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COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

Portales, New Mexico, Monday. February 9th, 1920.

At a stated meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, James and Garney, visited her held at the court house in the sister, Mrs. Capps, last week. town of Portaes on the above date the following were present, to- again hauling grain. wit:

Morrison, clerk.

Mexico, the following resolution date. was adopted, to-wit:

Be it resolved by the Board of friends at Portales last week. County Commissioners of Roosevelt County, that

The assessment of lands and Tuesday. town lots in Roosevelt County, New Mexico, for the year 1920, as follows, to-wit:

All dry farming and grazing lands at three dollars and seven- at the home of "Chicken" Lott ty-five cents per acre.

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All irrigable lands in what is known as the Portales Valley ir- was reported. rigated or shallow water district, according to classification and dis- o'clock. Everybody come! tance from town of Portales.

other towns in Roosevelt County, of his thumbs badly mashed. to be assessed at same valhe as for the year 1919.

The following claims were pre- p. m. at Plainview. sented, examined and audited and A surprise party was given in tain vexatious features. rants in payment of same:

Portales Brokerage and Com. Co., coal____\$13.58 W. F. Hill, trip to Santa Fe with prisoner_____ 7.50 The roa workers are in our U. N. Hall, services as spec-

Joyce-Pruit Co., supplies__ 1.50 It is now ordered that court stand adjourned subject to call

ial deputy sheriff 2.50

of the chairman. J. S. PEARCE, Chairman. Attest: SETH A. MORRISON, Clerk.

CAUSEY ITEMS

The farmers are all busy getting ready to lay by their crops. Miss Grace Blakey is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. V. Beiler, at

J. H. Johnson and son Henry made a flying trip to Portales last week.

J. B. Judah, who has been on the sick list for the past few weeks, is able to stay in the Causev post office again.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Price are visiting home folks at Causey. D. Z. Little and N. R. Nichols are at Mountainair, New Mexico,

helping in a meeting. The dairymen of Causey are all glad to see these nice rains, as they mean more cream and more

money. Mrs. N. R. Nichols, of Portales, has been visiting in the Causey

community for the past week. Mrs. L. A. Little of Causey is in Portales taking treatment from Floyd. Dr. W. E. Bromley.

Lost—One pink bonnet. Finder please return to Mrs. E. C. Martin -Dolly D. at Causey.

Taylor Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Williams, arrived last Saturday from Detroit, Michigan, where he has been working with the Ford plant for the past three or four years. He will visit for several days with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Morgan and baby, Dorothy Fay, came down from Amarillo Monday. Mr. Morgan returned Wednesday morning and Mrs. Morgan and baby will remain for several days.

Mrs. Jeff Hightower and daughter, Miss Mattie Doss, of Clovis, came down Wednesday for a visit querque by Prof. Long, who rewith friends in the city.

J. B. Crawford and family left spend a month's vacation.

PLAINVIEW ITEMS

Miss Thyra Powell visited Mae and Iona Edwards Tuesday.

Ellen and Tommie Littlejohn were on the sick list last week. Mrs. Arris Atkison and sons

Several of the farmers are

The Girls' Club met Tuesday J. S. Pearce, Chairman; Ed L. and Friday to practice for their Wall, commissioner; and Seth A. entertainment, which they announced would be June 26th, and This meeting being called in as everybody was invited to come cordance with article 5434 of 1915 out and behold the wonderful Codification of the laws of New spectacle; so don't forget the

Miss Luciel Lackey visited with

A fine baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Vaughn

Miss Rosetta Lackey, of Shelby, visited in the home of her uncle, be and the same is hereby fixed George Lackey, of this community, this week.

An ice cream supper was given Saturday night. 'A large crowd was present and a jolly good time

All town lots in Portales and misfortune, Saturday, to get one few short months will see the struck here.

Don't forget our Sunday school wells which were started some

the clerk instructed to draw war- honor of John Creek, at his home Monday night. A good time was reported.

Mrs. H. K. Watkins was visit-C. W. Carroll, labor at jail 7.60 ing her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Capps, this week.

community this week.

DELPHOS ITEMS

Mrs. Williams closed her school with an all-day ice cream feast for the children, last Saturday.

John Rushing and Clarence Austin left for Pampa last week. Misses Macy Morris, Lola Howell, and Ida Cox all are attending the summer normal at Silver City. Miss Florence is attending at Las

Mrs. Cummings and Baker have returned from their trip to Texas. Delphos has had fine rains

Doe Herndon, of Rogers, visited in Delphos last week.

A brother of Bob Moore, an overseas boy, from Coke County, Texas, is visiting Bob.

Mrs. Rushing and daughter, of Matador, Texas, are visiting Mrs. N. C. Howell,

Ralph Ellett, of Pampa, Texas, is visiting friends in the Macy community.

Ike Knight is in Elida, confined to his bed with typhoid fever.

G. A. Chumbley branded and vaccinated for himself and Mrs. Austin, at Mrs. Austin's pens,

Walter Anderson has sold his ranch to Jordan & Horney. Walter will move to a place near

Sam Cox has returned home from Roswell.

Rob Poindexter visited Baker Cummings Sunday. Ben Mason left last Sunday for

Layne Morris has returned home from work on Burnett's

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ball and Frank Warnica and family returned Wednesday from an over-

stopping for several days at the

famous Hot Springs.

Mrs. J. S. Long and son, Stuart, left last Friday for an extended trip through California. They were accompanied as far as Albuturned Monday.

Thursday for Hot Springs to the city Wednesday looking after there is more talk about New a lovely lunch of fruit salad, had been attending the state uni- were accompanied home by little some business matters.

ROOSEVELT COUNTY AGAIN TO THE FRONT IN OIL DEVELOPMENTS

Nu-Mex and Roosevelt Companies Resume Drilling and Are Making Oil History to the Delight of Local Cilizens----Other Oil Notes of Interest.



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tering geological reports.

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OIL NOTES

slight delay.

If Nothing Unforseen Happens Work Will Be Pushed on These Two Wells Until They Are Completed. Officials Are Very Enthusiastic Over Prospects for Producers.

After a period of delay, caused about the big fields in that state. led blindfolded to a pyramid of and motored out to the Jordan & Rev. Nix will preach at Plain- by circumstances that could nei- All the oil men in Eastland and lovely gifts appropriate to the Horney ranch where they witat five and seven dollars per acre, view Sunday, June 20th, at 2:30 ther be foreseen nor avoided, Wichita Falls have their eyes on June bride. After these had been nessed the big sheep shearing Roosevelt County is again the Eastern New Mexico and say they duly admired a delicious ice which was going on there. There

> at 10:00 a. m. and singing at 7:30 time ago and which were tempo- Thomas, with Aleck Rennie, all Wollard, Reese, Hancock, Priddy, While there they butchered a fine rarily held up on account of cer- of Tishomingo, Oklahoma , were Braley, Arthur Jones, J. C. Com- mutton and Mr. Jordan divided it Not only are the people of are driving through the state in McDowell, Wilcox, Mears, Jordan, ing and they say it was sure fine. Roosevelt County tickled at the their car, stopping where there Luper, Leach, Harris, Hall, Shap- And we imagine it was. good news, but the oil fraternity is talk of oil developments. They cott, Coe Howard, Oldham, Sledge, all through the big producing say all Oklahoma believes in the Stone, Whitcomb, and Dennison, centers is pleased to learn that oil future of this part of the and Misses Campbell, Sandifur, this favorable region is to get the country. They left for Roswell Luper, Gilliam, Fuller, McMinn, tests justified by the many flat- but will return this way and in- Stevenson. Smith. Knowles. Ry. remains of T. H. Sears were taken Work on the Roosevelt well, velt County.

> > tales, has already been resumed, H. B. Gutches, who is selling and by the time this paper is in leases, in the Nu-Mex building, the hands of its readers, Harry S. says his mail shows a steady in-When Lewis left here a few says the next six months will the first half of June: weeks ago, he stated that when witness a real oil boom in Roosehe returned he would have all the velt and adjoining Counties.

Mex well to the full contract The Big Springs excitement Lola A. Little of Causey. depth. He asked the farmers for means good profits to Portales, as June 5th .- J. R. Webb and Miss a six-months extension on their about a hundred local citizens Ida Ora Johnston, both of Porleases, agreeing to deposit ten bought leases in that region, tales. Charles E. Nichols and thousand dollars in the local "Shorty" Dezonia is as happy as Miss Crume J. Thomas, both of bank to guarantee the completion a lark, as it was largely through Clovis. of the well. Jack Wilcox re- his efforts that so many people ceived a wire from Lewis that the here bought Big Springs leases.

latter would be here the last of this week and instructing Wilcox | President Wetherholt of the June 16th.-Robert Stoneham It is stated that the disagree- company.

ments that have retarded the Mesa due to be settled at an early Just as we go to press a report ter of Arch. day and that this hole will be reached our office that oil was drilled without doubt. The well showing in the McGee well at Tuat Kenna is assured and with the cumcari. If this is true, it proves Dahl well going down, and the Roosevelt County beyond quest at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Junior Clovis corwd reay to start soon, tion as a certain oil field. With League 2 p. m. Prayermeeting this part of the state will be very oil in Quay County to the north Wednesday night. Choir practice much in the lime-light from now and production at Big Springs to Thursday night. You are welthe south, Portales and Roosevelt come. Come That Eastern New Mexico will County will be "setting pretty." be one of the coming big oil fields

Woman's Club Installs Officers

doubted. Every oil man and ge-The Woman's Club met at the ologist who has examined this re- home of Mrs. Coe Howard June Oil Exchange office building, begion is an enthusiast and their 9, 1920. The new officers were tween the Portales Drug Store reports have started an interest installed and, in spite of the in- and C. V. Harris' store. The ofthat extends all over the country, clement weather, there was a fine is open Monday, Wednesday, We should all remember that it goodly number present.

takes time and worlds of money | The beautiful home was decoto develop a new oil district. Let rated with red roses and ferns. Fred N. Luper, manager of the us all be a little patient and en- Those present were: Mesdames Universal Garage, returned Thurscourage the men who are pre- McDowell, Mears, Whitcomb, Jor- day morning from Denver, where Society and the W. C. T. U. enpared to spend fortunes for the dan, McMinn, Wilcox, Ribble, he had been in attendance at the tertained the W. S. Merrill family land trip through the mountains, betterment of our own beloved Frank Campbell, May, Mose Ford Dealer's convention at that Tuesday night at the Methodist state. When the oil comes, as Jones. Luper, J. C. Compton, place. He reports a most enjoy- Church. They will sonn make seems certain, all of us will be re- Priddy. Stone, Wollard, Coe How- able trip as well as instructive. paid a hundred-fold for the ard. The visitors present were: Miss Geneve Campbell, of Amarillo, Texas; Mrs. Jennie Gaither, Portales citizens to go to Hot of Carey, Texas; Mrs. Loving, of Springs, N. M., to attend the sale Royce, Texas; and Mrs. Graham, of town lots. He left Monday ters, Misses Janie and Cymbeline,

Jack Wilcox has just returned of Bryant City. from a short visit to Eastland. The hostess, assisted by Mes-Texas, where he spent several dames Whitcomb, Harris, Camp-Ed Amonett of Roswell was in months last year. He states that bell, Compton, and Ribble, served week from Albuquerque where he with Mrs. Arthur Bowers. They Mexico in Texas than there is sandwiches, iced tea, and cake. Versity at that place.

