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SERIOUS SHOOTING AFFRAY AT ELIDA ON TUESDAY MORNING OF THIS WEEK

Sheriff Arch L. Gregg Painfully Wounded in Right Side From .45 Calibre Automatic Pistol in Hands of Alleged Slacker, Charles Glover

Glover is Dangerously Wounded by Sheriff Gregg and Deputy Milton Kornegay. From the Best Information Obtainable at This Time the Trouble Came About in the Following Manner:

twelve miles south of Elida, failed house, The officers knowing to register under the new army draft law. It had been known the short of the building they had both shot Glover did not fire any more, but just as Glover turned the corner of the building for some time that Glover had he turned and fired twice at the failed to register and some had officers. Sheriff Gregg returned talked to him about the matter the fire with two shots but Glover and it was learned that he had had got behind the building. said he would not register, so Sheriff Gregg started through after it was found that he was the building from the east side determined to resist the provis- to head Glover off, thinking he ions of the draft law, the proper would fall from his wounds every authorities had a warrant issued step, and as Gregg entered the for Glover's arrest. On last east door of the building Glover of New Mexico. Monday evening, late, Sheriff nae gotten around to the west. The promise of the Jehovan at the City of Santa Fe, this 12th 1918, conducted by the Indus-Military service by a local board Gregg and Deputy Milton Korne-door and here is where he fired God is that, "While the earth re-Day of November, A. D. 1917. gay went to the home of Glover the shot at Sheriff Gregg which maineth, seed-time and harvests with a warrant for his arrest and took effect. By this time Kor-shall not cease:" and in that an-Attested - Antonio Lucero, found him at home. After hav-negay was on the job and both cient time, He commanded His ing a talk with him, he agreed to o&cers closing in on their man people to appear before Him to go with the officers and went into and captured him after wounding to celebarate the feast of the full the house to get ready. It seems him once more in the left arm. harvest which was in the end of the Portales Schools December Industrial Commissioner C. L. re-hearing shall be forthwith that after he had got into the

As the smoke was clearing the year when they had 'gather- 5th to 8th. The schools have arhouse a change of mind came away Mr. A. Beeman was busy ed in their labors out of the field." ranged for "The Elson Educatioover him and he decided not to on the telephone, calling for docThe institution of an nal Exhibition of 200 large direct administration is greatly pleased. Three; Any person already ingo with the officers. After they tors and informing friends of the annual thanksgiving to Almighty productions of the Master pieces with the development of New ducted into Military service who waited some bit for his return wounded men of the trouble, and God for the blessings of the har- of architecture, sculpture and Mexico's bean production, and claims that he has not had full they went to see what was de- in less than one hour Drs. Wil- vest was first celebrated on this painting. This exhibit will be the belief there is that this year's and fair hearing or has not had a taining him and upon entering liams, Wollard and Garmany, to continent by the Pilgrim Fathers held to raise funds for the pur- big yield can be doubled next full and fair opportunity to be the house they met the smoky gether with a number of other in 1621 even after more than one- chase of pictures for the rooms year. Acting upon Mr. Hoover's heard by a local or district board end of a forty-five leveled on Portales citizens, including Jas. half of their original number had, and corridors of the schools. them and he held them at bay in A. Hall, G. L. Reese, Deputy Mc- within a year, perished of cold. The undertaking deserves the ment of the Santa Fe will conthis position some time, Sheriff Cormack, Mrs. Gregg who took hunger and disease incident there- patronage of the public. The duct a series of meetings in the claims that the board has exceed-Gregg trying to reason with him a nurse with her, and in a short to. all the time and while still look- time Dr. Miller, of Clovis, arrived Annually since that date it has very much through the sense of state this winter. A crops of exing down this man-killer from to assist the Portales and Elida been the custom of the people of sight, and beautiful pictures on perts in bean culturs will be sent or regulations in passing on his the dangerous end Sheriff Gregg doctors and at once the best skill our nation, in the fall of the year, the walls of our schools can have out to talk with the f rmers on claim may apply to the commandpersuaded Glover to agree to of the medical fraternity was to observe a feast day and a day none other than a good influence the subject, co-operating with jug officer of his mobilization camp come in to Elida the next morn-turned to giving aid to the of thanksgiving to the Lord God on our children. ing and surrender and have his wounded men. At this writing for his mercies and blessings. Tickets for this exhibit will be county agents. Special attending after arrival at the mobilization hearing before the U.S. Com- both men are getting along fine. bestowed upon us as individuals, placed on sale in the near future, will be given to the question of camp to be discharged under the missioner at that place, which Sheriff Gregg, it is thought, will as states, and as a nation. him there that night.

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Elida and called U. S. Commismination and bull-dog tenacity, have been, upon the whole, blessThere will be several of our Amarillo. It is expected that investigate the facts of such his store to try and arrange with brought on the trouble, is much the commissioner to set on his in his favor in bringing out from case and turn him loose, which under a wounded condition that proposition the commissioner re- would have killed most any ordifused to entertain. By this time nary man on the spot. both officers, Gregg and Korneay, were on the spot and when they learned that Glover still re- The young people of the town both drew their pistols and leveled officers. was still talking to Grissom and goner, Treasurer: looking to the east. Deputy There was a good attendence of New Mexico. Kornegay was at the left of Sunday, all the young folks are Sheriff Gregg and after leveling urged to be present next Sunday their guns on Glover, Kornegay as there is to be a business meetdecided he could inch up and toting. Glover drew his gun and started join this class. to fire and at this instance both started to run around the south Knapp are doing well.

Charles Glover, who lives some end of the wagon yard bunk

Next morning Glover came to was mortally wounded, his deter-

New Sunday School Class

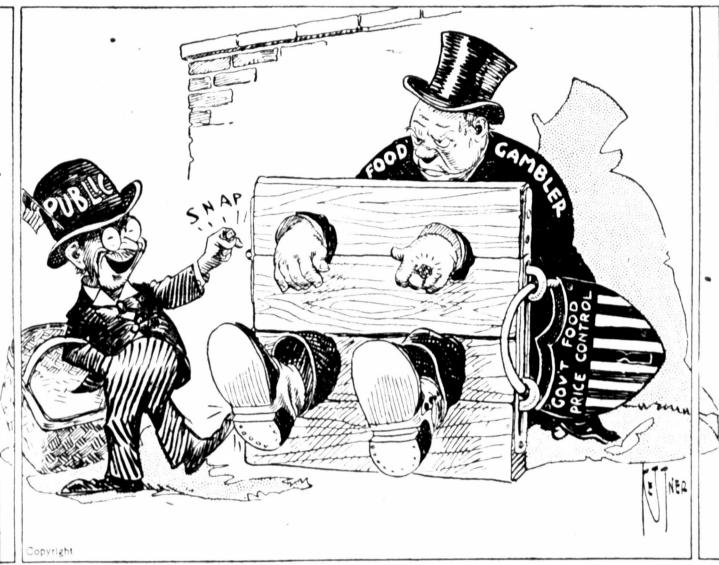
fused to surrender unless Com- have organized a class at the missioner Grissom agreed to turn Baptist Church. On last Friday him loose, the officers had not Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Waggoner forgotten what had happened the entertained the class at their ght before, and at this juncture home and elected the following

Rornegay were facing Glover Carlisle. Vice-President; Miss and looking to the west, Glover Campbell, Secretary; Henry Wag-

Glover and take his gun from The teacher, Miss Kenamore, enough and was in the act of of the City and surrounding com-

effect but did not knock Glover girl to Mr. and Mrs Clyde Knapp. not have suffered death upon the Bell and Miss Reese. The Club Wilcox, and Mrs. H. C. Rogers tion or discharge of the decision down. He then turned and Mrs. Knapp and little Miss cross in vain.

Harmless



Thanksgiving Proclamation

jeopardy than ever before, we pictures.

we also on this annual feast and Prof. W. M. Wilson, Prof. J. der law to every nation and to ico. people upon the earth.

Thursday, November 29th, 1917, Thanksgiving Day in the State

In Witness whereof, I have Mrs. L. R. Hough.

hereunto set my hand and caused By the Governor of the State the Great Seal of the State of W. E. LINDSEY.

(Seal) Secretary of State.

Art Exhibit

There will be an art exhipit at

It is to be hoped that enough seed selection."

was agreed to and Glover allowed be out in a short time, while it is In this crisis year of our nation's tickets will be sold to insure our The details of this bean growthe officers to back off and leave now expected that Glover will history when it appears that the schools of sufficient funds to se- ing campaign are now being commanding officer desires inforlive. While it seemed that Glover destiny of liberty is in greater cure a number of these beautiful worked out by the industraial and mation of the facts of a particu-

> ed with an abundant harvest. Portales and surrounding school the completed program will be investigate the facts of such For this we may give thanks teachers attend the State Teach-ready for early announcement. unto God that He has kept the ers Assocation at Santa Fe which covenant even unto us. May begins, Saturday November, 24th. thanksgiving day fervently be S. Long, Mrs. J. S. Long, Miss tend the blessings of liberty un- Saturday for Santa Fe New Mex-

Joe Howard returned Wednes-Now, therefore, I, W. E. Lind-day from Hobart, Oklahoma, sey, Governor of the State of where he had been looking after

The Woman's Club Meets

even as it is in Heaven out of Reese, who gave an interesting

To Promote Bean Growing

Announcement of a bean grow-New Mexico to be affixed. Done ing campaign in New Mexico for Two: Cases of men inducted into by C. C. Dana, general freight paragraph five hereof.

