## THE PORTALES VALLEY NEWS

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### LABOR DAY **PROCLAMATION** BY GOVERNOR

Of the State of New Mexico. **Proclamation Designating Sep**tember 3rd Labor Day

The law of our state designates the first Monday of September of each year Labor Day aud a holiday. While faithfully observing that day as set apart in honor of the dignity and san ctity of labor, since "Labor, wide as the earth, has its summit in heaven," let us, also, on that day vitally realize that our country, this year, has set for itself a supreme labor. The labor, so nobly begun and accomylished by our fathers on this continent. The large and final labor, world wide the destruction of tyranny and oppression as the foundation stones of human government.

because of our wondrous pros perity and freedom, let us vitally realize that the business of the Shakespearean play, "As You world war in which we are engaged is not usual, and that the labor of its conquest is supreme.

Now, there, I, W. E. Lindsey, Governor of the State of New Mexico, in accordance with law, do proclaim Monday, September barbecue given by the Commer-3rd, 1917, Labor Day. I earnestly recommend that on that day the people of the state assemble together in their respective communities and rededicate "their lives, their fortunes and their sacred honor" to the cause of liberty. That on that day, we revive our faith in the righteousness of the cause of those who died at Lexington and Gettysburg in affirmation of the principle to the site of the bigirriation systhat all governments derive their tem under construction here and pendents: just powers from the consent of the governed. That, on that Cowboys Reunion. All these enday, we dedicate ourselves to the tertainment features, combined proposition that nations, like individuals, are created equal, and that any government of the stay here a plesant one and the world must derive its just powers from the consent of the na- fore. tions governed. That, on that day, we highly resolve that in only the negative of her shibboleth: "World dominion or downfall.''

or

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the great seal of the state of New Mexico to be affixed. Done at the city of Santa Fe, this 22nd day of August, A. D. 1917. W. E. LINDSEY,

Governor. Attested:

ANTONIO LUCERO, Secretary of State. Great Seal of the State of New Mexico

W. J. Gerard and family left couple of squares" in the cattle business and will Wilson. return occasionally to look after his interests.

neer for the sales department of Brother. the Edison Phonograph company is demonstrating the wonderful merits of the Edison at the Portales Drug Store for a few days.

Mrs. C. S. Hart, and daughter, instution for several year. Miss Beulah Mae, and Miss Rice, of Clovis, were in the city Monday of this week visiting with friends.

Cut Glass at Portales Drug Store? better attend.

#### Entertainments at Normal

That a reasonable amount of amusement, judiciously timed, does not interfere with school work, but, on the contrary, seems to stimulate it, was demonstrated by the recent summer session of the New Mexico Normal Univer-A sity. Realizing that teachers who have been working hard for several months, appreciate a bit of diversion. Dr. Frank H. H Roberts, the president of the Normal University, and the people of Las Vegas, co-operated to provide pleasant and profitable entertainment and relaxation for the summer school students during such times as they had available. Instead of proving a distraction, this program resulted in stimulation to better class room work and better grades in various examination than at any preceding

The department of literature and dramatic art under Mrs. May Ross Conwell's direction, gave two highly interesting playlets at the Duncan opera house, assisted by the Popular orchestra directed by Mrs. Marguerite Cluxton Root. While on that day we rejoice The same department staged, amid a beautiful rustic scene at the Las Vegas Hot Springs, the Like It "so successfully as to impress students of Shakespeare who have seen his plays produced by the best actors. This play was staged as part of the program of the big municipal picnic and cial club for the students and townsfolk. The vocal music department under direction of Miss Marie Senecal entertained with a charming recital, the Bacharach 73 Brothers gave a delightful party for the students and the Las Vegas Amusement company entertained them at the Coronado the ater several times. The students were taken on an automobile tour were given a holiday to attend 45 with the delightful climate of Las Vegas, made the students' work much better than ever be-

Mr. Ham McDonald, was a this war Germany shall realize business visitor in Melrose, the first of the week.

#### The Bachelor Girls Entertain

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The Bachelor girls spent a most enjoyable evening Saturday east of town cooking supper which was a very appetizing and delicious soup cooked and served in Cowboy style each furnishing his own bowl and (table-spoon.)

After the Bachelors had all agreed the soup was the most delicious soup that they had yet eaten they departed for one of their homes for a few "rounds and a

Tuesday for Blue Rapids, Kansas, Those enjoying the evening tneir former home. This family were Mesedames, Warnica, Patresided in Portales only since terson, Beasley, Bowers. Misses the first of June but has made Warnica, Henderson, Beasley, many friends who are sorry to Daniels, Janie and Cymbeline see them leave. Mr. Gerard is Warnica. Messers Lea, West, associated with G. M. Williamson Bowers, Warnica, Beason and

Frank Miller, whe has been at Magdalena for the past few A. C. Macoduck, special engi- weeks, with his Mother and

> Hugh McDermott, left for Norman, Oklahoma, where he will attend the University of Oklahoma. Hugh has attended this

## THE SECOND CALL GETS ROOSEVELT COUNTY'S QUOTA FOR THE DRAFT

Local Boards Required to Accept Ten Per Cent Over Quota, Making Twenty-Four for This County; Twenty Already Accepted

And the Other Four Will Surely Be Taken from The List Claiming Ex emption, Those Examined at Other Places or Those Who Failed to Appear for Examination

Following is list of names and addresses of persons who have been duly and legally called for the military service of the United States, and who have not been exempted or discharged

1	Stat	es, and	who have not bee	n exempted or discharged.
	Order	No. Serial	No. Name	Address
	55	440	William Fred	Loftin, Inez, New Mex.
1	58	493	Melvin Evert	Clemens, House, New Mex.
	65	72	John Robert I	angston, Portales, New Mex.
•	68	128	Arthur Jones	Terry, Portales, New Mex.
	76	556	John Daniel M	Martin, Canton, New Mex.
	81	388	Ernest Luther	r Vaughan, Texico, N. N. Route 3.
	86	383	William Otto	Reeves, Texico, New Mex., Route
1	88	122	Bailey A. Ster	wart, Portales, New Mex.
4	90	297	Thales Reams	Powell, La Lande, New Mex.
3	91	321	Wesley Price	McCullough, Taiban, New Mex.
1	92	368	Benjamen Les	ster Robinson, Redlake, New Mex.
,	94	121	Arch Raymon	d Stephenson, Portales, New Mex.
)	100	90	Mace Carl Mc	Horse, Portales, New Mex.
1		The fol	lowing have been	exempted or discharged:

31 Harvey Louis Cave, Portales, New Mex. 350James Jalasby Carter, Mann, New Mex. Matason Franklin Edwards, Redlake, New Mex. 355 Thomas Perry Sitton, Portales, New Mex. 112 11 Rufus Berry, Portales, New Mex. Earl Addison McRae, Portales, New Mex. Charles Calvin Maxwell, Rogers, New Mex James H. Core, Dereno, New Mex. 199Frank Evan Calloway, Portales, New Mex. 25 Willie Adolphus Cox, Canton, New Mex. 576 Mose Calvin Boren, Jr., Tolar, New Mex.

Joseph Franklin Swopes, Tolar, New Mex. Following are those who claim exemption on account of de

550	Walter Henry James, Canton, New Mex.
574	Joseph Benjamin Whitener, Canton, New Mex.
525	Archie Holland Bell, Canton, New Mex.
183	Neil F. Rockey, Elida, New Mex.
56	Frank Henry Jernigan, Portales, New M.
5	Roy Leonard Austin, Portales, N. M.
54	Majally F. Jabara, Portales, N. M.
269	James Robert Edmondson, Redlake, N. M.
341	Ralph Gardner, Rogers, N. M.
353	Joseph Wesley Creamer, Redlake, N. M.
360	Albert Lee King, Redlake, N. M.
488	Clarence J. Parkey, Benson, N. M.
6	Thomas Berry Baker, Portales, N. M.
327	Willis Herbert Whatley, Taiban, N. M.
103	Dwight Cooper Reynolds, Portales, N. M.
154	William E. Burns, Elida, N. M.
406	Stephen Amos Corbin, Inez, N. M.
519	Charles Miller Cox, Elida, N. M.
392	Robert Rankin Williams, Texico, N. M., Route
320	Olin Coke McCullough, Taiban, N. M.
470	W. M. Hughes Elida N. M.

W. M. Hughes, Elida, N. M. Following is a list of those who asked that their physical examination be transferred to other districts:

Bruce Claiborn Carter, Weleetka, Oklahoma. 571 Roy Lee Smith, Cloud Chief, Oklahoma. Ora Redmon Miller, Roswell, New Mexico.

Those who failed to appear for examination are: John Thomas Hoover, Canton, New Mexico. 391 James E. Williams, Texico, N. M., Route 3. 51 Eradano Hdguin, Portales, New Mexico. 221 John Wesley Newton Boren, Tolar, New Mexico. 292 Pedro Negrete, LaLande, New Mexico. 312 Hal Dixon Hayes, Taiban, New Mexico.

Claiming occupational exemption:

Edgar Paul Cave, Portales, New Mexico.

#### Lots Of Wheat Being Sowed

wheat to the farmers of this valley who have decided to try it a whirl, and from all indications here fast enough. it seems that there will be a con-The attention of our readers is Up to the present time he has of Harrington Kansas, a Concalled to the Public Sales which distributed to these farmers ductor on the Rock Island Ry, are advertised in the News this something over three hundred was in Portales the last few week and if there is anything bushels and asks that all those days visiting his old friend and Mrs A. R. Bowers went to Amar- Blocker is associated with the Have you seen the beautiful listed in them that you need, who wish to secure wheat to see neighbor Mr. L. L. Brown and illo, Saturday for a short visit Carlsbad Argus, and, naturally, him at once. Mr. Smith says family.

that he perfers that they would County Agent Ben Smith has go to Clovis and buy direct from first of the week from Amarillo, the farmers there and he will Texas, where he has been workbeen busy this week distributing help them make arrangements to ing for the past two months. pay for it if they need help, as it is quite a problem to get it hauled

siderable acreage sowed this fall. Louis Johnson, wife and son'

#### Value in the Jimson Weed

Some farmers of Porterville, Tulare County, California, derive \$20,000 yearly by gathering the roots and leaves of the jimson weed. There are about 100 acres planted for the jimson crop, besides patches which come by about \$200 per acre. It is sold to a firm of manufacturing chemists of Philadelphia, who produce from it a drug, which physicians prescribe for asthma and other affections of the respiratory organs. The scientific name of this plant is stramonium. The common name for it, originally, was "Jamestown weed:" bestowed upon it by the early colonial settlers of Virginia, because it grew so abundantly in barnyard corners and other artificially enriched soil in the Jamestown settlement. From "Jamestown weed''it easily became "jimson. The Earth.

### Round-Up

to stay over here during next club. week for the Round-Up. Tu- Qualified instructors have now cumcari American.