NOTICE TO TEACHERS

ers interested should confer with Davis.

be the last week in August. bride is a daughter of Mr. and Announcements will be mailed Mrs. W. S. Merrill, of Portales, out later.

Very respectfully, SAM J.-STINNETT.

County Superintendent.

Shower for Miss Vera Merrill

Mrs. W. E. Lindsey and Miss Helen Lindsey were hostesses at a very delightful shower on Mon day afternoon in honor of Mi Vera Merrill, whose marriage Mr. Robert E. Stoneham, of L. ington, took place on Wedn da, of this week.

Dorothy Perkins roses in profusion made an attractive setting for the occasion. The gifts were presente in a novel manner. A Jordan and wife, Miss Maud Dunumber of charming girls held per, Mrs. Fred Luper, Mrs. Jack white ribbons forming an aisle, Loving, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Harris through which the honoree was and son, Heck, took their lunch Little Bruce Lackey had the scene of genuine oil activity. A are ready to move in when oil is course was served in the dining were sixteen men busy and Mr. room, assisted by Mrs. Merrill Jordan says that some of his fine and Mrs. J. A. Hall. Those in sheep were turning out from 16 C. B. Thomas and son, Halsell vited were: Mesdames Smith, to 20 pounds of fine wool each. visitors in town this week. They pton, Kenyon, Mueller, McDonald, among his friends Thursday mornspect the drilling wells in Roose- ther, Braley, Del Curto, DoHoney, to Ottaway, Kansas, for burial, Jones, Carr, Reese, Bramlett, and this morning after funeral serv-

Marriage License Issued.

The County Clerk's office has Lewis of Chicago will be on the terest among investors all over been doing a good business so far ground, ready to give the signal the country. It is over a year this month in the way of issuing for immediate drilling on the Nu- since Gutches brought the Nu- marriage license. License have Mex people to Portales and he been issued to the following for

June 1st.—A. G. Tusha of Elida, and Miss Myrtle Small of Redlake. Dewey Thomas of Inez, and Miss

June 12th.—Thomas E. Wells of Inez, and Miss Lena Owenby of Rogers.

to get competent drillers so that Roosevelt Oil Company returned of Lovington, and Miss Vera Merwork could be started on his ar- to Roswell a few days ago. He rill of Portales. Horace F. Brenis keen over the prospects of this ham of Roswell, and Miss Gladys Vernon of Inez. Artice C. Correll of Clovis, and Miss Thelma Boul-

Methodist Church

Sunday school at 10, preaching

VADA DAVIS, Pastor.

Red Cross Office

The Red Cross office is in the Friday, and Saturday afternoons.

Joe Anderson is another of the of this week.

STONEHAM-MERRILL

The teachers' examinations will Mr. Robert Stoneham and Miss be on the following dates: June Vera Merrill were happily mar-11 and 12, June 25 and 26, July ried at the bride's home Wednes-9 and 10, July 23 and 24. Teach-day at high noon, by Rev. Vada

The groom is one of Loving-The date of the Institute will ton's best young men, and the and is held in high esteem by her many friends.

The house was beautifully decorated with many lovely flowers: and the bride and groom made the pixture complete. The denicious cafeteria luncheon was evithee of Mrs. Merrill's acknowled culinery skill.

They received many beautiful

They left for Lovington immediately and will begin housekeeping at once in a home the groom has prepared for his bride.

Wedner lay of this week P. E.

T. H. SEARS

Amarillo, Texas, June 14.-The ices at the St. Andrews Episcopal Church here. Mr. Sears died Saturday night from pneumonia, af-

ter an illness of about etn days. Mr. Sears was sixty-seven years of age and had been in railway service fifty years, beginning as a brakeman in the spring of 1870. He came to the Santa Fe Railway in 1886 and remained with the road after that time except for four years, during which he was division superintendent of the

Colorado and Southern at Denver. Mr. Sears became general superintendent of the southern district of Western Lines of the Santa Fe, with hearquarters at Amarillo, Texas, on July 1, 1914. This district includes the lines from Wellington, Kansas, to Belen, New Mexico, and the Pecos Val-

ley and Panhandle lines. Mr. Sears is survived by his wife, three sons, and three daughters. He was married August 7. 1870, and would have celebrated their fiftieth anniversary this summer.

Mr. Sears was a capable and conscientious official. Frank and straightfarward, he was respected and liked by his superiors, the employes, and the public. His passing is therefore generally regretted by all who knew him.

G. C. "Shorty" Johnson and family, formerly of this place but now of Wichita Falls, Texas, were in the city Wednesday of this week visiting with old friends They have rented apartments at Clovis where they will remain for a month or two for the benefit of Mrs. Johnson's health.

The ladies of the Missionary their departure to the Pacific coast to make their future home. Success to the Merrills!

Mrs. Fred Warnica and daughreturned Sunday from Trinidad, Colorado, where they have been "Tete" Bramlett returned last for the past several weeks visiting Billie Bowers.

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Wife Quite Ready to Abandon Style If Her Hubby Would Only Do His Part.

She was one of those dress women who always wear the latest thing whether it suited her or not.

One day her hat touched her nose; next week it rested on the back of her neck. Her last frock barely covered her shoe tops, her new one huddled round her ankles. Oh, she was always

Her husband was no passive resister. Begularly he raised his voice in protest at each craving after fashion. But the one thing that really annoyed him was when she suddenly scraped her hair straight back from her forehead on top and trained it down like window curtains on each side of her

"Look here!" he said, in exasperation. "Can't I induce you to stop been solved, he claims, by a British wearing your hair over your ears?" "Certainly!" she replied, with a charming smile. "Buy me diamond

Still Useful.

earrings."

Mrs. A. had just finished cutting her five-year-old daughter's hair and was preparing to throw away the clippings when the youngster asked, "Mother, what are you going to do with the hair you cut off my head?"

"Why, throw it away, of course," answered Mrs. A., a trifle impatiently. "Why, what made you ask?"

"Oh, I thought maybe you would save it to patch father's with," returned the youngster. "It needs it bad Its Identity.

"Rip Rumble is a-hee! hee! hee!wag!" chuckled old Riley Rezzidew of Petunia. "He told me he was going to Kay See for a surgical operationanyhow, he guessed likely he'd have his pocket book removed."

"We do not see anything especially waggish to that statement," returned the alle editor of the Weekly Palladium. "Knowing Ripley as we do, and having been in Kansas City several times, ourself, we consider it a past to forget all vows and plunge plain and plausible presentation of a perfectly probable possibility."-Kansas City Star.

Harnessing the Sun's Rays. That the rays of the sun can be used for curing many skin diseases, and

that sun baths are beneficial to those who are in perfect health, is well known. The problem of utilizing this agency in northern countries where doctor, M. J. de Thezac.

His invention consists of a revolving cabin, combined with a huge lens for concentrating the rays on any part of the enclosed patient's body. This installation has just been tested in the neighborhood of Quimper, France .-Popular Science Monthly.

Both Had Fits. Wife-I never had a better fit in a

Husband-I never had a worse fit than when I saw the bill.—London An-

A failure in a little town is sometimes a success in the city. There wasn't room, that's all.

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CLASSICS

ROBINSON CRUSOE



don about 1660. varied and brilliant activity, he died, a homeiess fugitive, in Rope-Moorfields, on His father,

April 26, 1731. butcher, educated Daniel for the disbut the boy's unremitting energy trader, a political intriguer, and an journalist. He rose to great

King William III., and abruptly fell to pillory and prison for his too perfect satire, "The Shortest Way with Dissenters." From Newgate he launched his remarkable Review, a journal writ-ten entirely by himself. He advocated an income tax and higher education for women. He wrote 250 distinct pamphlets and books, but his masterpiece, "Robinson Crusoe," was not pub-lished until 1719, when the author was nearly 60 years old. This, the first English novel, has in some respects never been surpassed. Its immediate popularity incited Defoe to write a sequel and many thrilling tales of pirates and adventurers, of courte-sans and adventuresses. His vivid story of the plague appeared three years after "Robinson Crusoe."

"Defoe was perhaps the greatest liar that ever lived. Yet if we go deep into his rich and strangely mixed nature, we come upon stubborn foundations Whatever the ultimate judgment of his honesty, "Robinson Crusce" lives immortally to attest his renius in invention.

Y father designed me for the law, but I would be satisfied only with going to sea, and being one day at Hull and one of my companions about to go by sea to Lonserve me but I must go with him—this intelligent, of a superior race of savon September 8, 1651, and I being then ages and became my trusted companaineteen years of age.

than the wind began to blow and the ner, which made me most terribly sick in body and frightened in mind. In my agony I vowed that if God would spare me through this one voyage I land, directly home to my good parents and be ever after guided in my conduct by their advice.

But next day the wind was abated and the sea calmer, and the sun went down to a perfectly fine evening, and when to that was added a bowl of punch made by a shipmate, I forgot my resolution to return home after the voyage; and such has been my habit, to my great misfortune, all my life: to disvow in the hour of peril the headstrong actions which have brought me to peril, and when the danger is headlong once more on my heedless

Various were my adventures after that first tempestuous voyage. Trading to Guinea in Africa I was captured by a Turkish rover and sold into slavery, from whence after many perils I escaped to the Brazils, where I set myself up for a sugar planter and was enjoying a fine prosperity thereat, when I fell a victim to tempzils and some planters there knowing of Africa, they beguiled me into a voy-Only evil does ever come of evil

secure slave labor for our plantations. counsel. Our ship was wrecked on my happiness to visit. an unknown island off to the northeast ship's company I alone, by the blessthrough the high surf to the shore. a pipe and a little tobacco in a box. out the night.

Next morning the weather was clear as the tide ebbed, lay so close to the on his son, both for life. shore that I found no trouble in swimming out to it. No living thing except and except for the one voyage to the a dog and two cats were left on the old island, of which I have spoken, I ship; but there was a store of necessities, and such I took, building a raft lived a life of infinite variety for 29 for the purpose of transporting them years, blessed with more than I deto an inlet in the island where was serve and resolved to prepare now for fresh water and a flat high place for my hatitation. On the night of the learned anything, it is a knowledge of thirteenth day, my work of transportation being done, I lay down in my usual fear of wild beasts, but also of thankfulness in the knowledge that I was prepared for some time to come against the barrenness of this miand.

