed to him by some forty or more American newspaper writers. It is scarcely probable that the intelligent voters of the nation will repudiate a party of promises fulfilled for one that offers not even promises. If Mr. Hughes is a jingoe and has the war lust, let him come out in the open and say so, whether it be poor little Mexico or the imperial government at Berlin, whom he seeks to devour. For the first time in the history of this republic the Republican party has nothing to which they can point with pride, not even their choice for leader, neither have they anything definite to offer in lieu of the administration they so bitterly condemn. In this they are unfortunate, but being unfortunate does not especially qualify them for taking over the reins of government. Mr. Hughes would have much better have been satisfied with that which he had without reaching out into the realms of uncertainty and trying for that which was impossible. The party of Hughes has been in power for the greater part of a half a century, and if we are unprepared now for the maintenance of national dignity, the blame must fall upon them. There has been more of preparedness and more legislation in the interest of the common cople during the short time Mr. Wilson has been in office han the Republicans accomplished in the half century re-



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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., July 24, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Rosa E. Throgmorton, formerly Rosa E. Slocum, of Delphos, N. M., who, on Sept. 12, 1913, made homestead No. 010970, for east half northeast quarter, east half southeast quarter and southwest quarter southeast quarter, section 9, township 3 south, range 33 east, N. M. P. meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, in his office at Portales, N. M., on the 14th day of September, 1916.

Eli C. Cummings, Rufus E. McAlister, Newton C. Howell, all of Delphos, N. M., James Doyal, of A. J. Evans, Register.

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Non coal 012533 Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Ft. Sumner, N. M., July 19, 1916.
Notice is hereby given that Mary M. Caldwell, formerly Mary M. Greathouse, of Upton, N. M., who on April 26, 1915, made homestead entry No. 012533, for northeast quarter, section 25, township 1 south, range 30 east, N. M. P. meridian, has filed notice of intention to make commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W.E. Lindsey, U.S. Commissioner, in his office at Portales, N. M., on the 6th day of September, 1916.

In his office at Fortaies, N. M., on the winday of September, 1916.
Claimant names as witnesses:
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Notice is hereby given that Neppie M. Greathouse, of Upton, N. M., who, on July 9, 1915.

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Claimant names as witnesses:

N. M., on the oth day of September, 1979.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Jacob F. Cyphers, of Floyd, N. M., Adjar K.
Scott, of Floyd, N. M., Charles H. Greathouse, of
Upton, N. M., John M. Price, of Floyd, N. M.
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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, New Mexico, August 7, 1916.
Notice is hereby given that Mattie E. Merrick, of Redland, New Mexico, who, on Sept. 6, 1913, made Homestead entry, No. 010956, for N. W. 1-4, Section 10 and S. 1-2 N.E. 1-4, N. 1-2 S.E. 1-4, section 9, township 5 south, range 37 east, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W.E.Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Portales, N. M., on the 25th day of September, 1916.
Claimant names as witnesses: N. M., on the 25th day of September, 1916.
Claimant names as witnesses:
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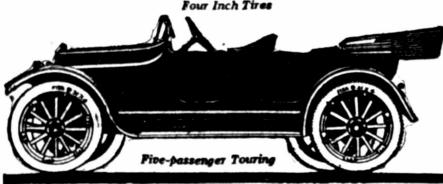
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#### Writers and Editors Ask **Hughes to Tell Wherein He** Differs from Pres. Wilson

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"To the Honorable Charles E. Hughes: The professional writers who sign this letter have small interest in democracy. It is our hope, through this voluntary association, to assist in the promotion of honest, educational discussion in order that fundamental issues may not be decided in prejudices and ignorance.

"Mr. Wilson's beliefs have been expressed in law and in declared policies. He has made an open record by which he may be judged. Wise choice is not possible unless you yourself make equally specific statement of purpose and convictions.

"Without intent to offend, we feel justified in charging that in no single public utterance have you filed a bona fide bill of particulars nor have you offered a single constructive suggestion.

"Personalities are without value. Blanket criticism is worthless. What we desire to know, what it is fair that the electorace should know, are the exact details of your disagreement with President Wilson. What has he done that you would failed to do that you would have done or will do? Honesty and patriotism demand that you put yourself upon record in such manner as to permit people to judge you as they are now able to judge President Wilson. For example-

"Would you have filed instant protest against the invasion of Belgium and backed up that pro-Herford, Prof. Lewis Johston, test with the United States navy?

you have made the disaster the and George West." subject of diplomatic negotiations or would you have broken relations with Germany at once?

"Would you urge universal compulsory military service?

Huerta's morals were of no con-till school begins. Lets have cern to America. Does this mean [that party before that time. After that yeu would have recognized school starts every night will be

"As matters stand today, would Pupils of the grammar grades you be in favor of intervening in who were "promoted condition-

"You speak enthusiastically of and be ready for this. this imply that you indorse the a list of the books we need in Clayton anti-trust law and the both high school and the grades, their appeal?

plaints against the federal re- on time.

opposed the income tax amendment. Does this antagonism persist? Do you or do you not believe in paying for preparedness out of a tax on incomes, inheritances and munitions?

"We agree with you that it is critcal, indeed, for candidates to meantime I would like to hear talk in terms of office-seeking from prospective renters or purrather than in the simple, earnest language of definite American-

"Respectfully, Samuel Hopkins Adams, Ray Stannard Baker, Ellis Parker Butler, L. Ames Brown, Dante Barton, Irvan S. Cobb, Wadsworth Camp, J. August 15th to the 25th. O'Hara Cosgrave, Stoughton Cooley, William L. Chenery, George Creel, James Forbes, Fred- good as new. See Frank Beard.

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SYNOPSIS.

Alan Wayne is sent away from Red Hill, its home, by his uncle, J. Y., as a moral allure. Clem runs after him in a tangle of short skirts to bid him good-by.

CHAPTER II-Continued.

"It doesn't amount to an appointment. Just a job as assistant to Walton, the engineer the contractors are sending out. We're going to put up a bridge somewhere in Africa." "That's it. I knew it," said the cap-

tain. "Going away. Want any money?" The question came like solid shot out of a four-pounder. Alan started, colored and smiled, all at the same time.

"No, thanks, sir," he replied, "I've got all I need.'

The captain hitched his chair forward, placed his hands on his knees. leaned forward and glared out on the avenue. "The Lansings," he, began, like a boy reciting a piece, "are devils for drink, the Waynes for women. Don't you ever let 'em worry you about drink. Nowadays the doctors call us nonalcoholic. In my time it was just plain strong heads for wine. I say, don't worry about drink. There's a safety valve in every Wayne's gullet.