M. A. Lamkin and John R. Mosely, of Hereford, Texas were the colors, or to women who wish in the city Tuesday of this week to volunteer for red cross work. looking after their business in The work will not conflict in any terests. Mr. Mosely owns con- way with the complete military siderable property here, while courses given at the New Mexico Mr. Lamkin is travelig for an Military Academy at Roswell, auto accessory concern.

#### Life Saving Station

E. P. Kuhl, occasionally makes it possible for the News force to get by, by dropping in with one have come from all parts of the of those delicious water melons state and the action is only a or canteloupes, and accasionally part of the University's general some cucumbers. Glad to see policy of greater practical useful-

success in their new location.

#### The Summons

"I Hear you Ca-a-alling me, sang the daughter. "Yes" sang back the mother from the sink;"I want you to help me with the di-ish-es."

up from Lovington the first of tivities. the week visiting with relatives and friends. Mr. Deen is superschools this term.

Mr. M. Wheeler, of Colorado City, Texas, is here for a few days looking over the valley and incidentally visiting his old friend R. Hardy.

Finis Henderson returned the

Erastus Dunlap, left for Albu- fellow royally. querque, where he will probably join the Forest reserve corps.

Mrs C. A. Skeleton from Herford. Texas is visiting friends in Portales this week.

with friends.

### WILL ADD MILI-TARY TRAINING AT UNIVERSITY

chance. Cultivated, the profit is Trained Instructors Will Have Charge of This Work, Announces President David R. Boyd.

Albuquerque, N. M., Aug. 29— When the University of New Mexico opens October 1st military training will be added as one of the courses required of both men and women students, according to an announcement made today by President David R. Boyd. The military department will be conducted by trained instructors, as part of the department of physical culture conducted by the University for years past. Young men will be S. E. Moore, just returned taught fundamentals of drill, tacfrom an extensive trip through tics and use of arms, with special the northern states, reports that attention to camp life, sanitation the farmers have not been asleep etc. Young women will be given at the post in the way of raising full courses in red cross work, bumper crops, of all kinds, pota- nursing, bandage making and toes and hemp. The wheat first aid work. For some years yield in Wisconsin and Minnesota past all students at the Univeris averaging sixty bushel peracre. sity have been required to take regular work in physical culture J. P. Deen Will See the Punchers and a careful check has been kept on the physical condition of J. P. Deen, representing the each student, following an exam-American Manufactuaing Com- ination made upon entrance. Expany, of St. Louis, has been trav-cellent results have been obeling out of Tucumcari for ten tained. The only military traindays, making the surrounding ing has been that secured by territory, and has now decided members of the University rifle

been obtained for the fundamentals of military training so important to those being called to but will be designed wholly to aid students who in future may be called into military service. Many requests for this training you, Brother Kuhl, come again. ress to its students in war than in time of peace.

Carl Johnson, salesman for the Just how far the military train-Studebaker Garage, at Roswell, ing will supplant regular athletic came up Tuesday of this week activities will not be determined and moved his family to that until after the opening on Octoplace Wednesday. We hate to ber first. While many of the lose this family but wish them University's crack athletes have been called or have volunteered for active service it is considered probable that sufficient material will be found in the new students to make up the usual teams. Athletic instructors will be retained without change and the students, to some extent, will be asked to R. A. Deen and family were determine their own athletic ac-

Mrs. W. I. Maxwell and chilintendent of the Lovington dren returned the first of the week from Anal, this state, where they have been living on their claim. They will be here about two weeks.

> Olen Braley the associate Society Editor of the news returned Thursday from Tucumcari, where he had been taking in the sights at the Cow-Boys round-up reports a great time and says the Tucumcari knows how to treat a

> C. R. Blocker and J. M. Pardue, of Carlsbad, passed through Portales Wednesday on their way home from a trip through the western part of Texas. Mr. called at the "print-shop."

### Young People of Limited Means Have Special Advantages at The University of New Mexico

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The University's bureau of employment for students who wish to earn all or part of their expenses has become famous for its efficiency. ▲ larger percentage of students of the University of New Mexico earn all or part of their college expenses than in any other State University. Albuquerque business institutions cooperate actively with the University in giving employment to students who are worthy, willing to work and need assistance in making their way to an education.

#### The New All-Year Schedule

Will be inaugurated when the University opens on Monday, October 1, for the 1917-1918 college year. Thereafter the University will operate forty-eight weeks in every year, the work falling into four periods of three months each. To the student who must earn his own way this new schedule, adopted primarily as a war measure, is of utmost importance. Under it he may attend the University six months, earn money six months and resume college work from period to period without loss of credit, graduating in five years.

The new all-year schedule possesses special advantages for every young man and woman who is earnestly seeking an education. By means of it the student no longer must adapt his circumstances to the University's schedules. The University now is able to adapt its schedules so as to meet any reasonable need of the individual student.

There is matter of special interest for YOU in this new schedule. Get full information today. Address David R. Boyd, President, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, N. M.

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#### Notice for Publication

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#### Notice for Publication

Republication - non-coal 010532 Non coal 010407

Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Fort Sumner, New Mexico, July 28, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Ass. P. Hodges, of Notice is he of September, 1917. Claimant names as witnesses

25th day of September, 1917

Claimant names as witnesses:
Sallie E. Morgan, Charles J. Partin, Sarah J. Sarah J. Bradferd, John Uxer, all of Rogers, N.M.
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A. J. Evans, Register.

Claimant names as witnesses:
David L. Little, of Causey, N.M.; William Croft, of Redland, N. M.; William M. Gregory, of Redland, N. M., Elisha B. Grego

## LIVER DIDN'T ACT DIGESTION WAS BAD

Says 65 year Old Kentucky Lady, Who Tells How She Was Relieved After a Few Doses of Black-Draught.

Meadorsville, Ky.—Mrs. Cynthia | doses of Black-Draught." Higginbotham, of this town, says: "At my age, which is 65, the liver does not act so well as when young. A few years ago, my stomach was all out of was constipated, my liver didn't act. My digestion was bad, and it took so little to upset me. My ap-

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petite was gone. I was very weak...

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"Hardest to gain, fewest in numbers, the least known of the military decoration of honors of the world," sums up the medal of honor of the United States, the bit of ribbon and the piece of metal that are so eagerly coveted and highly prized by the soldiers and sailors of Uncle Sam.

When you see a man with the inconsuch jeopardy that escape from it was nearly a miracle.

The medal of honor was first authoronly. But in the following year the stored to perfect health in one or two law was changed to extend the award | weeks time to commissioned officers also. In all about 1,500 of the medals were presented for services in the war between the states, and it is a remarkable fact that 96 per cent of them went to pri-

In its present form the medal of honor is a five pointed star with a nervous prostration. It will renew medallion in the center bearing the youthful vim and vigor and build up the head of Minerva and around it "United States of America" in relief. On each ray of the star is an oak leaf, and the points themselves are trefoil shaped. A laurel wreath in green enamel encircles the whole, and this wreath is surmounted by "Valor," which in turn is surmounted by an eagle that attaches the decoration to its ribbon.

Accompanying this medal there is a badge, or lapel button, hexagonal and made of blue silk with the thirteen original stars in white. The army Colored People Delighted With medal is represented by a small blue button studded with stars, while the navy medal is represented by a small red, white and blue bowknot.

It was not until 1897 that regulations definitely enunciating the condidecoration and the great honor attach. ener. Ing to its possession

"Medals of honor authorized by the act of congress approved March 3. of most distinguished gallantry in ac- in its place. In order that the congressional medal of honor may be deserved, service must have been performed in acto distinguish clearly the man for gallantry and intrepidity above his com rades, service that involved extreme icopardy of life or the performance of extraordinarily hazardous duty. Recommendations for the decoration traordinary merit, and incontestible proof of performance of the service

"Soldiers of the Union have ever displayed bravery in battle, else vic tories could not have been gained. But as courage and self sacrifice are the characteristics of every true soldier, such a badge of distinction as the congressional medal is not to be expected as the reward of conduct that does not clearly distinguish the soldier above other men whose bravery and gallantry have been proved in battle."

In other words, the medal of honor is a medal for superheroes, for men who not only risk their lives in some extraordinary way, but who display such intelligence in the action that it stands out as something apart from conduct in the line of duty. Executive orders prescribe as follows the way in which the medal may be gained:

The recommendations must be presented by some one other than the proposed recipient, one who is personally familiar with all the facts and circumstances claimed as justifying the award, but the application may be made by the one claiming to have Fe earned it, in which case it will be in the form of a deposition reciting a uarrative description of the distinguished service performed. Recommendations will be made by the commanding officer at the time of the action or by a soldier or an officer having personal cognizance of the act for which the

badge of honor is claimed. The regulations also provide for exhaustive examination of the circumstances in each case and for an invesof fraud. Affidavits from witnesses are required, and the system safeguarding the distinction is hedged about with innumerable restrictions. It may be taken for granted that a man who secures one of the coveted medals has earned it with interest. - New York Sun.

Akron and Rubber.

There are thirty or more rubber faceries in and around Akron. Three of hem are so vast that the visitor feels a bewilderment that merges into awe as he follows his guide hour after hour through titanic shops. These three colossal plants are said to represent 70 July A. D. 1917. per cent of Akron's life, while Akron itself stands for 60 per cent of the total rubber production of the United States.-Edward Mott Woolley in Mc-

The only thing that walks back from the tomb with the mourners and refuses to be buried is character.-W. M.

#### Says Phosphates Make Beautiful Women and Strong, Healthy, Vigorous, Robust Men

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> SPECIAL NOTICE. The Argo-Phos phate recommended by Dr. F. H. Jacob son contains phosphates such as are prescribed by leading physicians throughout the world, and it will be found the most effective form for treating patients with nervous dispepsia, stomach troubles, brain fag and whole body. If your druggist will not supply you with Argo Phosphate, send one dollar for two weeks treatment to Argo Laboratories, 10 Forsyth St., At-

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#### STATE OF NEW MEXICO NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION PUBLIC LAND SALE ROOSEVELT COUNTY

Notice is hereby given that pursuant the provisions of an Act of Congress, groved June 20, 1910, the laws of the gulations of the State Land Office, mmissioner of Public Lands will of lock p. m. on Wednesday Co. sk p. m. on Wedresday, September , in the town of Roosevelt, State of ront of the Court House thesein, the following described racts of land, viz:
Sale No. 778, All of Sec. 16, T. 4S., R. 6E., containing 640 acres. The improvements on this land consist of fencing,

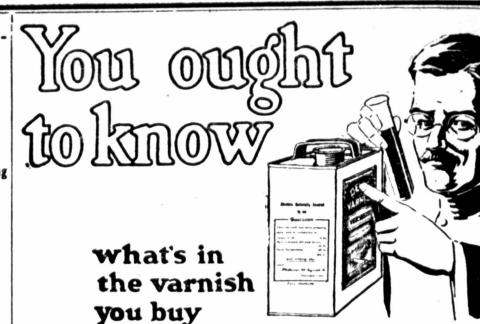
land will be accepted for less than 50 per acre which is the appraised value above sale of lands will be subject the following terms and conditions,

viz:
Except for lands selected for the Santa
Except for lands selected for the Santa
for and Grant County R. R. Bond Fund,
the successful bidder must pay to the
commissioner of Public Lands, or his agent holding such sale, one-twentieth of the price offered by him for the land, four per cent interest in advance for the balance of such purchase price, the fees for advertising and appraisement and all osts incidental to the sale herein, and ach and all of said amounts must be posited in cash or certified exchange the time of sale, and which said amounts State of New Mexico if the success within thirty days after it has been mailed to him by the State Land Office, said contract to provide that the purchaser may at his option make payments of not less than one thirtieth of ninety-five per cent the purchase price at any time after the sale and prior to the expiration of thirty years from date of the contract, and to provide for the payment of any rest on deferred payments at the rate of four per cent per annum payable in advance on the anniversary of the date of advance on the anniversary of the date of contract, partial payments to be credited on the anniversary of the date of contract next following the date of tender.

