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Urged To Continue

Captain Jack Wilcox has been strongly urged by the officials of the federal reserve bank at Dallas to continue his activities in putting across the fifth Liberty loan. A letter from the officer in charge urges him to stay on the job for this particular effort, promising him that in the event that another loan is necessary he will be excused. Captain Jack has much private business of his own that badly needs his personal attention, in fact, suffers without it, yet it is conceded he can put this fifth loan over with a hurrah and without friction. It is also a fact that Mr. Wilcox

is a patriot, one of those kind who put loyalty above personal value to his country. He also is very punctilious in rendering credit where credit is due. He does not take unto himself all the credit that is due for the success of the fourth loan, in fact, he is much too modest in that respect. He has repeatedly said that he had the best bunch of

assistants in the world, and that without the aid rendered by them he could not have put that loan over. The Journal is glad that Mr. Wilcox has consented to

WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM

Received at Santa Fe, N. M. 3:55, 23-19. Portales Journal, Portales, N. M.

Regional Director railroads wires senate that half rates will continue on freight for stock feeds.

R. G. BRYANT.

The above telegram contains luged with water. Senator R affairs, who is willing to sacrifice news that should bring comfort G. Bryant was the author of the when that sacrifice will prove of to every cow man and stock- resolution which secured the confarmer in the state. The price tinuation of the half rate, and of stock feeds at the point of it resulted in the most beneficial purchase is almost prohibitive action that will occur during the without freight charges, and present session of the legislature. any reduction will prove a boon, Mr. Bryant has performed a real almost the proverbial straw so service to the state and is eneagerly sought by the man de- titled to credit therefor.

> A Strong Endorsement The board of county commissioners this week unanimously passed a resolution strongly endorsing the road Su-

ing the main state and county in the sale of Liberty Bonds. roads in Roosevelt County for and

Correction Notice

Several weeks ago in looking over some of the county warrant records I noticed that there had been issued certain warrants to Jack Wilcox. In conversation about this it seems that I left the impression that Mr. Wilcox had been paid by the county commissioners for services rendered in the sale of bonds of the Third Liberty issue.

This matter has been recently called to my attention and made careful investigation to ascertain the purpose of these warrants. The facts are that Mr. Wilcox was chairman of the sales committee for Roosevelt County, and when the county commissioners decided to purchase \$5000.00 of the bonds, thereby investing a portion of the sinking fund of the county, the warrants for this were drawn in favor of Mr. Wilcox, who delivered the same to the proper authorities and in turn he delivered the bonds to the county. Mr. Wilcox did not receive com-

pensation for services rendered

Justice demands that a corthe past three years and a half, rection be made, and I am glad to give the correction Whereas, said roads at the publicity in the newspapers. time he was given supervision of I would not willingly be a them were admittedly the worst party to any statement reflecting in the state of New Mexico, and upon the integrity of Mr. Wilcox Whereas, said roads are now or the county commissioners. equal to, or better, than any neither would I in any manner roads of the same type of con- reflect upon the securities of our government. The statement grew out or a misunderstanding

Help Increase the Food Supp

This instrument was filed for Record

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on the 20. day of Juny 1919

State of New Maxiee,

recerded in Book

County of Roosevelt.) Se

Help increase the food supr by killing grain smuts. Preve stinking smut of wheat, cover smut of barley, oat smut. rye smut.

DIRECTIONS

Prepare a solution of form dehyde in the ratio of 1 part f maldehyde to 320 parts water pint to 40 gallons). Ask yo druggist for formaldehyde guaranteed 37 per cent streng It costs about 50 cents per pour Use good seed. ' Before treating clean with a fanning mill to move smut balls and poor scabby seed. Spread seed 4 t inches deep on the granary flo or in a wagon box. With sprinkling can apply the form dehyde solution at the rate of gallon to $1\frac{1}{3}$ bushels, except oats, which require a gallon. the bushel. Shovel over un the seed mass is evenly wette Pile and cover 2 to 5 hours w bags or canvas previously treat with formaldehyde. Then a at once, or, if to be stored, spre out to dry. Stir occasionally hasten drying. Avoid freezi of wet grain. Wheat may sown wet immediately aft treatment.

For further information wr to your state college of agric ture or to U.S. Department Agriculture.

assist in this matter further and it will do all in its power to help him in any way that he may suggest or in any way within its power. The letter follows:

Dallas, Texas, Jan. 13, 1919. To the Organizer:

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I accepted the position of Fed eral District Director of War Loans and Savings, because I believed that my country needed my services more at this time than ever before:

I ask you to retain the office you hold as County Organizer for the Liberty Loan for precisely the same reason.

I am sure that you will agree with me that this next Liberty Loan campaign will constitute the real test of patriotism and in such a test we dare not be found wanting.

One thing I want you to real ize very fully-I shall not ask you to act again after the fifth campaign. The plans of the government for further financing the country are not yet made, but I will say definitely that if further effort should be necessary others will be asked to do their share and you will be excused.

Will you make one more big effort and see this thing through? Will you finish the job?

I hope sincerely that you will, relying as I do upon your proven Americanism.

Please write me soon.

Very sincerely yours, FRANK M. SMITH. Federal District Director.

J. B. Pargatt. of the Melrose community, was wounded in a gun fight at Sweetwater, Texas, last week. He was on the train and an innocent and involuntary witness to the fight. There were two others wounded , at the same time and place, one fatally.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde L. Brown and Mrs. Brown's mother, arrived from Watumka, Oklahoma, this week and will visit in the

perintendent D. W. Jones. For the past three and one-half years Mr. Jones has had control of road construction and road repairs in this county. The board of county commissioners are, perhaps, better acquainted with the manner

in which that work has been performed than are any other agencies in the county. They have carefully checked up all his transactions, viewed his work and otherwise informed themselves

on all matters pertaining to his efficiency and economy, or otherwise, of his administration. That they have no unqualifiedly endorsed that administration is

proof of the confidence they have in his ability. A Jones road is a good road. If Jones built it then it was well built. The people throughout the county have just

as high an opinion of Mr. Jones' ability and integrity as have the commissioners and, were it left to a vote of the people of the county for a continuance in his present position' The place of highway superintendent has al ways heretofore been a non-po litical one. Under the two preceding administration politics has not been allowed to interfere with

the efficiency of road work. whether or not this policy will be continued under the present ad ministration is not known, but in the interest of more and better roads for New Mexico, it is hoped that there will be no change in that respect. It is seriously feared that should politics be injected into road construction in this state that federal aid would

be withdrawn and that the state would lose many thousands of dollars sor road work that other wise would be furnished by the federal government, as well as seriously handicapping road work in other respects. The resolution

adopted by the commissioners follows: RESOLUTION

struction in the state.

Therefore, be it resolved by the board of county commissionon my part. ers of Roosevelt County, in reg-

ular session assembled, that we unqualifiedly endorse his administration of our road affairs, and respectfully ask that he be continued in the position of county highway superintendent o Roosevelt County, and we further recommend that his terri-

Roosevelt counties, for the reation program for the year 1919.

It is further ordered that the Highway Engineer.

Sheriff A. J. Gregg was in Toler two or three days of this week attending to official business.

County Clerk Seth A. Morrison this week sold his handsome resi dence to J. R. Webb, the consid eration being \$2,500.00.

Representative P. E. Carter, of Lovington, Lea county, was here Sunday enroute to Santa Fe to be in attendance at the present session of the legislature.

Captain T. J. Molinari was in Monday morning. Captain Molinari is in the government service.

P. E. Jordan returned Friday of last week from Denver, Colorado where he had been getting

the Ford agency at Fort Sumner

SAM J. STINTETT.

Mrs. H. B. Ryther received a letter this week from her brother who is serving with the army in Siberia. He writes that the county, Texas, and lived in th thermometer registers as low as forty to fifty degrees below zero where he is.

tory be reduced to Curry and Shower for Mrs. Houghtelling The Misses Warnica entertained son that these two counties now a number of young ladies at their have many miles of improved home Saturday in honor of Mrs. roads to be maintained, and are Leslie Houghtelling, who replanning an enlarged construc- ceived many handsome and useful gifts.

Those present on this delight county clerk mail certified copies ful occasion were: the Misses of this resolution to each of the Silney Pearce, Jessie Turner, members of the State Highway Grace Bradley, Bessie Warnica, Commission and to the State Edith Daniels, Juanita Ryther, Leta Smith, Symbeline and Janie Warnica, and Mesdames William H. Garrett, Frances Shapcott and Mr. and Mrs. Houghtelling.

> agement Tuesday at noon. Mr. the whole world, so far as Morrison, the new "Boniface," knew it. If he had an enemy says that the rates will be the earth, he was not not aware of same as under the former pro- There are but a few of the prietor, \$3.00 per day, and that time western cow men and c the traveling public and home boys left, and of the original ri folks may rest assured that they ers of the DZ outfit but two will always get the best service three remain, the others have the market affords.

Judge G.L. Reese was in Elida Portales over Sunday, leaving Thursday where he represented for the south part of the state the defense in the preliminary hearing of L. G. Denton, of Kenna. His wes the case of the shooting affray between the accused and Editor White, of Kenna.

Carl Turner is working in the

The Universal garage of place received three new For Monday of this week. Mr. J dan, the proprietor, says that Ford Sedans of this year's ma will be equipped with a first cla starting apparatus.

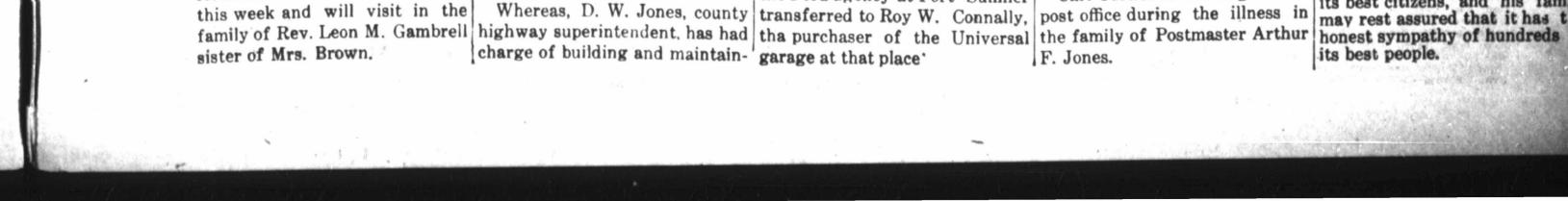
Robert L. Finley

Robert L. Finley was bo October 18, 1886, in Bande community until he attained 1 manhood. He came to Mexico twenty-one years ago at began working on the DZ ranc which position he held for elev years. August 17, 1911, he v married to Miss Ada Payne, Redland, this state, and mov to the home in which he die "Vol" Finley, as he was fam iarly known to his friends, was typical "cow puncher" of the school, one of those picturesq characters found only in the we generous to a fault, he would gi his last dime to one who was need. If he was your frie there was no limit to that frien

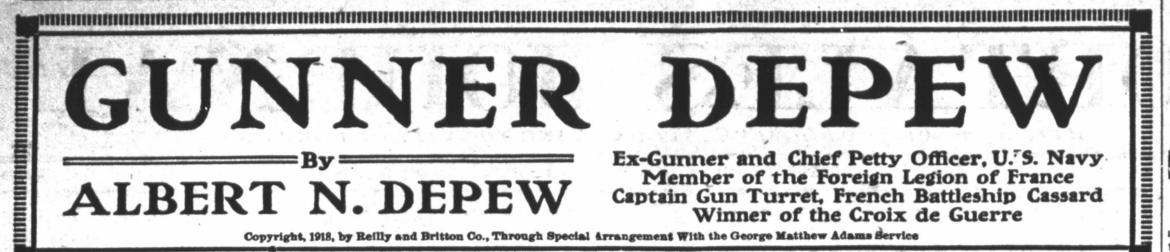
owned. He was known by eve The Traveler's Inn was opened cow man and cowpuncher of t to the trade under the new man-plains country. His friends we gone to that big round up, whe

ship, what he had his frie

it is hoped there will be no o "Vol" Finley was one backs. the best of his time, and the were many good ones, in fac they were all good, not sissy nic but broad, liberal, friendly i ows, taking the hard knocks wi a grin and the joys of life wi all the enthusiasm of boyhoo Roosevelt county has lost one its most loyal friends and one its best citizens, and his fami may rest assured that it has



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CHAPTER XXIII-Continued.