"But women, Alan!" The captain slued around his bulging eyes. "You look out for them. As your greatgrandfather used to say, 'To women, only perishable goods—sweets, flowers and kisses.' And you take it from me, kisses aren't always the cheapest. They say God made everything-down to little apples and Jersey lightning. But when he made women the devil helped." The captain's nervousness dropped from his as be deliberately drew out his watch and fob. "Goodthing he did, too," he added, as a pleasing afterthought. He leaned back in his chair. A complacent look came over his face.

Alan got up to say good-by. The captain arose, too, and clasped the hand Alan held out. "One more thing," he said. "Don't forget there's always a bad." There was a suspicion of moisture in his eye as he hurried his guest

Back in his room Alan found letters awaiting him. He read them and tore them up-all but one. It was from Clem. She wrote:

very far away. I am sorry. It has been raining here very much. In the hollows invented a new game. It is called "steamhoat." I play it on old Dubbs. We go down into the valley and I make him go through the water around the bridges. He puffs just like a steamboat and when he gets out he smokes all over. He is too fat. I hope you will come back very CLEM.

That evening Clem was thrown into a transport by receiving her first telegram. It read, "You must not play steamboat again, it is dangerous, Alan." She tucked it in her bosom and rushed over to the Firs to show it

Gerry and Alix were spending the summer at the Firs, where Mrs. Lansing, Gerry's widowed mother, was still nominally the hostess. They had been married two years, but people still spoke of Alix as Gerry's bride, and in so doing stamped her with heown seal. To strangers they carried the air of a couple about to be married at the rational close of a long engagement. No children or thought of children had come to turn the channel of life for Alix. On Gerry marriage sat as an added habit. It was beginning to look as though he and Alix drifted together not because they were | dinner. Gerry straightened his tle carried by the same currents but because they were tied.

Where duller minds would have dubbed Gerry the Ox, Alan had named and pleasure. She dangled her treashim the Rock, and Alan was right. Gerry had a dignity beyond mere bulk. He had all the powers of resistance. none of articulation. Where a pinprick would start an ox it took an upheaval to move Gerry. An upheaval of his strong hand. It looked in danknow it. It was yet afar off.

To the Lansings marriage had always been one of the regular func- twining design and set the stones tions of a regulated life-part of the while the dew was still on the grass." general scheme of things. Gerry was slowly realizing that his marriage with the library, but they were hardly seat-Allx was far from a mere function, had ed when Alix sprang up. Her glance little to do with a regular life and was had followed Gerry's startled gaze. foreign to what he had always consid- He was staring at the coveted picture ered the general scheme of things. he had been looking at in the gallery Alix had developed, quite naturally, that afternoon. It hung in the niche into a social butterfly. Gerry did not in which his thoughts had placed it. on a rock, as Alan would have done, but he did, in a vague way, feel that bits of his impassive self were being

Red Hill bored Ally and she showed it. The first summer after the mare they had spent abroad. Now

\_\_\_\_\_ Gerry refused to be dragged so far from golf and his club. He stuck doggedly to Red Hill till the leaves began

to turn, and then consented to move

back to town. On their last night at the Firs Mrs. Lansing, who was complacently Aunt Jane to Waynes and Eltons, entertained Red Hill as a whole to dinner. With the arrival of dessert, to Alix' surprise, Nance said, "Port ail around, please. Aunt Jane."

Lansings, Waynes and Eltons were heavy drinkers in town, but it was a tradition, as Alix knew, that on Red Hill they dropped it-all but the old captain. It was as though, amid the scenes of their childhood, they became children and just as a Frenchman of the old school will not light a cigarette in the presence of his father, so they would not take a drink for drink's sake on Red Hill.

So Alix looked on interestedly as the old butler set glasses and started the ten. port. When it had gone the round Nance stood up, and with her hands on the table's edge, leaned toward them all. For a Wayne, she was very fair. As they looked at her the color swept over her bare neck. Its wave reached her temples and seemed to stir the clustering tendrils of her hair. Her eyes were grave and bright with moisture. Her lips were tremulous. "We drink to Alan," she said, "today is Alan's birthday."

She sat down. They all raised their glasses. Little Clem had no wine. She put a thin hand on Gerry's arm. "Please, Gerry, please!"

Gerry held down his glass. Clematis dipped in the tip of her little finger, and as they all drank, gravely carried the drop of wine to her lips.



As Judge Healey, gray-haired but erect, walked up the avenue his keen Wayne to back a Wayne for good or glance fell on Cerry Lansing standing across the stree. efore an art dealer's window. Gerry's eyes were fastened on a picture that he had long had in mind for a certain nook in the library of the town house.

It was the second anniversary of his wedding, and though it was already late in the afternoon Gerry had not yet chosen his gift for Alix. He turned from the picture with a last accounts came in today. I want to Alan, "I never was that." long look and a shrug and passed on to a palatial jeweler's farther up the

For many years Judge Healey had been foster father to Red Hill in general and to Gerry in particular. With almost womanly intuition he read what was in Gerry's mind before the picture and acting on impulse the judge crossed the street and bought it. While the judge was still in the picture shop Gerry came out of the jeweler's and started briskly for home. He had purchased a pendant of brilliants, extravagant for his purse but yet saved to good taste by a simple criginality in design.

He waited until the dinner hour and then slipped his gift into Alix' hand as they walked down the stairs together. She stopped beneath the hall light. "I can't wait, dear, I simply can't." She snapped open the case. "Oh!" she gasped. "How dear! How perfectly dear! You old sweetheart!" She threw her arms around his neck and kissed him twice. Then she flew away to the drawing room in search of Mrs. Lansing and the judge, the sole guests to the little anniversary and fellowed.

Alix' tongue was rippling—her whole body was rippling-with excitement ure before their eyes. She laid it against her warm neck and ran to a mirror. The light in her eyes matched the light in the stones. The judge took the jewel and laid it in the palm was on the way, but Gerry did not ger of being crushed. "A beautiful thing, Gerry," he said, "and well chosen. Some poet jeweler dreamed that

After dinner the four gathered in cture her as chain lightning playing Alix took her stand before it. She glanced inquiringly at the others. Mrs. Lansing nodded at the judge. Alix turned back to the picture and gravity stole into her face. Then she faced

the judge with a smile. "We live," she said, "in a Philistine age, don't we? But I've never let any of and talk turned con-ed Europe. She even sug-right place in the heart. Pictures in a firing trip for the fall, but art galleries." she shrugged her prot- be asked.

coccessores decoccessores coccessores coccessores ty shoulders—"I have not been trained up to them. To me, they are mounted butterflies in a museum, cut flowers crowded at the florist's. But this picture and that nook-they have waited for each other. You see the picture nestling down for a long rest and it seems a small thing and then it catches your eye and holds it and you see that it is a little door that opens on a wide world. It has slipped into the room and become a part of life."