There were wild fruit trees on the island, but it was many days before I discovered them. There were also goats running wild, but without the firearms and ammunition I had brought from the ship of what avail were they first mud pie I ever ste."-Birmingham to me? So I had reason to be thank- Age-Herald.

ful for the good Providence which held the ship to the shore until I had taken off all that was of use to me.

There was much to be done if I were to secure my existence on this strange island. The needful things I did as best I could in turn, but not always with good fortune attending my efforts. In my first planting of barley and corn seed, the half of all my precious stock was wasted by reason of being planted in the very wrong time. I spent weary months in making earth-ware pots for holding fresh water; and forty-two days it took me to hew my first long plank from a tree trunk. I strove for weeks to fashion a stone mortar to stamp grain in, only to come at last to a block of hollowed-out wood. Five months I labored in feiling a great cedar tree, hewing and shaping it to the hull of a splendid boat with which I was to escape from the island. only to be forced to abandon it for want of a means whereby to launch it into the sea. However, every failure taught me something I had not known For the elements, there were great

winds and rains and earthquakes. But I became used in time to all things. I planted and harvested my crops of barley and corn: I plucked my wild grapes and dried them into nourishing raisins: I raised and killed and smoked and salted my tame goats, being thus for variety of good not so badly served. And so through the twelve years during which I saw no sign of human existence on the island other than my own, until that eventful day on which I met with the print of a man's naked

foot on the sand. I was then like one thunderstruck. Estened, I looked, but I could hear nothing, see nothing. I went up the shore, down the shore; but there was only that single foot-print! Terrified to the last degree, I ran to my habitation like one pursued; and for three days and nights thereafter I did not stir out.

After observation I learned that it was the habit of cannibals from the main-land to come to a part of the island which I seldom visited to feast upon the bodies of their captured enemies. One morning from my lookout I perceived thirty savages dancing around a fire. They had cooked one victim r id had two more ready for the fire, when I descended upon them with two loaded muskets and my great sword, and was in time to save one which they had not yet eaten. The saved man I called Friday, in honor of the day of his rescue, and his was the first voice I heard in all my 25 ion in his father's ship, nothing would years on the island. He was young. ion for all the time I remained on the siand.

What Friday told me of the mainiand, after I had taught him some English, decided me to leave my island. We built a boat, this time not too far from the sea for launching, and were almost ready to set sail when 21 savwould go, immediately I set foot on ages in three cances landed on the island with three prisoners for a feast. One of the prisoners was a white man, which enraged me. I double-charged two fowling pleces, four muskets, two pistols, and giving Friday a hatchet and also a great dram of rum and myself my great sword, we descended and killed all but four of the savages.

One of the prisoners was Friday's father. The white man was a Spaniard, a survivor from a ship of which I had seen the wrecked hull on my island some years before this, and from which I had taken some 1,200 pieces of gold, but of which I made small account because of its being of less value to me than so much sand of the beach.

The Spaniard and Friday's father I sent with fire-arms and food in my new boat to bring back the wrecked crew of the Spanish ship. While waiting for their return an English ship with a mutinous crew put into my island. I helped the captain recover his ship and took passage with him for England, leaving on the island the the hours of sunshine are few has tation. Help being scarce in the Bra- most mutinous members with two honest ones who wished also to rethat I had traded with the slave coasts main. Later, my Spaniards returned and all settled together on the island, age to those parts with the intent to having their dissensions at first, but settling down finally into a flourishing colony, which some years later it was

After twenty-eight years, two months coast of South America, and of all the and nineteen days I left my island. I anticipated much joy of my arrival in ing of God, was allowed to escape England, but I was like a stranger there. My mother and father were All I possessed at the time was a knife. both dead, which was unfortunate, as I could have been of great service to Walking along the shore, when I had them; for besides the 1,200 pieces of recovered sufficiently in strength so to gold from the Spanish ship, there was walk, I found fresh water, a great joy. 10,000 pounds sterling awaiting me Having drunk and put a little tobacco from an honest friend, a Portuguese against the hunger in my mouth, I took | captain to whom I had entrusted my up my lodging in a tree and did there estate in the Brazils before setting sleep to my great refreshment through- forth on the ill-fated errand which threw me for twenty-eight years on my island. So pleased was I with his and the sea mild, but what pleased me honesty that I settled 100 moldures a most was the sight of the ship which, year on him and fifty moldures a year

I married and begot three children, roamed no more. So here I am, having the longest journey of all. If I have the value of retirement and the blessing of ending our days in peace. Copyrig...t, 1919, by the Post Publishing Co. (The Boston Post).

Childhood.

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WANTED IT AS A WARNING

Old Gentleman Had Particular Use for That Peculiarly Atrocious-Looking Beetle.

bazaar stood all the usual horrors which an unscrupulous world insists on giving the poor kiddles as "toys." There were animals, birds and insects which resembled nothing save the creatures of a particularly fierce night-

The customer steadied himself by a chair, and after a careful selection, picked up one specially terrible beetle. "I'll take that," he told the assistant, 'How much is it?"

"Half a dollar!" replied the girl. "Is it for your little boy?" "No, I want to take it to a dinner party I have to attend."

"Whatever for?" exclaimed the girl, surprised out of her carefully acquired

of me on the table when the drinks are going round and when I see two beetles-well, it's time to go home!"

Something Wrong.

"That guy you seen me wit' just now is either a liar or some kind of a nut!" declared Silk Shirt Slick of 12th street. "What's the matter wit'im?" returned Nimble the Nick. "He looks all right; classy dresser, too."

"Yeah! But w'en I asked him how he made his money he said he earned it. Wouldn't that twist yeh?"-Kansas City Star.

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Are you dragging along with a dull, throbbing backache? Feel lame mornings, tired all day; suffer torturing twinges at every move? Often the kidneys are to blame. A cold, strain or overwork congests the kidneys; poisons accumulate and mysterious aches and pains result. You may have headaches and dizzy spells, too, with perhaps bladder irregularity. Use Dogn's Kidney Pills. They have helped thousands. Ask your neighbor?

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NOBLE RELICS OF THE PAST

Triumphal Arch of Titus, at Rome, and the Colosseum, Are Splendid In Their Ruin.

Rome, was built in 70 A. D. to commemorate the defeat of the Jews, and was dedicated to the Emperor Titus after his death. It is adorned with fine sculptures in relief. On the frieze outside is a sacrificial procession and on the inner side Titus is seen crowned by Victory in a quadriga driven by Roma. On another part of the arch is a triumphal procession of Jews, the Table of Shew Bread, and the sevenbranched candlestick. In the center of the vaulting the consecrated emperor is seen being carried to heaven by an eagle.

In 1882 the arch was a set of ruins, and some of the medieval additions were removed and it was partly reconstructed: The colosseum, with seats "Well, I'm going to stand it in front | for 50,000 spectators, originally called the Flavian amphitheater, was completed by Titus in the year 80 A. D., and derives its later name, probably, from a colossal statue of Nero. The colosseum is now all in ruias.

Finger-Prints in Babylon.

A group of valuable historic tablets from the excavations of the city of Babylon, bearing dates as far back as three and a half centuries before the Christian era, was recently secured. Several of the pieces carry the distinct prints of the fingers which molded them over 2,000 years ago.

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"The dog," said Mrs. Hunt. "I used to put the money in a cash-box under the kennel, and nobody dared go near the kennel."

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LESSON FOR JUNE 20

THE LORD OUR SHEPHERD.

LESSON TEXT-Psalm 23 GOLDEN TEXT-The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.—Ps. 23:1. DEVOTIONAL READING — Ezek. 34: ADDITIONAL MATERIAL - John 10:

PRIMARY TOPIC-How God takes care JUNIOR TOPIC-The Shepherd Psalm. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC Trusting God for Everything.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC

This is a lesson so simple that a child of tender years can understand. The teacher's work will be mainly to point out the riches of its content, not to explain difficulties. The position of the Psalm determines its value. It is preceded by the Psalm of the Cross. Only those who are under the power of the cross can claim its promises. There are no green pastures to those who have not seen Christ on the cross.

The relationship of the Lord to his children is set forth in this Psaim as: I. The Divine Shepherd (vv. 1-4).

The teacher should thoroughly familiarize himself with the life and service of a shepherd. As our shep-

1. He feeds his sheep (vv. 1, 2). The "green pastures" are for nourishment. The Lord always provides food for his own sheep, both temporal and spiritual. He gives us our daily bread, but our highest and best food is Christ, the Bread sent down from heaven for our souls (John 6:58), of which if we eat we shall live forever. 2. He gives rest (v. 2). He not only gives food, but he maketh his sheep to lie down. When the sheep have been satisfied with food they lie down to rest. Our finite natures require rest-we cannot go on forever, so the Divine Shepherd has arranged resting places on the way, two of which decree published in the Official Ga-

forced rest. It is most comforting to cluded from diplomatic privileges. know that when he makes us lie down The object of the decree is to preorder that we may reach the spots of and noblemen.

3. He keeps the sheep in safety (v. 3). He restores our souls. The rest by the still water results in the restoration of bodily and spiritual strength. In the times of quiet he restores the spiritual life by the feeding upon God through his Word and means of grace. The restored soul is led into the paths of righteousness, that is, in the performance of labor for him. We have been saved not merely for our pleasure, but that we might do his good pleasure, that is, his work. We are saved to serve.

4. He guides the sheep in times of danger (v. 4). He goes with his own through danger and trials. There is no night so dark or sea so stormy but what we can hear the voice of the Divine Shepherd saying, "Be not afraid, it is I." May we have ears to hear!

5. He comforts his sheep in sorrow (v. 4). The rod was used by the shepherd to count his sheep. Passing under the shepherd's rod was the sign of ownership. Such acknowledgment would greatly comfort, even though the rod was the instrument which caused the sorrow. The consciousness that it was laid on by the loving shepherd's hand would turn the red which smote to a staff to lean upon.

II. The Divine Host (vv. 5, 6). 1. He spreads a table in the sight of our enemies (v. 5). Though dangers are on every hand, the enemies plotting and scheming, the mighty shepherd provides a feast for his own in their sight. We can sit down to that feast with the assurance that no one can disturb us.

2. He anoints our heads with oil (v. 5). Oil is a symbol of joy. There should be no sad faces among Christ's

3. Goodness and mercy perpetually follow (v. 6). These are God's two angels which encamp round about those that fear him. They hold back the enemies from overtaking us; we can feast at God's banquet table. Even when the days seem dark and sorrows come thick and fast, God's goodness and mercy still follow.