"The United States Food of the cases adopted hereto.

agricultual agents N. M. Bainer lar case or of the circumstances of Topeka and L L. Johnson of of its hearing he may request the

A. M. HOVE

Notice

seech Him for the grant of such Robinson, Miss Campbell, Sam Portales has been postponed, and circumstances. power and wisdom as shall enable J. Stinnett, J. W. Russell, Tom those who have noticed the Sale Four: Cases mentioned in subus as a people and a nation to ex- Spriggs. These teachers leave Bills posted will disregard them. paragraphs "A" and "B" of some time later.

Portales Potato Peddlers

them on Glover. Gregg and Roy Smith, President; Hubert New Mexico, in accordance with some extensive improvements on from Portales have been in the ing is filed with the Adjutnant the honored custom, do proclaim a large Hotel he owns in Hobart. city this week selling out their General of the State within ten The Woman's Club met with quality and, as a substitute for reopen is granted by the Ad-Particulary on this day ought Mrs. Hawkins Nov. 14th. The Hooverism on bread, are said to jutant General of the State bewe to be seech Almighty God to lesson which was of unsual in- be a most delightful change of fore induction into military ser-

leader at this meeting.

NEW RULES GOV-ERNING RE-OPEN-ING DRAFT CASES

Raising of National Army and Its Training Has Been Hampered By Unrestricted Re-Opening, Provost Marshal General States

The following telegram has been recieved from General Crowder:

Washington, D. C., Nov. 13. Governor of New Mexico. Santa Fe. New Mexico.

Number ten thousand one fiftyone; Reference compiled rulings Number twelve, paragraph "M".

Ample time has now elapsed for the adjustment of the conditions which prompted that ruling. The unrestricted re-opening of cases of men not yet inducted into Military Service is delaying the raising of the Army and the re-opening of cases of men already so inducted is interfering with its training. The following rules will therefore govern re-opening of the cases mentioned in that ruling in the future.

trial Department of the Santa Fe shall not be re-opened after such railway, has just been recieved induction except as provided in

and passenger agent and L. L | Cases of men already inducted Johnson, industrial and agricult- into Military service heretofore ural agent at Amarillo from the re-opened and now in process of

suggestion, the Industrial Depart- as required by the Selective Sermind of the child is influenced bean growing counties of the edits jurisdiction or substantially the agricultural collage and the at any time within seven days provisions of paragraph one three case and the circumstances of its hearing and the Adjutant General of the State shall forthwith call upon the proper board for a The G. C. Smith sale, west of full report of all such facts and

Mr. Smith will hold his sale page six of compiled rulings number twelve which have heretofore been decided may be reopened as herein provided only Several sweet potato farmers when the claim for such reopenproduce from the wagon by retail. days after the date of this tele-These yams are of exceptional gram and where permission to accomplish His kingdom in earth terest was conducted by Mrs. menu. Roswell Evening News. vice. Cases mentioned in that paragraph decided hereafter will the arbitrament of the sword in talk about Russia, the subject for U.D. C. Meet With Mrs. Mears be reopened as therein provided him and undertook to carry out is an exceptionally good bible the world-war now waging. That the day. Mrs. Wilcox told of the On last Tuesday the U. D. C. only where the claim for reopenthis plan. When he was close student and all the young folks in this first world contest between resources and conditions in Si- met at Mrs. T. E. Mears, a pro- ing by either the local or disthe powers of might and dark-beria. Mrs. Hoagland gave a gram was rendered as follows: trict board shall have been filed making a swing for Glover's gun, munity are cordially invited to ness on the one hand and the talk, subject, "Nicolas II". Af- Mrs. Roy Connally, Solo; quar- with the Adjutant General of the powers of right and truth on the ter the Club adjourned a salad tet, Mesdames; M. B. Jones, L. State within seven days after other, right and truth shall tri- course was served by the hostess, R. Hough, Misses: Fannie Wil- receipt of notice by the regisofficers fired, both shots taking Born last Sunday a fine baby umph so that the Son of God shall assisted by Mrs. Brown, Mrs. liamson, Love Owens, Mrs. Jack trant or person claiming exempwill meet November 28th with piano Solo, Mrs. Jack Wilcox was of the local or district board as

"So extremely careful with characters

by their serenade, but—girls especially

have to be very careful. I think as a

rule it is safer to let men show the

tender pity and women the fine dis-

dain. I don't imagine they would come

"Yes." said Mr. Starr, but his eyes

twinkled toward Carol once more;

"ves indeed I think we are well

But Carol looked at Fairy with such

"Carol is a sweet girl," she thought

"I wonder if things will work out for

her just right-to make her as happy

CHAPTER V.

Substitution.

wrapped in unwonted silence. Lark's

The twins came in at dinner-time

"Careful Larkie" cautioned Fairy

'You'll disgrace the parsonage if you

"Nonsense," declared their father

"Lark can speak as well as anybody it

she just keeps a good grip on herself

Connie frowned. "It's a risky busi

"I know it." was the humble admis-

"Don't be a goose, Con," interrupted

She must learn it tearn it

Carol. "Of course Lark can speak a

learn it, so she can rattle it off back

wards with her eyes shut. That's the

whole secret. Of course she car

"How did it happen?" inquired

"I don't know," Lark said sorrow-

fully. "Nothing was ever farther from

my thoughts, I assure you. The first

thing I knew, Mrs. Curtiss was thank-

ing me for my promise, and Carol was

Carol smiled, relieved now that the

family commentary was over. "It was

very natural. Mrs. Curtiss begged her

to do it, and Lark refused. That al-

ways happens, every time the Sunday

school gives an entertainment. But

Mrs. Curtiss went on to say how badly

the Sunday school needs the money.

and how big a drawing card it would

be for both of us twins to be on the

program, one right after the other, and

how well it would look for the par-

sonage, and it never occurred to me to

warn Lark, for I never dreamed of her

"I thought it wouldn't hurt me to try

it once." Lark volunteered in her own

Aunt Grace nodded, with a smile of

"I'm proud of you, Lark, quite proud

"I'm proud of you now, too," Connie

"Oh, pooh!" encouraged Carol. "Any-

body can speak a silly little old piece

like that. And it will look so nice to

have our names right together on the

program. It'll bring out all the high

right," Fairy smiled. "But she'll make

it go, of course. And it will give Carol

a chance to show her cleverness by

So as soon as supper was over. Carol

said decidedly, "Now, Connie, you'll

have to help me with the dishes the

next two weeks, for Lark's got to prac-

tice on that piece. Lark, you must

read it over, very thoughtfully first to

get the meaning. Then just read it

and read it and read it, a dozen times.

a hundred times, over and over and

over. And pretty soon you'll know it."

of you," her father said warmly. "It's

a big thing for you to make such a

said darkly. "The question is, will we

be proud of you after the concert?"

Lark sighed delerously.

doing it."

interested approval.

plunge-just fine."

school folks, sure.'

telling her how to do it.'

marching me off like grim death."

ness," she said. "Lark can't speak any

and doesn't get stage fright."

Aunt Grace smiled gently.

more than a rabbit, and-

as she ought to be. She's so-lovely.

humble, passionate gratitude that tears

cleared of a disagreeable business."

quickly away.

tan countenance.

plending eyes.

complimentary.

don't watch out.

CHAPTER I-The story opens in the house of the Rev. Mr. Starr, where Pru-dence, his oldest daughter, and feminine head of the house, consisting of her fath er, herself, her sister Fairy, the twins— Carol and Lark—and small Connie, are awaiting the arrival of their Aunt Grace. Liveliness of the smaller members of the family results disastrously to their ap-

CHAPTER II—Carol and Lark secure a copy of "Science and Health," and the peace of the quiet Methodist household is

CHAPTER III-Carol's attack of measles disrupts plans for the wedding of Prudence to Jerry Harmer, but her recovery allows the ceremony to proceed, and Prudence leaves the homestead.

CHAPTER IV - Carol's "uplifting" work among the erring has an amusing ending. A bishop and a minister make strange acquaintances.

"Oh, I've just got to go," she said. "It's a joke on Carol. I wouldn't miss It for twenty-five bushels of appleseven as good as these are.'

Her eyes twinkling with delight, she ran home and waited behind the rose bushes until the moment for her appearance seemed at hand. Then she stepped into the room where her outraged sisters were stolcally passing precious and luscious chocolates to tobacco-saturated youths.

"Good evening," she said, "The Averys and I enjoyed the concert, too. I do love to hear music outdoors on still nights like these. Carol, maybe your friends would like a drink. Are there any lemons, auntie? We might have a little lemonade."

Carol writhed helplessly. "I'll make It," she said, and rushed to the kitchen to vent her fury by shaking the very life out of the lemons. But she did not waste time. Her father's twinkles were nearly as bad as Fairy's own-and the bishop!

"I'd wish it would choke 'em if it wouldn't take so long," she muttered passionately, as she hurried in with the pitcher and glasses, ready to serve the "slums" with her own chaste hands

She was just serving the melting tenor when she heard her father's voice in the hall.