The Commissioner of Public Lands of New Mexico, or his agent, holding such sale, reserves the right to reject any and all bids offered at said sale. Possession under contracts of sale, reserves. under contracts of sale for the above described tracts will be given on or before October 1st, 1917.
Witness my hand and the official seal of the State Land Office this 11th day of

Commissioner of Public Lands
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## PUBLIC Auction Sale...

I will sell at my sale at Gryder's wagon & kind of food is fed there is little & danger of overfeeding, especially & yard, Portales, New Mexico, on

## Saturday, September 1st, 1917

the following livestock and property: Mark the pullets in the fall so that you will know just how old the fall so that you will know you will

18 Head of Livestock



Other Personal **Property** 

1 black, 2-year-old colt, will

1 black sucking colt, eight months old.

1 span all purpose horses. 1 black mare with mule colt

at side. 1 brone pony.

1 good 3-year-old Holstein and Jersey cow, giving 3

gallons of milk per day. Cockerels Thus Treated Will Turn Loss weigh about 1000 pounds. I five-year-old fawn colored Jersey cow, giving 2 gallons per day. try industry has been that caused by 10 small pigs. the sale of surplus males, either at a

top buggy, 1 set of heavy than the mere cost of production. It work harness, and lots of is unfortunate perhaps that in raising will be brought in to be only a very small percentage are necsold at this sale.

### Sale Starts at 1 o'Clock Sharp sons for which are quite apparent:

TERMS:—Sums over \$10.00 nine months time with ap- to twelve weeks and are then dumped proved security at 10 per cent, or 5 per cent discount for on the market in vast quantities at cash. Sums under \$10.00 cash without discount.

#### O. R. LIGHTFOOT, Auctioneer BEN SMITH, Clerk

SPECIAL NOTICE: - Don't forget that there will be a sale poultry, but which carry chickens more held at this yard each Saturday afternoon. Bring in your stuff if you want to get what it is worth. It is it is

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#### WHY HE DIDN'T ENLIST.

Syracuse Man Had Good Reason and Has Been Excused. Young stock will do better if @

not compelled to pick their liv- @

ing with the old. There will also

Shade is one of the most im-

on short rations. If the right

kind of food is fed there is little

with a wet mash, fed crumbly.

♦ Feed all the chicks will clean up

before going to roost, but none \*

♦ should be left in the trough, for ♦

your hens are. A leg band on @

the right leg one year and on the @

left leg the next will assist in @

Eradicate the little red mite from the poultry house and you ◆

will rid yourself of one of the

• worst enemies of the poultry •

IT PAYS TO CAPONIZE.

Into Good Profit.

essary for breeding purposes. Thus

each year about half of the stock rais-

ed is sacrificed at low prices, the rea-

First.-Virtually all of the stock is

hatched in the spring. Surplus cock-

erels reach broiler size in from eight

virtually the same time, which nat-

urally depresses prices. There is more or less of a limited demand for broil-

ers at best, but if the supply could be

distributed throughout the entire year instead of a couple of months there

s a side line or byproduct, the young

males are allowed too much freedom

and exercise, which tends to make them staggy at an early age. Without any fattening or preparation for market

they are then sold to commission deal-

ers and others, who cannot offer fancy prices because the stock is inferior. In consequence the grower receives from

18 to 22 cents a pound live weight,

which does not cover the cost of produc-

Third.-It does not pay to keep males

until they are fully matured, with large

combs, spurs and other indications of age, and then market them, because

the chances are they will have to be sold as old roosters, and the returns

will not pay for the cost of feeding them to maturity. There never was a

time when grain should be fed more judiciously. It must either be fed for

egg production or for meat that will

command good prices because it is good

meat. The only kind of poultry meat that commands top rices is capon meat

or soft roasters, which may or may not be capons, but at least it is specially

Caponizing is recommended because

males so treated are made docile, inac-

tive, easily fattened and increased in size, just as horses, beef cattle, hogs

and other animals are improved for do-

mestic purposes by a similar operation. Capons will put on more weight per

pound of food given them than other

poultry; they can be kept in confinement in large numbers without fighting;

they can be kept for any length of time up to a year and still be in prime con-

dition sometimes longer, which means

that they can be marketed when poul-

try is in scant supply and therefore

They are rated as a delicacy in the

large markets and bring corresponding

brices There is less waste on a capon If it is properly grown than on other

fowls, which means an actual saving in

the amount of edible meat despite the

increased price; they are exceedingly

tractable birds, their only function in life is to grow and get fat. Last, but not least, the operation is simple, easy to perform, requiring no more than five minutes' work per bird, and it is not so

fattened poultry.

bringing good prices.

cruel as some think,

would be a nice profit in them. -Second.—On most farms, especially those that do not make a specialty of

One of the greatest leaks in the poul-

culling the flock.

flock.

Supplement the regular feeds >

• if it is given plenty of range.

• be less trouble from lice.

orchard and cornfield.

Although he turned a deaf ear to the appeal of Sergeant Gallagher, a wideawake recruiter of Syracuse, N. Y., Grant G. Martin proved that he was no slacker. Martin was one of the portant essentials during the hot . several hundred persons who attended months. Get the chicks into the . a recruiting rally for the United States marines the other evening. A growing chick will not thrive .

"Want to join the marines?" asked the sergeant, approaching Martin. "First to fight on land or sea or in the air-artillery, machine gun, hand grenade or bayonet. Lots of action, good pay, excellent chance for promotion. Get into the ranks of the soldiers of the sea and help to fight for freedom in the war for democracy!"

Sergeant Gallagher's patriotic oratory failed to impress Martin, who mechanically reached into his pocket, pulled out a pad and scribbled out a few words. He handed the slip to the sergeant and walked away.

The note read: "Sorry I can't help you. I'm deaf and dumb."

Bad Marksmanship.

After one had shot and hit the ice box and his opponent had shot the clock two Brooklyn men threw away their guns and went at it with their

Spray the Apple Trees.

Spraying apple trees with arsenate of lead from July 15 to Aug. 15, depending on the locality, will prevent wormy apples caused by the second brood of codling moth. Three pounds of arsenate of lead paste (or half as much 1 wagon, 1 spring wagon, 1 loss to the poultryman or at little more powder) in fifty gallons of water will destroy the insects. Codling worms enter the fruit through the openings made in the side. It is important that chickens for eggs half of the fowls | each apple be covered with spray maother outside stuff which reared develop into cockerels, of which terial to kill the insect when it starts on its first meal.

Generous.

"Could you lend me \$5?" "No. I'm going to be married. But I'll see to it that you don't get an invitation. So you'll save at least \$10 by that."-Life.

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#### President Wilson Is Right

President Wilson is right in rejecting the peace proposal of Pope Benedict. The proposal of the Pope would only return us to the status quo ante bellum. The president is correct in his note when he says that while every heart not blinded and hardened by the terrible war must be touched by the moving appeal of his hotiness, it would be folly to take the path of peace he points out if it does not, in fact, lead to the goal he proposes.

"We can not take the word of the present rulers of Germany as a guarantee of anything that is to endure unless explicitly supported by such conclusive evidence of the will and purpose of the German people themselves as the other peoples of the world would be justified in accepting."

It has been only a little while since the Kaiser said to his soldiers:

"THERE IS ONLY ONE MASTER IN THE COUNTRY; I AM HE, AND I WILL TOLERATE NO OTHER; THERE IS NO LAW BUT MY LAW; THERE IS NO WILL BUT MY WILL."

The Hohenzollerns have been inspired by such utterances as were written by the father of Frederick the Great. who wrote instructions to the tutors of the then Crown Prince as follows:

"Above all, let both tutors exert themselves to the utmost to inspire him with a love of soldiery, and carefully impress upon his mind that, as nothing can confer honor and fame upon a prince except the SWORD, THE MON-ARCH WHO SEEKS NOT HIS SOLE SATISFACTION IN IT MUST EVER APPEAR A CONTEMPTIBLE CHARACTER IN THE EYES OF THE WORLD."

If the German people would assert themselves and cast the bloody Hohenzollerns from the throne the war would be over and Germany would lose nothing an impartial tribunal would say she was entitled to keep, after sweeping a continent with the blood of innocent women and children and the helpless poor as well as of soldiers.

Again quoting the President, "We therefore can not take the word of the present rulers of Germany as a guarantee of anything that is to endure." PERMANENT PEACE MUST BE BASED UPON THE FAITH OF ALL THE PEOPLES AND UPON JUSTICE AND FAIRNESS AND THE COMMON RIGHTS OF ALL MANKIND.

#### Fats Precious in Germany

Suppose you were to read such an advertisement as Patton Makes Path Rough for Some this in your daily paper:

fowls, \$1.01 per pound and up; young country laying hens, \$3.32 each; horse flesh, 53 to 86 cents a pound.

the necessity of paying fabulous prices for common neces-them, Patton, the people will not forget. sities. Every such farm is the greatest of object lessons these war-torn times.—The Country Gentleman.

#### Hard Question to Answer

A man who had listened to him asked him this question: Suppose there was a fire in the next block to your propstroy your home? - Artesia Advocate.

# PUBLIC AUCTION SALE

= AT W. G. HOLLEY'S =

## ..Thursday, September 6th, 1917...

Six miles south and twelve and one-half miles east of Portales, three-fourths miles south and one and one-half miles west of Arch, 3 1-2 miles east and 1 mile south of Eiland, 9 miles north and onehalf mile east of Inez, New Mexico, the following property:

15 young Durham milch cows, extra good. 1 nice folding bed, good as new. 15 young Jersey milch cows, extra fine. 2 good iron bed steads.

5 yearling heifers, first-class.

25 head 3 and 4 year old Herefords and Durhams, dry.

2 two-year-old white face heifers.

2 young cows, calves by side.

2 good white face bulls, 2 and 3 years old, extra good.

15 head of mares and mules.

1 good New Perfection, four-burner oil stove, in good condition.

Also a complete line of household goods too many to list.

1 J. I. Case combine lister, good repair.

1 double disc gang plow, and many other farming implements too numerous to mention.