4. Eternally dwelling with God (v. 6). They shall no more go out from his presence. He who hath begun a good work in us shall complete it unto the day of redemption. May every one take this Psalm for himself and make Christ his own personal shepherd!

Three Orders of Beings.

We have among mankind in general three orders of beings; the lowest, sordid and selfish, which neither sees nor feets. The second, noble and sympathetic, but which sees and feels without concluding and acting. The third and highest, which loses sight in resolution and feeling in work. For one who is blinded to the work of God by profound abstraction or lofty purpose, tens of thousands have their eyes seated by vulgar selfishness, and their intelligence crushed by impious carelessness.-Ruskin.

From a Woman Whose Serious III ness Was Overcome by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



and could not do my housework at all. I had a bad pain in my left side and it would pain terribly if I stepped off a curb-stone. One day one of your booklets was thrown in the yard and I read every word in it. These were so many who had been helped by your medicine that I wanted to try it and my husband went to town and got me a bottle. It seemed as though I felt relief after the second dose, so I kept on until I had taken five bottles and by that time I was as well as I could wish. About a year later I gave hirth to a ten pound boy, and have had two more children since and my health has been fine. If I ever have trouble of any kind I am going to take your medicine for I give it all the praise for my good health. I always recommend your medicine whenever I can."—Mrs. Eva E. SHAY. I always recommend your medicine whenever I can."—Mrs. EVA E. SHAY, Garnett, Kansas.



King Governs Marriages.

Spanish diplomats are forbidden to marry without royal permission by a are night and the Sabbath. How sweet zette. If this order is disregarded they both are to the Child of God! the offending person will be suspended Sometimes he makes us to take en- from office and his wife will be ex-

it is in the green pastures, not on the vent diplomats marrying women withdusty road or the rocky mountain side. out means or of undestrable reputa-Our shepherd sometimes leads us over tion. Similar rules are applied in steep and rocky roads, but this is in the case of naval and military officers

A favorite has no friends.—Gray. ing.—London Tit-Bits.

LEARNED LESSON OF THRIFT

Boys and Girls of New Jersey Town Have Made Record of Which They Are Proud.

ervant problem in Bridgeton, New Jersey, than elsewhere, it is quite explainable. Not to be outdone by their European sisters and brothers in matters of thrift and industry, 25 youngsters in that town have invested \$1,000 in United States thrift stamps this year, thanks to their own hard work. Boys and girls alike have welcomed opportunities of doing remunerative dishwashing, sweeping, dusting, storeclerking, baby-minding, errand-running, etc., with the goal of economy symbolized by government stamps ahead of them. The more ambitious have undertaken cutting weeds, carrying coal, sifting ashes, selling papers, raising chickens, cleaning pavements, and some have even won prizes to add to their savings. Having found that time can be converted into money it is doubtful whether these boys will again find the street corner a worthwhile place for spending idle hours, or the girls be content to waste periods in

WOMEN NEED SWAMP-ROOT

porch chatter.

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Mount McKinley Sinking.

Mount McKinley, the Oregon mountain, is sinking with the weight of ages. Within the last several years, shoulders in earthquakes, the loftiest mountain in North America has subaltitude of 20,400 feet. Such was the assertion of Herschel C. Parker, geoloscaled Mount McKinley in 1912,

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Prayed for Cure Finds it After 10 Years Food Would Sour and Boil -Teeth Like Chalk

Mr. Herbert M. Gesener writes from his

home in Berlin, N. H.: I had stomach trouble over ten yearsi kept getting worse. I tried everything for relief but it came back worse than ever-Last fall I got awfully bad; could only eat light loaf bread and tea. In January I got so bad that what I would eat would sous and boil; my teeth would be like chalk-I suffered terribly. I prayed every day for something to cure me. One day I read about EATONIC and told my wife to get me a box at the drug store as I was going to work at 4 p. m. I took one-third of it and began to feel relief; when it was three-fourths gone, I felt fine and when it was used up I had no pains. Wife got me another box but I have felt the pain but twice. I used five tablets out of the new box and I have no more stomach trouble, Now I write to tell you how thankful I am that I heard of EATONIC. I feel like a new man; I eat what I like, drink plents

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THE PRESIDENCY GOING TO BE BOUGHT?

Disclosures before the Senate investigating committee prove that the G. O. P. is still under the control of those "bosses" who adhere to the principle that it is "money that makes the mare go'." No candidate for the presidential nomination at the hands of the Chicago convention has came out of the investigation unscathed. The use of large campaign funds is confessed, varying from something under \$100,000, expended for those candidates who had gathered only a handful of delegates, to the admitted expenditure of more than a million and a half dollars to "influence" delegates for General Wood.

Early in the fall of 1919 certain inent Democrats warned the country of the Republican bosses' plan to buy the presidency; that Herald and Times Com- immense funds were being raised and with The News Sept. 1916. to control the election. Recent disclosures prove the warning to Published in the greatest shallow have been both timely and justi-

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IN SORRY PLIGHT

Bent upon having Congress take a summer vacation, despite the large number of vexing problems that are still unsolved, Republican leaders in Congress are fighting one another, and on the eve of their national convention find themselves in an unenviable predicament.

With insurgency rampant in both houses, the party leaders don't know which way to turn. In the Senate, progressive Repubheans are in revolt because of the 'steering committee's" refusal to give place on its calendar to the bill for control of the packinghouse industry and other progressive legislation, while over in the House "Uncle Joe' Cannon, former Floor Leader Mann and others of the "Old Guard" are in revolt against the Ways and Means Committee's soldier cash bonus

at the same time is a job not a brand new Thrift Card before even the G. O. P. ringmaster can it is a week old. Dallas parents do. The party leaders have ma- are saving the W. S. S. way for neuvered themselves into a sad their children and they are beginpredicament.

It may not be out of order to inquire if Republican leaders in Congress calculate that pruning operations to stimulate agriculture, thereby curtailing production, will ten to reduce the cost of living.

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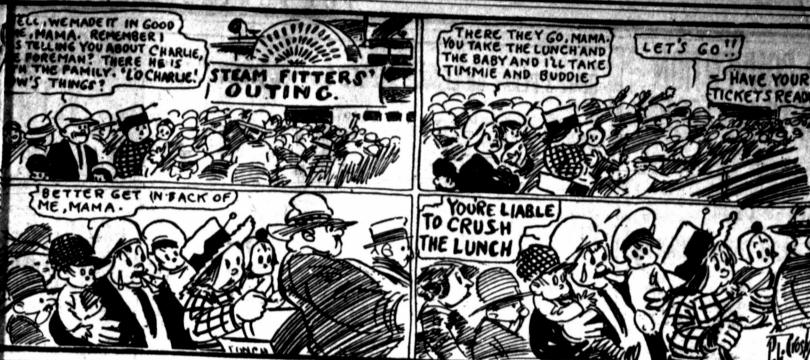
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Notice is hereby given that Frank
J. Perkins, of Lingo, N. M., who, on
January 27th, 1916, made homestead
entry No. 633875, for 8½, Section 18,
Township 7-8, Range 38-E, N. M. P.
Meridian, has filed notice of intention
to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Joseph R. Singleton, U.
S. Commissioner, at Bluit, N. M., on S. Commissioner, at Bluit, N. M., on the 28th day of June, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses:

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James W. Foster, William E. Billington, Richard O. Rogers, Sr., these of Lingo, N. M., Thomas J. Keller, of Emzy, N. M.

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The above named defendants are with ten per hereby notifid that a suit has been thereon from filed against them in the District paid, amount Court of the 5th Judicial District of sale herein fixed the State of New Mexico, in and for , besides costs, the County of Roosevelt, by Lewis J. the mortgage Deatherage, the plaintiff therein, said cause, and an suit being No. 1581 on the civil docket real estate de of said court; the objects of which complaint and suit is to obtain a decree of said court and the under quieting and confirming plaintiff's tiand to "All of Block No. duse to sell said twelve (12) in the Franklin Addition ster, therein for to the Town of Portales, Roosevelt dying said judg- County, N. M., except lots 8, 13, 14, ad costs of suit and 15 in said block, against each and act said decree. all of said defendants and that said virtue of the defendants be barred and forever esthe undersigned, topped from having or claiming any ter, will, on June interest in said lands, and unless you ur of ten o'clock and each of you enter your appearsaid day, at the ance in said cause on or before July of the court 22nd, 1920, judgment by default will of Portales, be rendered against you and the plainw Mexico, to the tiff given the relief demanded in his sh, at public auc- complaint. T. E. Mears, whose busiand real estate, ness and postoffice address is Portales, cree, to-wit: The New Mexico, is attorney for the plain-

Witness my hand and seal as clerk to a prior mort- of said court on this June 2nd, 1920. SETH A. MORRISON, County Clerk.

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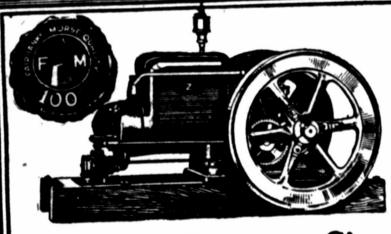
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Deeds of Republican Party Are Praised and Mistakes of President Wilson's Administration Are

Scored.

/ Chicago.—Report of the committee on resolutions.

The republican party assembled in representative national convention, reaffirms its unyielding devotion to the constitution of the United States and to the guarantees of civil, political and religious liberty therein contained. It will resist all attempts to overthrow the foundations of the government or to weaken the force of its controlling principles and ideas, whether these attempts be made in the form of international policy or of democratic agitation.

For seven years, the national government has been controlled by the democratic party. During that period a war of unparalleled magnitude has shaken the foundations of civilization, eciminated the population of Europe and left in its trail economic misery and suffering second only to war itself.

The outstanding features of the democratic administrations have been unpreparedness for war and complete unpreparedness for peace.

Unpreparedness for War. Inexcusable failure to make timely preparation is the chief indictment against the democratic administration in the conduct of the war. Had not our associates protected us, both on land and sea, during the first twelve months of our participation and furnished us to the very day of the armistice with munitions, planes and artillery, this failure would have been punished with disaster. It directly resulted in unnecessary losses to our gallant troops, in the imperilment of victory itself, and in an enormous waste of public funds literally poured into the breach created by gross neglect. Today it is reflected in our huge tax burdens and in the high cost of

Unpreparedness for Peace. Peace found the administration as unprepared for peace as war found it unprepared for war. The vital needs of the country demanded the early and systematic return to a peace time basis. This called for vision, leadership and intelligent planning. All three have been lacking. While the country has been left to shift for itself, the government has continued on a wartime basis.

Eighteen months after the armis tice, with its war time powers unabridged, its war time departments undischarged, its war time army of place holders still mobilized, the administration continues to flounder

We undertake to end executive autocracy and to restore to the people their constitutional government.

carried out by the federal and state | civil servants; and for an increase in government, each acting within its pay of soldiers and sailors. We reconstitutional powers.

