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Much Wood Used as Fuel In some of the forest states, notably Washington and Oregon, the showing for wood as a fuel in the production of electric power for private industries is impressive, as the lumber mills and other forest industries in those states frequently provide their own electric power from the combustion of sawdust, slabs and other waste from their operations. Wood, however, is used more extensively in domestic heating than for power. Surprisingly enough, about one-third, by cubic measure, of all the wood consumed in the United States goes into fuel -about as much as goes into lumber-although only a small proportion of it is suitable for lumber or other industrial uses.

### **Objected** to Reflection

Public men were always subject to misunderstanding, complained Mr. J. H. Thomas, M. P., at a luncheon of the Institution of Gas Engineers at the Royal Automobile club, London. lately.

When he visited Jamaica, he said, a local paper published in a column of gossip: "The Rt. Hon. J. H. The is passed through here yester-

That was an obvious statement of fact, but the next item was: "Petty larceny on the increase in the district."

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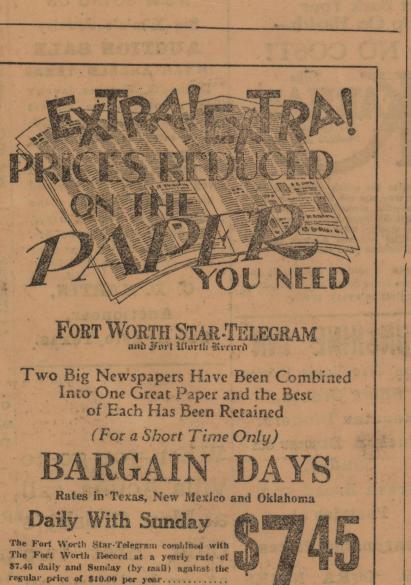
#### **Glass** Without Sand

Chemists at Cornell university have discovered a way to make sandless glass by using a compound of germanium, a rare, newly discovered metal, as a substitute for the usual silica. The metal, extracted from zine oxide, is a flaky crystalline substance, hard and extremely brittle, and is worth many. dollars a gram.

#### Diplomas

Maurice Langdon was dissecting that new type of college student who just "gets by" and really learns nothing but smoking and

"There is an old fable," he remarked, "in which an ass disguises himself in a lion's skin. But nowadays they disguise them with a sbeepskin."



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Highway of Distinction Under an ambitious plan advo- ment, the number of recoveries is concated by the Lee Highway associa- stantly increasing. There still is a tion, a great road is being planned to honor the Confederate general. The road will traverse 14 states and the District of Columbia. The pro- January, 1923, the federal bureau of posed highway, covering 3,830 miles census made a survey of all hospitals from New York to San Francisco, will have a right of way 320 feet wide, a speedway of 60 feet and were first admissions, 16,133 second two lanes 30 feet wide for slower admissions. There were 51,304 disvehicles. In the center would be a charged as cured and 25,436 deaths. parkway for planting flowers, trees and shrubs.

Apparatus to Clear Fog An apparatus for dispersing fog is being developed at the Philadelphia naval aircraft factory, accord- sions. As alcoholism is a drug habit, ing to the Dearborn Independent. this shows that \$1.8 out of every 100 A simple charging screen, a transformer with rectifying device, an airplane propeller and a meter, all mounted on a truck, will electrify 700,000 cubic feet of air a minute by bad habits or the use of drugs, and cut a path 2,000 feet wide and the percentage of recoveries is high. 1,000 feet high through the fog.

Had Her Birthday Swim Swimming, from Venice, Calif., sane or what is called softening to Santa Monica canyon and re- of the brain, there are practically no turn, a distance of ten miles, in approximately nine hours was the way As a rule, those patients who are in which Mrs. Anna Van Skike going to recover begin improving early celebrated her sixty-sixth birthday. in their hospital experience. The high-Mrs. Van Skike says this swim has est rate of recovery occurs in the been a birthday feature for many while two-thirds of those who recover years.