A strange stillness followed on Alix' words. To the judge and to Gerry it was as though the picture had opened window to her mind. Then she closed the window. "Come, Gerry." she said, turning. "Make your bow to the judge and bark." Gerry was excited, though he did

not show it. "You have dressed my thoughts in words I can't equal," be said and strolled out on to the little veranda at the back of the house. He wanted to be alone for a moment and think over this flash of light that had followed a dark day. For the first time in a long while Alix had revealed herself. He did not begrudge the judge his triumph. He knew instinctively that coming from him instead of from the judge the picture would not have struck that intimate spark.

The next day Gerry gave his consent to Alix' plan for a flying trip abroad, but with a reservation. The reservation was that she should join some party and leave him behind.

Judge Healey heard of this arrangement only when it was on the point of being put into effect. In fact he was only just in time at the steamer to wave good-by to Alix. Leaning over the rail, with her high color, moist red lips and big excited eyes making play under a golden crown of hair and over a huge armful of roses, Alix presented a picture not easily forgot-

The judge turned to Gerry. "She ought not to be going without you,

"Oh, it's all right," said Gerry lightly. "She's well chaperoned. It's a big party, you know."

But during the weeks that followed the judge saw it was not all right. Gerry had less and less time for golf and more and more for whiskys and sodas. The judge was troubled and felt a sort of relief when from far away Alan Wayne cropped into his af- him. "how are you?" fairs and gave him something else to think about.

McDale called without appointment the judge knew at once that he was going to hear something about Alan. "Lucky to find you in," puffed Mc-Dale. "It isn't business exactly or I'd have 'phoned. I was just passing

"Well, what is it?" asked the judge, offering his visitor a fresh cigar. "It's this. That boy, Alan Wayne

sort of protege of yours, isn't he?" "Yes—in a way—yes," said the judge slowly, frowning. "What has Alan done now?"

"It's like this," said McDale. "Six months ago we sent Mr. Wayne out on contract as assistant to Walton. Walton no sooner got on the ground than he fell sick. He put Wayne in charge and then he died. Now this is the point. Mr. Wayne seems to have prohad the cheek to draw his own as well. He won't be here for weeks but his



"What Has Alan Done Now?" know if you see any reason why we shouldn't have that money back, to say

tell you why he drew Walton's pay?" "Not a word. Said he'd explain accounts when he got here but that sort of thing takes a lot of explaining."

"Well," said the judge, "I can tell you. Walton's pay went to his widow through me. I've been doing some puzzling on this case already. Now will you tell me how Alan got the

money without drawing on you?" "Oh, there was plenty of money lying around. The job cost ten per cent less than Walton's estimate. If he'd come back we'd have hauled him over the coals for the blunder. There was cessible regions and then the people we did the job for paid ten days bonus for finishing that much ahead of

contract time." The judge mused. "Was the job satisfactory to the people out there?"

'Most satisfactory. But there was a funny thing there too. They wrote that while they did not approve of Mr. Wayne's time-saving methods, the Alan. It can't be good for us." finished work had their absolute acceptance."

The judge was silent for a moment. 'You want my advice?"

"Yes, not for our own sake but for Wayne's."

"Well," said the judge, "I'm going to give it to you for your sake. When out to sea. Alan was not a philanderyou stumble across a boy than can cut ten per cent off the working and time estimates of an old hand like Walton, you bind him to you with a long contract at any salary he wants. And just one thing more: when Alan Wayne steals a cent fi 'n you or fifty thousand dollars you come to me and I'll pay it."

McDale's eyes narrowed and he puffed nervously at his cigar. He got up to take his leave. "Judge," he said, "your head is on right and your heart's goes with hot, racing blood. in the right place, as well. I begin to see that widow business. Wayne sized us up for a hard-headed firm don't have to and we are. It wasn't needn't worry. A man that you'll



Solent. He was already comfortably established in his chair with a small pile of fiction beside him.

She paused before she approached him. Alan had always interested her. Alix had thought of him heretofore fits that, in times past, had led him into more than one barbarous escapade. Now in London she had by chance heard things of him that forced her to readjustment of her estimate. In six months Alan had turned himself into a "Weil," she said, coming up behind

Alan turned his head slowly and

When Angus McDale of McDale and to his feet. "The sky is clear." he said, "where

> did you drop from?" His eyes measured her. She was ravishing in a fur morals would stand without other peotoque and coat which had yet to re- ple's eyes to prop them up?" ceive their baptism of import duty. "Oh," said Alix, "my presence is

> humdrum. Just the usual returning WISE AND HUMANE PROVISION from six weeks abroad. But you! You and from all accounts you have been

"Been one! From all accounts!" exclaimed Alan, a puzzled frown on his face. "Just what do you mean?"

They started walking. "I meant that even in Africa one can't hide from Pic- Cod, where the "bankers" seek the cadilly. In Piccadilly you are already | cod, are to be looked after by Uncle known. Not as Mr. Alan Wayne, a Sam. The men of the big fishing fleet New York social satellite, but as a which puts off from the New England whirlwind in shirt sleeves. Ten Percent Wayne, in short." She looked buryport and Portsmouth lead exmoted himself to Walton's pay. He at him with teasing archness. She could see that he was worried.

"Satellite is rather rough." remarked

"All bachelors are satellites in the nature of things-satellites to other men's wives "

"Have you a vacancy?" said Alan. played it often. No pretty woman takes her European degree without had been through the European mill. She threw out her daintily shod feet as she walked. She was full of life. She felt like skipping. The light of battle danced merrily in her eyes. She made no other reply.

"I met lots of people we both know," "Which one of them passed on the

news that I had taken to the ways of a wild beast?" "Oh, that was the Honorable Percy. I only caught a few words. He was telling about a man known as Ten Percent Wayne and the only time he'd ever seen the shirt-sleeve policy work with natives. When I learned it was

Africa, I linked up with you at once and screamed and he turned to me and said, 'You know Mr. Wayne?" But just then Lady Merle signaled the retreat, and when the men came out somebody else snaffled Collingeford before I got a chance."