"Too late," she said aloud, and with such despair in her voice that Fairy relented and mentally promised to "seher through."

Mr. Starr's eyes twinkled freely when he saw the guests in his home and the gentle bishop's puzzled interest nearly sent them all off into laughter. Fairy had no idea of the young men's names, but she said, quickly, to spare Carol:

"We have been serenaded tonight. doctor-you just missed it. These are the Mount Mark troubadours. You are lucky to get here in time for the lemonade.

But when she saw the bishop glance concernedly from the yellow fingers to the dull eyes and the brown-streaked mouths, her gravity nearly forsook her. The Slaughterers, already dashed to the ground by embarrassment, were entirely routed by the presence of the bishop. With incoherent apologies, they rose to their unsteady feet and in n cloud of breezy odors, made their es-

Mr. Starr laughed a little, Aunt Grace put her arm protectingly about Carol's rigid shoulders, and the bishop said, "Well, well," with gentle inquiry.

"We call them the Slaughter-house quartette," Fairy began cheerfully. "They are the lower strata of Mount



The Bishop Nodded Sympathetically.

Mark, and they make the nights hideous with their choice selection of popular airs. The parsonage is divided about them. Some of us think we should treat them with proud and cold disdain. Some think we should regard them with a tender, gentle, ersmiling pity. And evidently they appreciated the smiles, for they gave us a serenade in return for them. Aunt Grace did not know their history, so she invited them in, thinking they were

just ordinary schoolboys. It is home dission work run aground."

down in the corner to read the "blooming thing," as she muttered crossly to herself.

Conpie and Carol did up the dishes in dreadful silence, and then Carol returned to the charge. "How many times did you read it?"

"Fourteen and a half," was the patient answer. "It's a silly thing, Carol. There's no sense to it. 'The wind went drifting o'er the lea.'"

"Oh, that's not so bad," Carol said helpfully. "I've had pleces with worse lines than that. "The imprint of a dainty foot,' for instance. When you say, 'The wind went drifting o'er the lea,' you must kind of let your voice glide along, very rhythmically, very-"Windily," suggested Connie, who relike those. No doubt they meant well

mained to witness the exhibition.

"You keep still, Constance Starr, or you can get out of here! It's no laughing matter I can tell you, and you have to keep out or I won't help and then-

"I'll keep still. But it ought to be serenading your father and me! You windily, you know, since it's the wind. carried it off beautifully, girls. I am I meant it for a joke," she informed sure your father was proud of you. 1 them. The twins had a very disheartwas myself. I'm glad you are Methodening way of failing to recognize Conists. Not many girls so young could nie's jokes-it took the life out of handle a difficult matter as neatly as

"Now read it aloud, Lark, so I can see if you get the proper expression. Carol continued when Connie was utterly subdued

Lark obediently but unhappily read the quaint poem aloud and Carol said it was very good. "You must read it came to Fairy's eyes and she turned aloud often, very often. That'll give you a better idea of the accent. Now put it away, and don't look at it agair tonight. If you keep it up too long ous, if you know what that means." you'll get so dead sick of it you can't speak it at all."

By the evening of the Sunday-school concert-they were concerting for the sake of a hundred-dollar subscription to church repairs-Lark had mastered minds of the parsonage were nearly at peace. She still felt a deep resentment tially counter-balanced by the satis faction of seeing her name in print, directly beneath Carol's on the program Miss Carol Starr

whole family took a proper interest ir

perintended Lark's dressing with ma broke forth, when they walked sedateternal care. "You look all right," she ly out and took their seats along the Lark. It's so silly. Remember tha custom which has long been discarded you can talk a blue streak to any o' graduating classes. them There's no use-'

whole houseful at once," Lark pro ary at such affairs, and nicely punctutested. "It makes me have such n- ated with hand clappings. When the hollow feeling--to see so many white superintendent rend, "Recitation-Miss

"Stop that," came the stern comyou do, and I can prompt you from be proud young head in response to the hind without anyone noticing it. Bu applause. Then her voice rang out, you won't forget." She kissed her and the room was hushed. Nobody ever "You'll do fine, Larkie, just as fine a: worried when Carol spoke a piece. you look, and it couldn't be better that Things always went all right. And

wants to know if you are getting stage fright, Lark? My, you do look nice done Now, for goodness' sake, Lark, remein ber the parsonage, and don't make i scared."

father from the doorway. "Never say passionately, gripping her twin's hand die, my girl. Why, Lark, I never sav closely, "you are not, you're all right." you look so sweet. You have your hat fixed a new way, haven't you?"

"It does look nice, doesn't it? I'm no lears were ringing. "I-can't," she mutscared, father, not a bit-yet! Bu fered thickly, "I'm sick." there's a hollow feeling- Have the

Jim's late. I do get sore at Jim-I' Lark grew more pale. forty times rather go with him that Hartley-but he always puts off ask ing us until the last minute and then) have a date and you get him. I be whispered again. "I can't." lieve he does it on purpose. Come or

face with gratified delight, and kissec easy enough. Go on, Lark. You must."

a wretched business, having a parson Carol. "Think of Prudence. Think of age full of daughters. Just as soon as papa. Look, there he is, right down



"Are You Scared, Lark?"

"I'll bet I don't," was the discourag- hey reach the age of beauty, grace the end of the piece.

"You've got me, father." said Connie consolingly.

"And me-when Babbie's in Chicago," added Fairy.

"Yes, that's some help. Connie, be an old maid. Do! I implore you." "Oh, Connie's got a beau already." said Carol. "It's the fat Allen boy. They don't have dates yet, but they've got an awful case on. He's going to make their living by traveling with a show. You'll have to put up with auntie -she's beyond the beauing stage!"

"Suits me," he said contentedly, "I am getting more than my deserts. Come on, Grace, we'll start." "So will we. Connie." said Fairy.

But the boys came, both together, and the family group set out together. Carol and Hartley-one of her highschool admirers-led off by running a emptory order, and Lark arose from race down the parsonage walk. And her chair, stepped out before the as-Lark, old, worn and grave, brought up tonished audience and made a slow the rear with Jim Forrest. Jim was and graceful bow. But Ames was not far from home, and Carol caught Larkin's hand in hers. he was still frequently on hand to and together they stepped out once squire the twins when squires were in bore, laughing and bowing right and

in their favor.

"Are you scared, Lark?" he asked her as they walked slowly down the street toward the church.

"I'm not scared. Jim." she answered solemnly, "but I'm perfectly cavern-

"I sure do know," he said fervently, "didn't I have to do a speech at the commencement exercises? There never was a completer cavern than I was that night. But I can't figure out why folks agree to do such things when her recitation so perfectly that the they don't have to. I had to. It was compulsory.

Lark gazed at him with limpid troutoward the situation, but this was par bled eyes. "I can't figure out, either, I don't know why I did. It was a mis-

At the church, which was gratifyingly crowded with Sunday school enthu-Miss Lark Starr stasts, the twins forsook their friends It looked very well indeed, and the and slipped along the side aisle to the "dressing room"-commonly utilized it. No one gave Carol's recitation , as the storeroom for worn-out song second thought. She always recited books, Bibles and lesson sheets. There econd thought. She always recited they sat in throbbing, quivering silence and did it easily and well. It was quite they sat in throbbing, quivering silence the and did it easily and well. It was quite they sat in throbbing, quivering silence said, "just fine. Now don't get scared side of the platform—an antediluvian you know all those people by heart by everything but Sunday schools and

The program went along smoothly. "But I can't talk a blue streak to the with no more stumbles than is custom-Carol Starr," the applause was enthustastic, for Carol was a prime favorite "You don't want to get cole in church and school and town. With N. M.: Grover C. Grant. tripped to the front of the platform back to her place she walked, her face Just then Connie ran in. "Fair, flushed, her heart swelling high with the gratification of a good deed well

"Carol," Lark whispered. "I-I'm

Instantly the triumph left Carol's Lark trembled more violently. Her head swayed a little. Bright flashes

Carol leaned close to her and began a violent train of conversation, for the "No, but they'll be here in a minute purpose of distracting her attention.

> "Recitation-Miss Lark Starr." Again the applause rang out.

Lark did not move. "I can't," she

"Lark, Lark," begged Carol desperately. "You must go, you must. "The And Grace looked at the pale sweet wind went drifting o'er the lea,'-it's Lark shook her head. "Mmmmm,"

> she murmured indistinctly. "Remember the parsonage," begged there. He's expecting you, Lark. You

Lark tried to rise. She could not. She could not see her father's clear enournging face for those queer flashes

"You can," whispered Carol. "You can do anything, if you try. Prudence

People were craning their necks, and peering curiously up to the second row where the twins sat side by side. The other performers nudged one another, smiling significantly.