It certainly was hard, when the next and Swatts came to our barracks and first until I remembered that this was French refugees in Switzerland. It day came, to give up your whole ration the ambassador told me I would be not a prisoner train. We had a fortyand go without that day. But I never released! It was all I could do to eight hour ride to Lindau, which is on by one guest, at least. I need not mensaw a man hedge, or even speak of it. keep from fainting again. Then Swatts the Lake of Constance, and no food or tion his name, but he ate so much that And we did not have any food pirates asked me in English if I had anything water in that time. But still I did not he felt ashamed afterward. among us either: we were not captains to say about the treatment in the mind it much. At Lindau they drilled of industry by any means.

could not eat certain of our rations. I said was, "When will I get out of then marched me over to the little For instance, many and many a time here?" and he said, "Why, you will be boat which crosses the lake. -I was as hungry as anybody could be, released tomorrow." and I wanted to eat my bread, but it seemed as if I could not get it into rushed into the barracks again, singing me-a crack across the back with a my mouth. Then I would trade it with and whistling and yelling as loud as I rifle! someone else for his "shadow soup" or could. The boys told me my face was his barley coffee.

denburg and after each death the head, because I could hardly walk for senior men of that barracks would detail twelve of their number to go out for half an hour and dig the grave, while others made little crosses, on which they wrote or carved the man's name, when he was captured, and his regiment or ship. In the middle of the cross were always the letters, R. I. P.-Rest in Peace.

One time we were ordered to report to the German doctors for a serum treatment of some kind-to receive an injection, in other words. There was no choice about it this time, as we were simply herded together to the hospital barracks. Now, I knew what these things were like and how brutal the German doctors were in giving an injection, so I wanted to be the very first man and not have to witness the other men getting theirs.

So I pushed up to the head of the line, with the crew of H. M. S. Nomad. who had been captured in the Jutland hospital was the very first man in line. But the sentry threw me back and there were several men ahead of me. Each of them bared his chest and the -doctors slashed them across the breast with a very thin knife, so you can see that it was very painful. When it came to my turn they slashed me three times in the shape of a triangle just to one side of the breast. And that was all there was to it-no injection, noth-/ ing on the knife that I could see. Now, I do not know what the idea was. Every man of us was dizzy for the rest of the day and could not do anything but lay around the barracks. And hardly any of us bled a drop, though the gashes were deep. I do not think we had any blood in us to run. and that is the truth of it. It was just another German trick that no one -could explain. One day a war correspondent named Bennett, from a Chicago paper, came to the camp and went through all the barracks. When he came to our barracks I told him I was an American and asked for the news. Instead of answering he began to ask all sorts of questions. Finally, after I had told him I had been in the French service, I asked him if he could help me in any way. He answered that I had only myself to blame and that it served me right if I had been in one of the allied armies. I did not like his looks much and he seemed unfriendly, but when he began smoking a cigarette it almost drove me crazy and I could not help asking for one. He refused me and said I should have stayed in my own country, where I could have had plenty of cigarettes.

There were times when some of us it was a frame-up of some kind, so all all the addresses that I had, and

I did not wait to hear any more, but

very red and I guess what little blood a few minutes.

Then the men began to think I was crazy, and none of them believed 1 would really be released, but that I was going to be sent to the mines, as so many were. But I believed it, and I just sat there on my bunk and began to dream of the food I would get | forty-five minutes later, we arrived at and what I would eat first, and so on.

I did not sleep that night-just knew I was free. walked from barracks to barracks untill they chased me away, and then walked up and down in my own barracks the rest of the night. When I got to the Russian barracks and told the two doctors my news, they would not believe me at all, although they knew there had been some important visitor at the camp.

But when I walked out of their door sald, "Dobra vetshav," which means "Good night!" Then they must have believed me, for they called me back, and all the men gave me addresses of battle, and by the time we got to the people to write to in case I should get awav.

camp, and I began to think maybe me into a little house and took away

As I started up the gangway the last thing I received in Germany reached

The women and children on the dock had their fists up and were yell-We were dying every day in Bran- I had in my body had rushed to my ing, "American swine!" But I just laughed at them. And when I looked around the boat and saw no German soldiers - only Swiss civilians - I rubbed my eyes and could not believe it. When they gave me bread, which was what I had decided I wanted most of all back in the camp, I thought I was in heaven sure enough, and when, Rorschach in Switzerland, I finally

CHAPTER XXIV.

Back in the States.

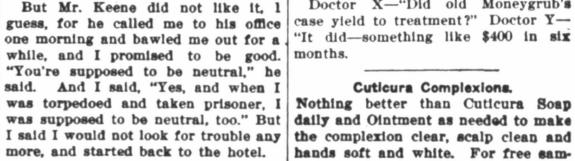
After I arrived at Rorschach I was taken to a large hall, where I remained over night. There were three American flags on the walls, the first I had seen in a long time. I certainly did a fine job of sleeping that night. I think I slept twice as fast to make up for lost time.

In the morning I had a regular banquet for breakfast-eggs, coffee, bread and a small glass of wine. Even now, although I never pass up a meal, that breakfast is still easy to taste, and I sometimes wish I could enjoy another meal as much. But I guess I never shall have one that goes as good.

But a week or so later the Spanish | and I found that the windows were | such fine work with the Red Cross ambassador and four German officers not smashed I could not believe it at and are looking after the Belgian and was a dinner, and much appreciated

I do not think he got in bad for it, though, for afterward Mr. and Mrs. McCormick each gave him a valuable present, which he needed badly. After the dinner Mrs. McCormick made a little patriotic speech, in which she said that the Huns would never trample on the United States flag, and some other things that made all the Americans there very proud, especially Mr. Keene and myself. So you see I was having a great time.

But I was having a little trouble, all the time, for this reason: there were quite a few Germans interned in Zurich, and they went about in uniform. Now, when I saw one of these birds and remembered what had been happening to me just a short time before my hands began to itch. Believe me, it was not "good morning" that I said to them. I enjoyed it all right; they were not in squads and had no arms, so it was hand to hand, and pie for me.



But no sooner was I underway than | ples address "Cuticura, Dept. X, Bosa Hun private came along and began | ton." Sold by druggists and by mail. to laugh at me. My hands itched Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.-Adv.



Women all over the world realize more and more that their work at home helped the men at the Front. It involved great sacrifices, hard work and unusual physical strength, Women at home should study nursing for the home. A good way to learn is to ask your druggist for a copy or send 50c to publishers of the "Medical Adviser," 663 Main St., Buffalo, N. Y., and get a copy of their 1,000 page book bound in cloth, with chapters on First Aid, Taking Care of the Sick or Wounded, Physiology, Hygiene, Anatomy, Sex Problems, Mother and Babe. Nobody, man or woman, can do good work when health is impaired. If a woman is nervous or has dizzy spells, suffers from awful pains at regular or ir. regular intervals she should turn to a tonic made up of herbs, and without alcohol, which makes weak women strong and sick women well. It is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Send Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., 10 cents for trial package.

Shawnee, Okla .- "When 'Favorite Prescription' was used, I took it for female weakness. I had need of it for about two months and it helped me-did all I could expect. Later on I took 'Golden Medical Discovery' for a run-down system, taking two or three bottles. This was all right for building-up and for the blood. I can speak in high terms of both these remedies; they are just fine."-Mrs. C. A Fredregill, 412 No. Pott St.

Rich Yield. Doctor X—"Did old Moneygrub's case yield to treatment?" Doctor Y-"It did-something like \$400 in six

Cuticura Complexions. hands soft and white. For free sam-

After a while he threw away a cigarette stub and not only I but three or four others who were near made a dive for it. A man named Kelley got ita crazy man who went around trying to eat wood and cloth and anything he could find.

When my three weeks were up and I had not heard from Mr. Gerard I was just about ready to go down to the lake and pick out a vacant spot and lay down in it. I really do not think I could have lasted two weeks longer. And just about that time, as I was walking back to barracks one day, a Frenchman showed me a German mewspaper, and there in large type on the top of the first page it said that Mr. Gerard had left the country, or was getting ready to leave. They had to drag me the rest of the way to the barracks and throw snow on me before I came to.

I do not know what happened during the next few days.

Gerard took place at the Dulmen prison the last time. So I just grinned at have to go to sea again. I think of it Every time I came out on the streets camp on or about February 1, 1917. On February 3, our state department demandmany times, and each time it is harder will enable the laundress to pro them, and thought that I was better they followed me around, and they off than they, because they had to stay | used to give me money. But the money duce fine, fresh-looking pure white to stay ashore. d the release of sixty-two Americans clothes instead of the greenish yellow usually obtained. RED UROSS BALL BLUE always ptured on British vessels and held as in the hole called Germany. THE END. might just as well have been leather in Germany. On the same day, I was still half naked, but I did not or lead-I could not spend it. Whenident Wilson severed diplomatic rela-with Germany. Ambassador Gerard mind the two-hour wait on the station ever I wanted to buy anything the Should Think He Was pleases. atform. I noticed a little sign that shopkeeper would n The temperance advocate who paper that Gunner Depew saw must been issued after February 10. It not until March 9, 1917, however, that 5 cents. read, "Berlin 25 miles north," and of it. clared that "drunkenness is folly," and that was the first time I had much of found himself reported in the papers I also visited the Hotel Baur au Lac, At all up-to-date grocers. an idea where Brandenburg was. as having said "drunkenness is jolly," www.was actually released from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mctitor's Note.] When we got into the compartment | Cormick of Chicago, who are doing W. N. U., Oklahoma City, No. 51-1918. must have been annoyed.

They were all talking at once, and one of the doctors got very excited and got down on his knees with his hands in the air. "Albert," he said, "If you have the God-given luck to get out of Germany-not for my sake, but for the sake of us who are here in this hell-hole, promise me you will tell all the people wherever you go what they are doing to us here. Tell them not to send money, for we can't eat money. and not meat-just bread, bread,

bread—" And when I looked around all the men were sitting on their beds crying and tearing their hair and saying. "bread, bread, bread," over and over again. Then each tried to give me something, as if to say that even if they did not get out, perhaps their button or belt or skull cap would get back to civilization.

When I left their barracks I began to cry, because it did not seem possible that I was going away, and already I could see them starving slowly, just as I had been starving.

The next morning a sentry came to my barracks, called out my name and took me to the commander of the camp. They searched me, and then drilled me back to barracks again. Then the men all thought they were just playing a joke on me, and they said so.

The same thing happened the next day, and when one of the men said that probably I would be slammed up against a wall and shot, I began to feel shaky, I can tell you.

But the third morning, after they had searched me, the commander said, "Well, you'll have to have a bath before you leave the country," and I wiches. They also handed me queswas so glad that I did not mind about | tions enough to keep me busy anthe bath, although I remembered the last one I had, and It did not agree very well with me. After the bath. they drilled me out into the road.