We will sell this property to the highest bidder, without reserve or limit and no by-bidding. Sale will start at 10:30 sharp, and lunch at 11:30 a.m. Lunch is free to everybody.

## Plenty of Barbecued Beef, Pickles and Coffee

TERMS:-Nine months time will be given on sums over \$25.00 with approved security. Sums under \$25.00 will be Cash. 5 per cent discount for cash on sums over \$25.00.

## HOLLEY & HORTON, Owners

O. R. LIGHTFOOT & V. J. CAMPBELL, Auctioneers

BEN SMITH, Clerk

Attorney General Harry L. Patton is making the For sale, for cash on delivery, fat for frying, \$4.50 a pound; path somewhat rough and thorny in the way of standing goose fat, \$5.36 a pound; duck fat, 1 pound, \$1.13; salted goose up and eating out of the public trough; for instance, in the legs, 94 cents each; larded goose breast, \$2.08 per pound; fresh matter of Mr. Clancy's mandamus proceedings against each; well-fed, snow-white, Emden giant geese, \$11.01 to \$19.06 State Treasurer Hall. Mr. Patton, in his answer, lays, down some very logical and sensible reasoning. In the These are exact quotations taken from advertise-first place, we doubt if anyone who is acquainted with the ments in German newspapers during last June. Of course facts will deny that this law was passed for the sole reason the advertisements are addressed more particularly to the of furnishing some lame ducks a job, and appropriating rich. Even horse flesh has become a luxury beyond reach thirty-five thousand good hard earned dollars to pay them. of the common people. Evidently the scarcity of fats has The constitution does not provide for a boundary commisnot been exaggerated in reports from other sources. The sion or special council; ever if it was necessary to have pinch of war to a country that is not self-sufficient in its special council it should be under the supervision of the agriculture can become an all-pervading source of misery. attorney general. This matter is and should be a part of Unique of all countries, the United States is self-sufficient the attorney general's business to look after and we are in its agriculture. Our agriculture will be our greatest sure it would have had careful attention at the hands of bulwark, whether the war ends soon or continues through Attorney General Patton. This matter has already been more horror-filled years. And the best of all good things argued before District Judge Holloman, who will, in all in a country self-sufficient in its agriculture is a farm that probability, render an early decision and, should he decide is as near as possible self-sufficient in its production. It against State Treasurer Hall, we hope and believe that may well be said that the possessor of such a farm can Mr. Patton will carry this case to the higher court, if neclook the future in the face without a tremor. He has essary, and put it square before them, in order that the breadstuffs, meats, fats. He has a well-stocked cellar, people may know who believes in safeguarding the sacred storage houses and shelves laden with the canned profunds of the state and who believes in allowing greedy ducts of field and garden. To him there need never come polititians to sap the state treasury. We say stay with

#### Good Rains Bring Good Democrats

Good rains in eastern New Mexico have blasted what hopes the Republicans had of carrying the state next year. The class of settlers that have come to New Mexico the past few years spells A man was arguing that this government had no continuous defeat to Republicanism in the state. Since statehood right to send its soldiers across the water to fight; that the Republicans have been unable to elect a governor, and probably they should fight, if they fought at all, on our own soil, never will, and they have elected their last United States senator.

Carrizozo News. It is unfortunate indeed for our Republican friends erty and the wind was blowing your way. Would it not that the bountiful rains come in due time to make it posbe better to help your neighbors whose property was burn-sible for those good old Democrats to live, thrive and muling before the flames could get across the street and de-tiply in the eastern part of the state and, in view of all their hardships, still vote the Democratic ticket.

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Please feel free to call at any time and hear these wonderful instruments and let us give you a demonstration in your own home FREE FROM OBLIGATION.

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## Cut Your Bear Grass Now!

For Green Loose, clean plants, I will pay \$2.50 per ton delivered at yard. For Thoroughly Dry Loose, clean plants, I will pay \$5.00 per ton delivered at yard. For Properly Baled, clean plants, I will pay \$8.50 per ton delivered at yard, or \$9.00 per ton loaded on the cars.

#### Rules for Cutting and Baling Bear Grass:

The plant must be split open, cut off from the roots above the ground close to the live lower leaves and above the dead leaves, and no more of the root, or bulb, left attached to them than is necessary to hold the leaves together. If desired to sell dry loose, the plant must be thoroughly dried and contain no dirt or other was'e material, as we will not pay for water, dirt or other waste material. If selling baled, all plants must be thoroughly dried and all dirt and sand must be shaken out before balinfi. You can use any kind of baling press that best suits you, provided it is not smaller than 17x22 inches, but all ba'es must be tightly baled and three wires used to keep them in shape.

#### Instructions for Baling

Regulation size of bale is 17x2? inches, however, I will receive bear grass baled in hay balers 14x18 inches, but all must be tightly baled and

For information relative to loading, Delphos or Cameo switches, or other information desired, see or write

At Security State Bank, Portales, New Mexico

**REMEMBER!** Bear grass cures better this time of the year than during the winter months. It will pay you to put in your spare time cutting bear grass. This is Cash on Delivery.

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NEW MEXICO Day Phone 64.

Dan W. Vinson returned this week from Yellow Stone Park where he has been in attendance at a convention of the agents of the Missouri State Life Insurance Company. Dan was one of the 300 agents who earned this trip free of charge, having wrote the required amount of insurance for this company.

We have on hand 7,330 tablets and if divided properly would furnish each student in the county two and one fourth tablets, or about thirteen and one half tablets to each scholar in school district No. 1° C. M. Dobbs' Confectionary. 42tf.

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## In the Arena of Sports

#### A Dependable Twirler.

Among the great pitchers of the national game few equal Walter Johnson, star slabman for several years of the Washington Americans. He has never won a pennant, but during the 1915 season kept the team in the race for the



Photo by American Press Association. WALTER JOHNSON.

greater part of the season. Last year Johnson finished third among the pitchers with an average percentage of 1.89 earned runs per game. Walter is also a heavy batter for a pitcher, his record for last season being .234. He is likewise a good fielder, his percentage being .937 for the 1916 season.

#### Pitcher Mamaux Suspended.

Hugo Bezdek, new manager of the Pittsburgh Pirates, has suspended Pitcher Al Mamaux, who in the seasons of 1915 and 1916 was one of the club's mainstays in the box. The suspension is indefinite and will depend largely on the conduct of the Pirate twirler in the future. Insubordination and breaking the club's rules were the reasons ascribed for Bezdek's action.

#### Cleveland May Lose Evans.

Joe Evans, third baseman, who registered at Meridian, Miss, will be the has been drafted in his district, but ay gain exemption on the ground that

#### Stains of Various Kinds And How to Remove Them

blotting paper at once to absorb as much as possible. If there is none handy cotton batting will do, or cover eral waters to remove the stain, then in milk, letting it soak in milk for some nice smooth stock, all in good time. Repeat the process if necessary. flesh and condition. Can be seen

part ammonia to six of water). Alkali mile west of Portales.

oil or lard and let stand for a few hours or longer, then wash in soap and Mildew .- Cover spots with soft soap,

spreading it over like a thick paste. Let stand in sun several hours and then rinse in several waters.

Iodine Stains. - Alcohol is the remedy for this. After washing in alcohol rinse

Tea and Coffee Stains. When fresh these can generally be removed with boiling water. If of long standing they must be soaked in javelle water if the

Chocolate and cocoa stains require

naphtha and turpentine all dissolve treated by absorption. Mix powdered paste with cold water and spread on the grease spot. Let stand for a day two and brush off

above all things wish only for he attainable.-Heine.

In politics merit is rewarded to 🕦 by the possessor being raised like 😘 幣 a target to a position to be fired 幣

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ISPENSE with costly, plodding horses. Get a Smith Form-a-Truck. Haul the same loads as 2 teams now haul—in half the time. When you go to town make the trip in one-third the time required by horses.

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Government Agricultural statistics show that it costs \$441 a year to feed and stable four horses - that they cat the entire feed raised on 20 acres. Care-veterinary-medicine shoeing - bedding - all cost extra.

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Horses eat whether they work or not. And they work only 100 days a year. Smith Form a Truck costs you nothing while idle.

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The lowest hauling cost in the world. Less than & per ton mile exclusive of driver's wages. 6,000 to 8,000 miles per set of tires—12 to 18 miles per gallon of gasoline—12 to 15 miles per hour.

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Now use a new or used Ford, Maxwell, Dodge Bros. Chevrolet. Buick or Overland chassis with a Snath Form a Truck attach ment and get a fully guaranteed, powerful, strong, I ton truck

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#### Dairy Stock for Sale or Trade

10 head four year old Jersey cows: 10 head two year old Jersey heifers. Most of the cows coming fresh in September, all good for winter milkers. The heifers coming fresh in spring. All dairy bred, light colors dark tips, at my place 5 miles south and 1

Sewing Machine Oil.—Rub with sweet One Poland China brood sow, to farrow in September.

> "Hello Ted" What is the social center in Portales? Portales lect from. Dobbs' Confection-Drug Store, of course. 1t

#### Dr. Swearingin's Dates

Drs. Swearingin and Von Almen, the specialists of Roswell, will be in Portales, at Neer's drug store, on the 4th day of each month, to treat diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat. and to fit glasses.

Let's talk about your bear grass. Shorty Brown, at Security State Bank.

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Choice Potatoes, at per pound	\$ .05
Peaberry Coffee, 4 1-2 pounds for	1.00
Three Cans Prince Albert Tobacco for	.25
Six Packages Bull Durham Tobacco for	.25
Five Cans 25c size Baking Powder for	1.00
Matches still go at, per box	.05
Macaroni, 3 packages for	.25

The above are only a few of the many bargains we have to offer you. We have some splendid values and good bargains in Dry Goods and Notions. sure to look through our line before you buy. 🛪 🛪

Come in as often as you like---you are always welcome. We will try to please you.

## ...The Peoples' Store... AT THE OLD FAGGARD STAND

Mrs. Maudie Keen is here visiting home folks for a few

E. S. Hamlett, will begin a Nazarine meeting at Upton, Sunday, Sept, 2nd.

S. E. Moore, the Elite photographer, came in Sunday from a two months trip visiting the northern cities and studying photography of the best world photographers and now is prepared to do the best work that can be produced by expert photographers with new instruments-the best that money can buy.

#### Notice for Publication

non-coal 011212

Department of the Interior, U.S. land office at Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Ft. Sumner. N. M., August 28, 1917.
Notice is hereby given that Lewis C. Deatherage of Benson, N. M., who on Feb. 20, 1914, made homestead entry No. 011212, for north half section 13, township I south, range 30 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 J. C. Compton, Probate Judge Roosevelt county, N. M., at Portales, N. M., on the 9th day of October, 1917.
Claimant names as witnesses:

Claimant names as witnesses:
John M. Price, of Benson, N. M.; Arthur S.
Davidson, of Floyd, N. M.; Abner A. Cribbs of
Benson, N. M.; John O. Benson, of Benson, N. M.
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A. J. Evans, Register.

