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PRIVATELY OWNED **CREAMERIES IN BUSINESS FOR PROFITS ONLY**

Nebraska Farmer Gets Letter From **Centralized Plant Soliciting Cream Shipments**

lized Manager Some Very Pertinent Questions

The Dairy Record contains a letter written by William Frandson, of Freemont, Nebraska, to one of the large central creameries in answer to a co nmunication from them soliciting him to ship them his butter fat instead of patronizing the farm owned crsamery in his community this letter Mr. Fransdon asks of the central plant some very pertinent questions, that apply just as forcibly to the Roosevelt county creamery as they do to the Nebraska institution. He wants to know how long the central plant' will contract to pay the full price for butter fat in the event that the home concern goes out of business; how long they would be enabled to get the right test on their cream; how long would they give the producer the correct weights. These are all pertinent to the situation in Roosevelt county Before the advent of the home butter mill farmers took whatever they could get for their butter fat; they had no other alternative except to guit selling their cream. The test was not fair neither were the weights, and many times the farmer was entirely beaten out of the price of his goods by the failure of the concern he was shipping to. With the advent of the home institution all these things have changed. Butter fat is now bringing thirty four would not be paid today were it celebrate their birthdays. parties living in town who put together. mer is successful, the business ment of the guests.

it looks like the farmers of Priddy, Charlotte Faggard, and Roosevelt county will soon get several children. cheap money for development

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The Race Issue

What became of the "race issue" in the recent state campaign?

E. C. de Baca was elected governor. He failed to carry San Miguel county or Valencia county; he carried A)buquerque over H. O. Bursum; he got his largest majorities in Quay and Roosevelt and Chaves and Eddy counties.

B. C. Hernandez was defeated for congressman. A. A. Jo es was elected United States Senator with the substantial and In Replying Farmer Asks Centra- necessary aid of thousands of native workers. Antonio Lucero's majorities came largely from English-speaking counties.

> Spanish-American citizens distinguished earefully between him and Gilberto Mirabal and between Bonifacio Montoya and Malaquias Martinez.

The political wiseacre who tries to talk "race issue" about the result of the election is likely to find himself in deep waters in short order. The real issues in this campaign were voted on, on their merits and decided by Charles E. Hughes, Republican morrow. the citizens of New Mexico.— candidate for president in the New York, November 22nd.— cal bankers are finding that their Watson. It appears that the Santa Fe New Mexican.

Large School Apportionment

The largest school apportion-election. will be the quarterly apportion-said: \$86,555 82, or 78 cents per pupil. successful administration.

8.103 Automobiles in New Mexico

berquerque Morning Times says: "The total revenue received from licenses for motor vehicles up to October 30th reached \$47,477.79. This represented collection for 8,103 automobiles, 362 motorcyles and from 127 dealers

Birthday Party

A delightful evening was spent cents per pound, and is going last Monday at the home of Mr. higher. This is a heretofore un- and Mrs. J. B. Priddy by a few

cern was altogether in the in- the idea of giving them a surmen of the county. Those tive birthdays came near

sales of the home butter to the P. E. Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Joe expressed that they will be sucutmost. Build up your own in Moody, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde cessful. stitutions before sending your Knapp, Mr. and Mrs. Inda Humphrey, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Reese, Arthur F. Jones, postmaster at Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Oldham, Mr. this place, attended the meeting and Mrs. Arthur Jones, Mr. and of the federal bank commissioners Mrs. E. J. Neer, Mr. and Mrs. at Amarillo, this week. Mr. N. F. Wollard, Mrs. M. J. Fag-Jones says that all were enthus- gard, Mrs. G. M. Williamson. iastic for this institution and Misses Elizabeth and Maurine

A. A. Beeman, cashier of the meeting at Albuquerque of the section of land which joined his of horses. Enoch says there is First National bank, of Elida, representatives of the federal half section, this week through no money to be made in the horse was a Portales visitor Thursday. farm loan bank, this week.

REPUBLICAN CHAIRMAN WIL-COX-CONCEDES ELEC-TION OF PRESIDENT WOODROW WILSON

Candidate Hughes, After Many Days of Procrastination and Vacillation, Wires His Congratulations and Best Wishes for the Peace and Prosperity of the Nation

Mr. Hughes said "Because of the Closeness of the Race I Have Awaited the Official Count in California, and Now that It Has Been Virtually Completed, Permit Me to Extend to You My Congratulations Upon Your Re-Election." Hughes.

Lakewood, N. J., Nov. 22nd. - probably will be given out to-

Washington, November 22. A Santa Fe special to the Al- President Wilson was at atheatre with Mrs. Wilson when the telegram from Mr. Hughes reached the white house and did not know of it until he returned. There was no comment. Some of the hundreds of messages of Hughes should be heard from, plication.'

Gone to Oklahoma City

Judge James A. Hall, R. L. Elder A. N. Kennedy will heard of price in Portales, and friends who gathered there to Blanton and Roy W. Connally preach at the Church of Christ to be in a hurry to ship, even left Sunday morning for Oklaho- Sunday at 11:00 a. m., and eve- when their notes were due and Business Houses Close Thanksgiving not for the co-operative creamery Their two little daughters, ma City to meet with the Ozark ning at 7:30. The building of this home con- Elizabeth and Maurine, conceived Trail commission, with the ob- Subject for the morning ser- oi 1907, John Smith personally of Portales will close our stores ject of having this route located vice will be "Walking in the protected and saved a man from and business for Thanksgiving, terest of the farmers and dairy- prise party because their respectithrough Portales and Roosevelt Light" (John 1:7), evening ser- going to the wall. Another on Thursday, November 30th: county, via Clovis and Roswell, vice, "Christ Lifted Up," (John There are many reasons why this 12:35) money into it did not do so for a Accordingly they issued all in- route should be approved by the A cordial invitation, is exten Harrisonville, Mo. During the Pruit Co., C. V. Harris, C. J. profit sharing proposition. vitations, and with the help of commission. It is a more direct ded you to come and bring your Their hopes of profit come indirtheir grand-mother, Mrs. E. G. line to its objective point and friends. ectly, being based upon the busi- Green, planned the dinner, the would shorten the distance some Mid week services on Wednesness maxim that when the far- decorations and the entertain- hundreds of miles. Another day evening at seven thirty, with ing of the bank's debtors and Strickland & Bland, Portales thing, from Clovis to Roswell, song, prayer and scriptural lesman will be successful in like de- The crowd of friends were just this road is completed at this sons. All are invited to attend fore them. He asked them to J. M. Reynolds, Kemp Lumber gree. If the farmers of Roose- large enough to be pleasant and time. There would be no delay these services. velt county are enabled, through every one there enjoyed the de- and no expense in a ditance of Little church on the west side loans so that none would be this creamery, to get the full licious supper, the music and the something over one hundred of the railroad. market value for their product, recitations. A spirit of cheer miles of road, which is no little they are bound to prosper, and and good fellowship prevailed item in itself. The committee every citizen of the county will and the two little girls and Mrs. may be depended upon to use all chard, to B. J. Cox, who will fered. There are doubtless ing a deep sense of gratitude to met some benefit from their pros- Green deserve great credit for their persuasive powers to con-There should not be one planning and executing such a vince the commission that they der cultivation. Mr. Cox is an local bankers have proven thempound of butter fat shipped out truly delightful entertainment. represent the most feasible and old timer here and knows a bar-selves, your friends, protectors gather in union service next of Roosevelt county. The mer- Those present were: Mr. and least expensive route proposed chants of the towns should push Mrs. J. B. Priddy, Mr. and Mrs. and there is considerable hope

rived from Texas this week and will make their home in Portales front. for some time. Jack is the blind broom maker that formerly was the manufacture of brooms. He has many friends here who will be glad of his return.

Bascom Howard.

recent election, tonight sent to William R. Willcox, chairman best field is thus being invaded front wheel of the car broke President Wilson a telegram con- of the Republican national com- and monopolized.. gratulating him upon his remittee, tonight issued the follow- The stockman who borrows upsetting the car and throwing ing statement in reference to money from a packer controlled the occupants out. Mrs. Grisment made in the past five years In his telegram, Mr. Hughes Mr. Hughes' telegram to Presi- bank or packer owned loan comdent Wilson:

by State School Superintendent, the vote I have awaited the offi- hhone during the day and late who is in debt is a slave to the brain. The baby was uninjured. Alvan N. White. "I find that cial count in California and now this afternoon with the Republi- man who holds his mortgage. If Dr. Wollard was called and rethe sum of \$175,000 will be ap- that it has been virtually com- can state committee and the Re- the stockman don't like the price duced the fracture for Mrs. Grisportioned," he said, "and that pleted, permit me to extend to publican national committeeman the packers are paying for the som, and, at last accounts she means about \$1.50 per pupil of you my congratulations upon in California, I am informed that stock, he must sell anyhow, if was getting along nicely. Arch school age The last apportion- your re-election. I desire also the official canvass of the vote the packer holds the mortgage Gregg, who happened to be comment, made September 8th, was to express my best wishes for a has been so nearly completed and calls for the money or the ing along the road a few minutes that no change will result from cattle.

Church of Christ Services

his farm, near the Morgan or- "happy family" and no one suf- mation of our president and feelmove on the place and put it un- many other examples where the Almighty God for his continued gain when he finds it.

Slim Snell has completed the addition to his restaurant building and now has oodles of room. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pruet ar- He has moved the old room back and added a good sized one in

John E. Burns and Martin L connected with Eugene Mayo in Portales this week transacting Creamer, of New Hope, were in land business with Bascom Howard.

Enoch Boucher returned Wed-Jonathan Thomas, of the Floyd nesday from points in Texas stand by you. - Feeding and Mar-A. A. Rogers attended the community, bought a quarter where he had been with a bunch keting.

Packers After Cattle Paper Having invaded about every

other field the big packers are now invading the banking and cattle loan fields. As everyone knows, 'cattle paper'' is classed as the best and most desirable of loans. The local bankers in your country town, who probably is or has been a stockman like yourself, has heretofore taken care of you. If your wants were too heavy to be handled by his bank, he "rediscounted" your paper. So long as the local bankers held or controlled your paper, you Mrs. A. J. Watson Suffers Concuswere free from the packers and were not forced to make settlement if the market was unfavorable.

The packers have control of the market and the stock yards, were still unable to absolutely control the stockman as to the loans among the stockmen. Lo-

pany puts himself completely ment to be made December 1st "Because of the closeness of "Having conferred by tele within their power. Any man Mrs. Watson a concussion of the

> the returns thus far compiled. stockmen to put this additional Mrs Watson to the drug store of This means that the majority club in the hands of the packers. Dr. Pearce. Dr. Williams was for the Wilson electors in Cali- Your local banker has, or should immediately summoned and tofornia ranges from about 1,200 to have, your welfare at heart. He gether the two doctors worked 3,800 votes, and that this is the is your neighbor, advisor and with her most of the night. She final result of the canvass for friend. He will take care of was in an unconscious condition which we have been waiting. So you, and if he is a good banker, and has net at this time fully far as any recount is concerned, he will not enforce you to sacri- recovered her senses. Her left congratulation received during the national committee is not fice your stock. One of the bigthe past ten days and withheld advised that there are sufficient gest hearted and best bankers are totally paralyzed. There from publication until Mr. grounds to call for such an ap- we know is John S. Smith, of are several different reasons Mound City, Mo. He never forces given for the accident, but no one of his customers to sacrifice one appears to know why or how his products. We have known it occured. Mrs. Watson is him to personally advise men not fifty-eight years old. money tight. During the panic The undersigned business men country banker who protects his Deen-Neer Co., Inda Humpatrons, is A. L. Burney, of phrey, Portales Drug Co, Joycesemi-panic at the breaking out Whitcomb, Portales Valley News, of the European war, instead of J. B. Sledge, Calloway & Wagcalling in loans, he called a meet- goner. White House Grocery, placed the matter squarely be- Lumber Co., Warren-Fooshee Co. pay what they could upon their Co., The Peoples Store. forced to sacrifice. As a result Bascom Howard this week sold the bank's customers became one and advisors. We know that Thursday evening at the Baptist the packer owned banks during church to fittingly express our the times mentioned above, de-appreciation. manded and exacted their full We therefore urge all the peo-As above stated, any stockman | There will be splendid music

gle hold" the packers have on citizens. him by placing his "cattle paper" with them instead of with keeper from Dallas, Texas, has his local banker makes a grievious arrived in Portales and accepted mistake. Stand by the men who a position in the First National

trip to Albuquerque this week.

SERIOUS AUTOMO-**BILE ACCIDENT** OCCURS MON-DAY EVENING

Front Wheel Mashes and the Car Turns Over Throwing the Occupants to the Ground

sion of Brain and Mrs. Grissom a Broken Arm

On last Monday evening between five and six o'lock, a serious, and may be, fatal, accident occurred about three miles south exact time they shipped their of town, on the Elida road, in stuff, so in order to place them- which several were injured and selves in absolute control they Mrs. W. J. Watson probably organize banks, and cattle and fatally. The car was coming farm loan companies are going from Elida with Mrs. Crissom, around the country soliciting Mrs. Watson, a baby and the driver, the son-in-law of Mrs. down, for some reason or other, som sustained a broken arm, the driver several contusions and after the accident, brought the the few precincts not counted in It is a serious mistake for any injured parties to town and took

In compliance with the procla-

"pound of flesh." Can you ex- ple of Portales to forego all other pect that they will not do so pleasures and meet with us at seven thirty p.m.

who further tightens the "stran- and speeches by our leading

H. E. Carlisle, an expert bookbank. Hs was formerly with the First State bank of Dallas. Coe Howard made a business He comes well recommended and will, no doubt, make good.

TRAINING TODAY'S **BOYS AND GIRLS**

Children Are Neither Angels Nor the Opposite.

THEIR CONDUCT IS IMITATIVE

At First, Whatever They Do Is Quite Without Any Moral Significance and Often Results From Purely Instinctive Impulses.