"I can't," Lark whispered, "I'm sick." "Lark-Lark," called the superin-

Carol sighed bitterly. Evidently it was up to her. With a grim face, she rose from her chair and started out on the platform. The superintendent stared at her, his lips parting. The people stared at her too, and smiled, and then laughed. Panic-stricken, her eyes sought her father's face. He nodded quickly, and his eyes approved. "Good!" His lips formed the word, and Carol did not falter again. The

applause was nearly drowned with laughter as Carol advanced for her second recitation. "The wind went drifting o'er the lea," she began-her voice drifting

properly on the words-and so on to

that fear prevented her appearance, and understood that Carol had come to her twin's rescue for the reputation of the parsonage. The applause was deafening as she went back. It grew louder as she sat down with a comforting little grin at Lark. Then as the clapping continued, something of her natural impishness entered her

"Lark," she whispered, "go out and

make a bow." "Mercy!" gasped Lark. "I didn't do anything.'

"It was supposed to be you-go on Lark! Hurry! You've got to! Think what a joke it will be.'

Lark hesitated, but Carol's dominance was compelling. "Do as I tell you," came the per-

a favorite attendant of the twins. He This time the applause ran riot, for had been graduated from high school people of less experience than those of Portales, - - New Mexico the year previous, and was finishing Mount Mark could tell that the twins off at the agricultural college in Ames. Were playing game. As it continued

For this broad-minded devotion the Lark was the last one in that night twins gave him a deep-seated gratitude for she and Jim celebrated her defeat and affection and he always stood high with two ice cream sodas apiece at the corner drug store.

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Notice for Publication

Non coal 010460 Department of the Interior, U. S. land office a Ft. Sumner, N. M., October 30, 1917. Notice is hereby given that Hermann Pieper, Texico, N. M., Route 3, who on Dec. 6, 1912, made homestead entry No. 010460 for east half section 10, township 1 south, range 36 east N. M. P. meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described before James A. Hall, U. S. commis-sioner, at Portales, N. M., on the 5th day of Decem-

Robert N. L. Clark, all of Texico, N. M., Route 52-4

A. J. Evans, Register.

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office at Ft, Sumner, New Mexico, Nov. 7, 1917. Notice is hereby given that John Boggs, of Redland, New Mexico, who, on March 11, 1911, made homestead entry. No. 09434, for west half section 15, township 5 south, range 37 east, N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James A. Hall, U.S. Commis-sioner at Portales, N. M., on the 21st day of

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Department of the Interior, U.S. land office a Sumner. N. M., November 1 t. Sumner. N. M., November 15, 1917. Notice is hereby given that Tobe Grant, of Inez N. M., who on December 28, 1410, made homesta entry No. 09168, for northeast quarter section 17 township 4 south, range 37 east, New Mexico prin cipal meridian, has filed not ce of intention t make Final Five 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 27th day of December, 1917

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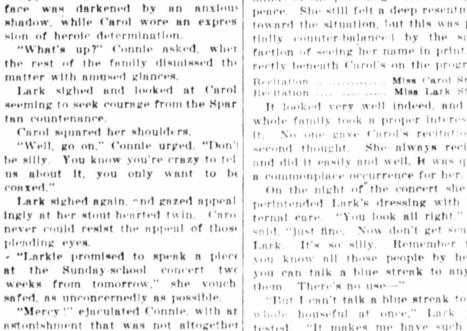
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Peronne, Bapaume, Lens, St. Quentin and other French towns in the path of the war, were noted for their many works of ancient art, and many of the most valued art treasures of France were in those cities. Wonder has been expressed as to what has become of these, and the question is answered in stray copy of which has somehow reached American hands.

Most of the art objects could never be replaced, especially those in St. Quentin, where some of the most beautiful buildings were destroyed. But it seems that the Germans decided to save these art treasures and a long account is given in the magazine of the efforts made, even under fire, to pack and carry away a famous collection of Rio Arriba. pastels, numerous paintings of value and the wonderful painted glass of the Gothic cathedral. The question of Taos county. housing these treasures was solved by tearing down buildings and from the material erecting a museum in which

the articles were put on display. There is a description of many of the historic productions and a general sense of satisfaction expressed that esthetic life of Germany, where, it was planned, they would eventually be tak- \$200,000.00. made that the museum is opened both to the military and the French public. recreation of the army, so that after an opportunity to refresh themselves. together by the artistic instincts of of flowing water. German barbarians."

and proofs of barbarity are not met. Art products may be destroyed, but the proofs of barbaric deeds will stand.

-Indianapolis Star.

Advance is still being made in providing safety for automobilists. A Los. Angeles mult driver has been compelled to put tail lights on his mules.

NEW MEXICO STATE NEWS

COMING EVENTS.

ov. 24-29 — Meeting New Mexico Teachers' Association at Santa Fé. Zuni Indians Shakalo dance

a magazine published in Germany, a | March, 1918-Wool Growers' convention at Roswell Alamogordo voted bonds to erect a

new school building. The mining camp of Tyrone now

has a Masonic lodge A very cold dry fall and winter is

the prediction of the Indians. Semi-official returns placed a single county in the "wet" column. It is

Diphtheria and typhoid fever are reported to the board of health from

Governor Lindsey issued a proclamation designating Nov. 11 as Y. M. C. A. war work Sunday.

District Judge Reed Holloman issued a temporary restraining order closing up the saloon at Glorieta.

Incorporation papers were filed by German culture had added them to the Drovers' Chattel Loan Company of Missouri. The capitalization is

> Manuel Delgado, aged 83 years, & life-long resident of Las Vegas, died at the home of his niece, Mrs. Mar-

> Steps have been taken by the county authorities to close the saloon recently established near the Santa Fe depot at Glorieta.

The Twin Butte Oil and Gas Com-It is said, "and they have been brought at the depth of 900 feet a large stream

This reference to barbarians is, of exclusive of the net output of mines panies is \$342 088 683 10

> That the crops raised under the Elephant Butte dam this year exceeded \$4,000,000 in value is the assertion of L. M. Lawson, the project manager.

District Judge Reed Holloman appointed Col. R. E. Twitchell receiver of the New Mexico Fuel & Iron Company, vice Charles S. Easley, deceased.

It cost Louis Savio and Guy Pane, of Dawson, \$128 each for killing two does in the mountains recently, when they were tried before a justice of the

The enthusiasm at Artesia regardng development of a big oil field died down when it became known that the big flow of oil from the Brown well

prohibition has been adopted in New New Mexico opened a special session Mexico, the price of liquors will be in the federal court room in Albuquer increased during the remaining que that probably will continue into months that it may be sold.

Sheriff Rafael Garcia and Policeman Jujan returned to Albuquerque from Las Vegas with the three men and two women arrested in connection with the Guevara shooting.

appointed by Gov. W. E. Lindsey to succeed Miguel Chaves, resigned, upon the commission to select a silver service for the battleship New the Socorro Mining and Milling Com

in the celebrated Armour case, Anonio Sandoval y Griego, aged about 50 years, was shot down, it is alleged, in cold blood, at the home of Mrs Tabor at Glorieta.

the diocese of El Paso.

was apprised by telegraph of the francs at this writing! I have seen shooting to death of J. E. Schrimsher, him pay ten francs for a five-cent packchief deputy sheriff at Hachita.

City, has announced his candidacy for tobacco. the democratic nomination for govern-

Sam Eckles, now a li utenant in the medical reserve corps, United ers of boys in his company. They States Army, left Silver City for New York City, where he was ordered to report for a special course of training in the X-ray School at Cornell University, after which he expects to be sent to one of the base hospitals in

the Yese creek, R. E. McKenzie has a syery night.

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herd which has now reached 49 in number, counting calves of this year It is the general belief that since The United States District Court for

The fourth contingent of selective draft men from Camp Dodge, Iowa, arrived at Deming and went into camp rived on a special train, followed by Historian Benjamin M. Read was another train carrying 500 men. This increases the total number of men to

After a visit to the properties of pany at Mogollon, the plant of which The discoverer of the corpus delicti | company recently was almost totally destroyed by fire, causing a loss of \$250,000, officers of the company de cided to have the plant rebuilt

Write to Sammles.

It's pathetic to see the eagerness Rev. J. B. Guerovich, assistant pas with which the doughboys wait for lettor at the church of Nuestra Senora, ters from home, writes a war corre-Belen, has been appointed chaplain of spondent from France. One would San Miguel's college, succeeding Rev. cheerfully trade a package of tobacco A. Franay, who goes as chancellor to for a single sheet of paper with an American postmark-and he would not The Grant county sheriff's office sell a package of tobacco for five age, but that was because a submarine sank the boat bringing his supply and Charles M. Shannon, thirty years he happened to be short temporarily. ago a resident of Santa Fe when he To all those girls who are adopting was internal revenue collector, and soldiers, I would suggest two letters before that a mining man at Silver a week, and regular contributions of

Captain Hull drew 44 letters. Six were from his wife, one from his fiveyear-old son, and 37 were from mothwanted to know why Jimmie didn't write; and would the captain please take good care of him and see that he didn't get his feet wet? And was the food all right? because Jimmy had been raised a pet. They know how busy the captain must be with so many to look after, but if he would only watch New Mexico has a growing herd of over Jimmy a mother's prayers would buffalo. Over in DeBaca county, on go up to the Heavenly Father for him

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But the type is passing, if not in America, certainly happier. in England. But as long as we have Woodrow Wilson and men of his equal, if there be such, at the front in American affairs we shall have the two combined men who are lean flag. devoted to letters and to statemanship in his own way, has shown himself to be a great executive.