#### Notice for Publication

Non-Coal 011521

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., A agust 23, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that James R. Edmondson, of Redlake, N. M., who on Aug. 18, 1914, made homestead entry No. 011521, for northwest quarter section 10 and southwest quarter section 3, town-ship 5 south, range 34 east, New Mexico Printincipal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. C. Compton, probate ludge. Roosevelt County, N. M., at to the land above described, before J. C. Compton, probate judge, Roosevelt County, N. M., at Portales, N. M., on the 4th day of October, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Robert L, Yoachum, Thomas I, Park, Lee Evans,

Mather S. Gresham, all of Redlake. N. M. 43-47 A. J. Evans, Register

### **Just Received**

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### Nation Calls For Billion Bushels In Wheat Crop In the Next Year

Department of Agriculture and State Officials Set High Mark For Production

Acreage to Be Greatly Increased - Rye Yield Also to Be Improved—Plans of Officials

THE production of over 1,000,000, 000 bushels of wheat and over 83.000.000 bushels of rye through

the planting of 47,337,000 acres to winter wheat and of 5,131,000 to rye this fall is the immediate war agricultural program for the nation announced by David F. Houston, secretary of agriculture. This record winter wheat acreage, an increase of 18 per cent over last year, would yield 672,000,000 bushels if the average yield for the past ten years is equaled, or under a repetition of the favorable conditions of 1914 would give 880,000,000 bushels. In either case with a spring wheat crop next year equal to that of 1915 the nation will have more than 1.000. 000,000 bushels of wheat for domestic use and export.

This vastly increased production of wheat, needed in any case, will be absolutely essential to prevent a serious shortage of breadstuffs next summer should the growing corn, now behind the season, be much damaged by early

The program approved by the secretary of agriculture represents the best thought of the United States department of agriculture and of state agricultural officials and state councils of

#### Many Factors Involved.

The study of this question has involved many factors, and the specialists have been aware from the first that the demands for wheat may exceed the supply next year. Effort therefore has been made to recommend in each state about as large an acreage in wheat and rve as can be sown without upsetting proper farm practice, which must be maintained in the interest of wheat and rye crops this and succeeding years as well as in the interest of other necessary spring planted crops which are not discussed in detail at this time, as they are not food crops in which a marked

The estimates, the department states, are made with the knowledge that there s some shortage of the fertillzer supply, but with the understanding that there will be no general shortage in the supply of seed or of farm machinery which is necessary in the production of the wheat crop. It is understood also be provided and a fair price for wheat will be established. These factors have been assumed as fixed and satisfactory. If any one or more fail to be adjusted in good time no person can tell how serious will be the effect on the total

#### Unusual Efforts by Farmers.

The planting and cultivation of these ncreased acreages of fall sown grains all for unusual effort on the part of the farmers. Plans to place at the disposal of farmers all assistance possible are being perfected in the United States department of agriculture, the state coleges of agriculture and other state and ocal agencies which co-operate in farming matters. The assistance of successful growers of wheat and rye in a campaign to turn out bumper crops in 1918

The state officials will do their utmost to get the acreages expected of their states into the ground. The program as originally worked out by the federal department of agriculture called for somewhat more than 44,000,000 acres to be sown this fall. When this proposal was presented to the officials of the several states a further increase was considered possible and desirable by them. As a consequence the recommendation for the sowing of 47,337,000 acres is made.

Following is a summary of the department's recommendations regarding winter wheat and rye:

#### Wheat.

The planting of approximately 47. 37,000 acres to winter wheat, on the oasis of the average yield for the past en years, indicates a total production of 672,000,000 bushels, which exceeds all previous wirter wheat crops harested in the United States with the exception of the crops of 1914 and 1915. when the acreages harvested and yields per acre were both above normal. If the extremely favorable conditions under which the winter wheat crop of 1914 was grown are again experienced the yield of winter wheat next year will be 880,000,000 bushels, or by far the largest winter wheat crop ever produced and even larger than the total of both winter and spring wheat crops for all past years except two.

#### Principal Increases.

The principal increases in acreage of vinter wheat are recommended in the aréas where the acreage devoted to that cereal are already large and farmers are accustomed to growing wheat and are equipped with machinery for producing the crop. A material inrease also is recomended in most of the areas where the production of oats and corn is heavy, since much wheat can be sown to advantage on oat stubble and in the standing corn or on ground from which the corn crop has been removed for the silo or cut for fodder.

Rye to Be Increased.

basis of ten year averages, will yield 83,635,000 bushels. This is an increase of 917,000 acres, or 22 per cent over that sown last year, when the largest acreage in the history of the country was put in. It is an increase of 48 per cent over the 1915 acreage and of 57 per cent over the five year (1912-16) average sown acreage.

In any consideration of the expansion of the acreage of bread grains in certain parts of the country it is necessary to consider wheat and rye together. This is because rye can be planted safely on many fields with less risk than wheat. Further, rye can be used as a substitute for wheat as a bread grain by those who are accustomed to it. Rye succeeds on poorer soils and with less fertilizer and in colder climates than wheat and for these reasons should be planted in preference to wheat where it has been proved a safer crop. The farmer who, because of an attractive guaranteed price for wheat, may be tempted to plant wheat rather than rye in a locality where rye is the more certain crop takes a speculative risk of loss through winter killing and destruc tive wheat diseases which is unwarrant ed. While no guaranteed price for rye has been authorized by congress, there of rye for the next year will bear a satisfactory relation to that of wheat and therefore justify the planting of rye where the present experience with it indicutes its superiority.

#### Methods to Increase Yields.

Specialists of the department of agriculture and the state agricultural col leges hope that by better methods the average yield per acre will be at least maintained wherever there is a fer tilizer shortage and will be increased in other sections. Much educational work will be done to make this desire an actuality, and in this campaign the most successful growers will have stated that on the land that could be sown to fall wheat this autumn it is possible materially to increase the yield per acre by putting into practice some principles that are already well known to most farmers. These should appeal especially to those who cannot doing injustice to other crops should be grown.

land two months to settle before sowing where possible.

land with roller and harrow. Third.-Don't plow after a cultivated crop. Prepare such land with disk and

Fourth. - Make the seed bed a fit place for the seed. Fifth.-Sow with a drill sound.

plump, clean seed of adapted variety. treating infected seed with formalde-

Seventh -- Make the soil fertile with manure or fertilizers applied judicious-Eighth.-Reduce winter killing by

following the above suggestions. The accomplishment of this great increase of wheat and rye acreage without disrupting correct farming practice will call for tremendous effort on the part of farmers. However, the United States department of agriculture, the state colleges of agriculture and other

state and local agencies are planning

#### ROOP PRAISES AIRMEN.

to aid in every way possible.

Says American Army Aviators Are Unequalled.

"The American army aviators are not equaled anywhere in the world," said Lieutenant General Vladimir Roop head of the Russian commission, after Mrs. Lizzie Burrows place, in provenwitnessing a special exhibition of a water belt. Reasonable price and terms score of army fliers in command of Captain Charles Gaetz in Camp Kelly

"I would not like to make any prediction at this moment," he added, "but I feel satisfied in my own mind after what I have seen here today in saying that the United States must be counted with in this war, and if it puts a fleet in the struggle on a par with this bat tle exhibition the enemy must be wiped out. I confess I was not prepared to find the United States so well prepared and so magnificently equipped.

"Russia is coming back. While I cannot discuss plans, you may say my country will give a good account of itself and will score a great record yet in this war for liberty and democracy.

#### KANSAS HAS BIG WHEAT PLAN

Farmers Asked to Plant 10,000,000 Acres Next Fall.

Dr. Henry J. Waters, president of the Kansas State Agricultural college and also president of the Kansas Council of Defense, made announcement of a campaign to induce the planting of next fall.

Demonstration trains in charge of ex-

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Complete machine shop equipment and tools; office furniture and fixtures including two large roll top desks, two Mosler safes, two flat top desks, tables, chairs, cabinets, etc., one large forge, anvil vice and blacksmith tools; four iron barrels; one 750 gallon galvanized tank; gasoline filter and pump; some washed pea coal; one Ford truck and numerous small articles. For prices and terms call Phone 36.

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For Sale - Northwest quarter sec. 11, twp. 2 south, range 35 east, adjoining on part. Address E. S. Anderson, 212 Main St. Denison, Texas.

FOR SALE - I have for sale at my place 8 and one-half miles northwest of Portales, 75 acres row crop, consisting of maize, kaffir, corn, and broom corn, disc, 1 hay rake, 1 ridinging cultivator, I wagon, I eighteen inch sulky. Also a team of big mules, weight

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STRAYED- From a point 8 miles, northwest of Portales on August 24th 1917. Eight head stock cattle, Branded, H on left side; mark, under bit in each ear. On young cattle. Wright me at Portales, Reward to finder. H. C. Smith, owner.

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SAVE HEIFER CALVES.

Every Prospective Milk Producer Should Be Raised.

Without any possible doubt there is a shortage of milk and butter in this country as well as in the world beyond our sight. For a good many years things have been drifting that way, writes a correspondent of the Iowa Homestead. Some men with what almost now seems like prophetical vision have been saying that if the farmers did not keep up their growth of heifer calves the time would soon come when there would be a dearth of all kinds of dairy products. Those who did not possess this instinct of looking into the been this trouble.

statistics published by the United States government, there are in this country 61.441,000 milk cows and other cattle on the farms of this country, ter, young man? Why, we hardly Suppose we cut this in two and say, know you. Have you enough to supthat if one-half of the cows in the port her on? cows, provided these calves came to American. maturity. What a change that would work in the dairy industry of this

country! To state it in another way, suppose the oratorical man. we recall that there are at the present. time in this country 6,000,000 farms or for Sorghum. "If you know what this this coming year. But putting the mat- it." Washington Star.

ter conservatively, it is not too much to say that an average of one calf more might be raised on these farms, which would aggregate 6,000,000 more cows on our farms in a very short

Now, on our farm we are trying to do this. For a good many years we have tried to raise every likely heifer calf dropped in our stables. Our only sorrow has been that some years the heifers have been so scarce. But we have gone on doing the best we could. and now we are putting a little extraeffort on the heifer calves. We want with a great many, our dairy is a small one. Last year we grew six choice world with a wide vision laughed and calves. They were certainly beauties. did nothing about it. Now that time, If every dairyman in a small way would which was foretold has come. It was make it his business to get that one this year, according to the United hastened by the war, but it would have more heifer calf he would be a benefact States department of agriculture. come just as surely if there never had for and help to decide the question of feeding the world just as effectively as Now what? Well, now we must be in any other way. A good, well bred gin to do what we ought to have done, cow is a means of making the world several years ago that is raise more better and happier. Here, as in so many helfer calves. According to the latest other instances, a little lift is a big help.

"So you want to marry my daugh-

United States were given a chance to \_ "Sir, I thought you had too much grow a helfer calf this present year it pride to let any of your family take would give us about 30,000,000 more money from strangers." - Baltimore

> An Unappreciative Audience. "What this country needs" - began

somewhat more. Many of these might country needs don't stand around and well grow a number of heifer calves lecture on it. Hustle out and help get

### Poultry **Farming**

MAKING POULTRY PAY.