By SIDONIE M. GRUENBERG.

chairs and hassocks.

"You'll get right in front of the train!" does and what he does not do, it is Louise continued to push the chair useless to speak of the moral quality against which she was leaning. "Don't of his acts, no matter what their acdo that!" repeated Donald, with a little more warmth. The chair moved over about half a yard. Bang! Louise rolled over as if struck by an automobile. She had been struck by Donald instead.

Up jumped the mothers. "You naughty boy!" came from both, as though they had rehearsed for the chorus. Louise did not make a demonstration of severe, suffering, so they were able to give all of their attention to the naughty boy. "Who would ever have thought it of him?" asked the girl's mother, not expecting any one to answer her. And Donald really did not look very vicious, with his pale hair and eyes, and soft voice and shrinking manner. Certainly his mother had never thought him capable of so violent and so ungallant a deed.

But there could be no mistake; he had pushed Louise over very roughly, very unkindly, almost cruelly. And Louise, standing by her mother's side, a picture of injured innocence, was absorbing the warm sympathy of the elders and gloating in the discomfiture of the naughty boy. Her mother already knew how angelic she was, and now Donald's mother was finding out.

Donald's mother had always supposed that her child was an angel too, and she could not understand what had happened to change him. A prestige of primitive superstition popped into her head, and she reflected that having been "too good" for so long, he was about to even things up by giving the devil the upper hand for a HER MOTHER LOVE SUPREME while. Louise's mother did not seem to wonder at all. She knew that her child was one of the angelic kind, and now she saw that Donald was one of the other kind.

The fact is that Donald was just as angelic as Louise, and just as angelic as he had ever been. Louise explained that she had only moved the chair; yet Donald had not only told her-at least twice—not to do so, but he had very good reason on his side. "She people killed." Any boy who would



Goes Through the Motions of Lighting a Pipe and Puffing Clouds of

hesitate to use violence in such an emergency is not quite enough of a boy fer the practical affairs of life.

When all the facts in the case are considered one is tempted to suspect that Louise was actuated by the imp of perversity and that Donald was moved by a finer spirit. However, his conduct was unbecoming a gentleman, and Louise had only moved the chair.

It is still the usual thing to look upon children as embodiments of one or the other of the two conflicting lantic. spirit of right and wrong. Too many of us think that a child is either an angel or a devil, and that our chief ncern in life is to adore these of the

One thing that modern studies in child nature has taught us is that young children are neither virtuous nor vicked; they are not moral, and they are not "immoral." They do many things that are quite acceptable to ple, and even pleasing. And bey do many things that are decidedy objectionable. But whatever they is—at least at first—without any

Much of the young child's conduct is When a boy goes through all." g you cannot believe that he has ville Courier-Journal.

begun his descent to perdition, no matter what you think of smoking in general or of your curtains in particular. On the other hand, when a little girl begs for pennies to give to the blind beggar or to the grind-organ man you have no warrant for assuming that she is a natural-born philanthropist, no matter what your views on charity.

Much of the young child's conduct results from purely instinctive impulses. So every child will lie under suitable provocation, without thereby indicating a streak of untruthfulness; or Louise may do just what she is told not to do without yielding altogether to the demon of unrighteousness.

A woman recently asked: "Do you believe in the spiritual interpretation of child nature, or in the scientific interpretation?" This question assumes that there is a conflict between scientific truth and spiritual truth. It is a mistake to assume that the lack of cer-ONALD and Louise, cousins sev- tain "spiritual" qualities is a "spiriteral times removed, were becom- ual" explanation of a child's conduct. ing acquainted for the first time while The scientists have shown that the Donald was visiting the city with his ability to choose one's actions, and the mother. They were getting along consciousness of purpose and of consebeautifully, Louise's mother observed. quences, develop very slowly in the They were playing railroad with the child's mind. Until there is consciousness of right and wrong, and until the "Don't move that!" shouted Donald, child is quite able to cloose what he



When a Little Girl Begs Pennies for the Grind-Organ Man, It Does Not Mean She Is a Natural-Born Philanthropist.

tual consequences may be or how they harmonize with our notion of what ought to be done.

To say that a child's conduct is unmoral does not take from him the possibility of spiritual development. On the contrary, the assumption that the child is a moral being would seem to leave nothing for growth. The sense of righteousness and the feeling of gar, add the grated rind of half a butter and flour cooked together; then guilt are not born in the child; they have to be achieved through trial and

Aged Woman's Pathetic Defense of Worthless Son a Miracle of Loyal Affection.

Joe had violently quarreled with a woman, the proprietor of the house in which his disreputable wife lived, because she withheld from him a part of his wife's earnings, and in the altercation had killed her-a situation, one would say, which it would be difficult put that pile of wood right in front of for even a mother to condone. But where the train was coming, and it not at all; her thin gray face worked would have been wrecked and all the with emotion, her trembling hands restlessly pulled at her shabby skirt as the hands of the dying pluck at the sheets, but she put all the vitality she could muster into his defense. She told us he had legally married the girl who supported him, "although Lily had been so long in that life that few men would have done it; of course such a girl must have a protector or everybody would fleece her; poor Lily said to the day of her death that he was the kindest man she ever knew, and treated her the whitest; that she herself was to blame for the murder because she told on the old miser, and Joe was so hot-headed she might have known that he would draw a gun for her." The gasping mother concluded, "He was always that handsome and had such a way. One winter when I was scrubbing in an office building I'd never get home much before twelve o'clock, but Joe would open the door for me just as pleasant as if he hadn't been waked out of a sound sleep." She was so triumphantly unconscious of the incongruity of a sturdy son in bed while his mother earned his food, that her auditors said never a word, and in silence we saw a hero evolved before our eyes; a defender of the oppressed, the best beloved of his mother, who was losing his high spirits and eating his heart out behind prison bars. He broiled mackerel or the fish backed in could well defy the world even there, surrounded as he was by that invincible affection which assures both the fortunate and unfortunate alike that we are loved, not according to our deserts, but in response to some profounder law.—Jane Addams, in the At-

Definite.

Stranger-How many machines pass here a day? Farmer-I couldn't tell ye, exactly,

Tourist-Oh, about how many? Farmer—It all depends. Tourist-Well, on the average? Farmer-Well, stranger, the average varies.—Gargoyle.

Another Objection. "Then you didn't take the house?"

"No." "But I thought it just suited you, had enough closets, bright rooms and

"It did, but my wife thought it was clouds of smoke toward the too far from a movie theater."-Louis-

KITCHEN

very sublime and grand thing is truth, in its way though, like other sublime and grand things, such as thunderstorms, and that we're not always over and above glad to see it.-

PALATABLE FOODS.

A nice, rich, steamed brown bread with raisins may be served with a rich

pudding sauce, making an excellent dessert, and no one need be the wiser as to its being a makeshift in an emergency. If no raisins are steamed in the bread a few may

be steamed and sprinkled over each slice with a few chopped nuts. Savory Beans.—A pint of kidney

beans boiled until tender with a piece with a branch of lemon verbena, of salt pork or bacon, when done, will leaves of rose geranium and a small have a rich sauce. Add more water box of crystallized ginger. Seal with if necessary; add a fried onion and paraffin in small jars. some chopped parsley to the beans. Season to taste and when serving add | yolks of two eggs. Into this stir one a tablespoonful each of oil and vin- | pint of flour in which three teaspoonegar to further season them.

Roquefort Cheese Dressing .- Mix | mixed; then stir in gradually, one pint together half a teaspoonful of salt, a of water and the beaten whites of quarter of a teaspoonful of white pep- three eggs, and a pinch of salt. Bake per, six tablespoonfuls of olive oil, in hot, well greased muffin pans 20 and when well mixed add three table- minutes. spoonfuls of vinegar or lemon juice. Beat all together until an emulsion is small oysters until they are plump, formed. Add to this an eighth of a then pour off the liquor, add the pound of Roquefort cheese, crushed juice of a lemon and place on ice unfine, and a little chopped pimento or til well chilled. Before serving mix

Boiled Fresh Tongue Sardellan ful of nuts or more and a cupful of Sauce.—Cook a fresh tongue in sim- mayonnaise dressing; garnish with mering water for three hours until it beets, tiny cucumbers or pimentos cut Is tender. Skim it and cut in quarter- in fancy shapes, inch slices, arrange on a platter and | Escaloped Eggs .-- If the price of pour over it the following sauce: Melt | eggs keeps on going up this dish may two tablespoonfuls of butter and add be one we will enjoy looking at and two tablespoonfuls of flour; mix and hoping for when eggs are reasonable. cook, then add gradually two cupfuls | Cook hard six eggs, by dropping them of the liquor in which the tongue was into three quarts of boiling water; boiled, six anchovies, cut fine, let cover closely, allow to stand near the boll a minute, season with salt and heat, but not on it, for a half hour. pepper and pour over the tongue.

Blitzkuchen.—Cream a cupful of and take off the shells. Make a white butter, add a cupful of powdered su- sauce of a quarter of a cupful each of lemon, sift two teaspoonfuls of bak- add a pint of milk, cook until smooth ing powder, a teaspoonful of salt and two cupfuls of flour together; add salt and pepper to season. Slice the three-quarters of a cupful of milk, alternating with the flour, and the yolks a layer of white sauce and a layer of of four eggs; beat well, fold in the whites and bake in a shallow pan; ish with a layer of white sauce and brush the top with egg, sprinkle with a thick covering of buttered crumbs. sugar and cinnamon and finely Bake until brown in a hot oven. chopped almonds. Bake 20 minutes.

Among men who have any sound and sterling qualities there is nothing so contagious as pure openness of heart.

Speak with tact. Without it, better

not to speak at all. FOR BREAKFAST.

There are several things which enter into the right kind of a breakfast: first, the individual to be served, age, state of health, occupation, season and climate, as well as the supplies to be obtained. The old standbys of

bacon, tonst, coffee, preceded by some sort of fruit is the breakfast of the average person. It is the meal which most housewives complain about the oftenest, being hard to give variety.

Grapes are one of the fruits most enjoyed in the fall and are a most wholesome fruit; apples, pears and peaches all have a wholesome acid, very beneficial to the digestion.

Plain boiled rice makes a welcome breakfast cereal; omelets of various bring to the simmering point and cook kinds give a change from the everyday shell-cooked, poached or fried egg. A most appetizing method of serving eggs is to drop them into individual rametins, cover with cream, dot with bits of butter and season with salt and pepper; place in the oven in a dish of hot water and bake until the

Where fresh mackerel is obtained. no more tasty dish can be offered than cream. Place it in a dripping pan with a little water, skin side down. and place in the hot oven; when the water has evaporated pour over the fish a cupful of good cream; heat through and serve, adding the seasonings at the last, not to curdle the it, take out the bones, removing the cream, although that need not entirely skin. Chop the meat fine, with halfspoil the dish, but it does detract from its appearance.

Chops, liver and bacon, sausages of salt needed, onion, peppercorns, crackvarious kinds, are all meats used for er crumbs, a tablespoonful of butter breakfast. Only a small portion should and the sour cream. Beat well, add he served, as it is much better for the the fish, stir in the beaten whites and health to eat meat but once a day and put into a buttered baking dish; cover that at the heavy meal, or dinner.

Hot breads are liked for breakfast, and griddle cakes the year round never seem to lose their popularity, blespoonful each of butter and flour. For the Sunday breakfast it is wise add pepper, a cupful of milk, salt and to have an entire change. As it is a two tablespoonfuls of capers. meal of more leisure than every-day breakfasts, it may be a little more

A fruit that is subacid is best to pound of sugar and a pound of alserve in the morning; a cereal with monds finely sliced. cream is given, though the practice of serving acid fruits and cereals with cream is quite general.

The next best thing to understanding

A drop of ink may make a million

APPETIZING DISHES.

Very pretty and useful little recep-

by using the sweet wa-

fers held together at the

ends with frosting to

make boxlike dishes; fill

Fig Preserve.—Wash

ripe figs in soda water

and drop the figs into

boiling hot sirup, using

with cream and serve.

tacles for holding ices may be made

six pounds of sugar to eight pounds

of fruit; cook until the figs become

Oyster Salad .- Heat a quart of

and add one chopped green pepper and

eggs and put them into a buttered dish.

A college education is not a scheme

to enable a man to live without work.

advantage, to make every stroke

FOR THE HOME TABLE.

When serving a roast of beef the

out with the meat

if it seems to be

too small a roast

for the number

Yorkshire Muf-

fins.-Stir into two

cupfuls of sifted

flour a pinch of

salt, three well-

yorkshire pudding or muffins will help

beaten eggs, and two cupfuls of milk.

beating with an egg beater until the

batter is full of bubbles. Half an

hour before the roast is to be served,

pour out a little of the drippings into

a shallow pan containing hot-greased

muttin rings and fill with the batter.

Serve nicely browned as a border to

Royal Bouillon .- Take two and a

half pounds of lean beef, finely

chopped, cover with two quarts of wa-

ter, allowing it to stand an hour, then

three hours, removing any scum that

may arise. Now add one small onion,

a carrot, one bay leaf, two cloves,

four peppercorns, and two stalks of

minced celery; simmer until the veg-

etables are tender. Strain into an

earthenware bowl and let it cool.

When ready to serve remove any fat,

clear by stirring in the white of an

egg, boil up, strain and serve at once.

Fish Pudding, Russian.—Take one

and a half to two pounds of fresh

mackerel, one and a half tablespoon-

fuls of butter, one cupful of cracker

crumbs, three cupfuls of milk, six

eggs, one grated onion, six pepper-

corns, and one tablespoonful of sour

cream. Cut the fish lengthwise, wash

a tablespoonful of butter, put into a

bowl the yolks of the eggs, with the

and cook slowly for two hours. Serve

Caper Sauce.—Cook together a ta

Almond cakes may be prepared the

same way, using six egg whites, a

Nellie Maxwell

with caper sauce.

slowly and serve hot.

Its purpose is to help him to work to

count.-David Starr Jordan.

the whole of any subject, is to be aware of that part of it we do not

understand.-Whately.