## Power Replacing Coal

For the past four years coal pro- ring between the ages of thirty-five duction has remained stationary in Europe at about 1,250,000,000 tons both improvement and recovery than a year, while horse power developed from water power in Europe has shows that the care of the insane is increased from 23,000,000 horse steadily improving. power generated in 1920 to 35,000 .-000 horse power in 1924.

KEEPING WELL CURING INSANITY DR FREDERICK R. GREEN Editor of "HEALTH" FOR many centuries all unfortunates suffering with any disease or con-

dition affecting the mind were looked on as "possessed" or afflicted with evil spirits. As these demons could only be driven out by harsh and brutal measures, the poor sick persons were subjected to all kinds of cruel treatment. Naturally, recoveries were so few that any form of insanity was considered incurable.

Today, with a better knowledge of mental conditions and with suitable treatment in the form of rest, quiet, suitable nourishment and proper treathigh percentage of deaths among the insane, since many forms of mental affections are caused by and are a part of serious bodily conditions. In and asylums for mental diseases. This shows that there were at that time 265,829 patients. Among these 71,676 The number of recoveries differed greatly in different classes. The largest number of recoveries was among drug addicts. Of these, 43.2 out of every 100 admitted recovered. The next largest number of recoveries was among the alcoholic group, 38.5 recoveries out of every 100 admisadmitted for mental conditions due to drug habits recovered as soon as the drug was stopped and the patient given proper treatment.

In those forms of insanity caused But in those caused by actual disease or degeneration of the brain itself, there are few recoveries. For instance, in general paralysis of the inrecoveries nor is there any hope of

first four months of hospital life, do so in the first year. The younget the patient, the better the chance, the highest number of recoveries occus and forty-five. Women patients under hospital care show a higher rate for men, while the falling death rate

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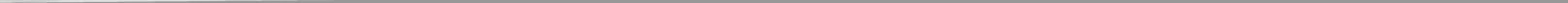


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## LA VISTA THEATRE



Sheik Rough---Vilma. When Rudolph Valentino and

Vilms Banky were filming love scenes for The Son of the Sheik, the United Artists Picture which comes to the La Vista Theatre here Dec 31st and Jan 1st, Vilma fied a protest.

The Hungarian beauty is under stood to have protested against the strong tactics of the desert lover's passionate quest. She said, Too rough."

"These sheik is too rough," she said one night after a day at the studio. "It is fight, then some more fight all the time. I am grabbed this way and that way. I am all blue and black; these men they forget. The sheik is never the gentle lover. He grab my two arms. Too mach love. I almost am sufficeate with the kiss. I do not like that love. But the script say that and so it ees."

Manager Scott has announced that patrons of the La Vista will have to judge for themselves on Dec 31st and Jan 1st.

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J. A. Ward of Sonora wants to see the country from which he secured an Angora buck costing \$525. So he proposes to make a three months trip to South Africa after the first of the year. Hegis now making plans for the trip, getting information as to the route and other necessary details incident to a passport.

Mr. Ward proposes to leave here about the middle of January His route will take him by way of Liverpool and Bradford Mills, the most famous manufacturers of mohair in the world. From there he will go direct to Port Elizabeth in South Africa, being met there by E. Cawood, the man who brought the shipment of South African bucks to Camp Wood for auction over a year

Mr. Cawood has written Mr. Ward that from the time he lands in South Africa he is their man and they expect to show him such a time as never before in his life. Mr. Cawood has also written his Africa this last year, and for which the purchaser paid \$500.-Standard, 