"Oh, Collingeford," said Alan. "I remember." He frowned and was si-"Alan." said Alix after a moment

"let me warn you. I see a new tenany further than a tendency let me tell you that a thoughtful man is a most awful bore. When I caught sight of you I thought, 'What a delightful little party,' but if you're going to be pensive there are others-Alan glanced at her. "Alix." he said, mimicking her tone, "I see in you the makings of an altogether charming woman. I'm not speaking of the painstaking veneer-I suppose you need that in your walk of life-but what's under it. There may be others, as you say. Pretty women have taken to wearing men for bangles. But don't the station, we take turns at naming you make a mistake. I'm not a bangle. I've just come from the unclothed world of real things. To me a man is the usual reserve for work in inac- just a man and, what's more, a woman is fust a woman."

"How un-American," said Alix. "It's more than that," said Alan,

"it's pre-American." Alix was thoughtful in her turn. Alan caught her by the arm and turned

"Yes, it was," said McDale bluntly. crossing the disk of the manager and sun. Alix felt a thrill at his touch. she said. "But you mustn't touch me,

"So you feel it too," said Alan, and took his hand from her arm.

During the voyage they were much together, not in dark corners but waging their battle in the open-two swimmers that fought each other, forgetting to fight the tide that was bearing them er to snatch an unrequited kiss. To him a kiss was the seal on surrender. But to Alix the game was its own gual. As she had always played it, nobody had ever really won anything. However, it did not take her long to appreciate that in Alan she had an opponent who was constantly getting under her guard and making her feel things-things that were alarming in themselves like the jump of one's heart

Alan's power over women was in when it comes to paying out what we With his tongue he carried Alix away law, but he was right. Walton's work | which lulls a woman into laxity. One was done just as if he'd been alive. night as they sat side by side, a single Even a Scotchman can see that. You great rug across their knees, Alan laid his hand under cover on hers. A quiver back for fifty thousand is good enough went through Alix' body. Her closed hand stirred nervously but she did not really draw it away. "Alan," she said, It's common-this sort of thing."

Alan tightened his grip. "You say never thought it out. Lightning was ration. common till somebody thought it out. I sit beside you without touching you and we are in two worlds. I grip your the Elenic steamed slowly down the hand-like this-and the abyss between us is closed. While I hold you nohing can come between."

Alix' hand opened and settled into his. For a while they sat silent, then Alix recovered herself. "After all," she said, "we're not on a desert island as a modern exquisite subject to atavic but on a ship with eyes in every cor-

Alan leaned toward her. "But if we were, Alixi If we were on a desert island-you and I-"

For a moment Alix looked into his burning eyes. She felt that there was fire in her own eyes, too-a fire she could not altogether control. She disengaged herself and sprang up. Alan feelings. We're only too glad to be rose slowly and stood beside her. He then threw off his rugs and sprang did not look at her parted lips and hot cheeks; he had suddenly become languid. "That's it," he drawled, "eyes in every corner. I wonder how many

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Uncle Sam, From This Time On, Will Look After the "Bankers" Hitherto Neglected.

Those who brave the dangers of storm, fog and icebergs of that elevated submarine plateau east of Cape coast from Gloucester, Boston, Newistences which are dangerous to bod-

ily health and even to life itself. The fishing craft which seek the cod, hake, halibut and other deep-sea ground fish on the Georges have meager facilities for men who become disabled, and the usual program has been that when a man got sick he had to They both knew they were embark- stay sick and take his chances of reing upon a dangerous game, but Alix covery, being out of reach of physicians, says the New York Press, editorially. In a single season many ample occasion for practice and Alix boats and lives are lost, with numbers

more of men injured. The national government has placed the coast guard cutter Androscoggin at the disposal of fishermen that mey meaning of that—we've seen you wear become sick or disabled, and the Usit- this fine red robe quite often, you ed States public health bureau has know.' fitted out the boat with hospital appliances and fittings. A very thoughtful Sun. 'In the first place of all I canand attentive looker after the welfare not tell you my age for I've forgotand safety of Americans is Uncle Sam becoming in many different ways and ten. Now that I've lived so many directions.

Burglar Had Paid His Visit Smith. "I envy you. You come it to forget one's age-but then you see contact with all kinds of men. You I am so old. Besides I have such a actually know and talk to burglars great deal to think of. There are aland other criminals. All I know ways the sick People to be made well. about them is what I read or imag and there are the Picnics and Swimine about them. Now, the next time ming parties I have to attend, and you meet a good burglar I want you there are the Crops to be grown and to send him to me. Give him a card the Flowers in the gardens, and oh to me and tell him I will pay his car such thousands of things that I canfare and expenses. I want to talk to not remember my age. him and see how criminals differ from other men."

Smith promised to send along the next good specimen of a burgiar that the matter until some weeks later he received this letter from Brown:

"Your friend came, but I had not will tell him to bring back the family I give a Birthday Party. plate and Mrs. Brown's jewels you and I will resume social relations."

Good Game to Play on a Train.

Here is an interesting game to play

when we are traveling by train. While the train stops at a station, all the players look about and take as much notice of things as possible. Then, a few minutes after the train has left objects which we saw there. Of course, at first this is easy, and we can go round and round again, each player naming one object which no oth er player has mentioned. But as the game goes on it becomes harder and harder to recall something seen which hasn't already been named. The one who is last able to mention an object wins the game. Besides being good her toward the west. A yawl was just sport, it trains in observation,

### sun. Alix felt a thrill at his touch. "It's a sweet little picture, isn't it?" DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE L MARY GRAHAM BONNER

MR. SUN'S BIRTHDAY.

The Children had seen old Mr. Sun on his way to bed. He had been as red as could be and very, very enormous. They wondered what Mr. Sun was up to, and were not surprised at all when Daddy said:

"Mr. Sun had a Birthday Party this afternoon and the Gnomes were invited. He told his Guests to come just a little while before it was time for him to go to bed.

"'Well,' said Peter Gnome, 'you into the throat or the intoxication that don't suppose we would come after you had gone to bed, do you?

"'Oh no,' said Mr. Sun as he voice and words. If he had been hid- grinned, but the Party must begin at eous it would have been the same. Just such a time and end at just such a time. I have my own special reaand gave her that sense of isolation sons, so come as I've said, won't you, Gnomes?

"'By all means,' said the Gnomes. "And just a little while before Mr. Sun's going to bedtime, all the Gnomes appeared on top of a high hill.

"Mr. Sun was shining brightly, but soon the Gnomes noticed he began to "I've told you not to! Please don't. get even brighter and brighter, and more red every second.