FLUFFY SKIRT OF BLUE SILK MULL EASY TO MAKE.

Home Dressmaker Will Find It No Hard Task to Design and Make Ready the Garment Described Below.

Like a flower of spring is this fluffy skirt of blue silk mull trimmed with bias folds of blue taffeta.

Every woman who can sew at all knows that a ruffled skirt is the easlest to make. A plain foundation is gathered to a waist band and measured to the length on the child; then ruffles are stitched around the skirt, the upper ruffle forming the line for those that follow.

It will be well to fit the skirt lining and then rip the basting at the belt, because ruffles are more easily stitched on the lining when it is smooth.

In this instance the ruffles must have the bias folds stitched on the right side, then turned over and hemmeddown on the under side. By applying the folds in this manner the stitching will not show.

clear, a half hour or longer. Flavor A mother, perhaps, is unwilling to take the trouble involved in applying these folds on scallops. The work, of course, is somewhat tedious. In such done. case it is a simple matter to hem the Delicious Muffins .- Bent well the ruffles or make them of embroidery.

For ordinary wear the wise mother will make this dress of wash matefuls of baking powder have been rials which may be frequently laun-It is to be remembered that little

girls may wear china silk and sport silk as well as silk mull, but chiffons and taffetas are for the "grown-ups." The only variation from this rule is in the matter of taffeta coats, which



Pretty Frock for Girl.

sometimes are permissible for summer use by children.

Sashes, too, are not the same for children and adults. The former may wear a soft girdle of satin or crushable slik, or ribbon sashes of the kind manufactured especially for children, but it is not good taste to put on a child a grosgrain sash or any of the brocaded varieties that women wear.

Hails Return of Shawls.

The news from the fashion world is that shawls will come back, esperially the old paisley shawls that our grandmothers wore and looked so well in, in the sixties and before. It will be a refreshing sight to see the women wear shawls again. We'll bet it will make them handsomer, if it could be so, than the loose and disjointed coats they have been wearing. Why, some of these coats have been frights; and if it were not for the women themselves, they would have scared off the populace. We hope the shawl will return. But we have been wondering if the fashion will include the men in its sway. Many of our readers will remember when nen wore shawls. They were indeed a luxury-so handy and warm. They were generally of a light gray color, but many men affected stripes and seemed very proud of their appearance. Our recollection is that the fash lon didn't last long. The men got fidgety and returned to coats. But we hanker for our old shawl again.—Ohio

Easy to Trim Handkerchief.

Everyone likes to use dainty and good-looking handkerchiefs, but they cannot be bought cheaply, and often are beyond the purse. Cheaply trimmed handkerchiefs are in very bad taste, and it is far better to use simple ones than resort to them.

However, with little trouble every girl could make herself a collection of nice handkerchiefs at about half the cost of buying them. White sales should be watched for,

had cheaply; these usually have a little hemstitched border, so are all ready for further decoration. There are various ways of trimming handkerchiefs; for those who crochet a tiny border of crochet done in very fine cotton looks sweet, or an edging

then good linen handkerchiefs can be

of tatting; this latter is seen on some of the most expensive models in the On one or two of the linen handkerchiefs a simple pattern could be traced in one corner and worked in broiderie

Anglaire; this looks most effective. For dainty wear handkerchiefs, buy some the lawn by the yard and cut up into purple are extremely smart.

as many squares as it will allow; this is a very cheap plan and a most successful one. These squares can be trimmed with fine lace and odd bits of real old lace can be used up, for the tiniest scrap will form a motif if carefully cut out and arranged in one corner of the square. Any shape will do as long as a motif is formed, such as a circlet of leaves filled in with net, a flower, etc., and other designs likely

to be found in old lace. Sew these motifs on quite flat and very securely, then the lawn underneath them can be cut away; all edges



Dainty Handkerchief.

must be gone over with over-and-over stitch so that all is kept neat; press well down with a moderate iron when

Initials are always suitable for handkerchiefs, though they should not be too large; they look very nice worked with satin stitch and surrounded with tiny French knots.

A collection of a dozen handkerchiefs is thus soon made; it is interesting work for spare moments and .well repays the worker for the little trouble spent.

The Toddler.

Little girls' coats for autumn and winter are made of silk in sage green, dull blue, old rose or tan. These coats are made very warm by a padded lining and they are extensively trimmed with fur.

Many of the most expensive suits for little boys this autumn are of the middy order. Sometimes the short trousers are of navy blue serge, while the blouse, that hangs loose at the hips, is of white serge, with the usual applique insignia on the arm.

One of the most attractive hats sold for little boys is a tam o' shanter suggestive of the artists' caps of Paris. It is of soft white plush or corduroy, with a rosette of silk or fur. It is. faced with colored plush or corduroy.

Loose Change in Safety.

Stockings, originally designed to keep the nether limbs from freezing, have been since their very inception used for other purposes. Witness the original First National bank. However, stockings, have always been stockings, for there have never been any improvements made since the original ones were made sometime back in the days when man was beginning to come out of the "stone age." excepting, of course, that they are be-



ing made of a finer and more expensive texture. In the days of old, no doubt potato bags (if such things there were) were wrapped about the limbs and pinned together or held in place with the twig of a tree or tough grass. Now there are stockings of finest gossamer, and here is Miss Violet Bristow showing the very latest anti-pickpocket, burglar-proof stocking. The pocket sewed onto the stockings is just large enough for a handkerchief and for the accommodation of the mysterious appliances usually carried by the gentler sex in vanity cases. It may also be used for holding loose change or jew-

Milk as a Hair Lotion.

Although milk is one of the most unpleasant lotions that can be placed on the head it is a hair nutrient. Warm milk used frequently as a wash will increase growth, and lessen falling. The one essential is that the treatment be accompanied by washing with soap and water at short intervals.

Plum Color.

Plum color and other shades of

A Rolling Stone

By FRANK FILSON (Copyright, 1916, by W. G. Chapman.)

"Henceforward, I'll be a rolling stone no more," said Frank Latham, as he stepped out of the train at Eppingham. "I'm going to get a job and stick to it. I'm twenty-six, and it's time I settled down somewhere. Eppingham's good enough for me. I'll become a local magnate and own half the town, and be an influence in the

county, and maybe I'll go into politics

and perhaps wind up as governor, or

"Hey, young feller! Get out of that!"

.even-'

It was a sad awakening from his dream. Frank had inadvertently stepped off the road and into the flower beds of a real local magnate, to ing for suitable men, men who will judge from the splendor of the house and the extensive grounds. And when one is in old clothes one must dream | county." ~arefully.

With a low apology, Frank turned to make off. But the elderly gentleman who had shouted to him came running up, wild with excitement.

my geranium beds?" he demanded furiously. "I beg your pardon," said Frank.

"I didn't think where I was going." "You con't have to explain that,"

said the man wrathfully. "Get out of here, and don't let me see your face again, or I'll have you run out of added. town. I'll know you next time we meet," he added.

Frank made off; there was nothing else to do, in fact. A little way down



She Was Holding on for Dear life.

the street he stopped to ask a native, who owned the tig place.

"That's Mr. Stone," said the man, grinning. "I guess you've heard of him, haven't you?"

"The man who's building the tig dam?"

"That's him, sure." he had come to Eppingham, investing front of his blind. Before doing so, his last ten dollars on the train fare, however, he winds them up, notes Popbecause he heard that there was to be | ular Science Monthly. When a flock of unlimited work on Mr. Stone's dam.

had settled down, only to fling up his wiles of his decoy. position and try elsewhere. But now,

"I'll give up. Fate's against me!" said Frank angrily.

was early June, and summer was call- its doom? We are baffled. ing. Frank could have spent the whole summer in a camp without a qualm. He resolved to strike the trail on the chance of picking up summer work at a club or bungalow.

He had gone about a mile when he was startled to hear screams from the bend of the trail. A moment later there appeared a young woman, mounted on a bay horse, which was evidenly running away with her. She was hold- given to me by one of the most famous ing on for dear life, and the horse had scholars, philosophers and professional a frightened look; also his ears lay flat back against his head.

Frank did not hesitated an instant. He leaped forward and planted himsel in the middle of the roadway. As the horse reared he caught at the bridle. It dragged him several yards cuff. However, if cough is cawf, and stopped puffing and snorting. Still shouldn't enough be enawf? holding the bride, Frank extended his hand to the frightened girl, who collapsed in a heap upon the ground be-

"It was a bear frightened my horse," she gasped. "He has never run away cough-phee.—Philadelphia Ledger. with me before."

It was some minutes before she was able to stand on her feet, and then she was trembling all over. Frank thought he had never seen such a pretty girl alive.

enough," she said. "Father hates to already,-London Opinion.

henchenchenchen have me go riding by myself, but I always laughed at him. I shall know better in the future,"

> "You must let me see you home," said Frank gallantly. "I can't ride Polyphemus again-"

"If you like, I'll lead him home for you," said Frank.

The suggestion proved agreeable and, as the girl was at length recovering from her fright, they set off along the road together, Frank holding the bridle and the girl at his side. As they chatted gaily, all his past life rose up to confront him. What a fool he had been, a regular rolling stone, when he could have settled in this town long before and known girls like

He told her as much, and indicated so strongly his meaning that the girl looked like a peony when they reached the outskirts of Eppingham. Yet he could see that she was not displeased with him.

"Why don't you settle here and try?" she asked.

"Would you allow me to see you again?"

"The future will tell," she answered enigmatically. "But, honestly, if you are looking for employment, my father would be only too pleased to offer you something, I know. He is always lookstay with him. You see, he is the largest employer of labor in the

At this moment Frank perceived the old gentleman of the flower-beds coming toward them at a brisk walk. Seeing the girl with Frank, and the latter leading the horse, he stopped in par-

"What do you mean by walking over | donable astonishment. "Father!" exclaimed the girl. "This gentleman was good enough to rescue me when Polyphemus ran away. He was frightened by a bear, father-and you were right, and I shall never disobey your wishes again. Let me introduce you to my father, Mr. -" she

"Latham," said Frank. "I think we've met before," he added to the father, a little sheepishly.

"Young man," said Stone, "I reckon that I see a new face every minute. If we have met, you must pardon me for not recognizing you. I cannot thank you enough for saving my daughter. Is there nothing I can do to show my appreciation?"

"Mr. Latham spoke of staying here, father," said the girl, looking at Frank, meaningly.

"You like our little town?" asked Mr. Stone.

"I love it," answered Frank. "Yes, if I can find any office work in town—" "Are you a sticker?" asked the other. "Or just a rolling stone? I only have stickers about me?"

"I can stick like a leach," answered Frank grimly.

"Are you a stenographer?" "Yes. I have done that work." "Because I happen to want a secretary at fifteen hundred dollars," replied Mr. Stone. "And it is difficult

stay in Eppingham." "If you would try me-" Frank be-

to get a really competent man to

And it did not need the look from his daughter to induce Mr. Stone to close with the offer. So well did Frank stick, indeed, that it was less than a year before wedding bells indicated that the attachment had become a

Decoy Duck Quacks and Swims.

When Amos C. Vaughan of Anadarko, Okla., goes duck shooting he takes with him a set of his mechanical de-"Confound it," thought Frank. For coys and places them in the water in wild ducks appears his decoys begin He had been gently born, but he to swim about and quack as if they had not made the most of his oppor- were alive. The result is that the intunities. The call of the road was im- ventor goes home with a full bag, for perative to him. Again and again he no wild duck can resist the mechanical

The decoy is composed of two parts after a run of hard luck which had bottom and top, which can be opened reduced him to a position which he for cleaning and repairing. A clockhad never contemplated before, Frank work mechanism drives the propeller was glad enough of the chance of a po- and also the sound record of the phosition at day laborer's wages. And he nograph. As the mechanism is set in had ruined everything by his dream- action the stylus, or needle, as well as the propeller is operated. A cylinder or disk is used for the record. A controlling cam renders the needle inop-He turned out of Eppingham into erative at certain intervals, so that the the woods. Eppingham was the last calls or cries are sounded intermittentstation on the line, beyond it stretched ly. Who makes the phonographic reca great expanse of state forest. It ord of the quack that leads the duck to

Such Langwidge. I asked an Italian who speaks cor-

rect English, which language his children learned to write more readily. Italian or English.

"Italian," said he. "Your English words don't sound the way they look." To show what this poor man had in mind, I shall quote some suggestions men in America. They show what a

curlicue language English is: Put it vice versa, and if laughter is lafter, why is not daughter dafter and slaughter slafter?

Enough is enuff, but cough is not Plough is pronounced plow and

bough is bow, but cough is not cow. Moreover, a little Italian knowing that cough is pronounced coff, is liable to spell the cup of morning beverage

And Deserved It. First Tommy-The story in the opera is that she's going to be burnt

Second Ditto-Going to be! It "I don't know how to thank you sounds as if they'd started on her SEASON OF JOY



"When the frost is on the punkin and the fodder's in the shock."

At Least That Is the Opinion Farmer Has of the Great American Bird.

TOUSEWIVES contemplating the annual Thanksgiving dinner little realize the months of preparation which preceded the feast. Their cranberries are on the market. Turkeys, dressed and ready for the oven; huge yellow pumpkins, with the earth still clinging to their gaudy sides; oranges, apples, grapes and nuts all await the call of the epi-

A trip to a market gives the layman an insight into the real business of Thanksgiving, and incidentally a quantity of rural folk lore which is illuminating. Wandering around the wagons which line the sidewalks of the market space, a reporter the other day ame upon an old resident of Virginia -a man with whiskers and a magnificent quid of tobacco and a small supply of turkeys, the last named alive and protesting vigorously against the confinement of their crates.

After a little preliminary conversation the old farmer dilated upon the ways of the great American fete bird and in his conversation knecked the pedestal upon which the fowl is placed

squarely from under its feet. "Biggest fool bird in the world," he confided to the reporter. "They ain't nothin' in the world that I've ever ound that's as big an idjut as a tur-

"In what way?" was asked.