Congress and Reconstruction.

Despite the unconstitutional and dictatorial course of the president and partisan obstruction of the democratic congressional minority, the republican majority has enacted a program of constructive legislation which in part, however, has been nulified by the vindictive vetoes of the president. We stopped the flood of public

Oklahoma Aviator Gets World Record.

San Antonio, Texas.—Lieut. Harry Weddington of Hugo, Okla., broke the world's passenger-carrying altitude record here when in his airship carry- ty, Oregon, for sheriff, said he would ing four passengers and himself, he attained a height of 20,131 feet. The total weight of the five men in the Angeles and look after his duties by plane was 760 pounds. It took one periodical visits. Hart's name was hour and ten minutes to make the written on the ballot in the primary climb into the clouds and twenty min- by five democrats. No other democrat | with officials of the state department utes to make the descent.

Bodies of Six U. S. Soldiers Discovered Paris.-Bodies of six American soldiers killed on the battlefield and army of 700,000 men until enemy counburied by subsequent shellbursts have been discovered by American relief ing the terms of their treaties." Plans workers near Verdun, according to ad- call for 250,000 conscripts for eighteen plosion of a 15,000 gallon tank of benvices just received here. Religious months' service being required of each | zol, at the plant of the Mason Tire and ceremonies were at once held and the man. Wages equal to those paid inspot was marked so that the bodies dustrial workers, less the cost of food may be exhumed by the graves regis- and lodging provided by the governtration service and later given mili- ment, will be paid enlisted men and tary burials. The discovery was made where terrific fighting took place dur- will be introduced in the chamber British ambassador for the burning of ing the autumn of 1918.

What It Cost Us. Washington.-Total loss to the government growing out of federal con- has informed the soviet Russia that trol of the railroads was estimated by it has no objection to the creation of the house appropriation committee at a "buffer state" provided Japanese \$1,129,000,000. This includes the \$225,- capitalists enjoy a free hand in such 900,000 estimated guarantees to the a state. roads under the terms of the trans-

portation act Boxer's Death An Accident. Boston.-John R. Murray, a protesional boxer who was knocked out in a bout with Dave Powers of Malden, died in a hospital. -

ROOT'S PLANK ON LEAGUE AVERTS SERIOUS PARTY BREAD

Chicago.—The league of nations platform as drafted, prevented a split in the ranks of the republican party in convention. The text

The republican party stands foragre ement among the nations to preserve the peace of the world. We believe that such an international association must be based upon international justice and must provide methods which shall maintain the rule of public right by development of comment of law and the decision of impartial courts and which shall secure instant and general international conference whenever peace shall be threatened by political action, so that the nations pledged to do and insist upon what is just and fair may exercise their influence and power for the prevention of war. We believe that all this can be done without the compromise of national independence, without depriving the people of the United States in advance of the right to determine for themsives what is just and fair, when the occasion arises, and without involving them as participants and not as peacemakers in a multitude of quarrels the merits of which they are unable to judge.

Upon having his own way without any change and without any regard to the opinion of a majority of the senate, which shares with him in the treaty making power, and the president's demand that the treaty should be ratified without any modification, created a situation in which senators were required to vote upon their consciences, and their oaths according to their judgment upon the treaty as it was presented, or submit to the commands of a dictator in a matter where the authority under the constitution were theirs and not his.

The senators performed their duty faithfully. We approve their conduct and honor, their courage and fidelity and we pledge the coming republican administration to such agreement with the other nations of the world as shall meet the full duty of America to civilization and humanity in accordance with American ideals and without surrendering the right of the American people to exercise its judgment and its power in favor of justice and peace.

The covenant, signed by the president at Paris, failed signally to accomplish this purpose and contained stipulations not only intolerable for an independent people but certain to produce the injustice, hostility and controversy among nations which it proposed to prevent.

That covenant repudiated to a degree wholly unnecessary and unjustifiable the time honored policy in favor of peace, declared by Washington and Jefferson and Monroe and pursued by all American administrators for more than a century, and it ignored the universal sentiments of America for generations past in favor of international law and arbitration and it rested the hope of future upon mere expediency and negotiation.

treasure recklessly poured into the lap | budget law; we strengthened the fedof an unemployment shipping board eral reserve act to permit banks to and laid the foundations for the creation of a great merchant marine. We took from the incompetent democratic administration the administration of amended the rules of the senate and the telegraph and telephone lines of house which will reform evils in prothe country and returned them to pri-



Senator Elihu Root

vate ownership; we reduced the cost of postage and increased the pay of the postal employes—the poorest paid of all public servants; we provided The policies herein declared will be pensions for superanuated and retired organized the army on a peace footing and provided for the maintenance

of a powerful and efficient navy. The republican congress by law created a permanent woman's bureau in the department of labor, we submitted to the country the constitutional amendment for woman suffrage, and furnished 29 of the 35 legislatures

which have ratified it to date. We enacted a national executive

Bill Hart Candidate In Sheriff Race.

Los Angeles, Cal.—William S. Hart,

motion picture actor, when informed

that he had been nominated on the

democraticticket in Hood river coun-

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Large Army Planned for France.

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conscripts who re-enlisted. It is 'ex-

pected bills to carry out this program

Japan Agrees To Buffer State.

Tekie. — The Japanese government

40 Percent Dividend Declared.

Chicago.-Directors of Sears, Roe-

buck & Co. voted a 40 percent stock

dividend to be paid July 15. The com-

pany's common stock now totals \$75,-

000,000. The new issue wil lbe \$30,-

Paris.-France must maintain an

was voted on for sheriff.

some time in June.

Neither can prosper at the expense of the other without inviting joint dis-The crux of the present agricultural conditions lies in prices, labor and

lend needed assistance to farmers, we

authorized financial corporations to

develop export trade; and finally

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Agriculture.

nation. National greatness and eco-

nomic independence demand a popu-

lation distributed between industry

and the farm, and sharing on equal

terms the prosperity which is wholly

dependent on the efforts of both.

The farmer is the backbone of the

and responsible government.

credit. The federal farm loan act should be so administered as to facilitate the acquisition of farm land by those desiring to become owners and proprietors and thus minimize the evils of farm tenantry, and to furnish such Philippine insurrection and the long time credits as farmers may need to finance adequately their larger and long time production operations.

Industrial Plank.

There are two different conceptions of the relations of capital and labor. The one is contractual and emphasizes the diversity of interests of employer and employed. The other is that of co-partnership in a common task.

We recognize the justice of collective bargaining as a means of promoting good will, establishing closer and more harmonious relations between employer and employes and realizing the true end of industrial peace.

About Strikes.

The strike or lockout as a means of settling industrial disputes inflicts such loss and suffering on the community as to justify government initiative to reduce its frequency and

limit its consequences. We deny the right to strike against the government; but the rights and interests of all government employes must be safeguarded by impartial laws and tribunity.

Washington.—The Mexican embassy

Dias Takes Charge.

has been formally delivered to Alvaro Torre Diaz, representative of the defacto government in Mexico by Salvadore Diego Fernandez, minister and charge de affairs appointed by the late President Carranzza. While the new charge d'affairs has no diplomatie tention." standing here as the new regime m Mexico has not been recognized by

Three Dead, 45 Hurt by Blast. Akron. O.-Three are known to be dead and 45 injured, many seriously, result of artificial obstruction than if not fatally, as the result of an ex-

Colby Apologizes to British Envoy. Washington.—Secretary Colby, one behalf of the American government, has tendered a verbal apology to the

Soldier Bodies Found In Cellar. Brussels.-The bodies of forty British soldiers have been discovered in a cellar at Ypres in the course of the clearance of the ruins. They had been overcome by gas while sleeping. Some had their heads still pillowed on their arms.

C., R. I. & P. Cost U. S. \$5,000,000. Chicago.—It cost the United States more than \$5,000,000 to operate the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad last year, according to the annual report of the line.

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Failure of Congress To pointments Will Mal cessary To Fill

vacancies.

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press messages. Enemy Trading Amendmen An act amending the trading the enemy act to permit resto of seized property to returned and to residents of former countries now residents of new tries set up under the peace tree An act to establish a woman

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citizens and aliens. Congress was charged by Presi Wilson with failure to make "im tant remedial action with respect the cost of living" and to give ser 'consideration" to the revision of

ompleted. tay laws and the problems of pea The president's message was in ply to one from the brotherhood ficials protesting against the adjowhile driving to

ment of congress. Wilson said t "in the light of the record of the pi ent congress I have no reason wh ever to hope that its continuance session would result in construct measures for the relief of the e nomic conditions to which you call

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the United States he will be in touch Committee Recommends Prosecution Under Sherman and Clayton Acts.

> of newsprint paper which has hand capped newspapers to be "more the natural laws," the senate committe which investigated the paper situation recommended that the department justice institute proceedings under th "Sherman and Clayton acts" agains paper manufacturers. Manufacturers were charged with

"unjust, illegal and discriminatory past been practices. Present prices were held h grade catby the committee to be "excessive and unwarranted."

Marshal Foch Injured.

Paris.-Following a collision between his automobile and a taxicab in which he was slightly cut about the face by flying glass, Marshal Foch announced that he will retire to his country estate as soon as the supreme council of the allies no longer need

Obregon Prepares for Race.

Southwest News From All Over New Mexico and Arizona

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

W. A. Benson, federal prohibition agent for Arizona, has been appointed head of all prohibition agents in Arizona. In his new capacity Mr. Benson will instruct all federat prohibition agents in Arizona as to their duties.

Elephant Butte dam has probably saved the Rio Grande vailey south of Hot Springs from serious floods, according to reports from reclamation service officials showing that the dam will be filled in a few more days to its capacity of 2,600,000 acre feet.

E. R. Chambers, a Winslow, Ariz., cattleman, has purchased from the Aztec Land and Cattle Company, the headquarters ranch and about 824 square miles of grazing land, lying between Chevelon fork and Silver creek. The deal is one of the largest ever known in northern Arizona.

Diamond drilling has started at the war-time laws and pro Verde Combination at Jerome, Ariz. A were killed by Preside contract for 2,000 feet of drilling has through a "pocket veto." een let to the San Francisco Diamond measures were approved. rilling Company. According to E. L. The president explained artholomew, considerable ore is be-measures which died did him in time. The water are continually more encourag-

rry county, N. M., discontinued May for the reason that no one in the munity would asume the duties of veto" was a resolution authorized. There is much red tape in pointment of a committee nection with the job and the salary o small to make it pay. The pa-of the office will be served by ffice at Clovis. ricopa county, Ariz., may spend

,000 on its 278-mile paved road The most important of the honds for the paved road 0 bonds for the project, and the on of a further issue of \$4,500,000 up at a meeting of the board of ng \$436,000,000.