Systematic Culling of Flocks Would Increase Food Supply.

The statement made at the recent agricultural conference at St. Louis that the poultry products of the United States could be doubled within a year means that if everybody in a position to help did his part \$600,000,000 worth of food would be added to our supply

This includes both meat for the table and eggs. Very few farmers practice a systematic plan of disposing of their fowls after they have ceased to be productive, although it is well known that fowls of the heavier breeds, such as the Plymouth Rocks, cease to produce a profitable number of eggs at | note of the many unclean things they | the end of their second laving year and



from 8 cents to 12 cents, depending upon the current prices of grain and

mediately before eating, before han dling, preparing or serving food, after

that is not only dangerous from a

anything dirty.

## **Annual Picnic!** Friday and Saturday, Sept. 7th & 8th, 1917

On the above dates, Emzy, the new town 35 miles southeast of Portales, will hold their Second Annual Picnic The greater production of turkeys. with a two days celebration and invites can be profitably raised and a ready everybody to attend and have a good increase the supply time. There will be an Old Fashioned Barbecue and Basket Dinner each day. they grow. Ducks of most of the meat Let everyone bring well filled baskets. quently welch from five to six pounds at ten weeks of ago. It is destinated by

Plenty of Barbecue Free to Everybody poultrymen making a specialty of growing ducks that the feed cost per pound of producing duck meat ranges

## ..\$250.00 In Prizes...

There will will be all kinds of typical western sports, such as Goat Roping, Bronc Busting, Tournament Races, Horse Races, Ball Games and anything else that goes to make a genuine celebration, with good purses for the winners in each contest. Something doing all the time.

Big Dance Starts the Morning of the 7th and Will Continue Through the Entire Celebration

See or write the Committee on Arrangements for prices on concessions. health point of view, but is disgusting-

...By Order of the Publicity Committee... Is findecent from every point of view, is the constant pickings of the nose and

and a decent one is to keep the hands his custom to invite his caller into his away from the face, particularly the study and ask the janitress to make an nose and mouth, and if these parts oyster stew. The sexton resented Dr. need attention use a clean handker- Hale's informality. chief. A dirty handkerchief is as dangerous and may be as much a means of spreading disease as dirty fingers. Dr. Hale and the assistant pastor were

ice says: "Disease germs lead a hand just what the wording of it should be to mouth existence. If the human race To their surprise the conversation was would learn to keep the unwashed hand suddenly interrupted by the deaf sexaway from the mouth many human dis- ton, who stood far enough away to constantly, and we continually carry said. "I'll tell you what to put on that the hands to the mouth. If the hands sign!" he exclaimed, "Come in! Evhave recently been in contact with in- erybody welcome! Meals served at all fectious matter the germs of disease hours of the day and night!" may in this way be introduced into the body. Many persons wet their fingers "That's what we will do. I've always with saliva before counting money, wanted to call this church the Exeter turning the pages of a book or perform. | club!"-Youth's Companion. ing similar acts. In this case the process is reversed, the infection being | • • carried to the object handled, there to await carriage to the mouth of some other careless person.'

If anybody doubts the filth of their | own hands and fingers let them take @ feed supply. handle within a day's time. The doorknob which everybody handles will be feed of high quality. only one source where the hands may get the germs and filth of some care | • of corn put into the silo fur-

HIS SEXTON'S SUGGESTION.

It Was Meant to Be Sarcastic, but It Hit Dr. Hale Just Right.

The sexton of Edward Everett Hale's burch suffered from that convenient form of deafness that prevents a man from hearing what he does not wish to hear and enables him to hear what he does wish to hear. 'Occasionally when sweeping the sidewalk in front of the thurch some stranger would ask him or information, and his usual answer was a wave of the hand. "I'm totally deaf, totally deaf. You will have to ask some one in the church."

It often happened that Dr. Hale in

mouth with the fingers. A safe rule tant appointment still unmet. It was

The time came for a new sign to be placed on the front of the church, and The United States public health servistanding in the vestry aisle discussing eases would be greatly diminished. We make doubtful the ability of a normal handle infectious matter more or less person's overhearing what had been

"All right," said Dr. Hale quickly.

#### SILO ADVANTAGES.

Silage furnishes an almost sure

The silo provides a means

Three and seven-tenths acres nishes as much feed as 5.3 acres of similar corn cut and shocked. A corn crop of thirty-five bush-· els to the acre will give about ·

\* seven tons of silage to the acre, \* • with a gain of \$11 an acre over • husking from the standing stalks. The silo increases the live stock carrying capacity of the farm. It provides storage for the @

 its highest feeding value and in handy form for both winter and @ summer feeding. Silage stimulates and improves \* · digestion during the dry feeding · period and keeps cattle thrifty \*

whole corn plant when it is at @

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### Poultry **Farming**

MEAT FOR POULTRY.

Care Should Be Taken to Use Only the Best Quality of Scraps.

All of us who have used commercial meat foods for our poultry have noticed that some of it may be safely fed with good success, writes a correspondent of the Farm and Fireside. When other lots are purchased and similarly fed there is a marked tendensy toward sickness among the birds.

It is a good plan to remember that the best grade of meat scrap is made of meat that has been cooked for a number of hours under steam pressure. This renders the fat and completely sterilizes all bacteria of an unhealthfui



BED INDIAN GAME MALE.

nature that may have been in it originally. Such food very rarely causes sickness in the birds that eat it. Then there are low grade scraps that have not been treated in this way. On the contrary, some of it has had strong chemicals put into it for the purpose of preserving it. It need not be said that meat scraps cured this way are positively dangerous, leading to sickness and perhaps loss of high priced

A good thing to do is to watch the effect of feeding all brands of scraps, and when we find those that are clean and healthful stick to them, even if they do cost a little more than some others.

Somehow our birds must get plenty of animal protein. Those who try to get along without it find that their birds do not do as well as when this kind of feed is furnished. One of the best poultry feeds of the farm is milk On so many farms it is fed to everything except hens that they come last. But hens will take milk and turn it to as good advantage as any creature on the farm. Wherever meat scrap is prohibitive in price milk ought to be used freely. Whey is all right, too, although it has not the feeding value that milk has. Not all of us realize the worth of bone and its products in this connection. This has a high value. coming close up to meat scrap, and is fine when crushed and dried for little

#### CARE OF POULTRY RUNS.

Yards Should Be Kept In Sanitary Condition to Prevent Disease.

Cleanliness is a prime factor in successful development of young poultry. With every appliance in the poultry yard clean and sanitary, disease has no chance, writes a correspondent of the Orange Judd Farmer. The best method of combating lice is by spraying with any good disinfectant. I have found the force barrel spray effective, convenient and efficient in evenly distributing the solution to all parts of the poultry house. Colony houses which young poultry occupy are treated likewise. Early spring chicks have now attained considerable size and growth. In early summer they are changed to another yard with a larger run where grass and shade are plentiful.

The poultry yard where the spring chicks have been is insanitary for other chicks until thoroughly cleaned. To overcome this I place a thin layer of straw over the run and set it afire. A still better way I have tried with satisfactory results is to plow the yard about four inches deep, work down evenly and seed to a rapid growing grass. Young poultry thrives better in a yard having plenty of grass than on a bare run. Quite a little of the tender grass is eaten daily. It also furnishes a place for the youngsters to catch insects.

On many farms the flock has no shade in late summer. A good substitute in the absence of trees is the shade of sunflowers. They give shade in late summer and feed from the seeds in winter. I have planted sunflowers for seed in the fall to be used in winter as a feed for the laying hens. It is unsurpassed when ground for late winter and early spring chicks.

Fattening Poultry.

In order to put dressed poultry on the market in the best condition it is necessary to fatten the birds ten days to two weeks before they are market-A simple crate fattening ration poultry recommended by H. C. Knandel, in charge of poultry extension at the Pennsylvania State college, sts of sixty pounds of cornmeal and forty pounds of middlings moistened with skimmilk or buttermilk. Fowls led on a wet mash shrink heavily in Poultry that is to be sold eight therefore had better be d in pens and fed cracked corn.

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That the efficiency of the average farm horse can be increased 25 per cent by the observance of simple precautions is the opinion of Dr. C. W. Mc-Campbell, associate professor of animal husbandry, Kansas State · Agricultural college.

hot weather. He needs large quantities of water, and frequent watering will overcome the dangers that result from watering freely at long intervals. Feed regularly a ration uniform both as to kind and as to amount. This lessens the danger from colic and other digestive disturbances.

Eliminate lice, worms and flies, for they may decrease the efficiency of the work horse 50 per cent and increase the feed bill 25 per cent. Clean the collar every time it is put

on the horse and keep its bearing sur-

face hard and smooth.

Sponge off the work horse when he comes in from work, especially where the collar and other parts of the harness have left marks. Sponge out his mouth, nose and eyes. Soak his feet thoroughly with cold water, but do not turn the hose on his body or legs. Wash his shoulders every night for a

few weeks with cold salt water. Allow him to stop in the shade for a few minutes whenever possible for a brief rest and a chance to breathe freely and deeply.

Watch the work horse carefully. Drooping ears, unsteadiness of gait, short, quick breathing and a sudden ceasing to sweat are danger signals demanding prompt attention. They mean that the horse is getting too hot and that he must have shade, cooler

If the horse suffers a heat stroke protect him from the sun, remove the harness, apply cold to the head, either water or ice, wash out his mouth and nostrils and sponge his entire body with cold water.

Groom the work horse thoroughly. This will save feed and will increase his health, vigor and power.

Remember that the horse produces the greatest amount of net power from the feed and care provided when driving a load at a moderate gait; hence Water the horse frequently during greater and more efficient power and energy can be secured by increasing the load rather than the speed of the work horse.

#### 000000000000000000 THE STOCKMAN.

Pretty soon the gadfly will o o emerge from manure piles and o o begin to torment the sheep. Be o o ready for it. Smear the sheep's o o noses with tar.

If the corn drowns out, sow O o rape for the hogs. Forage helps o o to put the gains on hogs at the O o lowest cost.

Before letting the colt to the O o mare at mealtime partly milk o o out the udder. In hot weather let o o the mare rest and cool off a few of o minutes before the colt sucks. O If you want to see the lambs O o grow, give them oats to eat of- o

Put the self feeder where the O pigs can help themselves. Let o o them do the work until market- o o ing time.

Colic often results from work- O o ing a horse immediately after o o feeding. Allow plenty of time at O

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Watering the Horse.

Three times a day is not enough to water live stock. They should have, especially in hot weather, an opportunity of drinking at least five times daily-before each meal and at intervals of two and one-half to three hours apart between meals. The animal that works in hot weather on a five or six hour stretch without water suffers intensely from thirst. Frequent watering prevents water colic and other ill effects. Never allow the animal to drink when very hot. Always force him under such conditions to drink a little at a time until satisfied.