There were four sentries with me, but not Swatts, nor did I see him anywhere around, for which I was sorry. But all the boys came down to the barbed wire, or to the gate, and some were crying, and others were cheering, and all of them were very much excited. But after a minute or two they got together again and the last thing I heard was the song about packing up your old kit bag, and then, "Are we downhearted?-No!" They were certainly game lads.

They did not take me straight to the station, but took me through all the streets they could find, and as usual, the women were there with the bricks and spit. But I did not mind: I was used to it, and besides, it was

After breakfast they took me out on the steps of the hall and photographed me, after which I went to the railway station, with a young mob at my heels. It reminded me a bit of Germany-It



The Swiss Certainly Treated Me Well

was so different. Instead of bricks and bayonet jabs, the mob gave me cigarettes and chocolate and sandswering to this day if I could.

I got on the train to Zurich, and at every stop on the way there were more presents and more cameras and more questions. At St. Gallen they had cards ready for me to write on, and then they were going to send them to anybody I wished. The station at Zurich was packed with people, and I began to think I was a star for sure.

Francis B. Keene, the American consul general at Zurich, and his assistant, were there to meet me. We walked a few blocks to his office, and all the way the cameras were clicking and the chocolates and cigarettes piling up until I felt like Santa Claus on December 24th. After a little talk with Mr. Keene, he took me to the Stussehof hotel, where my wounds were dressed-and believe me, they needed it.

The Swiss certainly treated me well. [Gunner Depew's interview with Mr.

again, and I could not help but slam him a few. We went round and round for a while, and then the Hun reversed and went down instead. Mr. being played." "Yes, but it isn't draw-Keene saw us, or heard about it, so he ing any royalties." told me I had better go to Berne.

So off I went, with my passport. But the same thing happened in Berne. I tried very hard, but I just could not keep my hands off the Germans. So I guess everybody thought it was a good thing to tell me good-by-anyway I was shipped into France, going direct to St. Nazaire and from there to Brest.

I made a short trip to Hull, England, with a letter from a man at Brandenburg to his wife. She was not at home, but I left the letter and returned to France. I was in France altogether about three weeks, and then went to Barcelona, Spain.

Then I took passage for the States on the C. Lopez y Lopez, a Spanish merchantman. We had mostly "Spigs" on board, which is navy slang for Spanjards. Almost every one of them had a large family of children and a raft of pets. We sailed down through Valencia, Almeria, Malaga, Cadiz and Las Palmas in the Canary islands. When we left Las Palmas we had a regular menagerie aboard-parrots, canary birds, dogs, monkeys and various beasts. The steerage of that boat was some sight, believe me.

We had boat drill all the way across, of course, and from the way those Spigs rushed about I knew that if a submarine got us the only thing that would be saved would be monkeys. But we did not even have a false alarm all the way over.

I arrived in New York during the month of July, 1917-two years and a half from the time I decided to go abroad to the war zone to get some excitement. I got it, and no mistake. New York harbor and the old Statue of Liberty looked mighty good to me, you can bet.

So here I am, and sometimes I have to pinch myself to be sure of it. I certainly enjoy the food and warmth I get here, and except for an occasional pro-German I have no trouble with anybody. My wounds break open once in a while, and I am often bothered inside, on account of the gas I swallowed. They say I cannot get back into the service. It is tough to be knocked out before our own boys get into the scrap.

But I do not know. I am twentythree years old, and probably have a lot to live for yet. I ought to settle down and be quiet for a while, but comfortable as I am, I think I will

Its Lack.

"This is a big world drama which is

Accounting for It. "His wife made a man of him." "Maybe that is why he is seeing so much of the seamy side.

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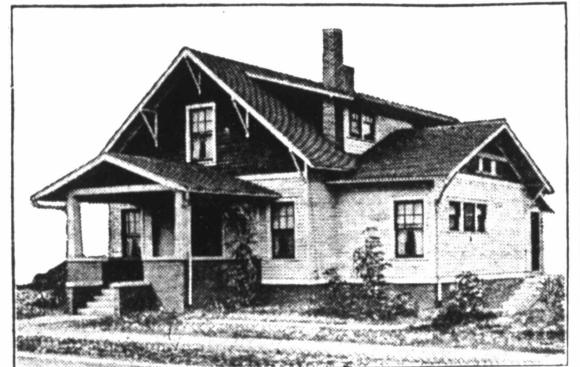
Greatest Difficulty is Experienced by the Builder Sometimes in Getting the Roof to Look Well.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD.

Mr. William A. Radford will answer uestions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as Editor, Author and Manufacturer, he s, without doubt, the highest authority all these subjects. Address all inquiries :o William A. Radford, No. 1827 Prairie svenue, Chicago, Ill., and only enclose hree-cent stamp for reply.

When additional room is desired In the home it is usually had by building on an addition. Care should be taken to get this to harmonize with the rest of the house. As a usual thing, in order to make it good looking. the line of windows (especially the should be in line with those of the older part of the house.

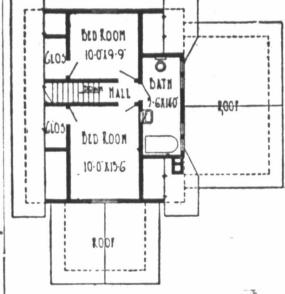
It is very necessary that the same size and kind of material be employed as near as possible—it looks absurd of the older part. A slight variation to see a clapboard extension on a is apt to occur, but use a wide shingle or brick house. Care should threshold and have the one edge rabbe taken to have no visible joints- | bited so it will fit over the joint level



so planned that it will not be necessary to go through one bedroom to reach another. The bathroom should also be located so that one does not need to go through a bedroom to reach it; just a little thought given to the planning will get it right.

To get the bathroom properly located there perhaps will be some waste space, but that can always be used for another closet, since the house with too many closets has never yet been invented.

The old house may have simply a living room and kitchen and no separate



Second Floor Plan.

dining room. If one is desired it can be had by an addition and using that as a dining room, or using the old kitchen or living room as the dining tops), belt courses, roof lines, etc., room and using the new addition as the kitchen or living room.

Attention to Floor Level.

Care must be taken to get the floor level in the extension the same as that

No Repentance.

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Alice--So Maude is divorced. I thought when she married in such haste that she would repent at leisure. Kat-Oh, there's no repentance in her case-she gets \$200 a month allmony.—Boston Transcript.

When Eaby is Teething GROVES BABY BOWEL MEDICINE will correct the Stomach and Bowel troubles. Perfectly harm-less. See directions on the bottle.

Sugar in the Philippines.

The Philippine islands are stead-(ly gaining in the production of raw sugar. From crops of 345,077 short tons ir. 1913, and of 408,339 tons in 1914, the crop of 1917 advanced to 425,-266 tens.

Keep clean inside as well as outside by taking a gentle laxative at least once a week, such as Doctor Pierce's Pieasant Pellets. Adv.

Should Have Plenty of Sugar. The sugar beet crop of 1918 is reported as 10 per cent greater than that of last year and the sugar cane crop about 25 per cent more than last

RELIABLE PRESCRIPTION FOR THE KIDNEYS

For many years druggists have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine.

It is a physician's prescription.

Swamp-Root is a strengthening medicine. It helps the kidneys, liver and bladder do the work nature intended they should do.

Swamp-Root has stood the test of years. It is sold by all druggists on its merit and it should help you. No other kidney medicine has so many friends. Be sure to get Swamp-Root and start

treatment at once. However, if you wish first to test this

reat preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.-Adv.

Very Much So.

"Has the circus strong man any dependents who claim exemption for him?"

"Why, he holds up the whole group." Genius Walks

HAARLEM OIL CAPSULES **IF YOUR BACK ACHES**

Are you nervous and irritable? Don't aches," especially backaches. They sleep well at night? Have a "dragged may be little now but there is no tellout," unrested feeling when you get ing how soon a dangerous or fatal disup in the morning? Dizzy spells? Bil- ease of which they are the forerunious? Bad taste in the mouth, back-| ners may show itself. Go after the ache, pain or soreness in the loins, cause of that backache at once, or you and abdomen? Severe distress when may find yourself in the grip of an inurinating, bloody, cloudy urine or sed- curable disease. iment? All these indicate gravel or stone in the bladder, or that the poisonous microbes, which are always in you with a box of GOLD MEDAL your system, have attacked your kid- Haarlem Oil Capsules. In 24 hours neys.

Haarlem Oil Capsules immediately. tinue to take one or two Capsules The oil soaks gently into the walls each day so as to keep in first-class and lining of the kidneys, and the lit- condition, and ward off the danger of tle poisonous animal germs, which are future attacks. Money refunded if causing the inflammation, are imme- they do not help you. Ask for the diately attacked and chased out of original imported GOLD MEDAL your system without inconvenience or brand, and thus be sure of getting the pain.

Do you feel tired and "worn-out?" | Don't ignore the "little pains and

Do not delay a minute. Go to your druggist and insist on his supplying you will feel renewed health and vigor. You should use GOLD MEDAL After you have cured yourself, congenuine.-Adv.

WHY BOXERS USE "YOUNG" among the fight writers in after years, for the reason that the Young Nibbs

Nefarious Practice Was Started by George Green-It is Bound to Lead to Confusion.

Who are those bright fellows who wish names on fighters? Can't we ever have a boxer start his career without stealing the name of some prominent scrapper and prefixing the overworked "Young?"

Instead of Phil Fishface or Hal Mc- fic Coast league pitcher and a brother Nutt. it must be Young Jabs or Young of "Gentleman Jim," one time heavy-Jolts. I believe the nefarious practice | weight champion of the world, is now was started by George Green, a California fighter, who adopted the name of Young Corbett because he was an Italy, in San Francisco. Jim was a admirer of the famous James J., says clerk in a bank before he took up boxa writer in an exchange. When ing, ultimately to defeat the pugilistic Green dropped out of sight William idol of the last century, John L. Sul-Rothwell, a featherweight from Den- livan. ver, took over the Young Corbett title.

He knocked out Terry McGovern and gained so much fame that since then nearly every gloveman beginning a career would select the name of some noted mittman and with the overworked "Young" in front of it. This is bound to lead to confusion and is likely to compete in France.

JOE CORBETT IS BANK CLERK Former Baseball Pitcher and Brothes of "Gentleman Jim," Enters on Business Career.

will soon drop the prefix and bear the

same name as the original Nibbs.

Joe Corbett, former National and Pactlearning the banking business as a member of the staff of the Bank of

Tour of Scandinavia.

ble among her neighbors.

A second tour of Scandinavian countries by a representative soccer team of players selected in the United States is contemplated. The team may also visit Holland, Spain and Portugal

If a girl really and truly loves a man | Happiness for many a woman deshe doesn't try to find out what the pends upon her ability to stir up trou-

-Those Cakes and Pastries will

be perfect if you use

vear.

foin the new part to the old so it will on both sides and the difference will look like one structure. It may cost never be noticed

a few dollars to do this, but it is worth It. If the house is clapboarded, take will lap into the old and there be no of shingles, brick or stone and stucco; get it all to match.

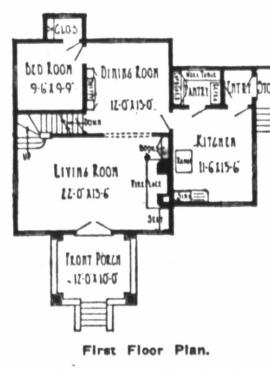
One must not make the mistake of treatments. mixing the architecture; you must carry it out on the lines of the old building if you want to have it look right.