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The Shooting Affray At Elida

This should be another warning to the German-Socialiastic-I. W. W.-propoganda, that their advise and behind the corner closed door planning will ultimately get them and other people into trouble. It is believed that is the real cause of Glover's resistance, too much German-Socialistic-I. W. W. advise caused him to be disabled for life, even if he recovers. An officer, doing his sworn duty, is also esque. wounded and perhaps disabled for life. When will we have an end to this Hellish disposition from people who claim this right of freedom under a government that extends more real freedom to its people, "than any other government under the sun." Still we have people among us who are sharing this freedom, and benefitting, financially and otherwise, who, while not always openly, are giving aid and advise to this element of people. Why not be real free born. Americans? Stand by the Government, begins to look as if the chicken owner give aid and advise to this class of people to stand by the will either have to keep his chickens at Government. The Government is standing by you and by them against Hohenzollernism, Kaiserism, despotism, the very Government that is now giving its all in men power and money power to maintain a government that is of men to participate in the war. This really free and worth living under.

The American Eagle is now on the

The man with the hoe is going to win

They also serve who only do their est at gardening.

We have got to win this war by fighting, not shirking.

Money will buy ammunition, but it takes men to raise crops.

account of yourself, do it.

When ordered to halt and give an

Meanwhile the less the world drinks the more it will have to eat.

Europe's big problem after the war will be what to do with her ex-kings.

The most impressive costume on the street is the uniform of our country. Mothers who "didn't raise their boys

to be soldiers" should put them in pet-Summer boarders may be expected

to handle a hoe instead of a croquet By changing a vacant lot into a gar-

den lot you will make your own lot

The surest way to discover a man who can lick you is to insult the Amer-

If America feets the need for food substitutes, there are artichokes and

Why peel potatoes? The best potato is the baked potato and the best part of it is the skin.

About time for the sultan of Sulu to declare war against Germany. Everybody else is in.

He also serves who only stands and walts while cabbages and potatoes are growing in his back yard.

This sudden rush for wooden ships may resurrect that creation of a few venrs ago, the concrete ship.

The man who marries to dodge mill-

tary service may find he has jumped from the frying pan into the fire. One means of getting in the way

just now is to try to start a discussion shout the political campaign of 1920. Baseball heroes might do well to ch-

narry him. There still exists such a are satisfied.

This secrecy on the part of the war | the side of the oppressed. God under and navy departments is nothing short. takes for his own, and sooner or later

mateur strategists. It begins to look now as though it suffer loss; those who have done good von't be long before the only place shall be rewarded. there kings will hold their tobs will

England has learned to admire and pprove of that "spirit of '76" which nice occasioned considerable disap-

pointment to her government. Nor is the widely celebrated beauty of Paris one bit marred by the addition of those Merican flags that are

The British now claim they hold he supremacy of the air. If they enlly have this hold they will cling

ow so numerously flying there

it with the traditional bulldog grip. Boastful China has traced the use of tone gongs back to the time of Confuclus, but that only places her a few housand years ahead of the United

States senate.

Anybody who has a genuine hankerng to experience some trench sensaions can get what they need for their -vstems by acting suspiciously around

places under military guard.

angazine says overalls should be worn y women for outdoor life this summer This will discourage the garden busiless, overalls being far from pictur-

Yale, Harvard, Princeton, Columbia and Cornell have discontinued sports until after the war, although decision as to golf is in doubt. Evidently they

and some standing in the great chick-

Britain have replaced men as workers in the trades, releasing that number foreshadows what would take place in the United States in case of need.

INTERNATIONAL

LESSON FOR NOVEMBER 25

A PSALM OF THANKSGIVING.

LESSON TEXT-Psalms 103. GOLDEN TEXT-Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits.-Ps.

This Psalm is man's response to the goodness and mercy of God. It expresses the joy and gratitude of a forgiven sinner as he worships before God. There is too much in this Psalm for one to attempt to set it forth, so we must be content to display some of its most prominent notes.

God's Praise, v. 1. The true worship-upon man but upon God. per praises God with every faculty of his being; his intellect, emotion, desires, affections all unite in praising Jehovah. The entire being responds in God's attributes we must be God's in a song of harmonious praise. Some children. His mercies are restrictive, praise God with their voices but not with their hearts; some with their in-

II. The Benefits Granted, vv. 2-6. The Psalmist exhorts man not to forget all God's benefits. This seems to be needed now as well as then, for most of us -Max Muller. are better at remembering our troubles and adversities, our losses and our sorrows, than we are at remembering our mercles and blessings. It would be a good thing for some of us to keep a record of the good things of life and see that, after all, our blessings outweigh our burdens. We have more days of sunshine than of clouds, more joys than we have of sorrows, more hours when we are free from pain than we suffer with pain. If God were as forgetful of us as we are of Him life would be nard indeed.

(1) Forgiveness of sins. v. 3. In forgiveness we are freed from the curse of sin and its blight and burdens are removed. We are not only forgiven, but we are healed of sin's disease! not only freed from the burdens of sin but of its effects, so that we do not go after the things of this world. To be saved for heaven means that we are saved from the world.

list and see how many of their wor- (2) Redemption, v. 4. We have shipers would follow them into the been saved by Christ giving Himself

putting another strain on absentee our that the good things which he andlordism as applied to American gets from God satisfy him. His bless tion in God. Men and women of the The man who owns any land at all - world are reaching out after fleeting ils year owes it to his country to things. They are ever grasping after nake it produce as large a crop as something, but are never satisfied. No An eastern man has left \$50,000 to which God gives him. Worldings may he girl who repeatedly refused to be satisted, but God's redeemed slone

> (4) Executing judgment in behalf of the oppressed, v. 6. He is always on He will mete out justice to all. There is a reckening day for the world com ing. Those who have done evil shall

III. Attributes of God for Which He Should Be Praised, vv. 7-18. These attributes have been displayed in God's dealings with his chosen people.

(1) Merciful and gracious, v. 8. He is slow to anger and plenteous in mercy. An example of his mercy is seen

in the father of the prodigal son running to meet his son and kissing him. A very little thought will make very evident how God withholds his anger and waits patiently for an opportunity to extend his mercy.

(2) He will not always "chide," vv. 8-12. When God forgives he forgives forever. Men say they forgive, but how often they "chide" and "keep anger." God has not dealt with us ac ording to our sins, for, as the heav ens are high above the earth, so grea s his mercy toward them that the fear him. So really has God forgives us that our transgressions are as f: removed from us as the East is from the West, an incalculable distance.

(3) He is compassionate and tender vv. 13-14. This reveals God's father! heart. He fully knows our weakness He does not deal with us as though w were strong. He knows how weak and fallible we are through the fail. It i consoling to know that God consider our "frame"; He knows that we are

(4) His mercy is everlasting, eternal. vv. 15-17. Man is at best transitory. but God is eternal. The one who rests his hopes in God is eternally safe. I. Man's Entire Being Should Sing This should encourage us to lean not (5) God is gracious to those who are

in covenant relationship, v. 18. If we would enjoy these blessings revealed

only bestowed upon his own children. IV. A Call to All the Universe to tellect but not with their affections; Praise the Lord, vv. 19-22. Since God some with their emotions but not with is such a wonderful Being. He should their wills. That praise which involves have universal praise. His kingdom is the entire being alone is pleasing to over all; his Lordship should have

> The true conquerors are often those whom the world calls the vanquished.

MAJ. GEN. F. S. STRONG



Among the recently appointed major generals is Frederick S. Strong, who was born in Michigan in 1855, graduated from the Military academy in 1876, and became a brigadier general In 1915. He has been in the artillery branch of the service.

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artillery

By George Bingham

Association has called a meeting oner and the doctor to help him prescribed in sections twenty- Aint much chance to git kilt on part. Address E. S. Anderson, 212 A. larson, 4435 S. Hoover, Los Angeles, Calfor next Saturday night, at fix up his will this week. It ap- five, forty-one, and forty-five of after you learn to ride one, you which time steps will be taken pears from the instrument that the regulations and where per- goes so high dat de guns cain't to raise a fund to buy some extra if his wife marries after he dies mission to re open is granted by reach you. chairs for the postoffice. The she does not get any of his pro- the Adjutant General of the Second Darky: Hold on dere, winter rush of all day visitors at perty, but that if she marries be-State before induction into mili-brudder; you ain't talkin' to me' the postoffice is now coming on, fore he dies she gets all she asks. tary service. Such cases may I knows zactly how dat thing's and with extra chairs on hand a during the winter.

politics, having operated a lem- and the outside world. onade stand at the candidates' speaking in the Calf Ribs neighborhood recently.

not on it.

Cricket Hicks sat out in the sun the other day and after watching a drove of ants at work for awhile, got up and went out to look for himself a job.

been too cheap all along.

If some candidate would have it in his platform that he was against everything he would have a following.

Sidney Hocks was tried for a disturbance of the peace at Bounding Billows, Tuesday morning. By a careful selection of a jury to try the case Sidney was found to be not guilty.

fast.