The army appropriation bind the good roads committee of mber of Commerce in Phoenix. sorry he called when I was out. You lacer ground below the town of The diplomatic and consula Ariz., is being prospected by

priation bill carrying \$9,218,5 rill with satisfactory results to the third deficiency bill trating company. More than ive holes have been drilled The army reorganization bill teen to sixty-five feet deep, lo-The merchant marine bill. Out 1,000 feet apart to deter-The merchant marine on.

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of Education of the Russell dation, which has announced tive study of state school First place is assigned to cond to California, third to orth to New Jersey and

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Washington.—General Obregon has withdrawn from connection with the provisional government of Mexico in order to take up political activities.

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Meant What She Said. Mabel-How can you be so insincere? You told Mr. Boreleigh that you were sorry you were out when he Marie—Oh, no, my dear, I said I was

see, he's likely to call some time when I am in.-Boston Transcript. FEELING BLUE ALL THE TIME

Before Taking Cardui, This Georgia Lady Suffered Until She Would Have to Sit Down to Do Housework.---Was Dizzy and Weak.

Dalton, Ga .- Mrs. V. A. Burnett, of Route 6, says: "I got down with my back and sides, not able to do my work. I suffered a great deal. I had a depressed, blue feeling all the time. "I couldn't rest at night. I was nervous. I would be dizzy and fust

no-account at all. "I would have to sit down while trying to do the housework. It seemed I couldn't get my breath. I was afraid I would get past going altogether.

"I heard of Cardui and began using it. I could see after a half bottle it was helping me, so I kept it up . . . and soon I was like a new person.

"I knew Cardui did the work, for noother medicine I took ever helped mepermit development as it did. I certainly can recommend . . Cardui." This well-known medicine, which

Mrs. Burnett says helped her, is a mild, medicinal, purely vegetable tonic. for over 40 years used by thousands of women, with similar results to those which this Georgia lady obtained. Cardul should help you, too. Try it.

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Quickest Way. "How do you think this high cost of living can be suspended?" "The only way I know of is to hang the profiteers."

To insure glistening white table linens, use Red Cross Ball Blue in your laundry. It never disappoints. At all good grocers, 5c.

It is possible for a plain crook to be pretty one.



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show you. But I shall arrange to take

pose you'll be staying long enough to

are some fine trout lakes a few miles

to the north. We might make a day's

His sentences were not continuous.

each, long enough to allow Hilary to

Hilary came to the point: "I have

come here to assume charge, Mr. Mor-

ris," he said. "Please let me see the

Morris wiped his forehead with a

"My decisions are always sudden."

aggrievement, "but if you intend to

pulsive way, that means that I must

step out. The concession is not a pay-

"I have not expressed dissatisfac-

"My suggestion," interrupted Mor

ris, "is merely that you hold over your

decision until we can go into the

books together. Frankly, if I were

you I should try to sell. It was my

advice to your uncle, but he was a lit-

"Before I see the books," said Hil-

ary, "I have a question to ask you.

Are you not associated with the Ste

Morris wiped his forehead again.

He hated directness as much as Lam-

artine. "I certainly am," he said,

from my duty here. The two com-

panies are not in conflict, Mr. Askew.

"Quite so," said Hilary. "I don't dis-

"At a sum, Mr. Askew, which makes

quite a little showing on the credit side

throw money away, and our cuttings

"Damn bad," said Morris, "Gummy

fir. Mr. Askew. What little spruce

"That sounds plausible," said Hil-

Morris rose up, trembling with anger

"I see you have suspicions of my

"If you will answer it, we can inter

"I am not prepared to answer it off

"May I have the books and map of

"If you think my services are worth-

less I have no desire to retain my po-

Hilary rose, crossed to Morris' desk

and tapped the roll top. "I suppose

Morris took a key from his waist

coat pocket with fingers that could

books heaped together, as if they had

think you've been swindled," he cried.

"This is the key to the office," he said.

"The seigniory is bounded on the

west by the Rocky river. It is a

"The other desk contains my private

"The map, Mr. Morris?"

Two days before Hilary would have just been under examination. "Go

jumped at the bait, would have shown through them by all means, if you

that was only half feigned.

pret it together later."

your plans to the Ste. Marie."

Mr. Morris?" asked Hilary.

"You mean the timber is bad."

error in judgment, Mr. Askew."

tion yet," answered Hilary. "Please

with my management."

let me see-"

Marie company?"

helps the other."

their use of our mill?"

interfere with the other."

"Another question.

ager of my concession?"

"but-"

Morris laid one finger upon the edge

TWO ANGRY BLUE EYES AND FLUSHED CHEEKS

Synopsis.-Hilary Askew, young American, comes into po timber and other rights on a considerable section of wooded land in Quebec-the Rosny seigniory. Lamartine, his uncle's lawyer, tells him the property is of little value. He visits it, and finds Morris, the manager, away. From Lafe Connell, mill foreman, Askew learns his uncle has been systematically robbed. He sees trouble on all sides. Nevertheless, he refuses to sell out and decides to manage his property himself. Incidentally he catches sight of Seigneur Rosny's beautiful daughter, the center of a rascally plot.

CHAPTER II.

Lafe Connell Explains.

After breakfast the next morning off into Mr. Leblanc's lease." Hilary hired Monsieur Tremblay's buggy and started out with Lafe, with the intention of covering a portion of the limits and seeing the operations of the jobbers; he also meant to keep some splendid timber, black and white his eyes open as to the nature of the timber.

another hill appeared in the distance. a number of frame shacks were under Here and there, scattered along the roadside, were solitary cabins, with was a tall, rather fair man of about little patches of cultivated ground forty years, with a cast in one eye; about them.

"And on the right of the road is the Ste. Marie territory?" asked Hilary.

"Yep, Mr. Askew. The two runs neck and neck back into them mountains. We turn off presently. We haven't touched this district yet."

Hilary noted the first-growth spruce along the banks. "Why don't we cut this, anyway, if the rest is mainly fir?" he asked. "There's enough lumber here to fill our dam instead of the Ste. Marie company's logs."

Lafe answered volubly, but did not meet Hilary's eyes. "You see, Mr. Askew," he began to

explain, "it's this way. There's a good deal of fir on our property, and what pine and spruce there is is smallish. There was a big fire over this district fifteen years or so ago. Now Mr. Morris calculates that if we go slow for a while and give the trees a chance to grow, they'll be worth twice tree on Hilary's right. "I work for as much in a few years. We're developing the property slowly, Mr. Askew_"

Hilary's hand fell on Lafe's shoul-"Connell." he said. "I brought you up here with me to learn the truth from you. You're going to sign on again on October first, and it's me you're going to sign with, not Mr. Morris. Now tell me the facts about all this,"

Lafe stammered and hung his head like a schoolboy caught in wrongdoing. But Hilary's hand was gripping his shoulder, and at last Lafe discomfiture. raised his head and looked straight at Hilary.

"If I thought you'd stick here," he said. "I guess I'd back you to the limit. But you'll never stand for St. Boniface, Mr. Askew. They're so infernally slow here, they ain't got human ways, sir. And they're crooked. I thought, when I heard you was coming, you'd be like Mr. Morris-I mean, wise to the game-but you ain't. I guess most business is crooked everywhere, but here it's crooked all through. You'll be selling out to Mr. Brousseau in a month's time, and that'll be my finish."

"You're dead wrong, Connell," answered Hilary. "I like the looks of this country, and I'm here to stay. Now suppose you forget about Mr. Brousseau for a while and consider vourself to be what you are, my paid employee. And you can count on my standing by you."

He held his hand out. For a mo ment Lafe Connell's keen gray eyes met his searching inquiry; then he took Hilary's hand and wrung it.

"I believe you mean what you say, Mr. Askew," he returned. "And you can reckon on me so far as my duty

"I suppose that tale about the Rosny seigniory being nothing but fir is a lie, Connell?" asked Hilary presently, as the pony ambled through a

valley overgrown with red pine. "Mostly," said Lafe. "There is a deal of fir. but there's enough spruce and pine to make the concession pay, if Mr. Morris wanted it to."

"So Morris has been playing double?" Lafe nodded. "You see, Mr. Askew. it's this way," he said. "When Morris came up, here I believe he meant to run straight. But he'd been a lumber man in a small way up in Ontario, and he wasn't wise to the game as it's played here. Here it's graft, and it's never been nothing else. So when Morris found your uncle didn't know nothing about the business, and left densely covered with fireweed and ft ir his hands, he naturally fell for

the game Brousseau was playing. "Brousseau is the big man up here, and he'd had his eye on the Rosny seignlory for a long time. He wanted to buy, but Rosny was sore on him, and he closed the deal with your uncle instead. But afterward Brousseau got the mortgage on the Chateau and the

"Well, the Rosny seignlory is the only piece of free-hold up this way. Beyond its government land, and all round it's government land. Brousseau started in to squeeze your uncle out. And Morris went with him. He

game was to freeze out your uncle and get the property for a song. That's how it stands. Here we turn

"Who's he?" "Your chief jobber," said Lafe.

The buggy turned off through the forest along a new road. Here was spruce and tall white pine. The sound of axes began to be audible, and pres-The buggy surmounted a hill, and ently they reached a clearing, in which construction. Superintending the work and with him was a short, thickset man of great muscular power. The two looked up as the buggy approached, and the short man scowled. "This is Mr. Leblanc," said Lafe. "Mr. Leblanc, this is Mr. Askew, the

> Leblanc put out his hand limply, but Hilary, nettled by his manner, did not

take it. "Mr. Leblanc is clearing a camp for his next year's lease," continued Lafe.

"But the lease is not signed?" asked Hilary. "It will be signed in October," answered Leblanc. "I have arrange

with Monsieur Morris." "You'll make your arrangements with me in future," said Hilary. "If the price is satisfactory, you can have this tract "

Leblanc stared at him insolently with his good eye, the other fixing a Mr. Morris, I make arrange with him." he answered.

"See here, Leblanc, you didn't catch who this gentleman is," said Lafe. the late Mr. Askew. He has come into the property. He's boss. You get me, don't you, Leblanc?"

Leblanc shrugged his shoulders. "Oh, yes, I understand." he answered. and, turning without another word, walked back toward the lumbermen, accompanied by the short man, who was chuckling maliciously at Hilary's

Hilary flushed, but Lafe laid his hand on his wrist, closing the fingers about it with a viselike grip.

"Steady, Mr. Askew. Don't let those fellows get you riled," he said. "If you're coming into this game it means steady work. You've got to hold back and hold back, until you've got things

They re-entered the buggy and, turning the horse, drove back.

Presently Hilary cooled down, "Who

was the little man?" he asked. "That's Pierre something-or-other. Black Pierre, he's called. He's Brousseau's chief crook. He's a troublesome man, Mr. Hilary. He'll bear watching."