Roof Sometimes Is Hardest.

The hardest part sometimes is the roof; in some cases it takes quite a bit of figuring to get it to look well, as some parts may cut off awkwardly. Of course, when an extension is roofed it should be with the same material as the original roof.

Sometimes a flat roof is used in connection with a pitched roof, and it can siding up to the second floor, and with be made attractive at that by some shingles the rest of the way to the simple means—a railing or balustrade roof. If the shingles are stained some joining the original roof often is the solution.

ing an extension is to gain one or produced is very pleasing. With the more bedrooms; quite often a bedroom is desired downstairs; mother is growing older and it will be easier for her



to be "downstairs." So what is more natural than to have that additional even just room for a water closet and way up in the middle of the house. lavatory? At the same time an addi-

A very interesting example of an extension to the side of a house where off the corner board and cut out pieces | there is a dormer is illustrated. Careof the old clapboards so that the new | ful attention was given to get the extension to harmonize with the design straight-line joint. The same is true of the house and this was successfully done, and a certain picturesqueness obtained in the different roof

> What is now a bedroom was the kitchen—no chimney was in this room, as gas was depended on for cooking; the closet was an entry.

Beveled siding, shingles and brick are used to finish the exterior of the house. The combination of these three materials does not produce a patchy finish, but they harmonize beautifully. The brick are used in the foundation walls from grade to the sills, and in the porch railing wall. The sides of the house are finished with beveled fairly dark tint and the beveled siding is painted some light color or white, The most frequent reason for add- with the window sash dark, the effect proper lawn, shrubs and vines to set off this house a very pleasant home may be established.

Interior Well Arranged.

The cozy interior arrangement is Low the most interesting feature of the home lover. The large living room is an excellent place for the family to gather in the evenings. A fireplace with a bookcase on one side and a seat on the other is built at one end of the room. The stair to the second floor starts from one corner of the living room. A cased opening leads to the dining room. The buffet is built along the wall to the left of the opening from the living room. The kitchen and pantry occupy a part of the house by themselves. Every convenience is included in the design of this part of the house. A special feature is the refrigerator iced from the little rear entry.

Two bedrooms and a bath are included in the second floor design. The bathroom is built into a dormer and is large and well lighted. The rooms are made independent without the loss of room downstairs, with a bathroom or a foot of space by bringing the stair-

ring costs. "Genius must ever walk alone." "Looks that way. 'Most everybody -Holiday Goodies! else can afford a car."

How's This? We offer \$100.00 for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Sold by druggists for over forty years. Price 75c. Testimonials free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

The Way of It.

"That man leads a very trying life." "Is he unfortunate?" "No; he's a judge."

Important to Mothers Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it



There is a heap of difference between the idle husband and the ideal one.

"The Always Reliable" FLOUR -HELIOTROPE, with its purity, whiteness and life will make

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it is easy to induce a young woman to strike a match.

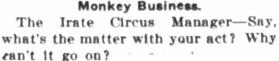
It's the toughest kind of luck to have your watch stolen when you are on your way to pawn it.

When a young man thinks he is entitled to a kiss the girl seldom thinks it necessary to arbitrate.

The more common our mercies, the more constant our thanksgiving should be.

Granulated Eyelids,

Eyes inflamed by expo-sure to Sun, Dust and Wind



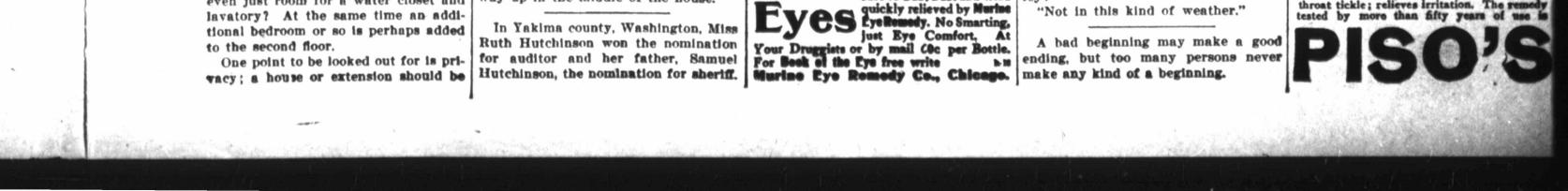
The Animal Trainer-But ze ape, sir, ze ape he again sprain ze arm looking at ze wrist watch ze clown geef heem. The I. C. M.-Bah, you are always throwing a monkey wrench into the machinery of this show!

His Trouble. "Has he difficulty in learning English?" "Indeed he has. His difficulty is prenounced."

Depends.

"Do you favor the open-door pollcy?" "Not in this kind of weather."





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Entered as second-class matter June 6, 1917, at the post office at Portales, N. M. under Act of March 3, 1879.
H. B. RYTHER, Manager
Published every Friday at Portales, New Mext ico, and devoted to the upbuilding of Roosevel- County, the garden spot of the Sunshine State.
One Year
A DEMOCRATIC NEWSPAPER
The Portales Piffle says: "The Santa Fe New Mexican says that the tax rolls of Roosevelt county

show that we have no burros or asses. The New Mexican is eminently correct. Roosevelt county's citizenship has not been recruited from Santa Fe or Santa Fe county."

You will note we said they weren't on the tax rolls. The gent will pardon us for saying we are now sure the assessor didn't do his duty in Roosevelt county.-Santa Fe New Mexican.



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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF ROOSEVELT COUNTY, NEW MEXICO. in the Matter of the Last Will and

Testament of Lois Bow, Deceased No. 165.

TO WHOM I'I MAY CONCERN Notice is hereby given that an instrument pur-porting to be the last will and testament of Lois probate court of Roosevelt County, New Mex-ico, and that by order of said court the fourth courthouse, in the Town of Portales, New Mex-ico, is the day, time and place set for hearing proof in support of said last will and testament. Therefore any person or persons wishing to enter objections to the probating of said last will and testament are hereby notified to file their objections in the office of the County Clerk of said County of Rocsevelt, on or before the time set for said hearing of said last with the land above de-scribed, before R. H. Grissom, U. S. Commis-sioner, at Elida, N. M., on the 14th day of Feb-ruary, 1919. Claimant names as witnesses: John W. Stigall, James W. Jewell. James H. time set for said hearing. Dated at Portales, New Mexico, this the 8th

day of January, 1919. (seal) Seth A. Morrison, County Clerk GOODWIN, Deputy

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

013238 Department of the Interior. U. S. land office at Ft. Summer, N. M., January 11th, 1919. Notice is hereby given that Henry J. Bollen, of Inez, N. M., who. on Dec. 1st, 1915, made homestead entry No. 013238, for southwest quarter, section 20, township 3 south. rarge 37 east, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of in-tention to make final three year proof to estab-lish claim to the land above described, before lish claim to the land above described, before James A. Hall, U. S. Commissioner. in his of-fice at Portales, N. M., on the 27th day of Feb.,

Claimant names as witnesses: Jem Wagnon, of Clovis, N. M., Cleve Wilson, of Clovis, N. M., Polk Williams, of Inez, N. M., Arlone Givens, of Arch, N. M. W. R. McGill, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., Dec. 9, 1918. at Roswell, N. M., Dec. 9, 1918. Notice is hereby given that Joe Addie Hill, of Lingo, N. M., who, on Sept 13, 1915, made homestead entry 032850 for southeast quarter, south half north half section 31, township 7 south, range 38 east. and on June 12, 1918, made additional homestead entry for lots 1, 2, south half northeast quarter, southeast quarter, sec-tion 1, township 8 south. range 37 east, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Will A. Palmer, U. S. Commissioner, at Emzy, N. M., on the 25th day Commissioner, at Emzy, N. M., on the 25th day

Claimant names as witnesses: Thomas J. Keller. of Allie, N. M., Robert L. Finley. of Bluit, N. M., Joseph E. Alexander, of Bluit, N. M., Walton T. Bankston, of Bluit, N. M. EMMETT PATTON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

043919 Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, Dec. 21, 1918. Notice is hereby given that Matthew R. Rol-ston, of Milnesand, N. M., who, on June 15, 1918. made homestead entry No. 043919, for west half section 25, township 8 south, range 36 east, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James A. Hall, U. S. Commissioner, at Portales, N. M., on the 3rd day of February, 1919.

Claimant names as witnessess: Arch L. Gregg, Portales, N. M.: Jess M. Mc-Cormack, of Portales, N. M.; Sam Rogers, Mil-nesand, N. M.: Richard O. Rogers, of Milnesand, EMMETT PATTON, Register. N. M.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

033563 porting to be the last will and testament of Lois Bow, deceased, has been filed for probate in the probate court of Roosevelt County, New Mex. O, and that by order of said court the fourth ico, and that by order of said court the fourth oay of March, 1919, at the hour of one o'clock, p. m., at the office of said probate court, at the courthouse, in the Town of Portales, New Mex-ico is the daw time, and place ast for bearing

John W. Stigall, James W. Jewell. James H. Henderson, Tony C.Jewell, all of Richland, N.M. EMMETT PATTON, Register.

And certainly the assessor of Santa Fe county overlooked a bet else would the "Scissor Bill" of the Santa Fe Cork Screw long ago have been sold for taxes.

Commissioners' Proceedings Portales, New Mexico, January 2nd, 1919.

At a called meeting of the board of county commissioners of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, held on the above date, the following were present, to-wit: John S. Pearce, chairman, and Chas. S. Toler, who had been elected at the November, 1918, commissioner of third district of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, appeared in court, and having qualified as such commissioner law, was duly seated as commissioner of said district. Seth A. Morrison, clerk.

It is ordered by the board that John W. Ballow, office extwelve hundred fifty (\$1250.00) Dollars, out of salary fund, and Burl Johnson. salary 4th one hundred forty-eight Dollars and ninety-eight cents (\$148.98) Joe Boren, salary and drayout of bond and interest fund, be transferred to credit of general county fund.

The following official bonds were received, examined and approved: Bond of C S. Foler, commissioner 3rd district - \$5,000.00 Seth A. Morrison, record-Bond of John W Ballow. county treasurer - \$67,500.00 cate, 4th quarter 1918....\$ 6 30 Bond of A. L. Gregg, sheriff and ex officio collector of license - - - - \$5,000.00 R. H. Grissom, register of Bond of A. L. Gregg, sheriff - - - - \$5,000.00 Bond of Burl Johnson, assessor - - - - \$2,000.00 Charles H. Sims, register Bond of Sam J. Stinnett, county supt. of schools \$2,000 00 L.W. Drake, judge of elec-Bond of Seth A. Morrison, county clerk and ex-officio probate clerk - - \$5,000 00 tion precinct 2..... 2 00 Bond of Seth A. Morrison, county clerk and ex-officio clerk Dist. clerk - \$5,000.00 Z. T. Campbell, clerk of

warrants in payment of same. and given bond as required by W. H. Braley, supplies...\$ 4 50 E. C. Price, register and Leach Coal Co., coal..... 145 41 judge of election precinct 4

John W. Ballow, salary 4th quarter 1918 600 00 E. M. Kornegay, expense to Santa Fe, arrest of Seth A. Morrison, salary 4th qr. 1918..... 600 00 Seth A. Morrison, office expense 4th qr. 1918..... 28 43 ing birth and death certifi-Joe Beasley, register of election precinct $1.\ldots 500$ election precinct 2..... 5 00 J. A. Correll, clerk of F. C. Ruckman, register of

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election, precinct 5..... precinct 5..... H. C. Scruggs, clerk election, precinct 5 R. F. Long, register and judge of election, precinct 6..... T. H. Brooks, register of election, precinct 6..... R. C. Marshall, register and judge of election, precinct 6 election, precinct 7..... E. M. Trammell, judge of election, precinct 7 W. W. Ridgway, clerk of Mrs. W. A. Palmer, delivering ballot box, precinct 7..... M. S Gresham, register and judge of election and delivering poll book and ballot box, precinct 8 9 60

returned ballot box precinct

J.I. Jones, clerk of election

E. R. Wright, clerk of

E. Eastwood, register and

W. M. Sherwood, register

John T. Coleman, clerk

election, precinct 5....