The Hogwallow Improvement Isaac Hellwanger had the cor-

great many more persons could ting in the doorway at the post- district boards unless permission three miles, an' th'a dog-gone be encouraged to locate there office for the past several days, to re-open them is granted by the contrapshun-hit stops. An' de Slim Pickens has entered tween the interior of the office herein provided and such per-wit', he say: "Hey nigger; git

Columbus Allsop has a good dog to trade for something else useful. This will cut his number A person can live in hopes but down to seven, but he says he has to do it, as he is afraid he could not make a good living for all of them this winter, and at the same time look after his family as is required by law.

Washington Hocks has got time limite. The Postmaster cannot get back from a prospecting tour Seven: The number of appeals the Cosy, Tuesday November 27th.

The Hogwallow Postmaster Cricket Hicks, who recently says the government did the took two boxes of pills sent hime right thing in raising the price of by a large factory in the east, postage stamps; that they have has ben asked for a photograph of himself. It will appear in an almanac to be issued by the company, and Cricket has ordered several exra copies.

The Dog Hill preacher is becoming very popular with even those outside of his congregation, and had company for dinner Sunday. Among those present were; Washwife and seven children; Tobe-Msoeley and family, Cricket Yam Sims is back from the Hicks, Yam Sims, Raz Barlow, circus at Tickville. The parade Atlas Peck, the Wild Onion school was nearly a mile long, as the teacher, Luke Mathewsla, wifecamel did not feel like walking and eleven children; the Deputy Constable, Jeff Potlocks and five The Depity Constable says a hounds and the excelsior Fiddling lot of the law-breakers look so Band. The dinner was an innice he thinks they are somebody formal affair, none of the guests having been invited.

BILLION DOLLARS LOST

One-half of the manure proman, assistant secretary of agriculture. When this loss is figured on the same price basis as commercial fertilizing materials it amounts to approximately one billion dollars annually

Getting Too Far.

"Of course you believe in evolution." "Yes. Sometimes I think we've carried it too far. Primitive man was satisfied with what fighting he could do with a rock or a bludgeon.'

Superstitious.

"Willie, I see crumbs. You've been at those cookies." "Well, ma, I was counting 'em and I found there was thirteen, so I just

A Chance.

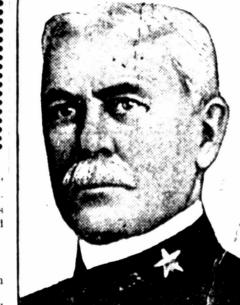
ate one to change the luck."

nobody in today but his wife and a bill collector.

get a good meal and I'd pay for it. Johnson-Did he get it?

and three cigars.

BRIG. GEN. F. J. KERNAN



Brig. Gen. Francis J. Kernan is now ssistant chief of staff

Poet-Would the editor be pleased USE FOR UITILLABLE LANDS

Office Boy-He might. There's been Rough Spots Often Can Be Made Profitable as Pastures—Use Other

Blackton-A poor fellow came to me farms of any extent rough, untillable this morning and said he was starving. lands that cannot be used to advan-I sent him to a restaurant, told him to tage in crop production and that could be used profitably for grazing purposes, but the idea that this class of Blackton-Yes-six glasses of beer land only should be used for pastures is not correct.

NEW RULES GOV-ERNING RE-OPEN-ING DRAFT CASES

(Continued from Page One)

Luke Mathewsla has been sit- not be re-opened by the local or gwine to be. You goes up 'bout and has stopped all traffic be- Adjutant General of the state as white man what you is riding mission shall not be granted un- out an' crank up;" No, sur; I less the claims are filed within don't need no flying in mine. Ex the time limits here in prescribed.

> Five: Cases mentioned in subparagraph "A" page seven of compiled rulings number twelve may be re-opened as provided

> Six: Please inform all concerned and give the publicity necessary to put all on notice of the

and come throug the mail. bountiful crop of autumn leaves. appeals pending before district everal days attending busines. New Mexico. boards. We have found already that the President's urgent, call upon lawyers to assist the selective service system is producing general and enthusiastic response from men of the legal profession and we have taken advantage of it here by using volunteer lawyers to analyze the records in appealed cases and to make a very short summary and recommendation upon which those charged with the decision on appeal can function properly. This suggests a ington Hocks, Ellick Hellwanger, way to clean up all the appeals pending before district boards very swiftly. If you will call upon men of the legal profession to offer their services to district boards and suggest to district boards that the services be utulized along the lines here suggested, the district boards will be greatly aided by these summaries and I believe that they can clean up their districts with-

> in a very few days. This same method can be used at State headquaters to dispose of the congestion of requests to reopen cases."

> > Yours truly. R. C. REID.

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Miss Irene Smith left this week chain mares, colls fillies and young gelding most of the postal cards that go Creek bottoms and reports a there must be a great number of for Roswell where she will be for horses. See W. M. Battenfield, Portales

600D business, agency contract for sellbargain and transfer contract. See J. D. Cyphers, four miles south of Portales. 1-3tp

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NEWS REVIEW OF

Kerensky and His Government Overthrown by Maximalists Led by Lenine.

PRO-GERMANS RULE IN RUSSIA

Immediate Peace First on Their Program-Retreat of Italians Continues-British Take Highly Important Passchendaele Ridge-America's War Mission to Paris.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD.

Kerensky and the provisional government of Russia have fallen; the Maximalists led by Nikolai Lenine, pro-German agitator, are in the saddle; the premier has fled and five or more of the members of his cabinet are under arrest; immediate peace with the central powers will be offered by the extreme radicals in control. Such is the dispiriting news that comes from the Slav republic, so called. Chaos exists there and a long continued reign of anarchy is the pros-

The only hopeful feature of the mituation is that, as Ambassador Bakhmeteff says, the revolt is a revolt of the few against the many. The Maximalists control Petrograd and probably the fortress of Kronstadt, but tley have all Russia to reckon with. and especially the Cossacks, who have no sympathy with the plan to make a meparate peace with the central powers. M. Bakhmeteff feels sure that the majority of the Russians who followed Kerensky are with the provisional government heart and soul, understand that Russia's freedom can be assured only by the defeat of Germany by the allies, and will fight to the end. The spirit prevailing in Petrograd, he asserts, is not representative of the Russian spirit as a whole

Loyal Women Fight the Rebels. Of all the armed forces in and about the capital it appears that the woman's battalion alone remained loyal to the government. It was stationed at the winter palace and when that building was attacked by the cruiser Aurora and the guns of the fortress of Bt. Peter and St. Paul, it fought as bravely as possible until overwhelmed and compelled to surrender. The battle lasted four hours and was spectacular. The rebels brought up armored cars to aid in overcoming the resistance of the heroic women. There was no chance to call other loyal troops to Petrograd, for the leaders of the workmen's and soldiers' delegates had seized the posts and telegraphs.

The rebel congress was convened Wednesday night, the officers elected Including Lenine and Leon Trotzky. Beveral proclamations were issued, one of them stating the program of the new authority to be:

"First-The offer of an immediate

democratic peace. "Second-The immediate handing

over of large proprietorial lands to the peasants. "Third-The transmission of all au-

thority to the council of soldiers' and workmen's delegates. "Fourth-The honest convocation of

constitutional assembly." It is believed in London that Kerensky will re-establish the provisional government in Moscow and that the Soviet will not be strong enough to hold out long against him. For the present, however, the pro-Germans

have the upper hand.

Italians Retreat to the Livenza. As had been expected. Count Co. dorna did not attempt to make a long stand on the Tagliamento river line against the on-sweeping Austro-German armies, but fell back last week to the Livenza, twelve to eighteen miles west. The enemy followed closely, and the prospect was that the Italtens would speedily be forced back to the Plave, where their main armies already were being established. Com

zone of military operations all territory north and east of the Po and Mincio rivers, so he may consider the THE PAST WEEK possibility of carrying his retreat much farther than the Piave. Wheth-

can capture Venice. The German com- remote. manders already have hinted that they will attack that city from the air, and naval operations against it are more than possible in the immediate future. As was said before, the invasion all factions in Italy, and the govern-Hy of the situation, is confident that the enemy will fall to accomplish their military object as they have their political object. The Italian armies are maintaining order and discipline and are cheerful, and the rear guards are fighting valiantly to retard the advance of the Teutons.

As in Russia, formerly, so in Italy, the farther the invaders penetrate, the more dangerous becomes their own potheir bases of supply, and must rebuild the lines of communication destroyed by the Italians in their retreat. Cadorna, on the other hand, gains the protection of rivers larger than the Tagliamento, of many canals and of numerous railroads that are able to furnish all the transportation his contracted front needs.

British Gain Passchendaele Ridge.

Str Douglas Haig's periodical drive in Flanders, which is becoming a regular weekly feature, accomplished most important results last week, when the Canadians succeeded in taking the village of Passchendaele and the ridge of the same name which dominates the country to the east. The drive was made under most adverse conditions, the ground being flooded by torrential rains, but the British barrage fire was perfect and the infantry followed it so closely that the Germans in their concrete dugouts and pill boxes were stormed before they had time to get into action. This advance brought Roulers under the guns of the British, and their aviators also began bombing that town with deadly effect.

Following up the retiring crown prince's army north of the Aisne, the French reached the south bank of the Allette, but the Germans maintained their line on the other side of that stream by heavy and continuous artillery fire. Elsewhere on the French front all enemy attacks were successfully repulsed.