"'You're looking wonderful, Mr. it's common," he said, "because you've Sun,' the Gnomes called out in admi-

" 'So glad to hear you say that,' said Mr. Sun, 'for this is my Birthday Party!

"'Your Birthday,' they cried out in amazement. 'Why we never knew you had a Birthday!'

"'Oh, oh,' said Mr. Sun, and he almost lost his fine color which he had been getting. 'Dear me, oh Mr. Purple Cloud,' he called, 'let me hide my head in your best shawl, these little Gnomes never knew I had a Birthday!' And for a moment Mr. Sun was hidden by a Purple Cloud and only a shadow could be seen from his beautiful red color.

"'But explain to us," said the Gnomes. 'We don't want to hurt your



"You're Looking Wonderful, Mr. Sun."

at your Birthday Party. We just didn't know about it-that's all. Won't you tell us, Mr. Sun?

"And Mr. Sun again came out from the Purple Cloud and said:

"'Why, you see when I change into this bright red robe of mine—then it's my Birthday. Perfectly simple, isn't

"'Yes, perfectly, now that you've explained. But still we want to know how many years old are you? And you certainly have a Birthday Party more than once a year, such as People have. Won't you kindly tell us the

"'To be sure I'll tell you,' said Mr. ten it. Truly and really I've forgotyears it's hardly worth the while remembering just exactly the time. Of course, I know that a little Boy or a Some time ago Brown said to little Girl would think it very strange

"'And as for having more than one Birthday a year—that is perfectly true. I have them whenever I feel like it-but usually I have one when came his way and forgot all about I'm going to work very hard the next day, to make folks fine and warm, and the things in the gardens grow. You see when I'm feeling so strong and expected him professionally. If you well I think I ought to celebrate, so

"'Everyone admires me when I wear this robe, and it's just the same to me as though they were all saying that they wished me many happy returns of the day-for they all are hoping that I will wear the red robe

"'You've shown us a great honor to ask us to your Birthday Party, said one of the Gnomes, 'and we're more than grateful. But we must sing you a Girthday Song.' And they all joined hands and danced around on the top of the hill singing. To Mr. Sun, who is such fun, many happy returns of the day!"

"And as Mr. Sun was hurrying off to bed, for it was high time for him to be off, lovely Red Clouds were left in the sky as thanks for the Gnomes' Birthday wishes."

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HAVE A HEART.

Oh, how I love my Kitty! m sorry when she cries.

Now isn't it a pity
To part with such a prize? n we're off to the country, But Kitty cannot go.

My kitten somewhere nigh.

Will she be turned out of the house When I have loved her so? There'll be no one to give her milk And she will surely die. Oh, mother, have a heart and board

The question of what to do with the



woman who is summer vacation. The family across the street, who stay at home, will take the canaries, the parrot goes to the bird store, the dog, Rover, is placed in charge

tions later.

There was but one solution of the fight for daily bread. difficulty and that was to take off her pretty collar, turn her loose and for swiftly, mechanically, but blame her this course must have a heart in her your lace-befrilled petticoat or emwhy the door that has always opened her baby. to its mewing should be closed and the little one so eager to caress it is

according to its fast failing strength. The few crumbs from the fashionable cents from the price of the bouquet she buys daily would board the children's luckless pet.

Her little ones ask her repeatedly If the kitty will be there when they return. She answers evasively, "I suppose so," but down deep in her heart she realizes that the frail life she could so easily have provided for and saved will have gone out long before their season of pleasure ends.

If all that is left of poor kitty is found curled up in a far corner of the yard when they return, it is a tragedy in the lives of the children which they are never able to forget. The truth is driven home to the hearts of the children that their mother is hard of heart-possesses wanton cruelty in her nature to let an animal die that she might have saved. Many good homes could be found for poor cats during the summer while the family is away for a trifling outlay of cash. If kitty is good enough to be one of the houshold pets in winter, her welfare dur ing the summer should be safeguarded. Guilty indeed must be the conscience! of one who could go off pleasuring after turning out poor puss to starve.

#### GIRLS DO AS THEY PLEASE?

Evils change not on a sudden. But many days must pass and many

Conscious remorse and anguish must be

To curb desire, to break the stubborn And work a second nature in the soul

Ere wisdom can resume the place she

Where there is a daughter in the family, who can be said to be the head of the house-providing, of course, father and mother are of the meek and mild type and the girl selfwilled?

miss have lengthened to her shoe tops father has discovered that it is useless to raise a protest against her will. If she decides that it is the high time | kept by the producing company. Adto begin to entertain boys who have asked to call father hastily quits the house and, after a vain attempt endeavoring to argue the point, mother

Every mother is very apt to think, after all is said and done, that her girl is just a little short of perfection. film is usually sufficient to supply the Of course she wasn't allowed to receive young men callers until after ing additional positives. she was twenty, but customs, she concludes, are different now from what they were then, at least so her daugh-

It is the girl who decides whether they shall spend the summer in the become a telephone operator.

country or at a fushionable resort; whether father shall be allowed a new suit or not and mother likewise. She accepts invitations out to dance, picnics or to the homes of girl friends as her fancy dictates, not as mother wills.

The after life of the girl of this sort can easily be pictured. She falls in love with the type of man she should not, weds him and lives unhappily ever after. It remains for parents of a self-willed daughter to use kindly, but firm, measures in bringing her up. She should not have the sugar plums she cries hysterically for when the parents know she is best off without them. During her early youth they should exert their authority, declaring father or mother the head of the home, whose word is law.

No girl should be permitted to do exactly as she pleases. Sweet, dangerous, foolish sixteen is not the age of judgment. Mother should be the one to decide what young men may call and when. Even her dressing should be in accordance with mother's liked that although in many states household pets is a problem which not approval. In the selection of a beau only bothers, but father and mother should have equal vexes, many a say-so and be fully agreed.

> It is a kindness to the self-willed getting ready to girl to hold her well in hand, to gain close the house her respect and love. Every girl has and start off with a loving heart. It is for parents to her family for the cultivate and cherish it. No girl should do just as she pleases.

#### BABIES OF THE POOR.

Wishfully I look and languish In that bonnie face o' thine, And my heart is torn wi' anguish Lest my jewel they should tine.