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NOTICE OF ITUITIES'S Sale

Whereas, James H. Fletcher and Ruth Fletcher, his wife, and R. T. Fletcher and Leapha Fletcher, his wife, of the County of Jefferson. State of Oklahoma, did execute and deliver a certain deed of trust bearing date the 20th day of September, 1915, to James A. Hall.as trustee, for the benefit and security of Max Buchmann of Alamosa, in the State of Colorado, which deed of trust was recorded in the office o the County Clerk of the County of Roosevelt, State of New Mexico, on the 6th day of October 1915, in book one of trust deeds, at page seven thereof; and

Whereas, default has been made by the said and R. T. Fletcher and Leapha Fletcher, his wife, and by their assigns as well, in the pay-ment of the prommissory note and interest cou nent of the provided of trust, and the said Max Buchmann, the legal holder of said note and interest coupons did, on the 11th day of October 1918, demand that said trustee, Jamas A. Hall, should forthwith proceed to sell the lands, tenements and hereditaments in said deed of rust described

Now, therefore, pursuant to the said request. and in accordance with the terms and under the authority of the said deed of trust, the said James A. Hall. as such trustee, does hereby give notice that on the third day of February, 1919, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the northeast front door of the court house in the town of Portales, County of Roossvelt. State of New Mexico, he will sell at lawful money of the United States of America. all that certain piece, parcel, tract, and lot of Mexico, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

The northeast quarter [NE 14] of northwest quarter [NW 1.4]: northwest quarter [NW 1.4 of northeast quarter [NE 1.4]: south half [S 1.2] of northeast quarter [NE 1-4]: south half (S 1-2)of northeast quarter [NE 1-4]: south east quarter [SE 14]: and southeast quarter [SE 1-4] of southwest quarter [SW 1-4], all in section twelve (12); and the northeast quarter (NE 1-4) of the northwest quarter [NW 1-4) and north half (N 1-2) of the northeast quarter (NE 1-4) 6 75 2 00half (N 1-2) of the northeast quarter (NE 1-4), all in section thirteen (13), all being in township two (2) south of range thirty four (34) east of $2 \ 00$ New Mexico Meridian, containing four hundred eighty (480) acres.

Dated the second day of January, 1919. JAMES A. HALL, Trustee, Portales, New Mexico

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

013123 Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office 2 00at Fort Sumner, N. M., Jany. 16th, 1919. 2 00 Notice is bereby given that Charles F. Mar-ahall, of Longs. N. M., who, on Sept. 15'h, 1916, made homestead entry, number. 013123, for

northeast quarter, section 21, township 4 south range 34 east New Mexico Principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to $2 \ 00$ make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James A. Hall, U. S. Commissioner, in his office at Por-tales, N. M. on the 1st, day of March, 1919, 5 00

Claimant names as witnesses: Charles T. Battle, of Redlake, N. M., Albert J. Burkett, of Redlake, N. M., George L. Reese, of Redlake, N. M., Robert C. Marshall, of Rogers, N. M. W. R. McGILL, Register. 3 00

ballot box, precinct 9... 6 00 5 00 J. H. Reeves, judge of 200election, precinct 9.... 2 00 I. L. Bow, clerk of election, precinct 9.... 2 002 00 M. T. Hill, judge of election, precinct 9.... 2 00election, precinct 7 ... 2 00 S. F. Anderson, register and judge of election, precinct 11..... 5 00W. L. Anderson, clerk of 1 80 election, precinct 11.... 2 00C. C. Maxwell, register election and (delivering Longs box), precinct 11 5 50

(SEAL) J. S. PEARCE, Chairman.

NOTICE OF PENDENGY OF SUIT

The state of New Mexico, To A. M. Halford, Elizabeth Cochran, Marietta Ferrell, Charles Halford, Daniel Halford. Benjamin F. Halford Silas B. Halford, Lizzie Halford, Nannie May Halford, Eddie Haltord, Pearl Billingsly, John B Halford, Myrtle Halford, Willie May Halford, Mead Halford, all unknown heirs at law of James B, Halford, deceased, and all other persons having any interest in the premises. Defendants, greeting.

You are hereby notified that suit has been filed aga!nst you, and each of you, in the district court of the Fifth judicial district of the state of New Mexico, in and for Rooseve't county. wherein the above named parties, and Mary J Malford and James B. Halford, Jr. are detend James H. Fletcher and Ruth Fletcher, his wife, ants, and J. H. Halford is plaintiff said cause be ing numbered 1439 upon the civil docket of said court. The general objects of said action are as follows: The plaintiff, J. H. Halford, as administrator of the estates of James B. Halford de ceased, alleges that James B. Halford died on the twenty second day of February, 1918, and that he, the said J. H. Halford, is the duly appointed qualified and acting administrator the partnership estate of the said deceased, that he and the deceased were partners at the time

of the death of the deceased and for some time prior thereto, that he as said administrator has sold all the personal estate of said deceased be longing to said partnership. which said personal estate brought the sum of \$405.00, that the claims and accounts against said estate allowed by the probate court of said county amount to the sum of 529.22, and that the outstanding accounts not allowed, and the expenses of administration wil public auction to the highest bidder, for current amount to the sum of approximately \$377.00 that said deceased. at the time of his death owned an undivided one-half interest, and title land, with the appurtemances, situated, lying and in and to the west half of section thirty six in being in the County of Roosevelt, State of New township six south of range thirty five east of the New Mexico meridian, New Mexico, that said real estate is incumbered by a mortgage for the sum of \$1000.00. that the personal estate, and the proceeds thereof are wholly insufficient to pay off and discharge the debts allowed, and to be paid, against said estate, and the plaintiff pray

that the court order the interest of the deceased in and to said real estate sold for the purpose of paying off and settling of said debts against his estate, and that the partnership estate of the de-ceased be settled and closed, and for general relief. You are further notified that unless you, the said defendants enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 27th day of January. 1919. the plaintiff will take judgment against you and each of you, by default, and will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint, You are further notified that George L. Reese is attorney for the plaintiff and that his post office address is Portales, N. M. Witness my hand and the seal of said court on Witness my hand and the sear of this the third day of December 1918, SETH A. MORRISON, County Clerk.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

012384 Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office t Fort Sumner, New Mexico, January 17, 1919 Notice is hereby given that Arch E. Merrick of Causey, New Mexico, who, on June 8th, 1915 made homestead entry No. 012384 for southeast quarter, section 33, township 4 south. range 37 east. N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, be-fore James A. Hall, U. S. Commissioner, in his office at Portales, N. M., on the 28th day of Feby., 1919,

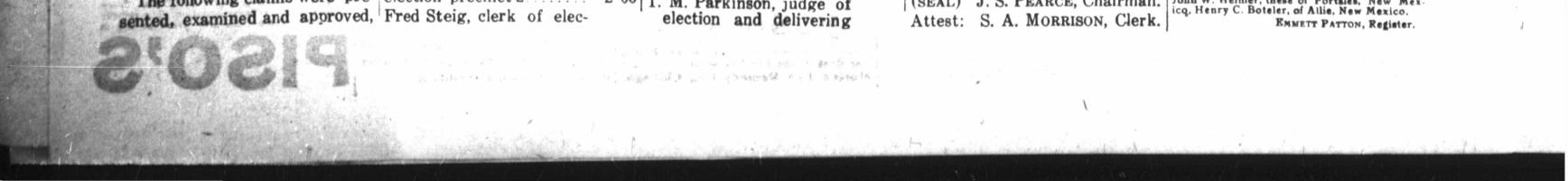
Claimant names as witnesses: Walter Slone, of Causey, N. M., Benjamin J. Bates, of Inez. N. M., Benjamin N. Hill, of Causey, N. M., William Croft, of Causey, N. M W. R. McGill, Register

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office t Roswell, New Mexico. January 20, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that George W.Jaquess, of Allie, New Mexico, who, on November 17, 1915, made homestead entry 033203 for south half southeast q arter section 31, township 6 south, range 37 east, and on October 20, 1918, made additional homestead entry No. 044070, for west half northwest quarter section 5, and northeast quarter, section 6, township 7 south, range 37 east, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James A. Hall. U. S. Commissioner, at Portales, New Mexico, on the 19th day of March. 1919. Claimant names as witnesses:

Mayburn O. Danforth, William E. Bromley, John W. Helmer, these of Portales, New Mex-icq, Henry C. Boteler, of Allie, New Mexico.



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or will trade for 3d or 4th Liberty Loan Bonds. 80A of land, the east half of the Remus E. Ruby homestead near the old Causey P. O. Face value for bonds. Price \$450.

Hamilton, Conn.

For Sale

Kafir corn bundles, good heads, 15c per bundle at my place, 8 miles southeast. Also have three good young Jersey cows, all with young calves, will sell at a bargain. -B. W. Miller.

Freeze-Proof will keep your radiators from freezing this kind of weather.

For all kinds of

Sanitary

see me or 'phone 70.

Keep your premises clean and conform to the ordinance. Work under supervision of the city officers.

> T. B. BAKER, Sanitary Officer.

JAMES A. HALL

Attorney At Law **U. S. Commissioner**

Homestead Applications, Final Proofs, Etc. Office in Howard Block, Phone 60

DUDLEY B. WILLIAMS, M.D.

Office in rear of First National Bank. office phone No. 60, residence phone No. 90. Calls answered day and night. PORTALES, NEW MEXICO

Baptist Church Announcement Sunday, January 26, will be We shall have our services my last service as pastor of the next Sunday and you are corchurch and I would like to have dially invited to worship with us. all members present. I have The male quartette which was something to say that will be good received so kindly last Sunday for them to near. May I see you will sing at both preaching ser-J. B. HATCHETT, Owner. all, members, friends and ac- vices next Sunday. Come and quaintances at church on that hear them. These are the hours day. Cordially.

W. W. TURNER, Pastor.

Come to Church

Sheriff Arch Gregg returned Thursday from the Toler community where he had been looking after official business.

J. M. Koll, brother of Mrs. Bessie Kohl, and of Mr. Harry Koll. arrived from Telluride, Colorado, for a visit. This is the first meeting between brother and sister for a period of more than twenty years and naturally, Of k it was a happy one.

Ranch for Sale

I have a good ranch to sellplenty of water and good grass, about twenty miles from R. R.; about a section of land heavy timber around headquarters, the rest prairie land. Will sell so as a man can run from five hundred well pleased with the business to a thousand head of cattle and sell it at a bargain, and give five this place. per cent commission to the man whe sells this ranch first. Write or see. Address.

> W. O. DUNLAP. Dunlap, New Mexico.

FOR SALE-My home place one mile southwest of the court

for the services: Sunday School at 10 a.m.

Morning warship at 11 a.m., subject "Cords and Stakes."

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B. Y. P. U. at 6:15 p.m. Evening services at 7 p.m.