"We'll fire him first thing," said Hil-

"Why, he ain't hired by us," answered Lafe.

"Then what in thunder is he doing on my concession, talking to my chief 1obber ?"

"Well, there ain't no law against it," said Lafe, with a humorous look on his face. "I guess them two are pretty thick together.

"You see, Mr. Askew, it's this way," he went on. "If you're going to clear up this mess, it ain't a bit of good going for the little fellows. They're the tail that Brousseau wags. Once you get Brousseau's hand out of your pie, the others follow him. When Pierre sees there ain't no more pickings out of the St. Boniface land he'll go back to the smuggling business." "Brandy-smuggling?"

"Why, he's the bad man of Ste. Marie. He runs cargoes of gin and brandy ashore from the south coast, and there's never been a revenue officer in this district within human memory, nor would one dare to show his face here. Say, I'll take you through Ste. Marie

on the way back to the mill!" They had reached the main road again; they went on a little way and then turned westward over a rough track through a burned-over district white starved asters. Soon another rig appeared before them, topping the hill. Lafe pulled in as it approached.

"Bonjour, Father Lucy," he called to the elderly priest, who sat inside. "This gentleman is Mr. Askew, the new owner of the Rosny concession. He's

old Mr. Askew's pephew." The cure looked Hilary over, then tittle bit of land round it, to keep hold he leaned forward and extended his

hand, which Hilary grasped. "I am please to meet you, Mr. Askew." he said. "I 'ope we shall become friens, like Mr. Lafe here, an' not

quarrel so much." "Ah, Father Lucy, you make me tired sometimes," said Lafe. "What in thun- the French. A smile flickered upon played double, as you were saying, der's the use of praying for rain when Dupont's face. He shook his head and Mr. Askew. The point of the whole the forests are burning, instead of answered.

getting busy and putting out the fire?" "Mr. Lafe, there is many thing you ris' orders," said Baptiste. do not understand," said the cure, patting the Yankee on the shoulder be-

It was evident to Hilary that the clucked to his pony, took off his hat with a flourish, and resumed his jour-

too quick all the time."

"Father Lucy's a good sort," muttered Lafe, "but he makes me tired sometimes. Slow as the devil, Mr. Askew. And yet, now I come to think of it, he does get results in his own time. He ain't equal to cleaning up Ste. Marie, though."

After a pause he added: "Sometimes I've thought that Father Lucy had something up his sleeve about Ste. Marie after all."

An hour's drive brought them within sight of the village. Ste. Marie was almost a replica of St. Boniface externally, with the same shacks, clustered about the brick offices of the company.

"Not much to see now," said Lafe. But on pay night it's flerce, Mr. Askew. I guess this place is a real hell." "Rowdy, Connell, you mean?"

"I didn't mean that, Mr. Askew. It's that, God knows; but what I meant by hell was a place where everybody's pass. a law to himself with nothing to restrain him. A place where everybody idea of hell, sir,"

The road wound along the shore. sight. "I think I'll go into the office. Connell," said Hilary.

"I guess you'll have to break it open, then," said Lafe, "Mr. Morris took the keys with him." "When's he coming back?"

"We were expecting him on the boat this afternoon." Hilary considered for a moment. "I'll

wait till tomorrow then," he said. "Hello, Monsieur Baptiste!" The little scaler and timekeeper was hurrying toward the buggy. "Mon- a zest to the game. sieur!" he gasped. "Monsieur Askew,

yesterday I did not know who you were. Excuse!" "That's all right, Baptiste," answered Hilary. "Just remember that I'm running things here now, that's

all. And, by the way, that order about trespassers and visitors is at an end. There's going to be nothing done here that we'll be afraid of people finding out. Got It?" Jean-Marie Baptiste evidently had

He touched his hat and withdrew with

a sort of shuffling bow. "You certainly do have the knack of putting things across, Mr. Askew," said Lafe admiringly. "I guess you're ready to go back to the hotel. Wait. There's eld Dupont, the captain of the lumber schooner. I guess you'll want to meet him?"

"I suppose so," said Hilary. Dupont came toward the rig, accompanied by the timekeeper. The captain was a tall old man of about sixty years, with a gray beard, a weather-beaten face, and pale gray eyes that seemed to burn with some



A Glance at Her Face Showed Him That She Was Perfectly Aware Who

consuming fire. His look, as he turned it on Hilary, was so searching, and so inscrutable, and so momentarily hostile, that Hilary felt uncomfortable. There was a history behind that penetrating stare—a history and a hate.

But after a moment's examination of Hilary's face a film seemed to come over the old man's eyes. Whatever the reason for his strange gaze, Dupont was satisfied. He stood by Lafe, and Jean-Baptiste translated.

"The captain says the schooner's full," he said. "He want to start for Quebec on tonight's tide." "Tell him to speak to Mr. Askew

here," answered Lafe. "Say that Mr. Askew's in charge."

The timekeeper translated back into

"He says he's got to have Mr. Mor- of the year. There is very little to

Lafe turned to Hilary, who took up you all over the concession. I supthe conversation, "Ask him if he nevolently. "Mr. Lafe is fine fellow," doesn't understand what I am here do some fishing, Mr. Askew? There he added to Hilary, "but he want to go for." he suggested.

Dupont was impregnable in his position. He had lumber from both con- trip of it." two were fast friends. Father Lucien cessions, and Mr. Morris was in charge of both. What orders had been left There was a considerable pause after with reference to his freight?

Lafe was pleased and surprised at reply. If Hilary's silences had the way Hilary took it. But Hilary aroused respect in the mind of Lamarhad learned a good deal during that morning.

"That sounds reasonable," he said "Give him Mr. Morris' orders, Connell, whatever they are." And, when the matter had been settled, he added: "You were dead right, Connell. We've got to settle with the big fellows first."

He dropped Lafe at the mill and desk. "That's-that's a sudden decidrove slowly homeward across the sion, Mr. Askew," he said, trying to bridge, thinking hard. There would smile. probably be no trouble with Leblanc after he had shown that he was master. And Lafe would be a pillar of of the desk. "Of course I know nothstrength. Hilary had instinctive faith ing of your affairs or circumstances, in the slow-speaking Yankee. Mr. Askew," he said, with a tone of

"I must get little Baptiste on our side, too," he said aloud, as the buggy take charge immediately, in this imtopped the hill beyond the bridge; and then he became aware of Madeleine Rosny upon her horse, at the end of ing proposition, as you are probably the branch road, waiting for him to aware, but your uncle was satisfied

Hilary felt uncertain and awkward Ought he to raise his hat to her? A does what he wants to do. That's my glance at her face showed him that she was perfectly aware who he was. It showed him a firm chin, resolutely Presently St. Boniface came into set, two angry blue eyes, and flushed cheeks whose redness did not come from hard riding.

> He decided to bow. But before he did so the buggy had passed, leaving tle obstinate about confessing to an a path; and Mademoiselle Madeleine, her face averted, started her horse down the hill. Hilary jerked the reins angrily, and the pony set off at a gallop for Monsieur Tremblay's stables. But before the final descent was reached Hilary was laughing. Somehow the girl's hostility seemed to add

"I don't know that I'll be so very diplomatic with Brousseau after all, said Hilary, as he drew rein at the stable entrance.

CHAPTER

Hilary Talks Business.

Hilary was smoking on the porch the next morning, formulating his plans, when he heard the bell on the side of the telephone box begin to your late uncle. As for the Ste. Marie got it, for he looked almost terrified. ring clangorously. Then Monsieur Tremblay came out and made it clear makes it easy for me to devote a little to Hilary that he was wanted.

It was Lafe Connell calling. "Say, Mr. Askew," he said, "Tm phoning you from my boarding place. Quite the contrary. What helps one, They came back yesterday afternoon: the boat was late; maybe you didn't know. They've been cross-questioning pute that you have had a right to enme and Baptiste all the morning. gage in other interests. But how about Brousseau's just left, and Morris has ordered the storekeeper's rig to drive over to you in an hour's time."

"Thanks, Connell," said Hilary. "Tm of our ledgers. We can't afford to much obliged. I'm coming over." He reached the office just in time are not large enough for the one to to see Morris emerge toward a buggy which was drawn up before the door.

Morris looked plainly disconcerted to there is I've been holding to make a He was an older man than Hilary had expected to meet. He seemed well show in case we decide to seil." on the shady side of fifty. He had elusive gray eyes, a prominent but ary; and then he shot his bolt. "Why ill-defined nose, and a heavy, thready does the Ste. Marie company wish to mustache. It was a type Hilary knew purchase this gummy fir of ours?" he intimately: The crooked business go-

"Mr. Morris, I think," he said, descending and tieing the pony to the hitching post in front of the building. good faith, Mr. Askew," he said indig-Morris held out his hand, which Hilnantly. "That is the only possible inary took, with no great cordiality. "I terpretation I can put upon your quescame back last night and heard you tion." were here, Mr. Askew," he said. "I

was just coming over to see you." "I heard you were here," said Hilary. "I came to see you and talk hand. Many companies would like to get our property. The Ste. Marie things over." company may or may not have that in-

Morris, recognizing the situation, accepted it and turning back, pulled the tention. I should no more think of key out of his pocket and opened the disclosing the Ste. Marie's plans to office door. Hilary sat down at the you than I should think of disclosing desk nearest the window, from which he could see the endless line of logs ascending the cogged chain that drew the seignlory limits and leased tracts. them into the mill flume. Morris took a box of cigars from his

desk drawer and offered it to Hilary. who declined. Morris chose one and, biting off the end, lit it. Hilary could see that his hand trembled a little.

"Well, sir," he said, seating himself, you do not refuse to produce them?" "this is the last place in the world he asked. where I should have expected to see you. I have just heard from Mr. Lamartine that you intended to pay a hardly find it. He inserted it after visit to Quebec, but that letter was two failures, snapped back the lock, written some days ago. You didn't and threw the top up, revealing the see him?"

his resentment of the lie, declared hostility, and given Morris his cue. Now He flung another key on the desk. he only smiled pleasantly. "Yes, I saw him," he answered. "He

tried to dissuade me from coming up papers." here, but I wanted to see the proper-

"If you had let me know," said Morris, "I could have made arrangements. straight concession of eighty-five thou-You have come in the slackest month sand, five hundred odd arpents, with

a rough plan of the leases among papers." He moved toward the laid his hand on the handle, cleared his throat and looked back. "I have only to say that my yearly

contract expires on October first," he said. "If you wish to renew it I shall expect adequate notice."

you want a map you'll have to go the government. Mr. Lamartine

"There must be a map," said H

"It isn't drawn to scale. You'll find

the legal documents."

quietly.

Hilary looked up from the books. You may regard it as terminating on October first, then," he answered. "If I wish to renew it I shall let you know when I have looked into these."