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#### Died At Redland

Don, the little son of Mr. and and Mrs. J. W. Slone, of Redland, died at the family home on Saturday, August 18th, and was laid to rest in the Roebuck cemetery the following day to await the coming of our Savior when we will be like him. Funeral services were held by Rev. E. S. Billberry, and many friends were present to mourn the loss of the friend and bright jewel in the home, He was 6 years, 7 months and 9 days old. The bereaved family has the sympathy of the entire community in this hour of bereavement. A Friend.

A ton of bear grass dry, baled on car will pay for a ton of coal. Think it over.

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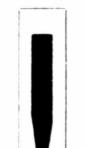
# PUBLIC AUCTION SALE

## Wednesday, Sept. 12, 1917

I will sell at my ranch five miles south and one mile west of Portales, twelve and one-half miles northwest of Rogers, nine miles east of Delphos, and seven miles west of Eiland, New Mexico, on the above date, the following described personal property, towit:

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SERGEANT McCLINTOCK. Trenches.

No. 6. Decorated For Bravery; Home and Uncle Sam.

By Sergeant Alexander McClintock, D. C. M., 87th Overseas Batt., Canadian Gren, Guards.

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who has seen service in France, was 15,000 rounds of high explosive shells. rear with twenty-two pieces of shrapnel were much exhausted and pretty badly in one leg and his meeting with the king in a London hospital.

WAS taken from Pozieres to Albert in a Ford ambulance or, as the Tommies would say, a "tin Lizzie." The man who drove this vehicle would make a good chauffeur for an adding machine. Apparently he was counting the bumps in the road, for he didn't miss one of them. However, the trip was only a matter of seven miles, and I was in fair condition when they lifted me out and carried me to an operating table in the field dressing station.

A chaplain came along and murmured a little prayer in my ear. I imagine that would have made a man feel very solemn if he had thought there was a chance he was about to pass out, but I knew I merely had a leg pretty badly smashed up, and while the chaplain was praying I was wondering if they would have to cut it off. I figured, if so, this would handicap my dancing.

The first formality in a shrapnel case is the administration of an anti-tetanus innoculation, and when it is done you realize that they are sure trying to save your life. The doctor uses a horse syringe, and the injection leaves a lump on your chest as big as a baseball, which stays with you for fortyeight hours. After the injection a nurse fills out a diagnosis blank with a description of your wounds and a

record of your name, age, regiment, regimental number, religion, parentage and previous history as far as she can discover it without asking questions which would be positively indelicate. After all of that my wounds were given their first real dressing.

Immediately after this was done I was bundled into another ambulance and driven to Contay, where the C. C. 8. (casualty clearing station) and rail head were located. In the ambulance with me were three other soldiers, an artillery officer and two privates of in- People Stand In Crowds, the Men With fantry. We were all ticketed off as shrapnel cases and probable recoveries, which latter detail is remarkable, since the most slightly injured of the four of the cars in this train there was a had twelve wounds, and there were sixty odd shell fragments or shrapnel balls collectively imbedded in us. The nurse had told me that I had about



Two of the Nursing Sisters Were the Coolest Individuals Present.

twenty wounds. Afterward her count proved conservative. More accurate and later returns showed twenty-two bullets and shell fragments were in my leg. They took these out and presented them to me. I have been giving them away for souvenirs.

We were fairly comfortable in the ambulance, and I especially had great relief from the fact that the nurse had strapped my leg in a sling attached to the top of the vehicle. We smoked cigarettes and chatted cheerfully, exchanging congratulations on having

got "clean ones"-that is, wounds not probably fatal. The artillery officer told me he had been supporting our battalion that morning with one of the "sacrifice batteries."

A sacrifice battery, I might explain, is one composed of field pieces which are emplaced between the front and support lines and which in case of an attack or counterattack are fired at point blank range. They call them sacrifice batteries because some of them are wiped out every day. This officer said our battalion that morning had been supported by an entire division of artillery and that on our front This is the concluding article of the of 400 yards the eighteen pounders series of six by Sergeant McClintock, alone, in a curtain fire which lasted an American boy of Lexington, Ky., thirty-two minutes, had discharged

decorated for bravery and invalided. I was impressed by his statement, of home. He has been promised a com- course, but I told him that, while this mission in our army. The first five in- was an astonishing lot of ammunition, stallments told of the fighting in Bel- it was even more surprising to have gium and on the Somme, where he was noticed at close range, as I did, the desperately wounded. This final in- number of Germans they missed. Tostallment describes his journey to the ward the end of our trip to Contay we

> shaken up. We were beginning also to realize we were by no means out of the woods surgically. Our wounds had the following cablegram from the officerowds, the men with their hats off, merely been dressed. Each of us faced cer in charge of the Canadian records while the ambulances pass. Women an extensive and serious operation. in England: We arrived at Contay silent and pretty hours in the Contay casualty clearing station they did little except feed us. Further particulars supplied when reand take our temperatures hourly. Then we were put into a hospital train

Germans Bomb Hospital Train.

Right here I would like to tell a lit-German aeroplanes from which bombs were dropped upon it. There is nothing apparently that makes the Ger-



Hats Off, While Ambulances Pass.

Red Cross big enough to be seen from gets. Their bombs quickly knocked three or four cars from the rails and the surgeons who stood hour after of the stay are so pleasant that somekilled several of the helplessly wound- bour, using their skill and training for times I wish I was back. ed men. The rest of the patients, weak the petty pay of English army medical and nervous from recent shock and injury, some of them half delirious and nearly all of them absolutely helpless and in pain, were thrown into near

Two of the nursing sisters in charge of the train were the coolest individuals present. They walked calmly up and down its length, urging the patients to remain quiet, directing the male attendants how to remove the wounded men safely from the wrecked cars and paying no attention whatever to the bombs which were still exploding near the train. I did not have the privilege of witnessing this scene myself, but I know that I have accurately described it, for the details were told in an official report when the king decorated the two sisters with the Royal Red Cross for valor in the face of

The trip from Contay to Rouen was a nightmare-twenty-six hours traveling 150 miles on a train which was forever stopping and starting, its jerky and uncertain progress meaning to us just hours and hours of suffering. I do not know whether this part of the system for the removal of wounded has been improved now. Then, its inconveniences and imperfections must have been inevitable, for in every way afterward the most thoughtful and tender care was shown us. In the long rows of huts which compose the British general hospital at Reuen we found ourselves in what seemed like paradise.

In the hut which constituted the special ward for leg wounds I was lifted from the stretcher on which I had travcomfortable bed with fresh, clean sheets, and instantly I found myself surrounded with quiet, trained, efficient care. I forgot the pain of my was placed beside my bed and a nurse! by bathing my face and hands with scented water.

On the following morning my leg the surgeon I thought the business of operating could very well be put off until I had had about three more square meals, but he couldn't see it that way. In the afternoon I got my first sickening dose of ether, and they took the first lot of iron out of me. I suppose these were fust the surface deposits, for they only got five or six pieces. However, they continued systematically. I had five more operations, and every time I came out of the ether the row of bullets and shell scraps at the foot of my bed was a little longer. After the number had

reached twenty-two they told me that perhaps there were a few more in there, but they thought they'd better let them stay.

My wounds had become septic, and it was necessary to give all attention to I recollect I conceived a violent dislike for a black dog that appeared from nowhere now and then and began chewing at my leg, and I believe I gave the nurse a severe talking to: because she insisted on going to look on at the ball game when she ought to be sitting by to chase that dog away. And I was perfectly certain about her being at the ball game, because I saw

The Alarming Cablegram.

badly depressed. For twenty-four Keant Alexander McClintock is officially hospital from gunshot wound in left thigh.

It appears that during the time of

my adventures with the black dog and the inattentive nurse my temperature doctors began to admit another method tle story about a hospital train leaving of treatment might have been success-Contay for Rouen not the one we ful. But I didn't pass out. The one were on, but one which had left a few thing I most regret about my close call days before. The train, when it was is that my parents in Lexington were just ready to depart with a full quota in unrelieved suspense about my con of wounded men, was attacked by dition until I myself sent them a cable first official message, seemingly prepared almost as a preface to the announcement of my demise, my father received no news of me whatever. And, as I didn't know that the official message had gone, I cabled nothing to him until I was feeling fairly chipper again. You can't have wars, though, without these little misunderstandings. If it were possible I should say something here which would be fitting and, adequate about the Englishwomen who nursed the 2,500 wounded men in general hospital No. 5 at Rouen, but that power isn't given me. All I can do is to fall back upon our most profound American expression of respect and say that my bat is off to them. One nurse in the ward in which I lay had been on her feet for fifty-six hours, with hardly time even to cat. She finally fainted from exhaustion, was carried out of the ward and was back again in four hours, assisting at an operation. And the doctors were doing their bit, too, in living up to the obligations which they considered to be theirs. An operating room was in every ward, with five tables in each. After the fight on the Somme, in which mans so fearless and ferocious as the I was wounded, not a table was va-Red Cress emblem. On the top of each | cant any hour in the twenty-four for days at a time. Outside of each room was a long line of stretchers containmiles in the air. The German aviators ing patients next awaiting surgical ataccepted them merely as excellent tar- tention. And in all that stress I did friends. I was there from December horribly distigured. He was the bright

On Dec. 5 I was told I was well enough to be sent to England, and on were Fay Compton, Gertrude Elliott that a commission as lieutenant in the eled all the way from Poizers into a the next day I went on a hospital train (sister of Maxine Elliott), George Robie Canadian forces awaited my return from Rouen to Havre. Here I was and other stars of the London stage. from furlough, and I had every intenplaced on a hospital ship which every After our protracted stay in the tion of going back to accept it, but medical officer in our army ought to trenghes and our long absence from since I got to America things have haphave a chance to inspect. Nothing in- all the civilized forms of amusement pened. Now it's the army of Uncle wounds and the dread of the coming genuity could contrive for convenience the affair seemed to us the most wonoperation when a tray of delicious food and comfort was missing. Patients derful show ever given. And in some were sent below decks in elevators ways it was. For instance, in the most prepared me for the enjoyment of it and then placed in swinging cradles entertaining of dramatic exhibitions which hung level no matter what the did you ever see the lady artists go many, but it's up to us to save the ship's motion might be. As soon as around and reward enthusiastic ap-I had been made comfortable in my plause with kisses? Well, that's what side and all wrong on the other—and was X rayed and photographed. I told particular cradle I was given a box

> which had engraved upon it: "Presentthis honor upon me. ed with the compliments of the Union Castle line. May you have a speedy and good recovery." The box contained cigarettes, tobacco and a pipe.