Our prayer meetings are held svery Wednesday evening at 7

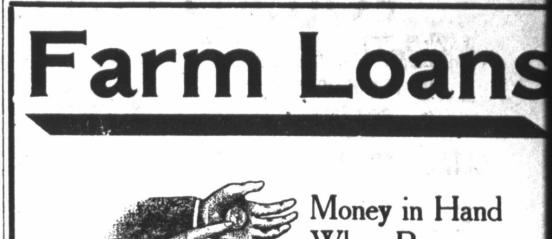
o'clock. For the next few Wednesday nights we shall prepare especially for our meeting by studying together "Winning to Christ." All Sunday school teachers who wish to do so may take this as one of the books in the Sunday school course and get a seal for the study.

LEON M. GAMBRELL, Pastor.

J. Frank Joyce, auditor for the Joyce-Pruit stores, was in Portales the first of the week looking over the business of the stores here. He appears to be and with things in general at

Coe Howard left Sunday morning for Santa Fe to be in attendance at the state legislature, of which he was elected a representative from this county.

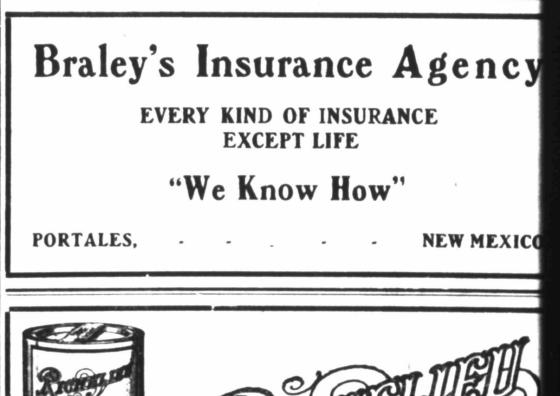
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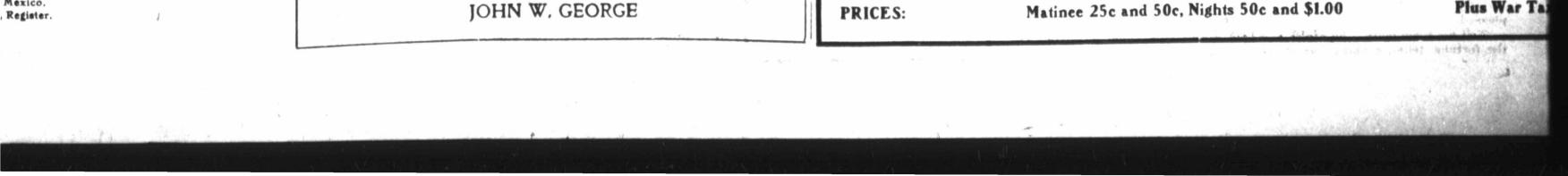
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HOW SUBS WERE FOILED IS TOLD

Used to Make Our Shipping Safe.



Official of United States Shipping **Board Describes Convoy's Activity** From Time It Left New York,

New York .-- With the need of secrecy ended by the cessation of fighting "on land, on sea and in the air" the methods used to baffle the Hun submarines have been revealed by officers of the United States shipping board. They made public the details of convoy management and the proper camouflaging of grouped ships to make their destruction by undersea craft difficult.

One of the officers begins his description of a convoy's activity from the time it left the port of New York.

"Once we were out in the stream," he says, "we headed down the channel for the lightship, beyond which our convoy and escorts were waiting for us. All were slowly under way when we reached them. The ships of different columns took their places, and after a few minutes' confusion, and lively work on the signal halyards the other ships of the convey got into place.

"Guarded above by dirigibles, hydroplanes and anchored balloons, and on the surface by a fleet of patrol boats as well as our ocean escort, we proceeded, and America soon dropped below the western horizon,

"As in the army we have turned back to medieval helmets and armor, so on the water we have turned to medieval naval tactics; but instead of convoys of Spanish galleons and frigates of the seventeenth century from were American transports and de-

Camouflage and Big Convoys find, there was only one. That is, the Hun had only one chance of meeting was reported near. a ship where he had 25 before. And if he did meet the convoy he found tacle than that of a convoy of steamit usually with a naval escort, whose ships plowing along through the midsole business was sinking submarines. dle of the ocean streaked and bespot-He found, too, 25 lookouts on watch

ted indiscriminately with every color for him, 25 sets of guns ready for him, of the rainbow. where there were but one each before. "The effect of good camouflage was "The usual convoy formation was in remarkable. I have often looked at a columns in a rough square. This was fellow ship in the convoy on our the most compact, and the inside ships quarter on exactly the same courses were practically immune from attack. we were, but on account of her camou-The escorts circled the convoy, if flage she appeared to be making right necessary, and the outside ships confor us on a course at least forty-five centrated their fire on any submarine degrees different from the one she was that appeared. actually steering.

"Convoys were made up at different speeds, and even the rustlest old tramps were provided for in a six-knot class.

"In spite of this, some captains' im- be fooled.

agination always tacked a couple of "Each nation seemed to have a charknots to their ship's speed. There acteristic type of camouflage, and aftseemed to be a nautical version of er a little practice you could usually 'Home, Sweet Home'—'be it ever so spot a ship's nationality by her style humble, there's no ship like mine,' and of camouflage long before you could vessels making nine knots on Broad- make out her ensign."

CANADA REBORN AS WAR RESULT

Toronto.-It is a new Canada that | is not a phrase of empty words. Charthe conflict in 1914.

More than 50,000 of her sons lie in of war should be the capture of Mons soldiers' graves in Europe. Three by the Canadian corps. No Canadian, times that number have been more or when he heard that it was reserved less incapacitated by wounds. The cost of the war in money is estimated to be already \$1,100,000,000.

These are not light losses for a country of 8,000,000 people. Fortunately. there is also a credit side.

Canada has "found herself" in this

emerges from the world war-a nation acteristic of all that has gone before transformed from that which entered is the fact that the last act before the

"The deception was remarkable even

under such conditions as these, and of

course a U-boat, with its hasty limited

observation, was much more likely to

curtain was rung down on the drama to Canadians to retrieve the great tragedy to the original British army in August, 1914, but felt his pulse jump and the red blood surge through his veins.

These boys who went from Canadian firesides, who never heard the jangle the new world to the old, our convoys war. She has discovered not merely of a sword previous to 1914, in the last the gallantry of her soldiers, but the four months have met the flower of brains and capacity and efficiency of the German army, vaunting warriors "It is not hard to see why the con- her whole peop. In every branch, in who had given their lifetime to prep this period met in succession and vanquished by four divisions from Canada.



Something New Under the Sun: Woman Gun-Fighter

L OS ANGELES.—The last of the Jones-Lewis bandit gang has been wiped out in the suburb of Arcadia. Their murderous performances match those of the bandits who terrorized the western country after the Civil war. In one

amazing feature, however, this gang outdid the old-time bandits—a woman gun-fighter, twenty years old, who fought beside her husband to the death. Dale Jones, her husband, was but twenty-one. He began his criminal career in 1914 at Los Angeles by stealing an automobile. His murderous depredations have ranged from the Pacific coast to Indiana. He was a leader, if not the head, of a gang which killed without hesitation. Certainly he and his wife were the gunmen of the gang.



Deputy Sheriffs Van Vliet and Anderson found Jones and his wife and their automobile at night in front of a supply station. "Throw up your hands!" they shouted, covering the pair with sawed-off shotguns.

Jones, appearing to comply, drew an automatic pistol from a special pocket and mortally wounded Van Vliet with his first shot. His second missed. Anderson, who sprang into the shadows. Jones crouched behind the machine and began firing. His wife got into the car, emptied her revolver and took up a rifle.

Thereupon Anderson, who had balked at killing a woman, sent one of his two loads of buckshot into her body, which crumpled up over the steering wheel.

Jones, seeing his wife dead, left cover and headed for Anderson, firing, as he went. The deputy gave him the other charge of buckshot in the head.

"Isn't That Funny?" Says Louis. It Surely Is

↑ RAND RAPIDS, MICH.-Louis Latega, 339 Bridge street, is home again U after quite an interesting experience in Chicago. Louis was walking down State street in the Windy City looking in windows waiting for train time and



marveling in his own mind how feathers and furs can cost so much. Pretty soon he saw a man leading a crying man up the street.

"His brother is very rich," said the man leading the weeping man.

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"For that should he cry?" "His brother is dying and he himself will soon be very rich," said the stranger.

'And he cries?" asked Louis.

strovers.

voy system was effective. Take the arms, in industry, in finance, she has aration. Divisions totaling one-fourth case of a convoy of 25 ships (72 is the had to measure her wits against the of the entire German army were in largest number I've heard of in one world, and in no case has Canada reaconvoy; our mate told me of being son to be other than gratified. caught in a 72-ship convoy in a sailing ship in the Bay of Biscay). When of the gallantry and endurance and these ships went in convoy instead of brains of her boys at the front not the there being 25 different units scattered half has yet been told. "The most all over the 'zone' for the U-boats to | formidable fighting force in Europe"

Of the glory that is Canada's because

AMUSEMENT FOR WOUNDED TOMMIES AT DEAL



These Tommies, who have done their part nobly in the victorious struggle against the Hun, are seen here showing great interest in the fine codling caught by Mrs. McHutchins, winner of the ladies' sea angling competition at Deal.

Nor have the people at home been agging behind the boys at the front in courage, resourcefulness and efficiency. The development of Canada's war industry is an industrial romance of front rank. American government officials can testify to the efficiency of the manufacturing plant Canada has built up in four short years. In department after department, where they found American industry failed them, they were able to turn to Canada. The full story may be revealed some day. In finance, Canada before the war was always a borrower and expected to be so for many years to come. But for a year and a half Canada in finance has been "on her own." More than that, she has been furnishing large credits to other nations.

Having triumphed over the soultesting crises of war, Canada faces an era of peace with more than confidence -with buoyancy.

A vast program of reconstruction and of development awaits. The country is eager to get at it and is impatient for the government to give the word. Public works of tremendous importance, silent since 1914, are awaiting labor soon to be available. Shipbuilding, railway equipment, steel production and many other industries will, under proper direction, go forward with a bound.

A Canadian commission under Lloyd Harris, fresh from Washington, is headed for Europe for the purpose of securing orders for Canadian industries for the reconstruction of Europe.



"Sure, he cries," said the stranger. "He is crying because while he has so-

much money he has got no money at all. He has his brother's money, thousands of dollars of it, but he can't spend a cent of it. He can't even pay for a doctor for himself, and he is sick. Now, if he could borrow some money for a few days he could give his brother's money for security."

"I've got a little money," said Louis.

"He will give you \$3 for each \$1 you will loan him," said the man wholed the weeper. The weeper choked his sobs and nodded assent.

"I've got \$1,100, but it is in a bank in Grand Rapids," said Louis.

Louis came to Grand Rapids and got it all. He took it to Chicago, and they met him at the train, the stranger and the sobbing man. The sobbing man felt better. Louis was coming to his help.

"I don't see how in the world they did it, but they did," says Louis. "They took my money and their money, thousands of dollars of it! They counted it all out right in front of my nose. They nailed it all up in a box and gave me the box. When I opened the box there wasn't anything in it but paper.

"I saw 'em put the money in and I saw 'em nail up the box. Isn't that funny?"

"How Comes It Such Little Legs and Big Body?"

↑ HICAGO.--"H-m-m-m!" exclaimed Policeman Emil Harder, or words to U that effect. "How comes it such little legs have such a big body?" Then Policeman Harder squinted again. It was an odd sight. Here was a wee bit of a fellow whose body was round, like

a ball, and the front protruded in a most extraordinary manner.

Behind the first came another little boy with a large sack on his back. He looked like Atlas holding up the world or a Prussian soldier going home with his loot. The kids were moving away from the Clark street bridge as fast as they could stagger and weave along under their loads.