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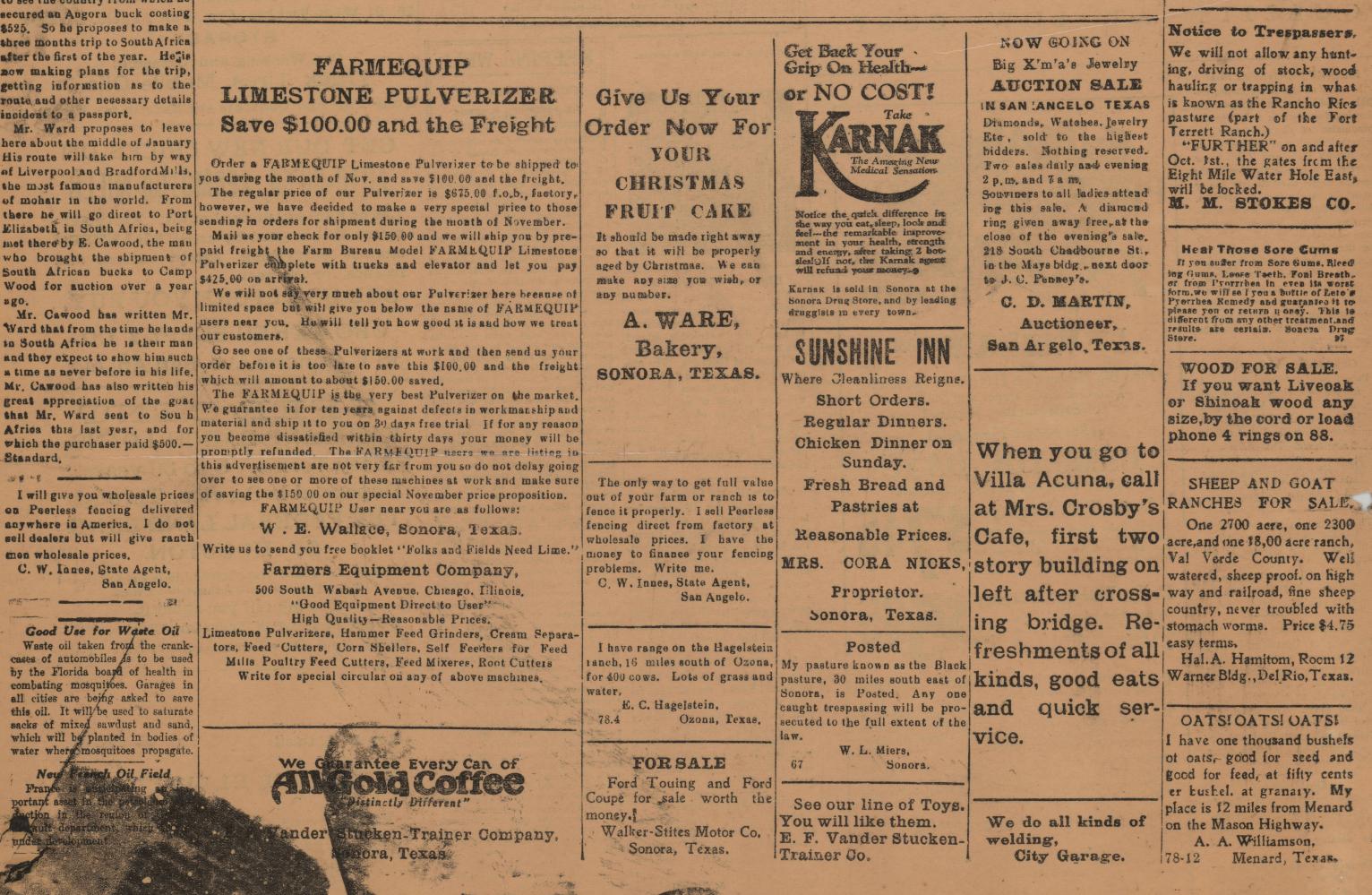
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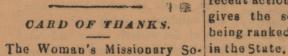
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7:30.

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ciety Auxiliary to the Baptist church extends thanks to all who in any way helped to make the

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report last week from the Associa tion of Colleges and Secondary Schools of the Southern States. that at a recent meeting of the Association, held at Jackson, Miss., the local high school was

Sonora, Texas. - December 18 1926. placed on its accredited list, Schools that are placed on the All Resolutions of Respect, Cards of Southern Association list must

Lipcoln. Thanks, Notices of Entainments where be in the highest class of schools an admission fee is charged. Etc., will as officially listed by the State Kstex. Nash school authorities, and in addi-Cadilac Franklin

tion must be able to pass a close Packard inspection on several matters of King S general equipment and adminis-Marmon

acting than those required for The Methodist church doors college affiliation only within the

The Association of Colleges

pose the maintenance of high standards in both colleges and Intermediate League at 3 p.m. high schools. It requiries annual reports from all member schools showing that each school

is keeping up certain standarde in matters of organization, build ing and equipment, and program FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH. of studies, and also that only teachers who have met certain

definite requirements as to acade mic and professional training be novelties at E. F. Vanemployed.