Have you ever turned from your of the furnace door a woman with a child clinging to man, but there's her skirts, who was pleading for a that cat — the day's work, declaring the child would homely, speckled, be a nuisance, and that you could conhomeless cat that sider only an unencumbered worker? mewed itself into the sympathies of If you have, it is such as you who have the children one bitter, cold winter forced working mothers to place their night and purred itself into their affec- little ones in charitable institutions, that they might gain employment to

The woman may go through her task get about her. The woman who takes not if the iron is a trifle too hot for bosom that is barren of pity. It is broidered dollies; for the moment her only a cat that is left behind, but it is thoughts might have flitted from her one of God's creatures and one of the work to the charitable institution in most helpless. It cannot understand which she had been forced to leave

No one will ever know how many despairing tears are ironed in with the laces she is doing up for little ones Animals feel hunger and thirst quite so much more fortunate by the as soon, if not sooner, than do humans. chance of being born to the rich—than ingredients. Stir until the combina-Its incessant pitiful cries wring the her own baby. Her mother heart is tion thickens. Serve on toast. hearts of those who cannot help hear- constantly torn by conflicting fears. ing them. The poor, agonized ani- is there some kind hand near to lift as before described, and with a sharp mal eludes the dogs that are set upon a cup of water to its parched lips or knife and a mallet or with a cleaver 1t, policemen's clubs and the kicks of move it gently from the boiling sun cruel boys, only to return again, when into the cooling shade or soothe its the coast appears to be clear, to the cries? Will there be anyone to notice one and only home it has known. He if it has been sitting in one position the two pieces with the shell part down who has said a cat has nine lives does long hours until it is convulsed with over a moderate fire. When half not realize the frail hold upon the pain and sobs, its little back nearly cooked, moisten well with butter, and breath of life the starving cat has. sprained, or wipe away the cruel dust Those of its own kind have as little that has lodged in its reddened, blinkmercy upon it as the heartless human ing eyes? The nurses are few, and the who thrust it out to starve, fight or die children huddled together in the small grounds are many; only momentary attention can be given to anyone. The hotel where she is dining would keep working mother's paltry two or three life in the little frail body. A few dollars per week being so little, she must not expect more than ordinary care for her child.

The cry of such a mother's heart is, "Oh, God! if I could but get work at which I could keep my little one by my side!" No hand like a mother's can soothe pain. No one can or would stand between baby, and harm like the mother who loves it better than her own life. These working mothers-widows-have heard of the efforts of humane sympathizers who are endeavoring to have a bill passed whereby such women would be paid the small stipend they are obliged to pay the day nurseries for caring for their children to enable them to care for their little ones themselves at home. They pray to heaven that the dear privilege of caring for their little ones themselves may become a reality

instead of only a fanciful dream. Only those who have watched children brought up in charitable institutions can realize the deadening effects of such a life upon the child. All courage, heart and independence that his nature under other influences might have shown are crushed into an apathetic state. Timid children are overruled by the will of the stronger, be the cause right or wrong.

As the tree is bent so will it grow. The mother plodding away to earn its support has no voice in influencing the nature of her child. Those with whom the child is surrounded are the compelling forces that bear weight with him for weal or for woe. Give the widowed, working mother the wherewithal to care for her child at

#### Making Movie Films.

An unlimited number of positive films of moving pictures can be made from a single photographic negative, says By the time the dresses of the young | the Indianapolis News. After positives of sufficient number to supply the exchanges throughout the country have been made, the negative is usually ditional positives can be made at any time. The pictures that appear in a scratched condition are films that have been exhibited considerably. These "second run" films usually cost the exhibitor less than the films when they are first released. The life of the demand of the theaters without print-

> Cruel Construction. Jane-I have so many callers they just bother the life out of me. Kate-Why, I didn't know you he



Every established mental condition is an acquired habit, and it has become such by continuous repetition of thought. Despondency and cheerfulness, anger and calmness, covetousand generosity indeed are all states of mind-are habits built up by choice, until they have become auto matic. A thought constantly repeated at last becomes a fixed habit of inind, and from such habits proceeds the life.

#### COOKING LOBSTERS.

These delicate shellfish are so well

they are hard to get, a few ways of preparing them will not be amiss. enough to have them in plenty will appreciate new dish. A mediumsized lobster is the best to choose, those which are lively and heavy in weight. Lobsters should be killed immediately be-

fore boiling. If a pointed knife be run into the back between the body and tail shells, death will occur at once. No lobster is of good flavor that has been killed hours before it is cooked. A fresh boiled lobster has a stiff tail, which will, if gently raised, return with a spring to its curled condition. Care should be taken never to pull the tail straight, as it will never respond

Lobster Toast.—Canned lobster may be used for this dish. Pick over to remove any pieces of shell. Add one dessertspoonful of warmed butter, red pepper, capers and pickled cucumber. Pound till well blended, add salt. Heat hot and serve on buttered toast.

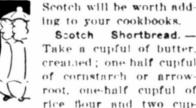
Creamed Lobster.-Remove the meat from the lobster and chop finely. Bent the yolks of two eggs and mix with a quarter of a cupful of cream, a few drops of onion juice, a half a tenspoonful of salt, a pinch of red pepper and a grating of nutmeg. Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter, add the minced lobster, cook and stir for a few minutes; then add the cream and other

Broiled Lobster.-Kill the lobsters split down the back on the line which runs down the middle of the shell. Remove the stomach and intestines, place sprinkle with pepper, salt and lemon fuice. Crack the claws before serving.

Wandrous is the strength of cheerfulness, and its power of endurancethe cheerful man will do more in the same time, will do it better, will persevere in it longer, than the sad or suilen.—Carlyle

#### SUGGESTIVE DISHES.

For a simple little cake to serve with a cup of tea, the shortbread enjoyed so much by the Scotch will be worth adding to your cookbooks. Scotch Shortbread. -



of cornstarch or arrowroot, one-half cupful of rice flour and two cupfuls of wheat flour with one-half cuptul of sugar. Cream the butter, add the sugar, and mix in the flour, kneading it well with the hands until well mixed. Pat it on a board until a fourth of an inch in thickness, and cut with small cutters, pricking well with a fork before baking. Bake in a slow

Walnut Catchup.-When the black walnuts are green and still soft enough to pierce with a needle, pick a hundred. Allow six ounces of small of vinegar, two ounces of anchovies. cloves. Pound the walnuts in a mortar | Mix well and serve cold. until well broken, then put them into a jar with the vinegar, onton and garlic, cut fine, with salt to taste. Let stand for two weeks, stirring twice a day. Strain off the liquid, add the rest of the ingredients, and boil 30 minutes. Skim well and strain when cold, and

Labscosh.—Butter a baking dish and fill with alternate layers of sliced raw potatoes and hamburg steak; season with pepper and salt and butter. When the dish is nearly full, pour over onehalf cupful of finely chopped onions and one cupful of tomatoes, either cooked or fresh. Then pour over a cupful of sweet cream and set into the oven to bake. This should bake slowly an hour and a half. The tomatoes may be omitted if the combination is

Carrot Pudding .- To a cupful of boiled and mashed carrots add two well-beaten eggs, one-fourth of a cupful of sugar, half a teaspoonful of cinnamon, the same of grated nutmeg, one-fourth of a teaspoonful of salt and half a cupful each of milk and cream. Mix well and pour into a pudding dish and bake half an hour. Serve cold with sweetened

whipped cream. Mock Guava Jelly,-Wash and soak overnight a pound of home-dried apples. The next morning cook them slowly in the water; then strain through a jelly bag. There should be gre cupfuls of juice; add to the boil-

ing hot juice five cupfuls of sugar and one cupful of lemon juice; cook 20 minutes; skim and strain into glasses.