Policeman Harder took his catch to the central station. When little Leo

Holtz, eight years old, 1137 North Branch street, caught sight of the redheaded sergeant he forgot to hold onto his burdened stomach and through some opening in his clothes out flew a pigeon. It fluttered about the police station and alighted.

Leo did not smile. He stood solemn and dignified. Pigeon after pigeon made its exit from his garments. The coppers began to snicker.

With each bird's flight his circumference grew less-it diminished as a rubber balloon might slowly go down.

When the collapse was complete the police turned to Casimir Stazalka. ten years old, 1049 West Chicago avenue, who carried the sack.

'What's in there?" demanded the red-headed sergeant.

"Chickens," said Casimir.

"Where did you kids get all these birds" he asked.

"Me an' my brother and Casimir and two other boys I don't know got 'emoff of a truck standing on the Clark street bridge," said little Leo, now reduced by a couple of dozen pigeons.

Are Women of Denver Entitled to an Apology?

D ENVER.—Arise, you sons of Ananias, and salute your king! Go yet forth, you villfiers of womankind, and beg pardon of your fair sisters, for Denver girls insist they are not bow-legged. When Dame Fashion and Madame



Conservation decreed shorter skirts fastidious men immediately began tospread the charge that the underpinnings of most girls were marked by a slight curvature. Now, 'tis said, nine out of ten appear to possess knees which stand at least several inches apart.

The libel is declared, even by women, not to be altogether groundless. inasmuch as a great many young

Red Cross Worker Tells Fortunes read for the wounded soldier a coming for Boys.

Relieves the Monotony for Wounded Yankee Soldiers in the

Hospitals.

By GERTRUDE ORR.

"You will receive a letter in a few days which will bring you good news to receive a present, from a ladyblonde, whom you are going to meet."

"Trust Hefty, there, to meet the blondes," drawled a lanky Southerner, and the group of interested soldiers clustered about the fortune teller shouted in. chorus, "Oh, oui! He's there with the blondes !"

day of good luck when muddy trenches, shivering nights under bombardment and aching shrapnel wounds would be forgotten except as a hale of hard work well done to crown the days of

peace with content. The gipsy, in her scarlet kerchief, has always plied her trade profitably. An American Red Cross worker, in a Paris hospital, has discovered that the scarlet kerchief is not a necessary requisite for drawing a clientele. She just to while away an hour for a boy who had begun to lose interest in getting well. He was restless and weary For four months he had been lying in the same bed; other patients had come and gone.

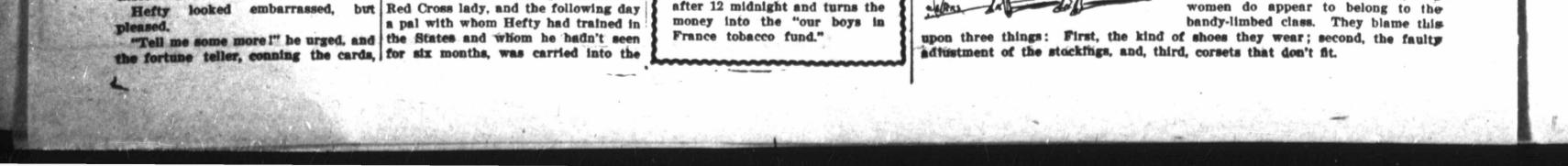
"You're going to have an interesting adventure tomorrow," predicted the

ward and placed in the bed beside him. SHE KEEPS 'EM HAPPY "She's a wiz," announced Hefty to the ward, and the Red Cross lady found herself swamped with demands for seances. She sees only happiness and good fortune ahead and the convalescents, with a new interest in life. find the days go less slowly when something good awaits them just around the corner.

> They know it's good luck because "The Red Cross lady says so-she saw it in the cards."

MAKES "NIGHT OWLS" DIG FOR SMOKE FUND

Seattle .-- A number of the regular roomers in the hotel Virginia here have a habit of coming in after midnight. The landlady, Mrs. Clarke, now fines each one of her roomers who arrives





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Our Part in Feeding the Nation

(Special Information Service United States Department of Agriculture.) MORE CENTRAL BODIES OF FARMER'S URGED.



Members of a County Farm Bureau Discussing Seed Corn With the County Agent.



One of Country's Needs, Says Secretary of Agriculture in **Recent Statement.**



War Proved Power of Organizations That Plan Farm Work in Communities-More Than a Million Members Enrolled. One of the points of strength in America's agricultural organization has been found during the war to be central organizations of farmers to plan and develop the best methods of farming for their region. That these organizations are to be of even greater usefulness in the era of peace is indicated in a recent statement addressed by the secretary of agriculture to the farmers and agricultural forces of the United States. As one thing that seems clear, the secretary noted the need of perfecting the organization of agricultural agencies for the purpose of intelligently executing such a program as may seem wise. "We should not only have the best possible organization and co-operation of the department of agriculture, the agricultural colleges, the state de Bulletin 941, "Water Systems for partments of agriculture and farmers' | Farm Homes," recently issued by the associations," said the secretary, "but United States department of agriculwe should especially strengthen the ture. local farm bureaus and other organizations which support so effectively deep or expensive well, and who is the extension forces and assist them uncertain of the depth and the quanin their activities. The perfecting of tity or quality of the water likely to this organization is highly desirable, be encountered, should describe fully not only during the continuance of the location and conditions of his the present abnormal conditions, but project to national or state geological also for the future. The local, as authorities and ask for advice. Times well as the state and federal agen- without number, wells have been sunk cies, are of supreme importance to the to great depths in the belief that nation in all its activities designed to eventually a plentiful supply would make rural life more profitable, be reached, only to find that water healthful and attractive, and, there- was not there, or that it was unfit for fore, to secure adequate economic use, or that a mere hole or sump had production, efficient distribution and necessary conservation."

alike, and acting as a clearing house for every other association interested in work with rural people. Its primary purposes are:

(1) To bring to the agent the counsel and advice of the best farmers in the county as to what ought to be done and how to do it.

(2) To provide an organization for easily and quickly reaching every community in the county with information of value to that community or to the county as a whole.

(3) To provide a plan for organized self-help, enlisting the co-operation of all farmers interested in carrying out a county agricultural program of work.

Membership is open to all residents of the county directly interested in agriculture, men and women alike. A small membership fee (usually \$1) is



-Shakespeare.

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A FEW ROYAL CHRISTMAS PRES-

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The present coming from the farm

decorate the gift basket. A tiny glass

a plant, or a bit of needlework.

Experience teaches us what fools we have been, but unfortunately it doesn't prevent us from repeating.

EMERGENCY DISHES.

A most delicious pie which may be quickly prepared, providing you have

bage head through the meat chopper. | milk and egg; the flavor will make it Mince a 2-inch square of salt pork in most appetizing. There will be small small cubes and fry a golden brown. bits of meat that may be put through burden our friends with Pour the boiling hot fat with half of the meat chopper added to two cupfuls When one is fortunate enough to bage with a small shredded onion (the fat until brown; a big ripe tomato and live on a farm the gifts to town friends onion may be put through the chopper baked for a hot supper dish. This is with the cabbage); stir and mix well; a most tasty dish if well and properly add plenty of salt and a few dashes of seasoned. Cayenne, salt and pepper, a brace of wild game, fruit and a few cayenne pepper. In the frying pan should be used quite freely. This sure-

box of cookies, a glass or two of jelly, ing hot. Set in the warming oven until ready to serve. Tomatoes With Corn.-Stew down a is not to be despised. A tiny Christ- pint of tomatoes with one minced

mas tree taken from the woods and onion and a sprig of parsley; season potted will be a most welcome gift to well and put in layers in a baking dish those who live away from growing with canned corn. Cover with butclose many a bit of green or color to browned.

Fifteen-Minute Pudding.-Just beof jelly in a small basket to fit it, tied fore dishing up the dinner put on the with a sprig of partridge berry or following pudding to cook: it will be wintergreen, is such a welcome gift to ready to serve in plenty of time for the invalid. A quaint little jar filled the dessert: Take one cupful of siftwith jam, tied up with a festive bow, ed flour, a little salt and a teaspoonful poles to soil them they will be light, of baking powder; mix well and add fluffy and full of ozone when dry.



When a fellow knows his business, he doesn't have to explain to people that he does. It isn't what a man knows but what he thinks he knows that he brags about. Big talk means little knowledge.

HELPFUL HINTS.

When buying fowl remember that a large one is more economical to buy

> than a small one, as the proportion of meat to the bone is greater. If the fowl is roasted with stuffing a four-pound fowl will serve five. Then the white meat which is left may be carefully cut to serve as cold meat or in sand-

wiches. The bones are covered with cold water and simmered on the back take the place of the part of the stove a day or two after, prunes, but these make an especially and with rice or barley make a most nourishing soup for two or three. Cabbage Salad .--- Put a small cab- This soup may be pieced out by adding the browned bits of pork over the cab- of boiled rice, a slice of onion fried in vegetables in the Christmas basket heat enough vinegar to moisten the ly is enough to expect from one fowl, while mother and the girls will add a salad; pour this over the cabbage boil- yet these are but suggestive of a few ways to make meat go as far as possible.

When laundering madras curtains, instead of putting on a stretcher while still wet, put on the curtain rod and also run a rod in the lower hem. Hang one at a time at an open window and things. A walk in the woods will dis- tered crumbs and bake until well stretch the desired width. This is a method especially good for barred curtains as they are sure to hang even.

> A windy, bright day is the best to wash and dry blankets and bedding, especially down quilts. With a long line, a good sweep of wind and no

A fern dish with a violet plant, he- enough rich milk to make a drop bat- A small piece of felt glued into the

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the cooked prunes, is the following: Bake a good rich shell and fill it with stewed, chopped prunes, topped with whipped cream 'sweetened and flavored. Canned fruit of various kinds may

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Supporting County Agent Work.

The county organizations, known as county councils, county bureaus of agriculture, or farm bureaus, often employ a county and a home demonstration agent and aid them in their work. They usually are composed of farmers and others in the county interested in agriculture.

At present there are more than 1,000,000 farmers who are members of organizations assisting the county agent in his work.

In the South.

In the South special emphasis is laid upon community organizations of farmers. These are increasing rapmen, women and children. The tendency and general policy of the work in most of the Southern states is gradually to form central county orto deal, in co-operation with the county agents, with such problems as are the vicinity of subterranean waters. county-wide in their nature.

Farm Bureaus in the North.

In the Northern and Western states ever will be required to feed the addthe county organization is usually ed millions of mouths that have come known as a farm bureau. The under our protection.

charged.

While the original conception of the farm bureau was as an aid to countyagent work, it was quickly realized that it has a broader field, and now it is coming to be recognized as the official agricultural body interested in promoting all that pertains to a better and more prosperous rural life.

How to Organize.

Farmers interested in organizing county central bodies to work for better agriculture may obtain plans and other information from their state extension director at the state agricultural college, or from the states relations service, United States department of agriculture.

Finding Good Ground Water.

Good ground water is the ideal supply for farms, according to Farmers'

Any farmer about to put down a been created which served but to drain water from relatively near the surface. There is no short cut and no better guide in this matter than information as to the kind, thickness, porosity, and dip of the strata of the region and of the results obtained in neighboring wells, study of the land slopes and character of the vegetation, and examination for evidences

of seeps and springs. Regarding the use of a forked willow, hazel, or peach stick for locating underground water, it can be said safely the method is without merit. although so-called forked-stick artists from their experience and observation of surface conditions usually are better able to judge of the probabilities Idly and involve the work among of ground water than is the average person not thus trained. So also, there is little to recommend certain patented automatic water finders which are based upon the possible, ganizations, composed of representa- but largely conjectural, proposition tives of the community organizations, that electrical exchanges between the earth and atmosphere are stronger in

With the war over more food than

patica and a little fern, will be a joy ter. Butter individual molds or cups, to a shut-in, especially if she has been drop in a spoonful of the batter, then a country girl.

is another.