"In every way," replied the farmer. I believe that the words 'not sense enough to come in out of the rain' was written to describe a turkey. Did you ever know, for instance, that a turkey can drown itself during a rain-

"What!" ejaculated the reporter. "Fact," said the farmer. "Them a rainstorm exactly as if they was trying to swallow the whole creation. Naturally, they can't drink the entire

aged to drown themselves." Continuing on the peculiarities of

that I've found cases where they man-

he bird, the old man said: "They're helpless critters, too. Ain't got as much gumption about them as chicken. And frail-let me tell you, young man, that a turkey is the great-They have to be watched every minute or the first thing you know they'll up and die on you without a second's

"I been raisin' turkeys for years and years—had good luck with 'em, too. But I reckon I don't understand nore than half about them. Nobody does-particularly why the Creator, when he made 'em, didn't give 'em minds."

"Does that apply to wild turkeys as well as the tame ones?" asked the re-

The old man spat thoughtfully and profusely at a chip of wood in the street. He hit the mark

"As to that," he said, "I can't exactly say. "Mebbe there's something in the idea that a turkey, when he's tame, gets so used to havin' folks make a fuss over him that he jest naturally loses all his ambition. There's one ming certain-if every wild turkey was as big a fool as some that I've raised there wouldn't be a live wild turkey in the United States within a year."-Washington Star.

Cranberry Industry.

Study of the cranberry industry, by consin. Of the total crop, Massachusetts produces in an average year | made almost negligible. about 300,000, New Jersey 150,000, and Wisconsin 75,000 barrels. The industry is gradually extending to Minnesota. Michigan and Oregon, where marshes and climatic conditions are of its fortune, its founders, its destiny. favorable.

PREPARED

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

We may be shy of cannon and we may be short of guns, We may not have as many men as many

But in one matter we have not

We may be short of men of war and shy of We ought to have an aeroplane, or, maybe

two or three,
To nest among the mountaintops or hydro-plane the sea;
We haven't any instruments for shooting poisoned gas —

But we can beat the universe at making apple sass!

We have the pumpkins and we have the pippins big and fine;
And, if you want preparedness, pie-paredness for mine!

If someone sails across the sea America to try, We'll shoot them full of apple sass and full of pumpkin pie.

I bet they'll throw their guns away, beneatl. that magic charm,
And settle in America and buy them each
a farm!

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Thanksgiving Celebration Is Great Event on Cotton Plantation.

THANKSGIVING day on a cotton plantation means an open heart and hand on the part of the master and a full stomach, a day of happiness, and, consequently, gratitude on the part of the worker. It means, also, another, and, for that little world, universal token, an offering up of thanks for the numerous little white pods which bring profits to the master and the winter's provisions and clothes to the worker. But it also means a day of play to all.

Hard as is the labor of the cotton plantation hands, they do some extra work willingly for Thanksgiving day for several weeks beforehand. It is a sure sign of the approach of Thanksgiving day when one sights here and there through the woods the bobbing, smoking pine torches that light the way for a dozen black, shining, grinning faces. It is the usual hunt for Mr. beds, and makes them scramble through thickets, jump ditches and wallow through marshes.

For several nights the woods for miles around the plantation are the scene of night activities. It is easy enough to find the trail of a 'possum, and when once located the dogs lead a running, howling band in the hunt. Mr. Possum is, however, a slow mover, and when he hears the yelps of those hounds and the howls of the negroes and sees the glare of the torches, he

Somehow the light fascinates him and he usually settles on the lowest want. Mr. Possum is noted for his age. fondness for dead meat, consequently a 'possum that is shot is not the most savory of meats. Their object is to catch him alive and when the tree is reached he is surrounded by a ring of blazing torches and howling blacks until in sheer fright he drops off, plays hustled off in the morning to the plantation pen. Sometimes two or three are caught in a night and some of output. And I tell you as a fact, them show fight. Once in the pen they sociations. There was, indeed, an old widening and multiplying. are fed for a couple of weeks with Christian city there, situated in a rafood that takes away all trace of their natural food and rounds out their

sides with good, sweet meat. day some of the hands are taken from tween two small ravines. The city they the cotton fields and put to work

thanks offerings are made. Usually this is spread in one of the big buildings on the plantation. hands are set to work at first to clear | chosen for the mausolea of the princes | ways faultless. out the place and make it clean. Then of Akhlat. It was the pleasing fashion | One other kumbet deserves to be they put together a dozen or more long of the Moslems to erect their tombs mentioned. It is situated close to the lastly they decorate the building with ure beside the remains of their be- from the city of Van. The gardens of all kinds of flags and bunting. On the loved. Hence, for instance, the beau- Vostan stretch up behind it over the side near the center they also put up | tiful garden round the Taj at Agra. I | lower slopes of the Ardos hills and the fiddler's stand, for later in the have heard Mrs. Grundys of sorts not far away is that holy island of ripen for the feast.

Enemy of the Cranberry.

An enemy which would rob the is a thing of great beauty. Thanksgiving table of cheap cranberthe government has been attempted ing of stone, standing on a solid base remains "a charming monument, of to circumvent this destroyer, too. Ex- and surmounted by a pointed stone highly finished masonry, fresh and perts of the department of agriculture roof like an extinguisher. Evidently clean as on the day when it was comhave found that by stimulating the enough the type was borrowed from pleted." The interior of the upper government specialists has shown it to growth of the plants with fertilizers— the earlier Christian tomb-churches of chamber here also is perfectly plain. be confined practically to three states: a practice that has not been followed the tenth and perhaps preceding cen- Halimeh, daughter of Sheikh Ibrahim. Massachusetts, New Jersey and Wis- in the past—the ravages of this or- turies, whereof ruined examples may once a ruler in these parts, was here dinarily destructive creature can be be seen at Ani and elsewhere. There laid to her rest. We know nothing

Worthy Supplication.

For all blessings which may help to make the land we love more worthy

HE SHORES LAKE VAN



had pushed on rapidly and won a vic- bers one above another. The lower is tory at Akhlat on the shore of Lake the tomb-chamber; the upper is acces-Van, there were probably not half a sible by one or four doors, which it redozen people in the British islands who | quired a ladder to reach. Cordillera of the Andes.

Always a Fortress. proved by the triumphant cuneiform its base measures only 30 feet. None inscriptions left upon its rocks by of the great monuments of the world proud Assyrian conquerors. The rock are large. Great size usually connotes of Van has been a fortress since ever poverty of design in monumental archifortresses were. It has passed down | tecture or sculpture. But this nameless the ages from conqueror to conqueror, tomb by the shores of Van is of very yet when the Russians captured it its perfect quality-admirable in proporlapse from Ottoman control passed al- tions, fine in finish, and its restricted most unnoticed. It was none the less ornament very beautiful and very elaba considerable event. When the for- orate. tress of Van changes hands the clock limb. It is just what the hunters of history strikes the passing of an

vine some distance from the shore. The Several days before Thanksgiving naturally strong, but on the shore be-

Half a rille inland from the port on

Tombs Are Called Kumbets.

day there comes the usual dance. Sev- criticizing visitors for making merry in Akhthamar mentioned before. The eral days before, also, some of the that garden, but that was exactly what date of this also is recorded (1332), hands make barrels of ginger beer and it was made for. There are no gar- showing it to be half a century later sweet cider and stow them away to dens left at Akhlat, only a fertile patch than the isolated tomb at Akhlat. It in the midst of a dry and dusty region, is obviously imitated from that, with where gardens once were. Some of the changes which are not improvements. mausolea still stand, and one of them The circle has gone back to a polygon. A tomb of this kind is called a kum- are multiplied and set in small panels. ries is the cranberry root worm, and bet. It is a polygonal or circular build- The stalactites are hardened. Still it

together beneath it and is represented men have fashioned, whether for h only by a ring of pedimented facades. or or for joy.

THEN news came a year or | In the next stage these facades further more ago that the Russians, shrink into a mere arcading, and then having captured the South the kumbet type is complete. Inter-Armenian city of Mush, hally these buildings contain two cham-

received a thrill at sight of that last | About a mile away, and nearer the name. But those half-dozen, if there shore, a far more beautiful kumbet exwere so many, had instantly summoned | ists, the finest example of Armenian up to their mind's eye one of the most art as modified by Mussulman builders. perfect little buildings in the world, Once there were two near together in its way, which was standing recent- here, also, but one of them collapsed ly-let us hope is still standing-ty about twenty years ago. "Tradition," the waters of the romantic lake, writes | says Lynch, "relates that these compan-Sir Martin Conway, in Country Life. ion tombs are the burial places of two Van and Titicaca are perhaps the two brothers, and the work of a single most romantic lakes in the world. They architect. For the elder brother was lie far remote from the ways of most designed the structure which has now people, even of most travelers, both on fallen, and is said to have been greatly high plateaus near great mountains; inferior to that which stands. This inboth the sites of great ancient civiliza- dividual lived to see the more finished tions; both destined to be the scene of monument erected, and to broad over no little future prosperity; and both, the invidious contrast between his own in these days, rather sorrowful and and his brother's tomb. His anger was fallen. One is the jewel of the Armeni- visited upon the daring architect, who an highlands. The other lies far away was condemned to lose his right hand." between the two great ranges of the The fallen tomb was made for "the great and noble emir, Shadi Agha," who died in 1273. The standing Kumbet is The importance of ancient Van is nameless. It is not large; each side of

One wonders how such buildings come to fall. They are formed solidly of stone and the masonry seems of It is not, however, of Van that we good quality. The domed area inside must here treat, nor even of Akhtha- is small and the walls thick enough mar, the Island close to the south shore to carry the weight and bear the of the lake, which has been for cen- thrust, one would suppose, forever. turies a kind of Holy island to the- Probably the mortar is poor, and Armenians cherishing its old church, then there are earthquakes which still fairly well preserved and in use shiver them from time to time. All there birds hold up their heads during dead and is bundled into a sack, to be before this war burst upon even that my photographs of kumbets show most secluded retreat. Athlat alone suggestive cracks, and those taken of will suffice us today, and that not for the same building after a few years' its Christian, but its Mussulman as- interval indicate that the cracks are

Built of Pink Stone.

The Akhlat monuments owe some Mussulman conquerors set up their thing to the pink volcanic stone of fortress not there, though t'e site was which they are built. Seen against a clear blue sky on a day of sunshine built was the capital of a small state spreading away beyond them to far around the plantation buildings. This in the twelfth and thirteenth centuries, distant hills, their solitary statelist natural-born invalid in the world. is, with the exception of Christmas. but history is very silent about it at ness commands the attention and reperhaps the most enjoyable task of the time when its existing measurements tains it. A glance shows the perfecthe year, for it means the preparation were raised. We know the names of tion of the best of them. Like all for the feast which the plantation is the builders, but nothing whatever fine Mussulman buildings it produces to give its hands on the day when about them beyond what they tell us its full effect at a Gothic cathedral, to realize its excellence. You do not even need to walk round it. It is the same from every point of view-alperhaps a barn or a cotton shed. The slightly rising ground was the site ways satisfying, always complete, al-

> mprovised tables and benches, and amid gardens and to ake their pleas- south shore of the lake, a day's ride The characteristic Armenian niches are, or were, three kumbets at Erzerum | whatever about her or her father, but near or attached to the Chifteh Min- as long as this building, or a photoarch. The older kumbet at Erzerum graph of it, survives, he will not be is still like a dome crowning part of a without honor among those who love church, though the building has shrunk | the beautiful things that the hands of

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Right now before we go any further, full credit should be given to the counties—the imperial and sovereign counties, to use the accepted campaign term-of Quay and Roosevelt—the former with a majority of 705 and the latter with a majority of 847 for E. C. de Baca for governor and similar majorities for other Democratic candidates on the state ticket. These counties, everything considered, have put Chaves and Eddy in the shade as Democratic strongholds. The men of Quay and Roosevelt who brought about this result deserve the highest praise and most important consideration in the councils of the Democratic party in the state. Grant county and the Pecos valley must needs take off their several and respective hats to these standard bearers. In this connection it is hard to refrain from comment on the recklessness of the estimates on county majorities put out for days after the election by Republican headquarters. It is all right never to "concede," but to make extravagant claims evidently not borne out by the facts doesn't get you anywhere. No use trying to fool yourself on an election result after you can't fool anyone else. The seven column headline dispatches sent out to Republican papers by headquarters, immediately after the election, claiming an overwhelming majority for the whole Republican ticket, were conducive to nothing but merriment.—Santa Fe New Mexican.

It would seem, from the foregoing, that at last some credit is to be given to Roosevelt county. Since the organization of this particular subdivision of the state, we have piled up democratic majorities for those who wanted office, not always wisely, but too well. The counties of Eddy, Chaves and Curry, somehow, have usually succeeded in pulling down the good things that happened to be in store for thote of Democratic leanings, and Roosevelt has been told to go back home and be good. For several years past we have heeded this admonition and we have continued to do onr duty, as we saw it. At the state Democratic convention. Chaves county was on hand with banners proclaiming to the world that she had three thousand majority for De Baca and the Democratic ticket. The delegates assembled believed this boast to be a fact and they rejoiced over it. When, however, the returns came in, Chaves had defaulted in her promises and she made a very poor showing at making good her boast. For years it has been said of Roosevelt county that we held our primaries early and that those primaries constituted the election; that after they were over, interest in things political ceased; that there was, really, no use in holding another election; our county candidales were all right and that was as far as we were interested. This has been true, in some measure. It has also been true that it was useless for Roosevelt county to make any attempt to get any recognition from the state organization. We have offered good men for state and district offies, but have not been able to get them any farther than a favorable mention, or a due consideration, proposition. This year we had an added incentive. Nearly every citizen of this community had a deep interest in the candidacy of President Woodrow Wilson and his success on election day was a matter close to the heart of every voter. We forgot that we had been neglected in the broader duty of helpigg to return to power a man weo had made good and one who had the interest of the whole people constantly in mind. It is also true that we had a good state ticket to work for. E. C. de Baca and the McDonald administration were the issues and the voters of Roosevelt county needed but little urging to come out on election day and proclaim that they approved of both. It is to be hoped that the future will see this county still taking the lead in rolling up Democratic majorities and that the other counties on this side will get eown to work and do their full duty hereafter. Roosevelt dads and you must follow or get lost in the shuffle.