The man or woman that makes character makes foes .- Young.

The ideal life, the life full of completion haunts us all. We feel the thing we ought to be beating beneath the thing we are

#### FOOD SUGGESTIONS.

hot days is prepared as suits. Thanks to manufacturers there her that its cost is next to nothing. It follows: Boil together a pound of round steak and two large pork hocks. When done, mince the meat with a fork but do not put it through the meat chopper as it makes it pasty. Put into a mold and pour over it the

liquor in which the meat was cooked. Salmon With Tomatoes.-I'repare tomato cups by scalding the tomato, remove the skin, then hollow out the form cups, using a sharp tenspoon. Turn upside down to drain and place on ice to keep them firm. Fill with salmon and chopped celery with a good boiled dressing that is highly sensoned.

Prune and Rice Meringue.—Boil and drain one cupful of rice, then add two tablespoonfuls of butter, three of sugar, one well-beaten egg and one tenspoonful of ginger extract. Spread some of this mixture on a platter, cover it with a layer of stewed prunes; continue alternating the layers until all the rice is used. Sprinkle lightly with sugar, and cover with a meringue made of the whites of two eggs, onehalf cupful of sugar, and brown in the oven. Serve cold, decorated with whole stewed prunes.

Apricot Tapioca Pudding.—Cover one and a half cupfuls of taploca with cold water and let it soak for three hours; then drain and add three cupfuls of boiling water, one-half a tenspoonful of salt and one cupful of sugar; cook in a double boiler until transparent. Skin and stone twelve apricots, put them into the bottom of a buttered baking dish, pour over moderate oven for 20 minutes. Serve hot or cold with sugar and cream.

Pickled Cherries.—Select sound large cherries and to every quart of and pour the boiling vinegar and they may be used almost immediately.

Monday's child is fair of face. Tuesday's child is full of grace; Wednesday's child is merry and glad, Thursday's child is sour and sad; Friday's child is loving and giving. Saturday's child must work for his

living: But the child that is born on the Sab-

Is blithe and bonny, and good and

#### GOOD THINGS.

To make ripe olives more delicious soak them over night in olive oil in which has been placed a



of cold potatoes and celery. Mix the yolks of five hard-cooked eggs, with two tablespoonfuls of anchovy sauce; then press through a sieve and add very gradually six tablespoonfuls of olive oil, two of

onions, a clove of garlic, two quarts vinegar, one tablespoonful of made mustard, one-fourth of a teaspoonful two ounces of pepper, one-fourth of an of sait, a few dashes of pepper and ounce of mace, one-half an ounce of the whites of the eggs, cut in rings. Corn Salad .- Allow half as much

each of chopped celery and walnut ments as of grated cooked corn; season with salt, pepper and one finely chopped onlon. Mix with a good boiled dressing to which whipped cream has been added.

Supper Dish .- Place eggs in a granite ple plate and sprinkle generously with cheese and bread crumbs, with sait and pepper to taste. Place in the oven and bake until the eggs are set. A little cream put into the pan before the eggs are broken into it is an Improvement.

Cafe Parfait.—Take a cupful of strong coffee infusion, add two egg salt three hours. Unmold and serve.

Buttermilk Cake.—Take two cup- rim of black. fuls of buttermilk, one-half cupful cupfuls of graham flour, unsifted, and penings of the day. one-half cupful of walnut meats, coarsely broken. Bake one hour. This makes two loaves. The nuts may be omitted and a sour cream and nut frosting may be used to ice the top.

Nevie Maxwell

## In Woman's Realm

Of All Articles of Clothing, the Tailored Costume Should Be Chosen With the Utmost Care, for Obvious Reasons-Dainty Things Innumerable Are Offered at This Time for Wear in the Morning.

must reach the same standards in all women step down and up to a common level when they wear correct suit is to be most carefully selected.

Wherever else she may be forced to practice economy every woman should morning jackets and it doesn't take A pressed meat which will be found give as much as she can for good ma- much calculation on the part of the appetizing for picnics or luncheons on terial and good style in her tailored least calculating woman to convince

The tailored suit is of perennial in- (wild rose. Here is one of them. terest, for it is much the same and made of the very palest shade of pink, in cotton voile, with a narrow satin walks of life. Nothing that women stripe running through it. Scattered wear meets so many critical eyes, and over the surface of the cloth, the smallest of roses, about as big as a pencilhead, are set in equally diminutive street clothes. Therefore the tailored leaves. The roses are in pink, deepening to the American Beauty shade.

This is about the simplest of all



cherries allow a cupful of the best are ready-made suits of moderate lonly takes about three yards of voile a cider vinegar, two cupfuls of sugar, price that command the respect of the yard wide to make the body and

one stick of cinnamon, broken in bits; most discriminating of women. The sleeves. Any other sheer fabric will a blade of mace and six whole cloves. most effective sults follow current answer the purpose as well as voile, Pit the cherries, pack them in jars modes with so much reserve that they and there are numberless cotton are not out of date with the passing weaves, including challe, organdie, spices over them. Cork and set away: of a single season. This is especially lawn, batiste, mull and crepe, that are true of the materials of which the printed with all sorts of flower patbest tailored suits are made.

The suit shown here is an excellent example of a standard suit, made of long shoulder seams and three-quarter black and white checked material length sleeves. It is cut to hang which is never out of fashion. The skirt is plain and rather full and ered in at the waistline by a ribbon flares sufficiently to be in the mode. run through a casing. The casing is The coat is plain cut, with an easy made by stitching a strip of the mateadjustment to the figure, which is rial to the under side of the jacket.

terns.