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valued by school authorities. The last annual report of the Association shows that only 18

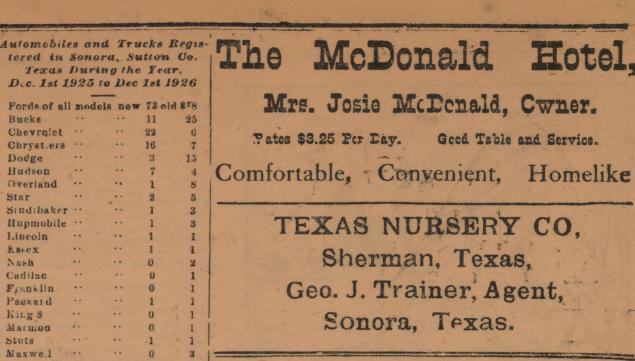
At their regular Executive All are earnestly asked to come to per cent of the four years sfiliat meeting Tuesday evening of last ed high schools of Texas have week the Sonora Chamber of met the requirements for being Commerce employed Messrs. placed on its approved lists. The Stockton & Edwards, Engineers, recent action of the Association gives the school the honor of to make a sanitary survey of the being ranked in the highest class City of Sonora. This survey is

to be complete in every respect and it is believed that it will give the people of Sonora sufficient

I am better able to handle your information to warrant them in tence problems now than ever voting Sewer Bonds. before. A large factory set aside It was explained that the sur-

C W. Lunes, State Agent. San Angelo.

RISTMAS DANCES

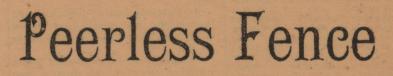


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and a few friends present. Mrs. Chalk is one of the most popular girls to have been reared

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men. He is the son of Mr. R. H. presents. He is well known to Chalk of Del Rio and grandson the the people of Sonora and he of Mr. Geo. W. Stephenson of says he will treat you right. Sonora, with whom he made his See his ad in this issue. home. He was born and reared

here and for the past two years SONORA TO BUILD NEW has been in the ranch business for himself. He is of sterling character and is indeed fortunate in choosing his bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Chalk will make their home on the ranch about

spent. Owing to the changed loca wishing Mr. and Mrs. Chalk the tion and the time that will be rebest of fortune in their united quired in establishing the new future. park, the mid winter rodeo has

ed for Christmas week. Bring us your broken windmill castings. We can make them as good Jersey heifers, can be seen at City Garage. Merton Shurleys ranch 7 miles south of Sonora Apply to

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county will j in Menard county and possibly Crockett county in No matter where you live write sending a large delegation to

Commission is installed in; an San Angelo. effort to get Highway No. 10 routed this way.

Miss Mary Dan Wilson return ed Monday from a months visit in Austin and San Antonio. San Angelo.

> At the monthly meeting of the Executive Committee of the Sonora Chamber of Commerce held last week, it was decided to dispense with the banquet which was to have been held on the third Tuesday of this month for the reason that it came just a few days before Christmas and could not easily be arranged for.

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Angeloroad, from R Walter Davis You will like them. as a site for the new exposition E. F. Vand or Stuckengrounds on which \$10,000 will be Trainer Co.

T. L. Drisdale of Juno, was been cancelled. It was schedul- elected to a seat on the board of Directors of the American Rambouillet Association at a meeting

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at Mrs. Vander Stucken's Wednesday afternoon with two tables of Bridge. Mrs. Carl Morrow See the new Xmas won high score, Mrs. Ed. May. seven miles south of Sonora, without novelties at E. F. Van- field low score, and Miss Mary der Stucken--Trainer lightful refreshments were servC. W. INNES, State Agent **SAN ANGELO, TEXAS.** 



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and while in school here was very active in school activities. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pfiester and has been reared to womanhood here,

county's successful young ranch look over his stock of X'w'a's





'Charles' or 'Cyrus' or-"

peating, "Claude Melnotte."

emphatically. "Tell me-"

Dabbs's my name."

mother-

too?"