Up to the present time Candidate Hughes has neglected to send President Wilson his congratulations. Candidate Hughes is not only a poor loser, but he appears to have accumulated a grouch since his defeat at the polls. Presumably the position of associate justice of the United States supreme court would look mighty good to him at this particular time, but it violates no confidence to whisper to him that there is nothing doing, all of which might remind him that the bird in hand is worth several that are running loose in the wild. In the meantime, President Wilson will manage, somehow, to worry along without that little wire of congratulation.



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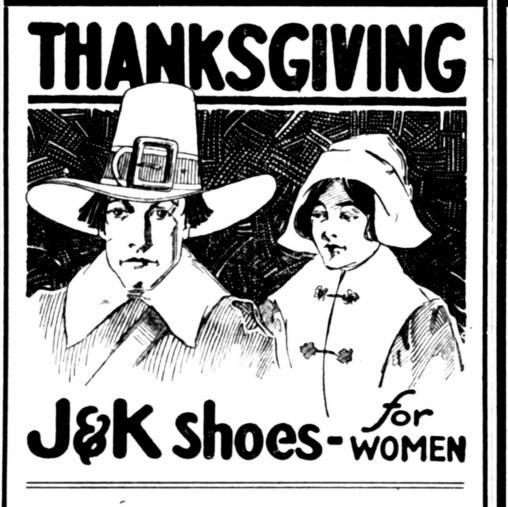
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M.B. JONES ..TREASURER..

Yield of Potatoes Larger Than Last Year, But Wheat, Corn, Oats, Hay and Apples Decrease.

Te.-A summary of preliminary estimates of crop production for the state of New Mexico and for the United States, as compiled by the Bu reau of Crop Estimates (and transmitted through the Weather Bureau), U. S. Department of Agriculture, is as fol-

State-Estimate this year, 2,430,000 bushels; production last year (final estimate), 2,730,000 bushels.

United States-Estimate this year, 2,640,000,000 bushels; production last year (final estimate), 3,054,535,000 bushels

State-October estimate, 2,164,000 bushels: production last year (final es timate), 2,156,000 bushels.

United States October estimate 608,000,000 bushels; production las year (final estimate), 1,011,505,000

Oats.

State-October estimate, 1,914,000 bushels; production last year (final es timate), 2,160,000 bushels.

United States October estimate, 1, 229,182,000 bushels; production last year (final estimate), 1,540,362,000 bushels.

Potatoes.

State -Estimate this year, 816,000 bushels; production last year (final es timate), 800,000 bushels.

United States - Estimate this year 289,000,000 bushels; production last year (final estimate), 359,103,000 bush

State-September estimate, 362,000 tons; production last year (final est) mate), 442,000 tons.

United States September estimate 86,155,000 tons; production last year (final estimate), 85,225,000 ton-

Apples State-Estimate this year, 119,000 barrels; production last year (final es timate), 273,000 barrels

United States Estimate this year 67,700,000 barrels: production last year (final estimate), 76,670,000 bar rels.

The first price given below is the average on Nov. 1 this year, and the second the average on Nov. 1 las

State—Wheat, 129 and 91 cents per bushel. Corn. 82 and 67. Oats, 55 and 34. Potatoes, 111 and 86. Hay, \$12.40 cents per dozen

United States Wheat, 158 and 93.1 cents per bushel Corn, 85 and 619 cents. Oats, 49 and 34.9 cents. Potatoes, 136 and 60 % cents Hay, \$10.68 and \$10.83 per ton. Eggs, 32 and 26.3 cents per dozen

Candidates File Expense Accounts.

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Santa Fé - The following candidates in New Mexico have filed their preelection expense statements with Secretary of State Antonio Lucero: Frank A. Hubbell, \$8,046.57; C. J. Roberts. \$635; B. C. Hernandez, \$875, W. G. Sargent, \$100. Gilberto Mirabal, \$300; W. E. Lindsey, \$30; R P Ervein, \$300. J. H. Wagner, \$270.50; H. O. Bulsum. \$500; Juan Ortiz, \$200; Malaquias Mar. tinez, \$100; Frank W Clancy, \$305; E C. de Baca, \$1.031; W. C. McDonald. nothing; Antonio Lucero, \$300; Miguel A. Otero, \$300; H. L. Hall, \$300; J. L. G. Swinney, \$34.25; Harry L. Patton. \$380.85; G. Davidson, \$258.85; N. B. Field, nothing: Bonifacio Montova. \$300; Vincent Thomas, \$14; Andrew Regan, nothing.

Three Injured in Shooting Affray. Roswell.-Word of a shooting near

the Fred Greening place south of the city about twelve miles, reached here. Sam Butler, Jack Pailey and a man by the name of Crockett were the partici. pants. Butler was shot through 'the right arm, Bailey in the left shoulder and Crockett in the groin. None of the injuries are regarded as serious.

Three Killed, Two Hurt, in Fight. Magdalena. Three men are dead

and two wounded as the result of a gun fight here. The fight was the outcome of an election quarrel. Dan Archulita was killed outright, Manual Gripalba and a younger brother died from wounds. Archulita's father and Gripalba's father were wounded.

Hands Blown Off With Shotgun.

Cerrillos While out hunting, Teles fonto Espinos, 16 years old, stood with both hands resting over the muzzle of his shotgun and accidentally pressed the hammer with his foot. His entire right hand was blown o'f and part of

Roswell Ships Carload of Turkeys.

Roswell. The Roswell Turkey House reports the first solid carloa of turkeys sent from this city since they opened business here a few days ago This car contained 104 barrels of dressed turkeys, or 2,382 birds, and was consigned to New York City for retail distribution. The manager states that the industry is on larger propor tions in the valley than he at first an ticipated and his force is kept busy in the preparation of the fowls for stor-

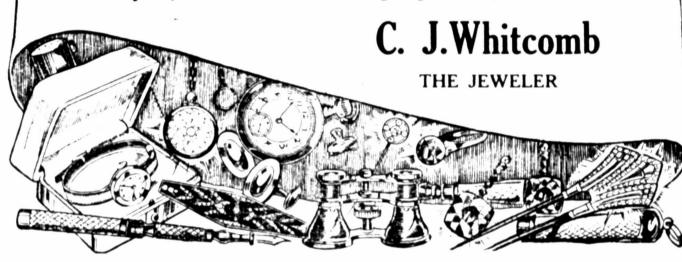
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Commissioners' Proceedings.

Proceedings of the board of County Commissioners of Roosevelt County, at a recessed session of the regular October, 1916 term thereof, held in the court house in Portales, New Mexico, November 13th, 1916.

Present: C. V. Harris, chairman; S. E. Johnson and D. K. Smith, commissioners and J. W.

Ballow, clerk.

The board sat as a board of county commissioners after which they arose as a board of county commissioners and sat as a canvassing board for the purpose of canvassing the returns from the election held Tuesday, November 7th, 1916, when the following results were obtained, to-wit:

,	Votes	
Prèsidential Electors: Felix Garcia, Dem	"	
Felix Garcia, Dem	1088	
J. N. Upton, Dem	.1091	
Jose G. Chavez, Dem	1086	
H. J. Hammond, Rep.	229	
C. L. Hill, Rep	230	
Juan Ortiz, Rep	. 227	
Mc B. Smith, Soc.	146	
T. Smith, Soc	146	
Ira N. Crisp, Soc	147	
Lester Sands, Pro	11	
F. C. Peterson, Pro	11	
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United States Senator:		
A. A. Jones, Dem	1094	
A. A. Jones, Dem Frank A. Hubbeil, Rep		
W. P. Metcalf, Soc		
Representative in Congress:		
W. B. Walton, Dem		
Benigno C. Hernandez, Rep		
Andrew Eggum, Soc	148	
Governor:		
E. C. de Baca, Dem		
	233	
N. A. Wells, Soc	144	
Lieutenant-Governor:		
W. C. McDonald, Dem		
W. E. Lindsey, Rep		
J. H. Bearup, Soc	146	
Secretary of State:		
Antonio Lucero, Dem	.1063	
Gilberto Mirabal, Rep	236	
Vincent Thomas, Soc.	152	

State Auditor Miguel A. Otero, Dem William G. Sargant, Rep Frank Frost, Soc. State Treasurer: H. L. Hall, Dem Gregory Page, Rep Frank Phelps, Soc Attorney-General: Harry L. Patton, Dem Frank W. Clancy, Rep. Supt. of Public Instruction: J. L. G. Swinney, Dem J. Howard Wagner, Rep Mrs. Lurlyne Lane, Soc

George A. Davisson, Dem Robert P. Ervien, Rep T. E. Pendergrass, Soc Justice of the Supreme Court: \$100 per month. Neill B. Field, Dem Clarence J. Roberts, Rep A. James McDonald, Soc Member State Corp. Committee: | payment of same, to-wit: Bonifacio Montoya, Dam

Malaquias M1rtinez, Rep State Senator: R. G. Bryant, Dem John W. Russell, Rep T. S. Rivers, Soc State Representative:

G. W. Stroud, Dem Charles E. Toombs, Rep R. E. McAlister, Soc District Attorney Robert C. Dow, Dem C. O. Thompson, Rep Co. Commissioner 1st Dist:

J. S. Pearce, Dem Felix Holmes, Soc Co. Commissioner 2nd Dist: Ed. L. Wall, Dem 1124 M. C. Carter, Soc

Co. Commissioner 3rd Dist: John G. Tyson, Dem H. B. Chapman, Soc

Probate Judge: Cleve Compton, Dem A. R. Page, Soc County Clerk: Seth A. Morrison, Dem

J. J. Roberts, Soc. Sheriff: A. L. Gregg, Dem Clyde Knapp, Rep Charles Gunn, Soc Assessor:

> Burl Johnson, Dem J. D. Wooten, Soc. County Treasurer:

J. R. Sanders, Soc Superintendent of Schools: Sam J. Stinnett, Dem _____1175 N. C. Howell, Soc-_____131 County Surveyor: J. R. Darnell, Dem......1071 George E. Scott, Rep 242 The board arose as a board of canvassers and sat as a board of

County Commissioners. It is ordered of the board of County Commissioners that the tax levies for the year 1916 be and the same are hereby fixed at and for the following purposes, to-wit:

Roosevelt County Levy for 1916. General School State Levy. State Purposes Special Levy.

State Schools Cattle Indemnity Sheep Sanitary Town of Portales Sewer, town of Portales 3c per front and ten cents per front on improved. Town of Elida .0015School Districts. 1 Special .003251 Interest .00075

Special 2 Interest .000753 Special 3 Interest .0015 Special ,0027518 Special 19 Special .00225Special .0006.002530 Special 30 Interest .0007535 Special .000844 Special 46 Special .0006.0022547 Interest Special .001649 Interest 54 Special 57 Special 00125 1064 111 Special Upon examination of the 1907, 151 1908 and 1910 Tax Rolls of Roosevelt County, finding them to be 1082 in a very mutilated condition and 239 upon recommendation of the 140 Grand Jury at the October, 1916

1093 have said rolls re-written, the 249 board finds that said recommendation is well taken. It is therefore ordered by the 289 board that M. B. Jones be and he 145 hereby authorized to copy the Commissioner of Public Lands: 1907 roll anew and to replace new 1057 sheets in the 1908 and 1910 rolls 269 in place of the mutilated ones and 143 for such services he shall receive

term of the District Court, to

1076 The following bills were exam-243 ined and approved and the clerk 147 was ordered to draw warrants in

1067 Geo. C. Deen, office expen-**\$280.65** George C. Deen, expense 211.20 of Court 1021 289 Mountain States T. & T. 140 Co. phone rent and calls 13.63 J. E. Morrison, commis-1058 sion on taxes... 254 S. E. Johnson, expense. 31,35 147 T. C. Johnson, agent,

C. O. D. charges on books **95.00** 1099 No further business appearing 228 at this time, it is now ordered that court take a recess until the 1163 next regular meeting unless sooner convened by order of the chairman. C. V. HARRIS,

Chairman. 176 Attest: J. W. BALLOW, Clerk,

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NEW MEXICO STATE NEWS

Western Newspaper Union News Service COMING EVENTS.

Nov. 27-30-Meeting State Educational Association at Albuquerque. June 14-17-Cowboys' Reunion at Las

The Estancia valley bean crop this year has brought growers about \$100,000.

The criminal docket for the November term of the District Court at Roswell is light.

The improvements the Santa Fé rail way is making at the Carlsbad ter minal are progressing well.

The Austin-Amazon Copper Company filed incorporation papers in the state corporation commission's office.

A postoffice, to be known as Rayo Socorro county, is to be established as soon as the necessary steps can be taken.

A group of mining prospects is being developed in the Kimball district. three miles north of Steins, Grant county.

The new shaft on Johnson mine, operated by Socorro Mining and Mill ing Company, is down 225 feet, still in mill grade ore. A state unit law, just as there is a

books, is to be proposed in the coming Legislature by friends of the public schools. As a result of a drinking brawl at Santa Fé, Manuel Rivera is resting at

county unit law upon the statute

his home east of Upper Palace avenue. with a gash in his side and several cuts on his face. The trustees of the Anti-Saloon

League of New Mexico have decided to organize the whole state in units each of these to be composed of com munity or precinct units. Union county, the eighth county in

New Mexico to employ an expert agriculturist, is soon to have a farm bureau, if the plans of County Agent Or ren Beatty mature properly. Thirty-seven cars of cattle will be

shipped from Cimarron to market during the monh of November, according to the number of cars that have been ordered at the Cimarron station.