The jacket pictured is plain with straight from the shoulders, and gathalways smart, and has a full peplum | The neck is trimmed to a V shape at



Trim and Neat for Breakfast Time.

yolks beaten, one-half cupful of sugar and wide belt of the material. Patch | the front and finished with a narrow and cook in a double boiler until thick, pockets, odd band cuffs, and high facing, and the sleeves are faced also. Beat a pint of cream until thick; add | plain collar depend upon neat ma- All the seams are felled. to the coffee mixture when cool; pour chine-stitching and bone buttons for into a mold and let stand in ice and an always correct tailored finish. The buttons are white, bordered with a edging whipped to the insertion with

White washable gloves, black and of brown sugar, one teaspoonful of white shoes, and a tailored hat faced baking powder, one teaspoonful of with black belong in the company of soda, dissolved in the buttermilk; two- this model suit. They complete the neck and sleeves as a finish to the thirds of a cupful of wheat flour, two equipment of the wearer for the hap-

> There are many dainty jackets designed for morning wear that go to no great lengths to make themselves at fastener, tractive. They are, in fact, brief little garments whose story is soon told. But they are as sure of pleasing the eye and the good taste of women as is the

A row of val lace insertion and

edging trims the bottom, having the little fullness, to form a scant frill.

A wide collar and cuffs of white organdie are finished with lace in the same way, and they are basted to the jacket. Collar and ouff sets are bought ready made and may be had for so low a price that it is hardly worth while to make them. The jacket fastens at the throat with a snap

Julie Bottomby



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### **Teachers' Institute**

We, the teachers of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, in county teachers' institute assembled July 31, to August 10, 1916, hereby adopt the following resoutions: Be it resolved:

1. Since this is the closing year of the administration of Mrs. S. F. Coffberson, as county superintendent of schools of Roosevelt county, and since she has served the county efficiently and faithfully for eight years as its chief school officer, and during such time the schools of the county have made much progress. and a high standard of education in our county has been maintained, and a high moral standard upheld by her, that we extend to her for her noble work, and for this splendid service, our sincere thanks; that we endorse the stand taken by her in seeing that the teachers of the county are paid the salaries for which they contracted: that, as her administration comes to close, and since she will soon be separated from us as our chief school officer, we wish that her remaining days here upon earth may be many, and that her pathway may be strewn with only the pleasant things of life.

That since our conductor, Mr. R. A. Deen, has directed this institute in an able and efficient way; has rendered a high grade of service, both in his teaching and the management of the institute, we extend to him thanks for this most efficient service, and also for the many courtesies shown the teachers during the institute.

3. That we extend to those who have assisted in the institute work, as instructors, viz., Mr. Timmons, Miss Hutchison, Mrs. Nixon, and Mr. Culberson, our thanks for their able instruction.

That we thank Mr. W. M. Wilson for his earnest and sincere efforts in his work with the pairs 25c, People's Store. teachers taking the reading circle

5. That we extend to Judge The little daughter of Mr. and Lindsey our thanks for his ad- Mrs. Clyde Cunningham died at dress on the first morning of our Kansas City, Missouri, on Aumeeting and assure him of our gust 4. The little one's name to the city of Portales. We fur- of Portales. Following was co. ther thank him for his kindness tributed by an aunt of the dein coming to us and explaining ceased: the new school laws.

6. That we thank the Hon. Ralph Ely for the most excellent address he made in our assembly Oh! Jesus calls you come, dear babe, on August 2nd.

7. That we thank our state superintendent, Hon. Alvin N. White, and Dr. Frank H. H. Rob- Before you know what is wrong. erts for the interest manifested God loves the innocent and the pure, in us by their coming to visit our institute and for their splendid Oh! may you lead the ones more wise addresses.

8 That we thank Professor McClure, of East Las Vegas, for his visit and talk to us, and extend him an invitation to be with us again.

9. That we extend to the following: the male quartette, consisting of Mr. Geo. Deen, Dr. Hough, Mr. Timmons and Mr. Oh! little babe, we love you yet, Brown; also to Mrs. Nixon, Miss And your departure we regret, Smith, Miss Culberson, Miss Jones. Mrs. Knapp and the music class. our thanks for the most excellent music rendered for our entertainment. We also thank Miss Anderson and the Misses Davies for pair, at People's Store. their splendid readings.

10. That we assure Mrs. Nixon of our appreciation of the cake domestic science class, and that the county institue each year This is a distinct loss to the have a domestic science depart- county as it will, in all probability ment that we again may be made be a long time before another one to thus appreciate it.

nandes for the beautiful flowers and a perfect individual. sent the institute.

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13. That since Prof. J.S. Long, prigation office or notify Ida former superintendent of Portales Bing.

Resolutions of Roosevelt County schools, is leaving us for another field of work, we assure him of our apprection of his efficent work, among us and in the Portales schools, and wish for him

great success in his new field. 14. That we believe the consolidation of the rural schools to be to their best interest, wherever practicable.

15. That we ask the state department of educatiou to cause a supplement to be printed to the adopted text in New Mexico history and civics, giving the pronunciation of the proper names and places mentioned therein.

16. That we believe it a wise policy for our county superintendent to provide for a small additional institute fee for the purpose of providing a county teachers' library, consisting of professional and other valuable

17. That we approve the sugrestion made in our assembly by Mr. John W. Russell, on August 8th, for having our reading circle work done in teachers' clubs, formed in various parts of

18. That since our county has next to the lowest per cent of illiteracy of any county in New Mexico, that we as teachers put forth special effort in our schools this year, and try if possible to raise our per cent of attendance over that of previous years, that we may maintain our high standard among the counties of the

19. That we approve the plan adopted by the institute for hav ing a school fair.

20. That a copy of these resolutions be given the Portales Valley News and Herald-Times

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# WOODMEN NOTICE

All members Hamilton Camp No. 17, W. O. W., Portales, are hereby notified that the next regular meeting night, August 28th, has been set to discuss the matter of reducing our local camp dues and cutting out the Sick Benefit Fund of our camp. Every member is urged to be present.

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#### **Democratic Precinct Meeting**

Pursuant to call of G. L. Reese, Chairman Democratic Precinct Committee, issued on August 1st a mass precinct convention was held at the county court house, Roosevelt county, at one o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing four delegates to the county con- The Sanitary Barber Shop vention to be held in Portales on August 19th 1916.

A motion was made and duly made seconded that the chairman appoint four delegates to the county convention, after which Chairman G. L. Reese appointed James a Hall, Nolan McCall, H. B. Ryther and W. H. Braley as delegates from Precinct Number One to the Democratic county convention to be held in Portales on August 19th.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

G. L. REESE, Chairman. W. H. Braley, Secretary.

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