This time Morris' anger was quite unfeigned. You can accept my resignation now," he shouted. "Do you think I am the man to accept dismissal at the hands of a young American greenhorn like you? Why, I've thrown away thousands trying to develop this rotten proposition of your uncle's, out of friendship for him! And what do you think you're going to make out of tine, they aroused positive fear in the concession? You can't speak the language, you can't get along with the people, you know nothing of the Canadian lumber business. You'll be bankrupt inside of six months and glad to sell out for a song. That's all I have to say to you, except the I'm resignhandkerchief which he took from his



'And If You Say I'm Discharged I'll Sue You for Libel in the Quebec

ing and not discharged, and if you say I'm discharged I'll sue you for libel in

reconcile that with your duties as man-He opened the door, but Hilary called to him. "One moment, Mr. Mor-"Now, my dear sir," protested Morris," he said.

ris, raising his finger, "if that is your Morris turned and looked at him ungrievance it is an unjustifiable one. certainly. He was ready to accept any There is nothing in my duties here inextension of the olive branch. compatible with my having other in-"Take your cigars," said Hilary,

terests. I think you will find that I opening the drawer and bringing out have not neglected my obligations to the box.

Mr. Morris turned purple, snorted, company, the fact that it is adjacent then snatched up the box and made time to it, so far as I can spare it

Apparently he wished to convey the impression of a furious quarrel with a less humiliating ending, for Hilary heard him shouting angrily outside. Through the window he saw Jean Baptiste come running up to him. There came, later, the confused sound of many voices in consultation. But Hilary turned his attention to the

books. The deficit for the half-year had been eight thousand dollars. That much Lamartine's papers had shown, and Hilary could find no fault with the statement. It was, of course, impossible to arrive at any discovery without experience of the practical working of the concession, and Hilary quickly realized that little was to be obtained by a prolonged eccutiny. There was, however, a considerable expenditure for provisions at the Ste. Marie company's store, which he assumed to be the store on the property. in view of an item on the credit side for the lease of a building. There, at any rate, Morris' dishonesty was manifest. Hilary closed the books. He would discharge no man for insolence, but he felt that Morris was entitled to no more than his salary until October. Having closed the desk, he looked

about the office. A door led into an extension of the two-story building. He found that the key to the outer door fitted this, and, opening it, entered a very comfortable little living room, with a small kitchen at the back. A stairway at the back of the house, built on the outside, evidently, led into the bedrooms. He decided to take over Morris' quarters for his personal use.

He had just returned into the office and put on his hat preparatory to leaving when there came a tap at the door. The frightened face of Jean-Marie Baptiste looked in.

"Monsieur Morris has raised hsaid the scaler.

"How's that?" "Everybody is discharged-everybody what works for the St. Boniface company. Only the Ste. Marie men stay. They are very angry. They say they could have got work on the south shore for winter, but now too late

maybe." "Go and tell the hands nobody is discharged — yet," answered Hilary. "Can't you get it through your head that I'm in charge here?"

American meets trouble half way

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Don C. Huddleson and (No. 1578. Edward Pearsall, Defendants.

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EXTRA GOOD BED SPRINGS, 1 WASH STAND,

1 CHIFFONIER, 1 3/4 WHITE IRON BED STEAD,

1 SANITARY COT AND MATTRESS, 2 GOOD HEAT-

ING STOVES, 1 DINING TABLE, 1 SINGER SEWING

MACHINE, 1 KITCHEN TABLE, 1 OIL STOVE,

CHAIRS PORCH SWING, COOKING UTENSILS,

Get Under Your Own Roof Mr. and Mrs. Jim Warnica left Wednesday for Hot Springs, this A revival of home-owning and state to be in attendance at the old fashioned home life is needed sale of town lots and also for an in our country. Farm renters New Mexico, and the southeast quarter sale of town lots and also for an in our country. Farm renters of the northeast quarter of section 16 outing. They are making the and families living in apartments where children are not wanted are not a good foundation for Bascom Howard, Charley Ison, this nation. We can get along big sale at Hot Springs. They get along without home owners. More than any other drive we need a great national campaign Marcellus Williams arrived yes- for home-owning and hometerday from Wichita Falls, Texas, building. A real estate mortgage of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. but a chattel mortgage on a motor car is not. Young men and families who live in rented houses

> Liberty Bond interest will be paid again by Uncle Sam on June 15th. A good way to reinvest it is War Savings Stamps.

POULTRY PROFITS DEPEND ON HEALTHY CHICKENS

Mr. Williams, a very successful Oklahoma poultry raiser, recently said to m., July 17, 1920, for the construction Dr. LGeear: "Since Ihave been usquarter of the northeast quarter of half of section four, the south half of New Mexico Federal Aid Project ing your Poultry Prescription, not only section 31 in township 2 south of range section nine, the south half of section No. 24, Roosevelt County. Length of have I cut down chick loss, but I find ten, and the south half of section Project 11.365 miles. Located between that my pullets lay a month or two earlier." A few pennies wisely spent in feeding Dr. LeGear's Poultry Prescriptoin to baby chicks insures rapid development and early fall and winter laying. Get a package from your dealer. Satisfaction or money back .-Dr. LeGear Med. Co., St. Louis, Mo.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, June 2nd, 1920.

Notice is hereby given that William E. Billington, of Lingo, N. M., who, examined at the office of the District on September 12th, 1919, made addi-Engineer, Santa Rosa, New Mexico, or tional homestead entry No. 044042, for try No. 012407, for SW4, Sec. 25, and south half of northeast quarter of ing for the Springs to take a few State Highway Engineer, Santa Fe, SW14; Section 10, township 7-S, range land above described, before Joseph R. Singleton, U. S. Commissioner, at Bluit, N. M., on the 17th day of July, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses: James W. Foster, Hall W. Cutler, M., James A. Keller, of Emzy, N. M. Mable Hall, of Canton, N. M. EMMETT PATTON,

We have a carload of FORD Trucks on the road to us, and those wanting Trucks this summer should at once make arrangements to accept prompt delivery. Trucks are especially hard to get and we will probably not receive any more Trucks this summer. We anticipate a serious shortage of FORD SEDANS this fall and we advise those who contemplate buying this fall to accept delivery now. They are the best Year-Round Car to be had, and are the best bargain in Car Line that FORD makes. The price might be higher. The

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FRED N. LUPER, Manager

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M. June 15, 1920.

Notice is hereby given that George C. Fowler, of Upton, N. M., who, on Sept. 11th, 1915, made homestead enmay be procured at the office of the NW1/4 NE1/4; NW1/4; W1/2 SW1/4; NE1/4; SE1/4, section 26, township 1.8., range 29 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed J. Deatherage, administratrix of the center of Lewis C. Deatherage, destate of Lewis C. Deatherage, destate of Lewis C. section 34 in township 1 south of range baths to see if it will rid him of New Mexico, upon deposit of \$10, 37 E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed not notice of intention to make final three estate of Lewis C. Deatherage, de-29 east of the New Mexico Meridian, has filed her final account, reyear proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. C. port and petition for discharge in the Compton, Probate Judge, at Portales, above entitled cause: that thereupon N. M., on the 22nd day of July, 1920. the Court has fixed and set Monday.

Claimant names as witnesses: John C. Benson, of Upton, N. M., John T. Turner, of Upton, N. M., W. B. McGILL,

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M.,

Notice is hereby given that Henry tablish elaim to the land above de. determined at said time and place. scribed, before James A. Hall, U. S. Commissioner, in his office at Portales, 11th day of June, 1920. N. M., on the 22nd day of July, 1920.

George B. Coleman, John A. Carrell, all of Arch, N. M. W. R. McGILL,

June 17-July 15

Claimant names as witnesses:

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF ROOSEVELT COUNTY,

W. Bracken, deceased,

velt County, New Mexico, duly ap- costody of the children. pointed administratrix over the estate of William W. Bracken, deceased.

ing claims against said estate, and all August, 1920, judgment will be entered interested parties, are hereby notified against him by default and the plainto present the same to me or file the tiff given the relief demanded in her same with the clerk of this court with | complaint. T. E. Mears, whose busiin one year from date hereof, accord- ness and postoffice address is Portales. ing to law, or the same will be for New Mex., is plaintiff's attorney. ever barred.

Dated this the 7th day of June, 1920. MATTLE 8. BRACKEN. Administratrix. 33-4te*

A. D. RIBBLE,

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, State of eNw Mexico: In the matter of the estate of Lewis C. Deatherage, deceased; Martha J. Portale

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Deatherage Administratrix. No. 171. NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT OF FI-NAL ACCOUNT, REPORT AND

PETITION FOR DISCHARGE the 2nd day of August, 1920, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day and the Court Room of this Court in Robert D. Turner, these of iLngo, N. Reuben Moore, of Portales, N. M., Portales, New Mexico, as the time and place for hearing and determining the said final account, report and petition all objections that may be presented thereto

WHEREFORE any and all persons interested in said estate or in the accounting and settlement thereof and having any objections thereto are here-T. Ward, of Portales, N. M., who, on by notified to file or present the same Jany. 22nd, 1920, made additional in this court on or before the said day homestead entry No. 015428, for Lots and date set for hearing and deter-1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 22, Lots 1, 2, section 27, mining the said final account, report township 2 S, range 37 E., N. M. P. and petition for discharge, and that Meridian, has filed notice of intention all and every such such objection so to make final three year proof, to es. filed or presented will be heard and

Dated at Portales, New Mexico, this SETH A. MORRISON. Clerk of the Probate Court.

Thomas F. Chalk, John W. Buckner, 33-4se By A. J. GOODWIN, Deputy. NOTICE OF SUIT PENDING

The State of New Mexico to the defendant, Henry M. Jordan, Greeting:

You said defendant are hereby notified that a suit has been commenced STATE OF NEW MEXICO against you and now pending in the In the matter of the estate of William District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, by Dora B. Jordan, plaintiff therein, and number 1591 on the civil docket of said court; the Notice is hereby given that I, Mattie general objects of which is to obtain E. Bracken, the undersigned, was on an absolute divorce from defendant, the 7th day of June, 1920, at an ad- and that defendant be barred and prejourned day of the regular May, 1920, cluded from having any interest in term of the Probate Court of Roose- any property of plaintiff, and for the

Defendant is further notified that unless he enters his appearance in Therefore, any and all persons have said cause on or before the 5th day of

Witness my hand and seal as clerk of said court this June 16th, 1920. SETH A. MORRISON.

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Lacking this support the present effort to maintain our merchant marine may suffer the fate of many ineffective attempts of the past,

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The market price of lumber has recently declined somewhat, to the extent that we have reduced our retail prices ranging from \$5.00 to \$15.00 per thousand feet. General ionditions over the country are responsible for the lower market, and we are prompt to give our customers the benefit.

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