General Allenby reported that his troops in Palestine advanced beyond Beersheba with splendid dash and endurance and that on Wednesday be captured Gaza from the Turks.

American Patrol Boat Torpedoed.

The German U-boats found one American victim in the patrol boat Alcedo, which was torpedoed and sunk in British waters, going down in four minutes after being struck. Lieut. John T. Melvin and 20 men were lost. The Alcedo was formerly the private vacht of G. W. Childs Drexel of Philadelphia. She carried a crew of seven officers and 85 men. The American merchant steamship Rochester also was destroyed by a torpedo, at least four men losing their lives. An American freighter arriving at an Atlantic port reported that her gun crew sank a German submersible that attempted to torpedo her in the Mediterranean.

In general, the U-boats had a poor week, the British admiralty report showing that only eight British vessels of more than 1,600 tons had been sunk, and four smaller vessels. This is the smallest number of victims for any week since unrestricted submarine

Von Hertling May Not Last.

Count von Hertling isn't likely to be German chancellor for very long. for unless he yields to the demands of the radicals, they intend to introduce a resolution of lack of confidence as soon as the reichstag reconvenes on November 22. The count seems to have fallen under complete control of the militarists and junkers and is now for a long conflict

Gorna issued an order including in the threatening the radicals with a millitary dictatorship unless they drop their claim that one of their number should be appointed vice chancellor. The reichstag majority, with which the much farther than the Piave. Wheth count solemnly announced the other er this will be necessary evidently de- day he would now work in harmony. pends on the speed with which France, is in danger of breaking up, with the Great Britain and America can get result of a union of the national libermen, guns and supplies to the Italian als and the conservatives. Such a front. Guns and supplies especially coalition would have a bare majority and would be subjected to constant at-The victory of the Germans in Italy tack by the Socialists. The prospect will be far from complete unless they of a political truce, it is admitted, is

The Budapest papers announce that the Austro-Hungarian ausgleich, or unite under one emperor though having separate parliaments, will be reserved to bring about a swift union of newed provisionally for two years. The alliance, originally signed in 1867, ment, while realizing the extreme grav- is supposed to be subject to renewal every ten vears

Japan and America Agree.

Viscount Ishii's mission to the United States has been successful and Japan is guaranteed her price for more active participation in the war. The American government has agreed to recognize Japan's special interests in China and to permit the shipment to Japan of the supplies of iron and steel that she needs. In return Japan will furnish a great amount of tonnage for transport purposes, will get into action her warships numbering about a hundred and already mobilized, and probably will send an army to Europe. Italy is asking that Japanese troops be called over to help repel the invading

Though Japan's special interests in China are to be recognized because of ontiguity, both nations agree to maintain the open door and the territorial sovereignty of China.

Socialists Lose in Elections.

Emperor William met a notable de feat in the United States last Tuesday when in Chicago and New York the Socialists were thoroughly whipped at the polls. Supporting the Socialist nominees for judges in Chicago and for mayor and other city officials in New York, were all the forces of pro-Germanism, pacificism and disloyalty. and though they cast a disgracefully large vote, the defeat administered to

These elections were looked upon. and rightly, as a test of the loyalty of the two largest cities in the country. Most of the Socialist candidates were openly anti-war men and some of them in their pre-election utterances came dangerously near the treason mark. Hence the victory of lovalty and patriotism is cause for genuine rejoic-

John F. Hylan, Tammany Democrat. was elected mayor of New York and the state gave a large majority in favor of woman suffrage. In Ohio, however, the women lost.

House Heads U. S. War Mission. Upon their arrival in a British port the administration announced the names of the members of the American war commission sent to take part in the great conference of the allies in Paris. Col. E. M. House is the chairman and spokesman for the president on questions concerning the general conduct of the war. The other members are Admiral W. S. Benson, chief of naval operations; Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, chief of staff; Oscar T. Crosby. *ssistant secretary of the treasury: Vance C. McCormick, chairman of the war trade board; Bainbridge Colby. member of the shipping board; Dr. Alonzo E. Taylor, representative of Food Administrator Hoover; Thomas N. Perkins, member of the priority board, and Gordon Auchincloss, chief secretary of the commission.

Secretary Lansing issued a statement that makes it clear that the allies realize that many of their reverses have been due to lack of team work, and that one of the chief aims of the conference will be to bring about unity of action. For its part, the United States seeks to determine just how its man power and material resources can be used to greatest advantage to defeat the common enemy. Mr. Lansing laid especial emphasis on the fact that the conference is a war conference and nothing else. The administration is not expecting an early peace, and is making all preparations

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her handsome sister with sudden intentness. "He asked about you." she said, keen eyes on Fairy's. "He asked particularly about you.'

"Did he? Thanks. Yes, he's not bad. He's pretty good in a crowd." By the force of her magnetic gaze, Carol drew Lark out of the room, and

the door closed behind them. A few was about them an air of subdued excitement, suggestive of intrigue, that Fairy found disturbing.

Prudence

 $\boldsymbol{B_{\mathcal{Y}}}$

Ethel

"Prudence of the Parsonage"

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(Continued from page 2)

"I disgraced the parsonage," she

"Indeed you didn't," said Fairy. "It

was too bad, but Carol passed it off

nicely, and then, turning it into a joke

that way took all the embarrassment

out of it. It was perfectly all right,

"And you did look awfully sweet

when you made your bow," Connie said

warmly-for when a member of the

family was down, no one ventured a

laugh, laugh-loving though they were.

Curious to say, the odd little freak

"By ginger, you can't beat them

of substitution only endeared the twins to the people of Mount Mark the more.

bloomin' twins," said Harvey Reel, chuckling admiringly. And no one dis-

CHAPTER VI.

Making Matches.

a bit of embroidery in her hands. And

ray of books before her. Aunt Grace

a soft smile on her lips. And Fairy

was staring thoughtfully into the twi-

Grace was thinking of the jolly parson-

age family, and how pleasant it was

to live with them. And Fairy was

thinking-ah, Fairy was twenty, and

twenty-year-olds always stare into the

twilight, with dreamy far-seeing eyes.

In upon this peaceful scene burst the

twins, flushed, tempestuous, in spite of

their seventeen years. Their hurry to

peech, so they stood in the doorway

panting breathlessly for a moment,

while Fairy and her aunt, withdrawn

thus rudely from dreamland, looked at

"Yes, I think so, too," began Fairy.

and the twins endeavored to crush her

easy to express lofty scorn when one

is red in the face, perspirey and short

of breath. So the twins decided of

necessity to overlook the offense just

Finally, recovering their vocal pow-

ers simultaneously, they cried in uni-

"Duck! In the yard! Do you mean

"They mean Professor Duck of their

freshman year," explained Fairy com-

placently. "It's nothing. The twins

always make a fuss over him. They

feel grateful to him for showing them

"That's all," gasped Carol, "Why,

through freshman science—that's all.

Fairy Starr, do you know he's em-

ployed by the-Society of-a-a scien-

tific research organization—or some-

hing-in New York city, and gets four

thousand dollars a year and has pros-

"Yes, I know it. You haven't seen

him, auntie. He's tall, and has wrinkles

around his eyes, and a dictatorial nose.

and steel gray eyes. He calls the twins

song-birds, and they're so flattered

they adore him. He sends them candy

for Christmas. You know that Duckle

they rave so much about. It's the very

"Going to stay a week," added Carol

"And he said he wanted to have lots

of good times with us, and so-we-

why, of course it was very sudden, and

"But parsonage doors are always

wormed it out of us, but—one of us—

"Invited him to come for dinner to-

"Goodness," said Aunt Grace. "We

are going to have potato soup and

"It'll keep," said Carol. "Of course

we're sorry to inconvenience you at

this late hour, but Larkle and I will

tell Connie what to do, so you won't

have much bother. Let's see, now, we

must think up a pretty fair meal. Four

Aunt Grace turned questioning eyes

"All right," said Fairy, smiling, "It's

evidently settled. Think up your menu.

"Is he nice?" Aunt Grace queried.

"Yes. I think he is. He used to go

with our college bunch some. I know

him pretty well. He brought me home

Carol leaned forward and looked at

thousand a year—and prospects!

twins, and put Connie to work."

from things a time or two."

toward the older sister.

"I can't remember which one!"

"He's in town," said Lark.

we didn't have time to ask-"

night, and he's coming."

man. Is he here?"

pects-all kinds of prospects!"

live one? Where did it come from?'

them interrogatively.

"Duckie!"

ejaculated their aunt

and we weren't a bit ashamed."

said meekly, as she stepped into the

family circle, waiting to receive her.

Hueston

Says So

"You needn't plan any nonsense, twins," she cautioned. "He's no beau of mine.'

"Of course not," they assured her pleasantly. "We're too old for mischief. Seventeen, and sensible for our years! Say, Fairy, you'll be nice to Duckle, won't you? Can't you try to make it pleasant for him this week? He'll only be here a few days. Will you do that much for us?"

"Why. I would, twins, of course, to oblige you, but you know Gene's in town this week, and I've got to-" "Oh, you leave Babble-Gene, I

mean-to us," said Carol airily. Fairy being a junior in college, and Eugene Babler a student of pharmacy in Chicago, she felt obliged to restore him to his Ghristian name, shortened to Gene But the twins refused to accede to this propriety, except when they particu-

larly wished to placate Fairy. "You leave Gene to us," repeated Carol. "We'll amuse him. Is he coming tonight?"