The reception tendered the teacher of the grades and high school by the Woman's club of Belen was one of the largest as well as most delightful affairs that Belen has ever witnessed.

Timbering of new shaft below 500foot level has been started at two separate points by Mogollon Mines ('o During the week 980 tons of ore were treated and 1,500 pounds gold and sil ver bullion smelted for first half of

Eagles are still plentiful in the White mountains of Lincoln county Rev. M. Hall, the Presbyterian cowboy preacher, recently caught a huge eagle while on his way from Ruidoso to Cap ttan, and only a few days ago a bird flying at night collided with the headlight of an El Paso & Southwestern train near Carrizozo and was caught

by Conductor George Price. Judge E. C. Abbott, before leaving Santa Fé for the border, where he commands the New Mexico infantry decided the case of B. F. Pankey vs. Ortiz and other residents of Galisteo 1,100 acres, used as commons by the citizens of Galisteo who claimed the land by prescription, although included in the Eaton grant, to which Pankey has title.

Since Aug. 1, 1916, a total of 316 acres of land within the Santa Fé nawill shortly be opened to entry under the forest homestead act

The Caja del Rito land grant of 66. 800 acres was sold to State Senator B. F. Pankey of Lamy at \$1 per acre. The sale was made by Special Master E. A. Johnson, subject to the approval of the District Court.

▲ voluminous indictment, consisting of 153 pages, returned by the federal grand jury at Santa Fé, was filed. ty offenses in alleged misbilling of shipments of grain and grain products from Clayton, N. M., to Texline, Tex., and there reconsigning them to the final or bona fide destination, using a Premiums combination of the local freight rates Incidentials applicable upon the shipments from Clayton to Texline, and then the local rates wholly within the state of Texas, which are applicable only upon shipments originating in Texas and destined to points wholly within that

Lucius C. Hightower, convicted of the murder of his wife, Mrs. Hallie Hightower, at the Tyrone mining camp n November, 1915, paid the penalty or his crime on the gallows. The exrution took place in the court yard at Iver City, the drop of six feet decapng Hightower, death being inntaneous because of his weight, be e over 200 pounds. The noose sevd the head from the body.

The Dona Ana Motor Company's of Portales Valley News at Las Cruces filed incorporation Leach Coal Co., rs. It has \$50,000 capital stock died into 500 shares at \$100 each.



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The State Poultry Show will be Portales Lumber Co, held in Portales, December 10th Albuquerque Creamery to 13th. The County Fair Com- Saylor Produce Co., missioners have donated \$75.00 Sanitary Barber Shop to be awarded on Roosevelt Day Barber Shop in favor of Pankey. The case involved | County birds. \$100 on each first | Goodloe Paint Co., prize bird and \$2.00 for each first Humphrey Hardware Co.,

Prof. Thompson of the State Joyce-Pruit Co., College will give lectures on Deen-Neer Co., poultry culture each day of the Warren-Fooshee Co., tional forest, New Mexico were listed show. If the farmers and poul- White House Grocery with the secretary of the interior and try breeders wish better prices Jabara Peoples Store for their products, come and he Faggard & Co., will tell you how this may be ac-Strickland & Bland

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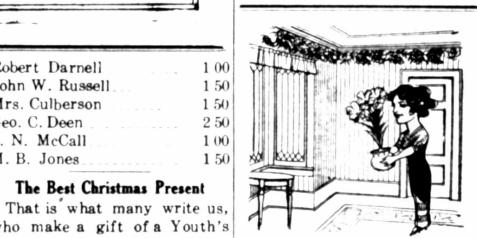
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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M. October 20th, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Asa P. Hodges, of Redland, N. M., who, on Jan. 29, 1913, made homestead entry No. 010532, fer SW. 1-4 Section, 8. Township 9S. Range 37E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Will A. Palmer, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Causey, N. M., on the 12th day of December, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Claimant names as witnesses: David Z. Little, of Causey, N. M.; William Croft, Spliam M. Gregory, Ellaha B. Gregory, all of Idland, N. M. A. J. EVANS, Register

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Notice for Publication

Non coal 01628

Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Ft. Sumner, N. M., August 30, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Ruby A. Brewer, of Bengon, N. M., who on Oct.20, 1913, made homestead No. 01628, for north half, section 19, township 1 south, range 30 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 18th day of December, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

December, 1919.
Claimant names as witnesses:
Albert S. Pearson, Abner A. Cribbs, John W.
McMahan, John T. Turner, all of Benson, N. M.
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A. J. Evans, Register.

Notice for Publication Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, United States Land
Office at Ft, Sumner, New Mexico, Oct. 17, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that John B. Vernon,
of Inez, N. M., who, on February 2nd, 1910, made
thomestead entry. No. 07607, for the east half
Section 21, Township 48, Range 36E, N. M. P.
Meridian, has filed notice of Intention to make
final five 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 2nd day of December. 1916.
Claimant names as witnesses:
Marion A. Fullerton, of Longs, N. M.; George H.
Parks, of Longs, N. M.; Thomas J. Mullins Jr, of
Inez, N. M.; Lawrence B. Parrish, of Inez, N. M.
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A. J. Evans, Register.

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, U.S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, New Mexico, October 19, 1916.
Notice is hereby given that George L. Swearingin of Garrison, N. M., who on Feb. 21, 1913, made homestead entry, No. 010572, for southeast quarter, east half southwest quarter, and lots 3 and 4, Sec. 31, township 5 south, range 36 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 Will A. Palmer U. S. commissioner, in his office, at Causey, N. M., on the 7th day of December, 1916.
Claimant names as witnesses:

Claimant names as witnesses:
Ezra E. Baugh, Zada B. Richardson: George W
Jones, Hance Arnold, all of Garrison, N. M.
51-4. A. J. EVANS, Register.

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Ft. Sumner, N. M., October 17, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Auvard B. B. Jones, of Portales, N. M., who, on March 3rd, 1913, made homestead entry No. 010659, for west half northeast quarter, and northwest quarter southeast quarter section 6, township 2 south, range 36 east, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year, proof, to establish 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, at Portales, N. M., on the 2nd day of December; 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

James R. Sadler, of Eiland, N. M.; Henry Allen, of Portales, N. M.; Lawrence H. Randolph, of Eiland, N. M.; William O. Davis, of Eiland, N. M. 51-4

Notice for Publication

Non-Coal 013055

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., October 30, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Charles L. Bass, of Causey, Roosevelt county, New Mexico, who on October 6, 1915, made homestead entry No. 013056, for northwest quarter section 14, Township 58, Range 36E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of tablish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Land Commissioner, at Portales, N. M., on the 26th day of December, 1916. tales, N. M., on the 25th uny v.

Claimant names as witnesses:

William H. Ruby, John M. Riley, William H.

Clark, Robert L. Wells, all of Causey, N. M.,

A. J. EVANS, Register

Notice for Publication

Non coal 010822
Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Ft. Summer, N. M., October 28, 1916. Ft. Sumner, N. M., October 28, 1916.
Notice is hereby given that Theodore Wilmes, of Claudell, N. M., who on September 5, 1912, made homestead entry number 010322 for west half of section 13, township 2 south, range 30 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 C. A. Coffey, U. S. commissioner, in his office at Elida, N. M., on the 14th day of December, 1916.
Claimant names as witnesses:
Henry Wilmes, of Claudell, N. M., Philip C. Perkins, of Claudell, N. M., Lena Wilmes, of Claudell, N. M., Lena Wilmes, of Claudell, N. M., Register.

Notice for Publication

Non Coal—010348

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, New Mexico, October 27, 1916.
Notice is hereby given that Melsena Miller. of Elida, New Mexico, who, on September 19, 1912, made Homestead entry, No. 010348, for northwest quarter section 26 and the northeast quarter of section 27, township 2 south, range 29 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 C. A. Coffey, U. S. Commissioner, at Elida, N. M., on the 14th U. S. Commissioner, at Elida, N. M., on the 14th day of December, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: George W. Dye, Charles S. Toler, Walter Brad-ley, Elmer Dye, all of Elida, N. M. 52-6 A. J. EVANS, Register.

Notice for Publication

Non coal 010302 Department of the Interior, U.S. land office at Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Ft. Sumner. N. M., October 27, 1916.
Notice is hereby given that John E. Glover, of Elida, N. M., who on August 19, 1912, made homestead entry No. 010302, for lets 1 and 2, east half northwest quarter, section 31, township 4 south, range 33 east, New Mexico Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. A. Coffey, U. S. Commissioner, at Elida, N. M., on the 14th day of December, 1916.
Claimant names as witnesses:

Claimant names as witnesses:
Wily Todd, of Elida, N. M.; James W. Johnson, of Elida, N. M.; James Stinson, of Redlake, N. M. Samuel E. Guss, of Elida, N. M. 62-5

Notice of Contest

Department of the Interior, United States land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., October 10th, 1916, To Dallas Holley, reco¹d address Dereno, N. M.,

To Dallas Holley, reco¹d address Dereno, N. M., Contestee:

You are hereby notified that Walter B. Gwyn, as gives Hurley, Texas, as his postoffice address, did on September 12th. 1916, file in this office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your homestead entry serial No, 011625, made October 1st, 1914, for lots 1, 2, 3, and south half north half section 1, township 1 south, range 28 east, N. M. P. M.. and as grounds for his contest he alleges that the said entryman died on or about October, 1915, leaving Hawley, his widow, his only heir at law and next of kin; that the said Hawley, widow, has failed and neglected to coltivate the said land or toke up her residence thereon, or otherwise occupy or improve the said land since the death of her husband; that all the improvements that were on the said land have been removed therefrom and the said land is wholly unoecupied, unimproved and uncultivated; that this affiant has been informed that the said Hawley, widow, resides in Amarillo, Texas.

You are, therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken as confessed.

in Amarillo, Texas.

You are, therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken as confessed, and your said entry will be canceled without further right to be heard, either before this office or on appeal, if you fail to file in this office within twenty days after the FOURTH publication of this notice, as shown below, your answer, under oath, specifically responding to these allegations of contest, together with due proof that you have served a copy of your answer on the said contestant either in person or by registered maii.

You should state in your answer the name of the postoffice to which you desire future notices to be

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Non-coal 011027

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Claimant names as withreeses: Claimant names as witnesses Albert S. Pearson, Abner A. Cribbs, Joffn W. McMahan. John T. Turner, all of Benson, N. M. 52-5. A. J. Evans, Register.

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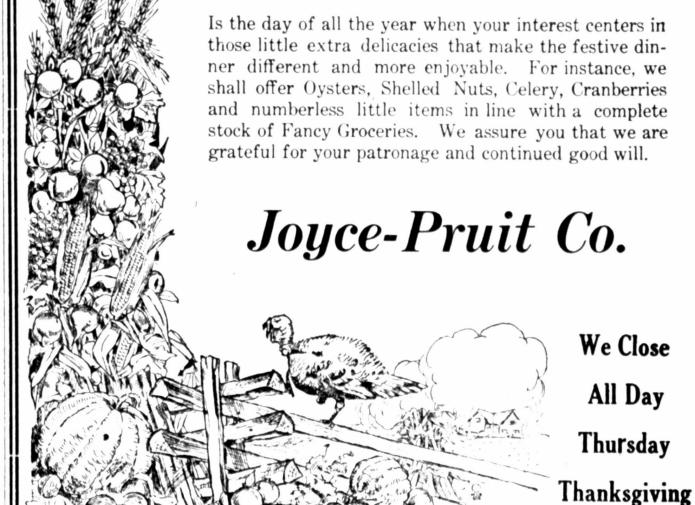
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Clem is wearing out her heart for Alan. Does he understand this? Is he keeping away from her for the sport it affords him to watch a girl's heart break? Or does he feel he is unworthy of her affection? Will she "catch" him yet?



Maple House was riding the crest of on the lake to picnic and supper by little things. Sudden peals of unreal was the whole world. Already he felt soning laughter, shrieks of children at the yearning with which his heart play, a rumble of the plano followed must henceforth turn to its sole desire. by a rollicking college song, ready smiles on happy faces, broke like com- horse breasted the opposing hill, he mas into the page of life, and turned thought he heard an echoing hoofbeat monotony into living phrases. But be behind him. He turned and with one neath the gayety ran the inevitable un- hand resting on the horse's quarter dertone. When joy paused to take gazed back through the gray light, but breath it found Alan half aloof and Long lane was veiled from view by Clem wistful behind her unvarying overhanging trees. As he lifted his

alone with Nance. She had frankly He had ridden a thousand times and cornered him, then as openly led him he had never noted such a thing beoff down the road towards Elm House. fore. It was simple when reduced to

a great fool or a great coward. Which and moist, the hair cool and dry. His

mean?" be stammered.

"You know what I mean. Clem. You're breaking her heart."

moment be was silent, then he said: cut off, discarded, useless. With a of East mountain. Then came another "Don't worry, Nance. You're wrong, of course, but, anyway, no harm is touched the horse with his crop and interspersed with wet, slippery stones going to come to Clem through me. gave him his head. The horse sprang and hindering bowlders. I'm going away. I've meant to go for forward, cleared the top of the hill, ever so long, but somehow I couldn't. and the rhythmic clatter of his hoofs Something seemed to hold me. I tried as he dashed along the pebble-strewn slipped from her horse before Alau to think it was just the Hill, and that road seemed to cleave the still morning could reach her. She stood with one it would be all right for me to stay on in two. until the general break-up. But you have wakened me up, and the proof that I'm not quite a coward yet is

that I'm going to get up and run." They came to the entrance to The Elms, but Nance led him on down the road. "Run? Why are you going to run? Alan, don't you love her?"

A tremor went through Alan's body. love her or not. If I ever-loved any a moment he sat and stared down the one before, then I don't love her, for long slope. There was a smell of mois- Here was a person who could look Ten the thing that has come over me is ture in the air. The valley, the whole Percent Wayne at his best in the eye new-newer than anything that has ever happened to me. I would rather and even as he stared the rain came in see her come down from her room in a fine, veillike mist that steadied the the morning than to have watched the tones of earth and sky to one even turned her square back to the saddle birth of Aphrodite, and yet I would shade of endless gray. Out of the gray and faced him fairly. "I'll tell you rather see myself damned, once and came the cilck of iron on pebble. Alan what I did it for. All my life I've been for all, than touch the hem of her frock." "Why?"