When the ship docked at Southampton, after a run of eight hours across channel, each patient was asked what part of the British isles he would like to be taken to for the period of his convalescence. I requested to be taken to London, where, I thought, there was the best chance of my seeing Americans who might know me. Say, I sure made a good guess! I didn't know many Americans, but I didn't need to know them. They found me and made themselves acquainted. They brought things, and then they went out to get more they had forgotten to bring the first trip. The second day, drainage and cure. It was about this after I had been installed on a cot in time that everything for awhile seem- the King George hospital, in London, ed to become hazy and my memories. I sent 1,500 eigarettes back to the boys got all queerly mixed up and confused of our battalion in France out of my

surplus stock. If I had undertaken to eat and drink and smoke all the things the United States I had come from. that were brought to me by Americans how I had got my wounds and what be back in that hospital now only get- getting along and what I particularly some country when you need it.

Wounded Get Great Welcome.

The wounded soldier getting back to her there when I was playing third. England doesn't have a chance to imagine that his services are not appreciated. The welcome he receives begins at the railroad station. All traf-It was at this time (on Nov. 28, 1916, fic is stopped by the bobbles to give ten days after I had been wounded) the ambulances a clear way leaving that my father in Lexington received the station. The people stand in have." rush out and throw flowers to the Sincerely regret to inform you that Ser-, wounded men. Sometimes there is a cheer, but usually only silence and words of sympathy.

The King George hospital was built to be a government printing office and was nearing completion when the war broke cut. It has been made a paradise for convalescent men. The bareacteristic smell, so to speak, of the



my people for your services."

average hospital are unknown bere. There are soft lights and comfortable

On the Friday before Christmas

there was a concert in our ward. way. Among the artists who entertained us we got. And I am proud to say that

At about 3 o'clock on that afternoon, when we were all having a good time. one of the orderlies threw open the door of the ward and announced in a loud voice that his majesty the king was coming in. We could not have been more surprised if some one had thrown in a Mills bomb. Almost immediately the king walked in, accomform to distinguish him from the otheach patient with a copy of "Queen and writers. When he neared my bed he turned to one of the nurses and in-

The nurse nodded. He came and sat at the side of the bed and shook hands with me. He asked as to what part of just because I was an American I'd the nature of them were, how I was ting fairly started on the job. It's wished done for me. I answered his questions and said that everything I could possibly wish for had already been done for me.

> Thanked by King and Decorated For Bravery.

"I thank you," he said, "for myself. and my people for your services. Our gratitude cannot be great enough toward men who have served as you

with no assumption of royal dignity. of 1851, being afterward removed to There was nothing in the least thrill- its present site and re-crected. At ing about the incident, but there was the first state opening of the palace by much apparent sincerity in the few Queen Victoria it was urged that the

After he had gone one of the nurses asked me what he had said "Oh." I said. "George asked me what

had ascended to the stage when the ness and the sick suggestion and char- and talk it over with him as soon as of the scaremongers when the design I was well enough to be up."

> appointments of my life. She didn't wreck it, while the heat engendered by see the joke. She was English. She the sun pouring its rays upon the gasped and glared at me, and I think domed glass roof would be so terrific she went out and reported that I was that no human being could withstand delirious again.

> Really, I wasn't much impressed by the English king. He seemed a pleas. od to death inside the case. ant, tired little man with a great bur den to bear and not much of an idea DR. JAMES F. GARMANY about how to bear it. He struck me as an individual who would conscientiously do his best in any situation, but would never do or say anything with the slightest suspicion of a punch to it

A few days after his visit to the hos pital I saw in the Official London Ga zette that I had been awarded the dis tinguished conduct medal. Official letters from the Canadian headquarters amplified this information, and a notice from the British war office informed me that the medal awaited me there I was told the king knew that the medal had been awarded to me when he spoke to me in the hospital. Despite glowing reports in the Kentucky press he didn't pin it on me. Probably be didn't have it with him, or perhaps be didn't consider it good form to hang a D. C. M. on a suit of striped presentation pajamas with a prevailing tone of

baby blue While I was in the King George hosbeds and pretty women going about pital I witnessed one of the most wonas visitors. The stage beauties and derful examples of courage and pluck comedians come to entertain us. The I have ever seen. A young Scot only food is delictous, and the chief thought | nineteen years old, McAuley by name. of every one seems to be to show the had had the greater part of his face inmates what a comfortable and cheery blown away. The surgeons had patch thing it is to be ill among a lot of real ed him up in some fashion, but he was not hear one word of complaint from until February, and my recollections est, merriest man in the ward, always joking and never depressed. His own terrible misfortune was merely the topic for humorous comment with him He seemed to get positive amusement out of the fact that the surgeons were always sending for him to do something more with his face. One day he was going into the operating room and a fellow patient asked him what the new operation was to be.

"Oh," he said, "I'm going to have a cabbage put on in place of a head. It'll grow better than the one I have

Once in a fortnight he would manage to get leave to absent himself from the hospital for an hour or two. He never came back alone. It took a couple of men to bring him in. On the next morning he would say:

"Well, it was my birthday. A man must have a few drinks on his birth-

I was discharged from the hospital in the middle of February and sent to a comfortable place at Hastings, Sussex, where I lived until my furlough papers came through. I had a fine time in London at the theaters and clubs pending my departure for home. When my furlough had arrived I went to Buxton, Derbyshire, where the Canadian discharge depot was located. You Are Next and was provided with transportation word that our convoy was ready to see atroyer escorted us 400 miles on our The Sanitary Barber Shop

I was informed before my departure

Sam for mine. I've written these stories to show what we are up against. It's going to be a tough game and a bloody one and a sorrowful one for issue where it's mostly right on one I'm glad we're in. I'm not willing to it was Miss Compton who conferred quit soldiering now, but I will be when we get through with this. Because when we finish up with all this there won't be any necessity for soldiering. The world will be free of war for a long, long time, and a God's mercy

THE END.

The State of Westsylvania.

The "province and government of panied by a number of aids. They Westsylvania" was a proposal made by were all in service uniforms, the king the settlers in the southwest of Pennhaving little in the style of his uni- sylvania and the adjacent territory for the creation of a new state. It origi-He walked around, presenting nated in connection with the troubles between Virginia and Pennsylvania, Mary's Gift Book," an artistic little and the scheme was brought forward volume, with pictures and short stories early in July, 1776. A description of by the most famous of English artists the proposed government defines the bounds as "beginning at the eastern branch of the Ohlo opposite the mouth of the Scioto and running thence in a direct line to the Owasioto pass, thence to the top of the Allegheny mountains, thence with the top of the said moun tains to the northern limits of the purchase made from the Indians in 1768 at the treaty of Fort Stanwix, thence with the said limits to the Allegheny or Ohio river and then down the said river as purchased from the said Indians at the aforesaid treaty of Fort Stanwix at the beginning." A call for a convention to organize the government was issued, but a memorial of the Virginia committee of West Augusta county to the lower house of assembly led to the abandonment of the plan.-Philadelphia Press.

London's Crystal Palace.

Crystal palace was originally built He spoke in a very low voice and in Hyde park for the great exhibition usual artillery salute should not be fired, the reason given being that the concussion would shiver the glass roof and the company assembled below, in-I thought about the way the war was cluding her majesty, would be cut into being conducted, and I said I'd drop in mincement. Dire were the predictions for the palace was made public. The There happened one of the great dis- first gale, they said, would inevitably it. Consequently if they escaped an avalanche of glass they would

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#### School Notes

the work on the new school the week for a visit in the home friends of Mr. and Mrs. Faggrd buildings and is planning to have one ready for occupancy on the date school is to begin. Septem- Texas, having started the first river fishing and visiting the number 10th. He says he will have newspaper west of Fort Worth erous ranches. Bascom Howard, one of the buildings ready by this time if he has to work nights as well as day. The building are published two weeks before. Mr. who represent the Joyce-Pruit modern and something not to be ashamed of. It will be a happy day for us when we can have the other buildings completed that go with these two. The school books are about all in. The book man is trying to have them here on time. Do not handicap your child by not having it ready for Misses Sue Henderson and school the first day. Let those Verda Beasley, operators at the who live outside the Portales local telephone station, spent a school district and expect to send few days visiting friends and to school in Portales, see that relatives at Amarillo, Texas, the your children are enrolled in the first of the week. They returned school census of this district.

J. M. Shafer and wife, of Plain-The contractor is rushing the view, Texas, arrived the first of A number of big cars with the Plainview.

home Wednesday.

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#### Portales Tourists Here

of their daughter, Mrs. S. E. were in town yesterday enroute Moore. Mr. Shafer is one of the for home. They have spent a pioneer newspaper men of West week in the valley and on Black with the exception of one at who "sells the earth" at Por-Weatherford, Texas, which was tales with Mr. and Mrs. Lock Shafer started his paper at Company of that town, with Miss Stephenville, Texas, in 1871 and Blue (we add Bird for good luck) named it the Texas & Pacific, were in a big car and halted at thinking they would be on the the Current office. They were railroad but which missed them well pleased with Carlsbad "the 18 miles. He is now running an Beautiful " and wished they up-to-date job printing shop at could stay longer but Mr. Howard said whats the use when you are tired of fish and know one must get home and be selling "earth" The other members of the party were: R. M. Sanders, the saddlemaker J. E, Camp, druggist, Carl Turner, alfalfa and hay raiser in that locality, Dwight Reynolds, of the Portales electrical plant, Jack Wilcox, the dairyman who was driving the Chalmers. They knew a number of people in the valley, were charmed with the Farrell-Russel ranch. the cool spring water and the beatiful shades. They spoke of naving known Bill Washington for years and said Bill Faggard was true blue. Mr. and Mrs. Faggard were leaving for Portales having received a message to come there on business. They expect to send the two older girls to high school here this winter. The Current extends to the the visitors a cordial welcome to spend their vacation in the valley as often as they wish and to tell others how many fish they caught?—Carlsbad Current.

W. A. Kinsolving, of Washington, D. C., who has been attending the I. T. U. convention at Colorado Springs, passed through Portales today on his way to Elida where he will visit for a few days with his brother B. W. Kinsolving. He is one of the head printers in the government printing office at Washington.

A man went in to a hardware store and purchased a nickel's worth of nails, asking to have the package delivered. The merchant called a boy, handed him the parcel and a dime, and said: 'Here Sonny, take this package to Mr. Blank's house".

'are you going to pay the boy a dime to take the parcel up?"

"Certainly," returned the merehant: "I wouldn't think of asking him to go for any less."

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#### Musical Recital

For the benefit of the Red Cross society, Miss Miller of New York City, a talented Musician, nounced later.

#### How About a Clean Up Day

Since the bountiful rains, the weeds are growing at a wonderter, every one should attend and full rate, every resident of Portales should take an interest in dollar in the hands of this organi- cleaning up, lets have a clean up zation may be the means of give- day, suppose we start in by every ing assistance and relief to an person cleaning up his own back yard, and cutting all the weeds, Have you done your bit? If then let the town arrange to have the weeds removed together with all rubbish, tin cans, etc. Dont wait for the other fellow, but start to day then maybe the other fellow will follow you, lets clean up.

Mrs. Rucker and little son, of Fort Worth, Texas, arrived this will give a recital, instrumental week for a visit with friends and Date to be an- relatives. Mrs. Rucker was formerly Miss Rozena Sanders.

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