Wild crabapple jelly is such a delicious one for the Christmas table, and may be made in quantities where the wild crab is plentiful.

If one has an herb bed, a package of assorted herbs will find a warm place in the affections of the town housekeeper.

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A man's fortunes are the fruit of his character. A man's friends are his magnetisms.

THE BREAKFAST CEREAL.

In most homes, especially where there are children, the first meal of

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lowing a bit of

fruit. Baked ap-



cereal. Acid fruits, like grapefruit or oranges, if all sour, will cause digestive trouble if followed by a cereal with cream. Very often we have such a variety of cereals on the market these days that we need never have the same one too often. The average child or grown-up will eat wellcooked oatmeal oftener with enjoyment than any other breakfast food. Many of the cereals will be eaten with relish if served with fruit which would otherwise be refused. The daintiness of serving bears no small part in the manner of its reception.

When serving cream of wheat or any cooked cereal which molds well, pour into a hollow mold and serve filled with fruit of the season. Serve it Junket lends itself to various flavors at the table so that the eye may be and combinations. A small glass of charmed with its appearance. Such a dish, when served with cream and no feeling of having eaten too much. sugar, will be happily and quickly A tasty little hurry-up dessert may eaten.

For the early winter days, cornmeal mush, hominy and graham mush may the oven until the chocolate is melted be served, using any leftover for fry- and served with coffee. ing. If possible, have the corn freshly ground, using the whole kernel; it and decorated with two marshmallows is so much more appetizing. Such then put into the oven to brown and cornmeal does not keep well, but if puff are well liked for another sweet obtained fresh is far superior to the cracker. kiln-dried corn.

Whole wheat fresh from the field or spoonful of butter with half a cupful granary makes most wholesome and of powdered sugar and half a teaspoonnutritive breakfast food. It must be ful of cinnamon in a bowl. Place half soaked over night and cooked for half a dozen split crackers hollow side up a day to soften the grain. A fireless in a baking pan, drop a spoonful of cooker or double boller makes the best this mixture in each and bake in a cooking utensil, as it needs slow cook- hot oven for two minutes. ing at a low temperature. Sliced fried apples with oatmeal is a good combina- squares of sweet chocolate sandwich tion. A spoonful of sliced peaches or fashion for the young folks' dessert. one of fresh berries with any cereal This is a most nutritive food and would served at the side of the dish, is an- do for a luncheon when taking a

a spoonful of canned cherries or strawberries (any juicy fruit); top with another spoonful of batter, set the cups into a pan of boiling water, cover and cook on the top of the stove fifteen minutes. Do not raise the cover while cooking. Serve with sweetened cream or cream and sugar. They are light, tender and delicate when carefully boiled.

Onions and Cheese.-Take a dish of cooked onions, place in layers in a buttered baking dish with white sauce and cheese. Bake until well heated through. Use a rich cream cheese, as otherwise the cheese will cook stringy

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Know the true value of time: snatch, seize and enjoy every moment of it. No idleness, no laziness, no procrastination: never put off till tomorrow what you can do today.-Chesterfield.

DAINTY SWEETS.

A good finish for a heavy meal is some light and dainty sweet which will

> neither overtax or burden the digestion. One feels unsatisfied with a fine meal if it is not finished with some kind of a dessert. This need not take elaborate preparation or expensive combinations, in fact the simpler the better for young or old.

Cream puffs filled with any desired filling, a bit of ice cream or whipped cream stirred with a spoonful of jam for flavor. Many fillings will occur to suit the taste. Chocolate, or caramel filling is liked, as well as maple. junket may follow a hearty dinner with be prepared by placing chocolate creams on small round crackers, set in

Graham crackers spread with felly

Cinnamon Cream Tarts.-Beat a tea-

If fond of peanut butter serve some long tramp, as it takes but little space

heel of the shoe where the nails so soon push through will save many a darn for the busy house mother. If shoes wear on the edge where they are stitched, thus making the shoe unsightly and uncomfortable, paste a thin strip of leather over it with glue, before the threads are worn. This may be repeated time after time, thus prolonging the wear of a shoe many months. Use glue and save old shoe tops for patching.

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The most I can do for my friend is simply to be his friend. I have no wealth to bestow on him. If he knows that I am happy in loving him he will want no other reward. Is not friendship divine in this?-Emerson.

SOME REMINDERS.

When preparing the dinner or using the wood or coal range for a morn-



ing's ironing or baking, put on a dish of rice to cook. A spoonful or two may be added to soup, another halfcupful added to a custard makes a most dainty pudding, and the rest

may be mixed with a little chopped meat, seasoned with a tablespoonful or two of onion fried in fat and enough tomato to add moisture; with the seasoning well done and the dish baked, this makes a very good supper dish.

Let us realize the value of dainty service. A dish may be well prepared, nicely seasoned, tasty and yet when served in a careless, untidy may, it will not be half appreciated, and often go untouched. Food not well seasoned, however attractive to the eye, will not remain in favor longer than the first taste.

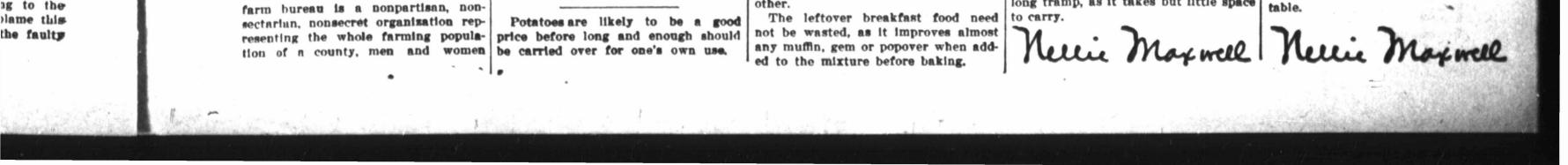
Just now when all materials are so much higher in price, renovate the old velvet hats and save buying new ones. Steam velvet by putting a funnel into the spout of the teakettle; this makes more surface for the steam. Hold the wrong side of the velvet over the funnel, and when all is steamed brush lightly with a whisk broom to raise the nap.

Have a box of parsley growing in the basement or kitchen window: if will be found a great help for flavoring and garnishing during the winter. A box of good soil should be carried in out of the frost so that in the early spring there will be soil to start the seeds for early planting.

When using an egg beater in any mixture which spatters, slip a paper bag over the bowl and beater, making a hole in the bottom of the bag to slip the top of the beater through. This will save spattering yourself or the

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ple, or any fruit is a safe one to precede the children's



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SECURITY STATE BANK

UNDER STATE SUPERVISION



ceived word that his son, Raymond. has arrived in Boston. enroute home from service in France.

A B. Austin, of Clovis, but formerly of Clovis, is in receipt of a telegram from his son, Cash, which states that Cash is in Boston enroute home from service in France.

In The Greatest War Drama in Pictures



One of the greatest pleasures | World" and who made the trip of going to the theatre and also to the battlefields of France with seeing the big picture dramas is Dorothy and Robert Harron to the opportunity afforded to re- make scenes of the big producnew acquaintance with old tion, was seen as Elsie Stoneman friends and favorites D. W. in "The Birth of a Nation" and Griffith, the wizard of filmdom, symbolized Walt Whitman's imshrewdly divines this truth and aginary character "out of the has retained some of his best cradle endless rocking" in "Inplayers in all his pictures. Sev- tolerance."

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verest critics to be the supreme Robert Harron who plays the triumph of his career up to this male lead "the boy" in "Hearts

eral of the stars and favorites Josephine Crowell who took who helped to make "The Birth the part of the "Southern Rev. W. W. Turner has re- of a Nation" and "Intolerance" mother" in "The Birth of a Nathe greatest successes of their tion" and the vindictive Queen time are to be seen again in Catherine de Medici in "Intoler-"Hearts of the World," which is ance" is "the girl's" mother in

REXALL **PORTALES DRUG STORE**

Thursday, Friday, and Saturday



State Senator R. G. Bryant has the grocery department of the been delayed in getting to the Priddy-Fooshee store at this place. meeting of the legislature by reason of the flu in his family.

from Wichita, Kansas, where he Robert Taylor, son of Tom Tay- had been in consultation with his lor, has accepted a position in creamery people.

Home Truths

VOU believe that the United States is the greatest nation and the best country on earth, don't you? Of course you do, and that's what makes it great. Every man, woman and child, living under the stars and stripes, believe so to

You believe that Portales is the best town in Eastern New Mexico, don't you? If not, you should, and need to get right. When the people of Portales believe in their town as a good place in which to live, and to make their homes, then we will not only have the best town in Eastern New Mexico, but the best town in the state.

Our business is selling homes, your busines is building a home. Suppose we get together and find a solution to both problems?

BUILD YOU A HOME

Portales Lumber Company A. D. RIBBLE, Manager

Doctor Swearingin of Roswell, specialist, eye, ear, nose and Neer's Drug store February 7th and 8th.

FOR SALE-My home place one mile southwest of the court house, five room house, outbuildings, pumping plant, about seventeen acres of land. Come and see me for price. E. P. Kuhl.

FOR SALE or TRADE-One second-hand Chevrolet touring car, good condition. Will trade for cattle, horses or mules. E.A. Herndon, Portales, New Mexico, phone 178.

Winter hats at your own price, also a few coats. Call at Whitcomb-Williamson Millinery and Carl Moss returned Tuesday Ready-to-Wear house, in building with Whitcomb jewelry store.

> Wanted to buy -2500 yards of secone hand barb wire or woven wire fencing. Wilhelm Drautz, half mile east of Portales.

ASK THE SOLDIERS.

That the soldiers, sailors and marines are deeply appreciative of the canteen service of the American Red Cross is given ample evidence many times every day. The keynote of their appreciation is perhaps best expressed on the post cards which they send to the "folks back home" when en route to points of embarkation. From a dozen picked up at random the following sentiments were taken and "speak for themselves:" "Red Cross are sure treating us

great en route." "Red Cross are sure making it happy

for us. "Support Red Cross in everything."

"For God's sake never say 'No' to the Red Cross. They're wonderful." "Long Hye the Red Cross."

"The Red Cross are angels to us the way they treat us."

"Canteen service 100 per cent, in Toledo: fifteen carloads of us well taken care of."

"Red Cross serving coffee. Oh. they do so much for us !"

writing.

They are Lillian Gish, Robert Harron, George Seigman and Josephine Crowell. Dorothy Gish, who plays the part of "the little disturber" in "Hearts of the World" and furnishes the throat, will be in Portales at most lively bit of comedy in the entire production, which has already earned columns of praise for her in the newspapers, was not seen in "The Birth of a Nation" but took a small part in 'Intolerance.''

'the girl'' in ''Hearts of the Saturday.

of the World" impersonated the Stoneman boy in "The Birth of a Nation" and played the modern bod in "Intolerance." His nemesis in "Hearts of the World" is Von Strohm (played by George Seigman) a villainous Hun officer and erstwhile spy. George Seigman was Silas Lynch in "The Birth of a Nation" and the leading villain in "Intolerance."

"Hearts of the World" is announced for a special engagement in this city at the Cosy Theatre for two days commencing Friday, Her sister, Lillian, who plays January 31st, with a matinee on