Alix called her giorious. I don't know | trembled. whether that was a bit of hyperbole on her part or not, but to me she is just that. There is a glory about Clem-the glory of pure light. Do you as dry as ever they had been with can't talk like that to yourself." He think I dare walk into it? Me, with fever. "Where's your hat?" he asked. my scarred life, my blemished soul and two? That would be cowardly. I'm not coward enough for that."

you. I thought that if ever man lived | ment. "Hats are for sunny days," she | over the double horn of her saddle that knew a little about women it said. "I like rain on my head. Have and her left hand holding a slim ridmust be you. I won't say any of the you anything special to do? Don't let ing whip hung at her side. To the velthings I was going to say. Instead, I me bother you." just tell you that you don't know

They walked back in silence. Nance went into the house, but Alan said good night and stared thoughtfully for a ride, and you said not then but about her head. Her head, like the down the road. His step quickened, and, walking rapidly, he passed over the moonlit brow of the hill and down, down into the shadows of the valley. Hard is the battle that has to be won twice, but when in the small hours of he morning Alan returned and crept ely to his room, he felt that he that won, that he had put the final seal on the renunciation Nance's words had well-nigh recalled. Still wakeful, and his gathered limbs suddenly Alan started packing. He left out his

That day awake to clouds that lowered and hung about waiting for the fateful hour of seven when they might with all due respect to atmospheric tradition start in with an ail-day rain, flashed and he began to ride. He was known each other without words, but long before the bour struck Alan himself again. had foraged for a biscuit and a glass of milk and was mounted and away could not get on even terms; Clem held are a dribbling outlet for a full heart,

programment of a poor horseman, hung loose and forgotten. Alan himself was dressed in own riding whip for their own good. well-worn whipcord breeches, short but not Clem. Alan suddenly knew coat, soft hat, and close-fitting boots adorned with rowelless spurs. For his health Red Hill had done wonders. His body was trim, supple and as vibrant as the young horse under it.

But Alan's thoughts were far from saddles and saddle gear as he walked the restive animal down the dipping slope of Long lane and with his riding crop steadily discouraged the early morning flies, intent on settling down to the business of life on his mount's arched neck and quivering quarters. He was thinking of Clem. Where could he go to get away from Clem? Not tomorrow, not sometime, but today. a happy wave. In a body it advanced | Where could be go today? Once the world had seemed to him a fenceless moonlight and in a body it returned: pasture where it was good to wander, the little ones excited and wakeful, the where every undiscovered glade promgrown-ups tired and reminiscent. Days ised fresh morsels to an unwearled followed that were filled with laziness palate, but now in his mind the whole and nights that rang with song. The world had shrunk to the proportions cup of life was filled to the brim with of Red Hill. Where Clem was, there

He crossed the valley, and, as his hand, its impress, clearly defined as One evening Alan found himself an image, caught his eye. How strange! "Alan," she said, "you've turned into physical terms. The horse was warm hand pressed the hair down into the Alan glanced at her. "What do you moisture. But when he had reasoned out the why and wherefore and tick- tree-line of the valley below them. eted the phenomenon, the impress still scurried across an ancient clearing. stared back at him. To his mood it pushed through brush and branches, seemed an emblem of isolation, a thing and burst out on to the long, bald back smile of rebuke at his fancies be clear run over crisp sod dangerously

CHAPTER

Alan did not draw rein until he reached the top of the bluff dividing the valley from West lake. Then for world, was expecting, waiting for rain, and never turn a mental hair. recognized the quick, springy tread running after you. Last night I heard of a climbing horse. He turned and you packing. I knew what you were faced Clem. He felt the slow color doing-you were getting ready to go "Because it is not for me. Once rising in his cheeks and his hands away. Before you went I wanted you

they even forgot to say good morning.

A flicker of amusement showed in into his neck and face. At that mothe moral rags that only half hide the Clem's eyes. She was quite calm and ment Clem was beautiful to him beshe could see that Alan was not, that | youd the wildest dreams of fair he was biting his tongue at the feeble Nance sighed. "I'm disappointed in words he had saddled on a heavy mo-

that can't be put off."

"Do you remember," Clem went on, "years ago I asked you to take me sometime? I've never had my ride with you. I want it now."

Her eyes were fixed on his and held him. "I am ready," he said through dry lips.

She turned her horse and he followed. They rode in silence at a walk a wood-road. Her horse broke into a gallop. She flicked him with her whip stretched out for a free run. The going was soft. Alan had fallen behind. Clots of mossy loam struck him in the face. Swaying branches showered drops of water on him. He lost his hat. Then his lips tightened, his eyes

He urged his horse forward, but he the middle of the narrow track. Sud- and my heart's as full today with lan rode with the case of one born denly they burst into the broad Low things I've never said to you as the saddle. There was nothing of road. With a terrific clatter of flying clouds are with rain. in his get-up. He used a stones and slipping, scrambling boofs,

angry. He watched Clem's whip, but tears." it never moved. He settled into the saddle and rode blindly. His horse must catch up or he would kill him. He was gaining. A moment more at the same pace and be could reach Clem's reins below her horse's neck. Then Clem swerved again into a halfplunged through the brush, broke out, and followed, a poor second.

Alan's face and hands were badly scratched, but he rode on doggedly. It never occurred to him to give up the chase. In the end he would catch up: he knew that, but what puzzled him was what he should do to Clem when he caught her. Anyone else, man or woman, he would give a taste of their that there was something in Clem that a man could not break.

The wood-road made a gradual ascent that the willing horses took at a steady, hard gallop. They left the



"Clem," He Cried, "Stop!"

At the highest point in all the countryside Clem suddenly drew rein and arm across the saddle-horn and waited

Alan threw himself from his horse and rushed up to her. His hands were tching to grip her shoulders and shake her, but he held them at his side. What did you do it for?" he asked

with blazing eyes. Clem looked him over coolly. "Ever run after anyone before, Alan?"

"What?" stuttered Alan. He felt foundations slipping from under him.

"How do you like it?" continued Clem in an even, firm voice. Then she to run after me-just once. A sort They did not smile at each other; of consolation prize to pride."

Alan's face hardened. "Stop, Clem. Alan licked his thin lips. They were You can't talk like that to me and you looked at Clem and the blood surged

Her right arm was still hooked vet lapels of her coat clung little drops "No," stammered Alan, Enothing of rain. Her hair was braided and firmly tied in a double fold at the back of her neck, but short strands had escaped from durance and played velvet lapels, was dusted with little silvery drops of water and little drops of water perched on her long, upturned lashes. Her cheeks were flushed, her bosom agitated, her lips tremulous.

Only her eyes were steady. Alan took off his coat and threw it over a rock. "Will you please sit down?

I must talk to you." Clem strode to another rock and sat down. "You are absurd. Your coat is as wet as the stones. Put it on." Alan hesitated. "Put your coat on." Alan obeyed; then he sat down before her, but turned his eyes away and gazed rather vacantly over the whole wet world. "If ever two people bave Clem, it's you and me. Never mind the grammar. Even unshackled words

"Nature, taken by and large, is a of a hunting saddle, fitted they made the turn. Alan rode at last funny outfit, and the funniest things in you say you love me."

It are the ones that make you want Alan started forward, but Clem held the smalle with a light hand. "stop! It isn't fair to the horses."

The world sees a good man, him off with a gesture. "What do you!

But Clem only laughed. Her slim clean and straight, married to a faith- think I love in you? The things you body swayed to the bends of the road; less woman and laughs. Men see a have spent? The things you have her shoulders were braced; she leaned pure girl give her all to a cad, and thrown away? Has a woman ever slightly back, steadying her horse with they say, 'It's always the rotters that fallen in love with a man because he a taut rein. Alan tried to draw even, get the pick, and they laugh too. But was perfect?" Clem made a despondbut every time be urged his horse into down in the bottom of our hearts we ing gesture with both hands as though a spurt Clem's spurted too. Alan grew know that these things are things for

> "Yes, Alan," said Clem as he paused. She was no longer imperious, only attentive, with chin in hands and elbows "You know me," went on Alan, "but

there are things about me that you do not know-things below you that you hidden wood-road and Alan's horse have no understanding for, thank God. I don't even know how to picture them to you." "Yes, Alan," said Clem softly.

Alan picked a bit of huckleberry bush and twisted it nervously in his hands. "First of all I've got to tell you what L thought you knew, that what there is of me is yours over and over again, and then I've got to tell you why you can't have it." A light came into Clem's eyes, trembled, flickered, and then settled to a steady "You've seen people smile-everyone

has a smile of sorts," went on Alan.

"Did you ever think that a smile had a body and soul? To me it has. It body to keep pure and a soul to guard unstained. There are smiles that illumine a face, that shine with essential purity, that glorify. Nobody has to tell you that they have never pandered to a ribald jest or added cruelty to denial. They are live smiles and they are rare among women and rarer among men. For one such you'll find a thousand living faces with dead smiles smiles that have scattered their essence like rain on the just and the unjust, that have rolled in fifth and wasted their substance on the second best. You'll find them flickering out in the faces of young men and at the last gasp in the faces of lost women



"My God! My God!" He Cried.

whose eyes hold the shadows of unforgotten sins."

"Well?" said Clem. Alan sighed. "Between the lines of my words you must read for yourself My smile is dead—I killed it long ago. Yours is alive-alive. You have kept it pure, auarded its flame and you shall hold it high like a beacon. You are ready to give all and you have all to give. I have nothing but the empty shell. I have kept nothing. I have gained the whole world-and lost it. The little strength left to the pinions of my soul could carry me up to clutch your beacon and drag it down, but Clem-dearest of all women-I love you too much for that. You've got to trust me. The things I know that you do not know shove the duty of denial on to my shoulders. I could give you an empty shell, but I won't."

Alan had not looked at Clem. He had talked like one rehearsing a lesson, with his eyes far away in the gray world. He dropped the bit of bush and his hands, locked about his knees. gripped each other till the knuckles and fingers showed white against the tan of his thin wrists. When he stopped speaking Clem turned curious eyes upon him. "Is that all?" she

Alan sprang up and faced her. "All? All?" he cried. "Isn't it enough?"

Clem rose to her feet. In her uplifted right hand she held her agateheaded riding whip. Alan's eyes fastened on it as she meant them to do. Then, with a full, free swing, she flung it from her. The whip, weighted by the agate head, described a long curve through the air and plunged into the brush far down the mountain side. "That," Clem cried, her eyes flashing remembered the turmoil his mind had into his, "for the beacon. I kept it for you. It was too good for you; you would not take it, so there it goes." Her lips trembled and she snapped her fingers. "It is not worth that to me."

"Clem!" cried Alan, protesting. "Don't speak," said Clem; "you have said what you had to say. Now listen to me. You are blind, Alan, or worse than that, asleep. I'm not a thinlegged elf with skirts bobbing above my knees any more. You can't make me swallow my protests today with. 'Clem, you mustn't this and you mustn't that.' There's one thing you've closed your eyes on long enough. I'm woman, Alan, bone, spirit and a great deal of flesh. I love you, and

she sought words that would not come. "Some men clap a wife on to themselves," she went on, "as you clap a iid on to a hot fire. If the fire grows cold quick enough the lid cracks. Some just let the fire burn out and take the dross with it. A woman knows that there is always something left in the man she loves. And even if she did not know it, it would be the same. She would rather give all for nothing than

never give at all." Clem's voice fell into a lower key. "The things you know that I do not know! What a child you are among men. A half-witted woman is born with more knowledge than the wisest of you ever attains and the first thing she learns is that life laughs at knowledge."

Clem stopped speaking and her eyes that had wandered came back to Alan's face. She drew a quivering breath. Her face had been pale, but now the sudden color surged up over her throat and into her cheeks. She put up her hands to her forehead. "Oh," she starts out in life like a virgin with a gasped, "you have driven me too far. I am a mean thing in my own eyes as I am in yours."

At first Alan had stood stunned by the words in which she had poured out her overburdened heart, but as she went on pitilessly laying bare her subjection a flame lit up his eyes and fired his blood. Now he sprang forward and dragged her hands from her face. "Mean, Clem? Mean in my eyes?" Then his tongue failed him. He sank to the wet grass at her feet, took her knees in his arms and hid his hot face | Mass. in her skirt. "My God, my God," he cried. "I am mean, but what there is of me has knelt to you by night and worshiped you by day. When you were little you were in my heart and you have grown up to it. When you were little there was room there for other things, but now that you have grown up you have filled it—all of it—so essential to regularity. grown up you have filled it-all of itevery nock and cranny."

"If you want me, Clem, if you want "If you want me, Clem, if you want are me, then there must be things left things I have never-could never give an -to anyone else. But I am ashamed to pour them into your lap-I must WOMAN HAD TRUE CHARITY pour them at your feet."

want you to pour things at my feet. Proves Possession of the Highest t's got to be eye to eye or nothing. and if there's any man left in-"

stable will do for a shaggy horse?"

"I'll make a year do it."

Then forgetful of hours and meals and the little things in life that do not about the case you'd find the poor man count when human souls mount to the (or woman) wasn't so much to blame banquet of the gods, they sat side by after all,"

with each other like the lights and more perfect shaft. dappled shadows under a swaying



When Clem and Alan reached home ong after the lunch hour they found the Hill athrill with news. Alix had received a cable and had left at once for town. She had gone alone. That could mean but one thing-Gerry was at last coming back.

It was from Barbados that Gerry had cabled. Ever since be had written his short note to Alix, through long doubting weeks at Piranhas and longer days of questioning and hesitation on board the slow freighter that was bearing him home, Gerry had been fighting himself. Only Lieber's sudden death and his burial, to which Gerry had ridden post-haste, had come in between as a solemn truce.