"Yes, at seven-thirty."

"Let's call him up and invite him for dinner, too," suggested Lark. "And you'll do us a favor and be nice to Duckie, won't you? We'll keep Babber, Gene—out of the road. You phone to Gene, Carol, and—

"I'll do my own phoning, thanks," said Fairy, rising quickly. "Yes, we'll have them both. And just as a favor to



speak had rendered them incapable of 'I'll Do My Own Phoning, Thanks," Said Fairy, Rising Quickly.

you, twins, I will help amuse your pro-

The twins glowed at Fairy with a swat-the-rooster movement made it warmth that seemed almost triumphant. She stopped and looked at them fertile eggs. doubtfully. When she returned after telephoning, they were gone, and she said to her aunt

hey worked like kitchen slaveys, doing eyes, though she still remembered Prudence's cloud in the parsonage sky-

They certainly interfered with her own plans. They engineered her off on to their beloved professor at every conceivable turn. And Gene, who nearly haunted the house, had a savage gleam in his eyes quite out of accord with his usual chatty good humor. Fairy knew she was being adroitly managed. but she had promised to help the twins with "Duckle," At first she tried artistically and unobtrusively to free hersisters had involved her. But the twins were both persistent and clever, and Fairy found herself no match for them when it came right down to business. She had no idea of their purpose-she only knew that she and Gene were al ways on opposite sides of the room, the young man grinning savagely at the twins' merry prattle, and she and the professor trying to keep quiet enough to hear every word from the other corner. And if they walked, Gene was dragged off by the firm slender fingers of the friendly twins, and Fairy and the professor walked drearily along in the rear, talking inanely about the weather-and wondering what the twins were talking about.

And the week passed. Gene finally fell off in his attendance, and the twins took a much-needed rest. On Friday afternoon they flattered themselves that all was well. Gene was not coming. Fairy was in the hammock waiting for the professor. So the twins hugged ACTIVITY IS LIFE OF FOWLS each other gleefully and went to the havmow to discuss the strain and struggle of the week. And then-

"Why, the big mutt!" cried Carol, in her annovance ignoring the Methodist grammatical boundaries, "here comes that bubbling Babler this minute. And he said he was going to New London down there and shoo him off before feeding quite sparingly in the morn-Duckie comes." The twins, growling ing and heavily at night. A hen likes and grumbling, gathered themselves up to scratch and work for her food. and started. But they started too re- Don't make it too easy for her. Reluctantly, too lelsurely. They were not

Fairy sat up in the hammock with a cry of surprise, but not vexation, when Gene's angry countenance appeared be-politics.

"Look here, Fairy," he began, itching to get hold of that four thou-

bragging about? Are you trying to minutes later they returned. There thrown yourself into the old school teacher's pocketbook, or what?"

"Don't be silly, Gene," she said, "come and sit down and-"

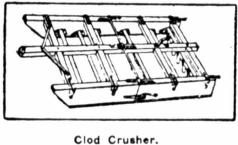
"Sit down, your grandmother!" he snapped, still angrily. "Old Double D. D. will be bobbing up in a minute, and the twins'll drag me off to hear about a sick rooster, or something. He is coming, isn't he?"

"I-guess he is," she said confusedly. "Let's cut and run, will you?" he suggested hopefully. "We can be out of sight before— Come on, Fairy, be good to me. I haven't had a glimpse or a touch of you the whole week. What do you reckon I came down here for? Come on. Let's beat it." He looked around with a worried air. "Hurry, or the twins'll get us."

(Continued next week) SUITABLE AS A CLOD CRUSHER

Not Only Does Machine Perform Duty for Which It Was Intended, But Also Cuts Scrubs.

This is a machine, a simple one at that, that will perform double duty for the farmer. Not only does it crush the clods, a purpose for which it originally was invented, but the inventor has attached a scrub-cutting device, so that the two operations are simultaneous. Also the rear half of the cutter



can be folded up and latched on top of the crusher so that only the latter is working where there is no scrub to be cut. The cutting operation is performed by a number of scraper knives attached to the sides and rear of the framework, so that no naughty scrub escapes.—Farming Business.

TO PRODUCE INFERTILE EGGS

Formerly Farmer Was Not Paid for Trouble, but Now Merchants Have Learned Value.

It pays to produce infertile eggs Many merchants are now paying at extra price for these eggs, according to Ross M. Sherwood of the department of poultry husbandry in the Kansas State Agricultural college.

Two classes of merchants buy eggs from the farmers. One pays a slight increase in price for infertile eggs and the other pays the same price for both fertile and infertile eggs. The

Formerly the farmer was not paid for his trouble in producing infertile eggs as the merchants did not know "I'm not superstitious, but when the the value of the infertile eggs for martwins act like that, there's usually a ket purposes pointed out Mr. Sher cloud in the parsonage skylight. Pru- wood. Recently, however, it has been brought to the attention of the mer-But the twins comported themselves chant, that he can afford to pay a most decorously. All during the week | premium for infertile eggs because they will keep much better. He will chores, running errands. And they be able to ship his eggs to a good martreated Fairy with a gentle considers. ket with the assurance that they will tion which almost drew tears to her grade as first and seconds, instead of rots when they reach their destina

SUPPLY FEED ANIMALS LIKE

To Obtain Best Results It Is Best to Cater to Beast's Appetite-Watch Them Closely.

Animals are much like human be ings in that they have their own in dividual preference for certain foods While this preference is formed by habit, to get the best results with the feeds, it is best generally to cater to the animal's appetite.

Some horses will not do well without oats in the ration. Others do not especially care for oats, but require corn. some require more hay than others. some must have ground feeds. To get the best results such animals should

Our problem in feeding is to watch the animals and see that they get the feeds they require and no more. Feed left in the trough or scattered on the ground out of reach of animals does

Even in feeding cattle a skillful feeder will soon learn the different animal's peculiarities and meet their requirements in such a way as to get economical gains. If he does not watch closely he is likely to waste feed while some of the animals are not getting

Best Results Obtained by Feeding Sparingly in Morning and Heavily in the Evening.

flocks is to feed the same quantity of scratch feed both morning and evening. for the day. Now we'll have to chase Better results have been obtained by member activity is the life of the hen.

World Politics.

"Someone told me you were out of

"I'm like a number of other men in political life," replied Senator "what's the joke? Are your fingers Sorghum, "I'm here; but events have made politics such an enormous propsand a year the twins are eternally osition that I am scarcely discernible.

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E. P. Kuhl left Tuesday for On Tuesday W. H. Ball, Ed. J. D. Wenba reports that his Trail assocation.

Roswell, arrived this week. She legates to Lawton, Oklahoma, to will be at home with Mr. and help pull the trail this way. Mrs. J. W. Cunningham. She have lived here.

France smashed by a Woman. Sheriff Gregg and Charles Glover See- "Some-where in France." the slacker. Cosy, Wednesday, and Thursday, November 28-29th.

Miss Rinda Cunningham from out for the trial. They sent de-

Germany's spy system in of the shooting affair, between visit at her old home.

"Listen"

Lawton, Oklahoma, to attend Neer, G. W. Carr and D. W. brother who is in the army at the Ozark Trail convention, as a Jones, drove to Plainview, Texas. Camp Travis, Texas, was one of delegate from the Portales Ozark in the interest of The Ozark Trail, one hundred and twenty eight they heard that the business men men out of his regiment who volof Plainview are enthusiastically unteered to go to France first.

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R. Hardy and wife returned home Wednesday. Mr. Hardy had beed to Thackerville, Okla, has been visiting her sister at There must have been some looking after his farms in that Roswell, since the Cunningham's fifty people rushed to Eiida Tues- vicinity. Mrs. Hardy stopped of day morning' when they heard at Abilene, Texas, for a short

> Jess Elrod of Muleshoe, Texas, was in Portales on business this

W. F. Faggard was at home All parties are hereby warrned Henry Townsend of the Arch

When A Snail Gets Excited

and opens up the high speed lever and steps on the gas and uses every atom of power he's got he makes a speed of ten feet a day and thinks he's breaking all records. He doesn't realize that a million other creeping, crawling, walking things are getting farther in an hour than he does in a week. Likewise some men don't realize how slow they're going, or the amount of valuable time they're wasting, or that now is the time to get busy and do things worth while.

With the war and the dry weather on our hands we have all got real troubles enough without "hatching up" a lot that don't exist. Conditions are bad, no one can deny that, but talking about it doesn't help the matter any. You know that the man worth while is the man who can brave the disturbing elements of bad business, can smile in the face of adversity, and goes right ahead and does the best he can. So stop grumbling and get out and prepare to take cattle during the winter and if we can assist you in any way don't hesitate to call on us. We are going to stand by you, that is what we are here for. We have the largest service that is engoing to stand by you, that is what we are here for. joyed by the great business interests of the large cities and older settled countries. SATIS-FACTORY SERVICE is what counts in the banking business, and that is the kind of service we endeavor to give our customers. $\mathcal{X} = \mathcal{X}$

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