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baster lamps'?"

The older man blushed. "C. M., I

"but if you really want to know what

The young man laughed softly, re-

Mr. Dabbs smiled. "Do you blame

"I do not," his companion declared

"A traveling company, pretty good

one, too, I believe," Mr. Dabbs began

hurriedly, "with somebody celebrated

as 'Pauline,' came to the county seat

and played 'The Lady of Lyons.' My

"I didn't mean that," the young man

assured him hastily, as though fearing

obstetrical details. "I meant to ask

is there a 'Lady of Lyons' in Peace

Valley and is yours called 'Pauline,'

Mr. Dabbs hesitated, shook his head

"'Course, I've always thought it was

a blamed silly play. All about a poor

boy marrying a lady under false pre-

tenses. Good many years since I read

it, though, but as I remember, he made

good. I've often wondered if in real

But his companion cared nothing

about discussing Lytton's old play. "I

thoughtfully, and said slowly: "I live alone, with Aunt Lyddy to keep house

There was nothing especially roman-the to contemplate about Claude Mel-notte Daibs, village grocer, unless it were the first two-thirds of his name. When his doting parents prefixed the cognomen of Bulwer Lytton's hero in the drama, "The Lady of Lyons," to his the drama, "The Lady of Lyons," to his family name, it may have been an augury or at least an influence; for C. M. Dabbs, while sticking to the hard facts of life and wringing success from his career as a tradesman, neverthe-less had romantic yearnings-desire to see existence through "the mists of alabaster lamps."

alabaster lamps." And his dream came true. Yes, came frue to the extent that C. M. partlei-pated in a romance in real life that bad chivalry, adventure, mystery, beau-tiful women and all sorts of interest-ing and delightful people and experi-grees mixed up in it in about as satis-fying proportions as anyone could wish. Right in a little town in Pennsylvanla, with its typical and lovable characters, the local butter and egg man became the local butter and egg man became the chief actor in a drama of life in which his humdrum affairs were tinged

which his humdrum affairs were tinged by that aut of enchantment existing in "perfumed light stealing through the mists of alabaster lamps." Margaret Turnbul, author of this en-gaging' story, was born in Scotland, educated in New Jersey and lives at Rockwood, New Hope, in Bucks county, l'ennsylvania. She has written several successful novels. Her "Looking After Sandy" is still a popular favorite. Her successful novels. Her "Looking After Sandy" is still a popular favorite. Her play, "Classmates." was and still is a big success. She has done a number of moving pictures for the bir producers. The story, "Alabaster Lamps," was written at Rockwood, on a hill above the Delaware river, far removed from thesters, moving pictures or other theaters, moving pictures or other accompaniments of city life; hence its peaceful atmosphere and fine strain of pure romance.

## CHAPTER I

The grocery store of C. M. Dabbs, at the crossroads, Peace Valley, was astir. This was "late-closing" night. Parked before the door were vehicles of all sizes, sorts and description, from motors to old-fashioned farm wagons and buggies, the patient horses waithoads while that

Then, as the store began to wake up and get ready for speech, he turned to Ned with a curt, "Come in and meet Aunt Lyddy.' Ned followed without knowing that

he had left behind a seething mass of curiosity. Dabbs knew it. That Claude Dabbs had an unknown nephew was asked, as Ned took a second helping. known in Peace Valley. Jim Farnum made one brave effort toward putting things on the proper

led Ned to the door, Jim found his offered. "Didn't know you had a nevvy, iy hurled me down her throat." Claude," he called out, "and don't ex-

family left." West. ing table, and a vast armchair that without her now."