On the freighter he had had time enough and to spare to think. He had spent hours going over the same ground time and time again. For days he sat in his chair on the short bridgedeck, staring out to sea, making over and over the circle of his life from the time he had left home. He remembered sitting thus on the way out. He been in and the apathy that had followed, the long rest at Pernambuco, the trip down the coast and up the river, the glorious, misty morning at Piranhas, Margarita, catastrophe, awakening. What did that awakening stand for? Again he thought, if he could choose-would he wish to be back as he was before—as he was on the way out? A voice within him said

Will Gerry have the courage to confess everything to Alix? Do you think Alix will forgive him for his affair with Margarita-his bigamy with an ignorant, innocent girl?

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A tremor went through Clem's body,
She rested the fingers of one hand on
Alan's head and tried to turn up his
face. But he held it close to her knees.
But he held it close to her knees.
But he want me. Clem if you want
Store Alan's headache. Constipation, Piles, Catarrh,
Nervousnees, Blues, Jaundice, Appendictis, These

"No," said Clem gravely, "I do not Refusal to Judge Others Harshly Christian Character.

"Clem," broke in Alan, "there is There died a short time ago a womenough man left in me if you'll only an who never occupied, or aspired to give me time. Time to groom him, occupy, a conspicuous position in the You can understand that, Clem? You world but who was beloved by all who know what grooming and a clean knew her. The secret of her charm lay in her charity—not the charity of Clem nodded. - "How much time de almsgiving, although she was always openhanded to those in need-but the Alan hesitated. "A year," he said broader charity that consists in leniency toward the frailties of others. "You can have six months," replied When gossip, even gossip not unduly Clem and added with a smile, "That's harsh, assailed man or woman she inten per cent under office estimates." variably met it with the one response: "Well, now, maybe if you knew all

side and hand in hand on a big rock What an insight into a Christian and stared with unseeing eyes at the character that remark conveys. And gray world. "With you beside me," what a lesson in Christian charity it said Alan, "all skies are blue and filled teaches. It is the Ten Commandments with the light of a single, steady star." in a single sentence. Philosopher or Clem did not answer, but in her eyes theologian never uttered a more beaucontent and knowledge, tenderness tiful thought for mankind to ponder and strength, pleasure and pain played over. Epigram maker never directed a

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plant broke the other day, the acci-

dent was marked by peculiar fea-

tures. As the saw was cutting

spike that was imbedded in the

through a large log it came across

wood, and as the band was traveling

cannon. This part was eight feet in

surmised that the other half remains

coiled in the log in the same form.

The occurrence was no less unusual

Important to Mothers

infants and children, and see that it

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Method of His Madness.

"You say Mrs. Naggs was here dur

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home, but he positively refused to go-

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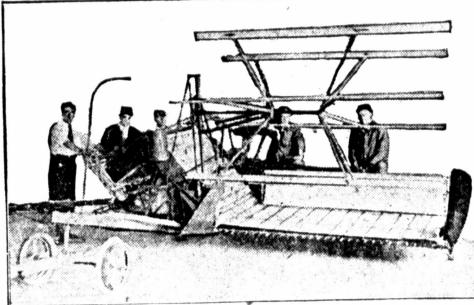
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"iron horse," and unless we take care

Every farmer should study his ma-

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turer. The best machinery will wear possible. During a trip across the out in time, but the life of any imple- state last winter, the writer counted ment depends primarily upon the care seven binders out in the field within a radius of 50 miles, and some of them were new machines. Under such treatment a binder will not last more than three years. Then the total yearly loss on these machines, whose cost was about \$900, would amount to \$300. This is more than the yearly profit on some farms. With proper care the same machines could have been made to last ten or fifteen years. "A high polish on the moldboard is

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> sible for that condition. It is frequently found in water. Animals wading through surface water infected with this organism may contaminate the udder and flanks which ing time. It is possible water used in cooling the milk, or even that used in

Preventive measures consist of thor-

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HARD TASK TO KEEP FARM HORSE WORKING

called to see about taking her husband Preventive Measures Consist in Expensive to Feed Animal That Stands at Rack and "Eats His Head Off."

(By R. M. GREEN, Missouri Agricultural

Experiment Station

One of the hard jobs on the average farm is keeping horses profitably employed throughout the year. It is necessary to have enough to do the work at the busy season but very expensive to feed the horse that stands at the rack and "eats its head off" the rest of the year. In its study of the question, the Missouri agricultural experiment station found one young farmer who kept his horses working in turn contaminate the milk at milk- per horse, as compared with 7.9 cents on the average farm. The horse which did the most work worked nearly three Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and rinsing utensils, may be responsible, and a half times as many hours a year as the one which did lenst, and nearly twice as many hours as another. The actual numbers of hours they worked

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irector, and E. J. Neer, director and C. v. Harris, director, and E. J. Neer, director of the Portales sank & Trust Company, of Portales, New Mexico, bank organized under the laws of the territory, ow state of New Mexico, upon oath duly sworn, ach for himself deposeth and says that the above and foregoing statements of the resources and inhilities, depositors, interest paid on depositors. ositors, interest paid on der

correct and true.
J. K. REESE, Cashier . E. MEARS. Director E. J. NEER, Director

ed and sworn to before me this 24th ROY SMITH, Notary Public

Woman's Club

The regular business session of the home of Mrs. G. M. Williamson, November 22nd.

the following progam:

Julius Ceasar, act III - Leader,

Mrs. J. P. Stone. Shakepeare's Heroines-Mrs. E. E. Hoagland.

Shakespeare and music-Mrs.

J. K. Reese

Dr. Swearingin's Dates

Dr. Swearingin, the specialist from Roswell, New Mexico. will be in Portales, at Neer's drug store, on the 20th day of ach month, to treat diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, honored custom and the law of nd to fit glasses.



Never in all the year is the desire so universal for goods of quality, of distinction, of prestige. This is the time of all when everybody wants to look well dressed, prosperous, happy. You feel that way, of course, why not go to the little trouble necessary to look it?—The way has been made easy.

Our store has made great preparations for serving you with special holiday lines of quality goods. We have here the fashionable, distinctive models which great clothes-makers, of national prestige, are featuring the country over. We have the variety, the styles, the values that will appeal to you. Come and see.

Special Suits and Overcoats, \$15 and \$20

We have made a specialty of smartly-styled suits and overcoats at \$15.00 and \$20.00, a fair price this year, one that means quality.

We advise you not to pay less; it is hardly necessary to pay much, if any, more, unless, of course, you want something extra fine. Here, at \$20, you'll find suits in beautiful soft faced worsteds, fine cassimeres, rich serges, fancy cheviots and unfinished worsteds. Solid colors, chalk stripes, pencil stripes, lively or dignified mixtures. models in all stylish shapes.

Overcoats of vicunas, meltons, kerseys and fancy double-faced materials. Styles that range from the big stormcoats to the snappy young men's form-fitting models and dress overcoats.

A big range of smart "belters," tailored for good dressers by Schloss Brothers & Company, the famous style makers.

Other Suits and Overcoats, \$12.50 to \$25.00.

Full Ltne of Winter Furnishings. Shoes, Hats, Gloves, Shirts., Underwear. Neckwear. No trouble to show goods.



Thanksgiving Day Proclamation

The first Thanksgiving in 1621 was an expression of the hope that had aroused the spirit of independence. That spirit is still dominant and the American people should thank God for that more than all else.

During the year past New the woman's club was held at Mexico and our whole country have been wonderfully blessed. Material prosperity is at its The literary department gave zenith and civic progress is unmistakable.

by unrestrained ambition and of the burden of the poor and greed, we, thanks to the good needy, the weak and lowly. sense of our people and the wisdom of those in authority, are at peace with all the world. After American people. all "Peace on earth, good will toward men" is the sentiment this, the 20th day of November, that glorifies and ennobles;

Now Therefore, in accord with the proclamation of the president of the United States, time the country, I, William C. Mc

Donald, governor of the state of New Mexico, do hereby proclaim Thursday, November 30th, 1916, recently from a visit to Texas. as Thanksgiving Day.

Thanksgiving is an American holiday and festival. It should be celebrated as a day of good cheer, of kindly consideration. Careful thoughtfulness will give us due regard for the happiness

In individual lives, in the family reunions and in the houses of dred we expect many of the far- us in any way. The proceeds worship may our minds turn to mers to go to hauling immed- amou ted to \$35.55. noble thoughts, our hearts be jately. With much of the world aflame lifted up in thankfulness and our with the fires of hatred, begotten acts be directed to the lessening

Due consideration for the cause of humanity ought to result

Done at the executive office, A. D , 1916.

Witness my hand and the great seal of the state of New Mexico. William C. McDonald. Attested: Antonio Lucero

Longs Notes

Mrs. Tom Brooks, who has been seriously ill, is somewhat

the first of the week selling fruit

The basket and volley balls have been ordered and we expect

to challenge some of the neighboring teams soon.

doing excellent work. Ervin Clouser went to town Sunday after gasoline for the graphed pictures of Senatorthresher which is expected to be in the neighborhood this week.

Secretary of State. well attended and everyone re-plied by calling.

ported a pleasant time. There Buddie Long returned home were profits as well as pleasures. Twenty-two dollars and fifty cents was realized from the sale of the pies and eleven dollars and ninety four cents from the prettiest girl's cake, which was Some gentlemen representing awarded to Miss Cala Fraze. a Hereford nursery were in Longs There was also a cake for the ugliest man present. Pike Van Winkle, of Rogers, captured it. As cane seed is \$3.00 per hun- We wish to thank all who helped

> Get the habit of eating at Slim Spell's restaurant.

The News will get out a special Christmas edition on December The attendance at school con- 15th. It will be something larger in the greatest blessing to the tinues good in spite of the snow than sixteen pages. Now would and cold winds. The pupils are be a good time to subscribe and get the big edition.

> This office has several lithoelect A. A. Jones and Governorelect E C. DeBaca, any one de-The pie supper at Longs was siring one of them will be sup

No. 8348 Report of Condition of

The First National Bank at Elida. in the state of New Mexico,

at the close of business on November

RESOURCES Overdrafts, unsecured
U. S. Bonds:
U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circula-Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per Furniture and fixtures Real estate owned other than banking Net amount due from approved 20,873 18 25,471 68 ers (other than included in 10 or 18). 31.261 62 Outside checks and other cash Fractional currency, nickels and cents Notes of other National banks Federal Reserve bank notes Federal Reserve notes
Lawful reserve in vault and with Fed-Redemption fund with U.S. Treasurer \$275,091 67 LIABILITIES Capital Stock paid in Individed profits \$9,096 90 irculating notes outstanding Net amount due to banks and bankers, (other than above)

Individual deposits subject to check.... Cashier's checks outstanding Total demand deposits \$202,477 11 Time diposits (payable after 30 days or Certificates of deposits

Total of time deposits liabilities for rediscounts, including those with Federal Reserve bank

Demand Deposits:

STATE OF NEW MEXICO.) I, A. A. Beeman, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. A. BEEMAN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd lay of November, 1916.
[seai] CHARLES A. COFFEY, Notary Public. Correct—Attest: G. W. Robertson, J. N. Lilley. C. S. Acker. Directors.

Notice of Foreclosure Sale

Whereas, on the 27th day of September, 1916, in auae No. 1201 pending in the district court of Rossevelt county. New Mexico, wherein C. H. fordan is plaintiff and J. W. Ross, D. F. Ross, M. C. Boswell, Mattie E. Mitchell and Joyce-Pruit Company are defendants, and wherein the said M. C. Boswell and Mattie E. Mitchell are crossomplainants, the plaintiff and said cross-com complainants, the plaintiff and said cross-com-plainants recovered judgments as follows: The plaintiff, C. H. Jerdan, recovered judgment upon a promissory note and a mortgage against the said J. W. Ross or James W. Ross, and D. F. Ross or Dora F. Ross, in the sum of \$1201.43, to-gether with all costs of suit and a decree declaring the mortgage of said plaigitiff, given to secure said aum a second murtgage and foreclasing smeans atton sum a second mortgage and foreclosing same upon the following described property, to-wit: The southeast quarter of section nineteen and the northeast quarter of section thirty, in township two south of range thirty-seven east of New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico, which said judgment at the date of sale hereinafter mentioned

will amount to \$1231.78 with costs of suit;
The cross-complainant, M. C. Boswell, recovered a judgment upon a promissory note and mortgage securing same for the sum of \$584.45, with costs of

osts of suit;
The cross-complainant, Mattie E. Mitchell, rethirty, in township two south of range thirty-seven east of New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico, which said judgment at the date of sale lovce-Pruit company have a third lien upon all o

said described lands; and,
Whereas, the court in said cause appointed the
undersigned, P. E. Jordan, special commissioner
and directed that all of said lands be soid and that udgments and costs.

Therefore, by virtue of said judgments and de-

researchers of virtue of said judgments and decrees and the power vested in me as such special commissioner, I will, on the twenty-eighth day of December; 1916, at the hour of two o'clock p. m., at the front door of the court house in the town of Portales, New Mexico, sell said described quarter sections of land separately to the highest bidder for cash, for the purpose of satisfying said judg-ments, interest and costs of suit.

Sale Postponed

The J. B. Walker public auction sale which was to be held Tuesday, November 21st, fifteen miles southeast of Portales was postponed until Tuesday, November 29th, on account of inclement weather. Come and tell all your friends and neighbors.

Erle E. Forbes, (Clovis) Auctioneer. Everybody eats at Slim Snell's restaurant.

Notice

I want to get all my books home so that I can move my library. When you finish reading them, please return them. BASCOM HOWARD.

What you want, when you

want it at Slim Snell's restaur-WANTED-A four-burner oil

stove in good condition. Address Box H, Upton, N. M.

Best short order house in town Slim Snell's restaurant.

...Monuments...

Agent for Sweetwater Marble works, Bills Brothers and Jones-Rapp Monument companies. Glad to show samples.

.Inda Humphrey...

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