looked even older, though both were that the room was ready and advised "C. M. Dabbs, General Store," he in an excellent state of repair. There read aloud. "You told the truth about were no pictures on the wall, only a her along the hall. The "room next that, too. But why C. M.? Come, what calendar. "My office," Dabbs explained. "But is it that distinguishes you from the

rank and file of Dabbses? Is it | come on and meet Aunt Lyddy, one of the best women God ever put breath in, but likely to be flustered if you bring anybody on her-suddenlike." generally sign myself," he admitted, interior of the house and ushered Ned it stands for-why, Claude Melnotte

into the family dining room. Aunt Lyddy sat at the table, a Rochester lamp in the center on an elaborately embroidered centerpiece. The lamp me for sticking to C. M., or Mister?", had a white shade, but after the harsh



"Come in and Meet Aunt Lyddy."

say, Claude Melnotte," he interrupted, "is your l'eace Valley home lit by 'alathe softer glow. Aunt Lyddy was a again. "Where'd you meet him?" personable old lady, handsome despite . "Well-I was walking on Riverside Claude Melnotte Dabbs hesitated.

her sixty-odd years, with a great pile drive and-" He was home again, after a week of the Wholesale and Retail Grocer's con-the Wholesale and Retail Grocer's con-she looked up as Mr. Dabbs entered western newspaper prints an ac-"You picked him up! A bum! A park bum!" Aunt Lyddy exclaimed the count of a moonlight party given the count of a moonlight part

she tramped about the "next room to mine" presumably "fixing. it." By that time he had tasted Aunt Lyddy's pie. Though she trod like an elephant, yea, even though she snored, he knew now that he would always love her.

"Good; ain't it, Ned?" Mr. Dabbs Dabbs would never offend.

"Aunt Lyddy likes you or she'd

"How can you tell? You practical-

"Down Aunt Lyddy's throat! You actly see how you can, either, seeing don't know her. Why, I couldn't you're the only one of the hull Dabbs make that woman give you any more than a measly little bit of pie if she "My second cousin's boy from the didn't cotton to you. Aunt Lyddy's He's always called me uncle, a fine woman, but a terror for having though, instead of cousin, owing to her way. She isn't my own aunt. the difference in years. Come on, She's an old friend of my mother's little room, almost filled by a big table-topped desk of the vintage of two 1860, quite as large as a modern d'n- took possession. I couldn't get along

Aunt Lyddy returned, announcing about it?" I asked. Ned to "turn in early." He followed mine" was a big, airy room, overlooking the garden at the side of the house and far removed from the noises of the shop. Its deep-seated windows indicated the age of the house. The He opened a door leading into the furniture was really old, consequently good and unobtrusive, and the wall paper was a deep cream, with a little border of yellow roses.

The old four-noster looked inviting. Aunt Lyddy padded heavily away and Ned leaned out of the window, conscious of the soft, sweet, damp smell of a springtime garden.

As he left the window he was conscious of voices near him. But the room was empty, so was the hall outthrough an old-fashioned hot-air register in the floor of his room. He heard Aunt Lyddy say:

truth, and the truth I'll have out of floor. you if it takes me all night. My usual hour for bed is 8:30 sharp, and here it is nearly ten, and gifts of amethyst brooches, though pretty and tastefully chosen I must say, won't blind me to tion of the western crater cliff colmy duty. I've ever been a kinda lapsed and for ten years the island gardeen for your home since your was deserted by man, but with the Mom died. Who's this young man?" "Why, he's a young fellow I met up with in New York. He's been in the is believed this will act as a safety army-just discharged. The very valve and operations have been rename of Peace Valley sort of hypnotized him. He can't settle down to anything yet, so I asked him down here to look around and-"

"Suffering Saints!" Aunt Lyddy's light of the shop, Ned was grateful for voice rose to a sort of wall, then sank

"Hoss Trading" Still New England Hobby

We got our two mounts from a man who supplies many of the boys' and girls' summer camps in his neighborhood; and perhaps those now wears a very cleverly made tangular of six horizontal rows of unthinkable, and unsupported by the Ned nodded, mentally noting that camps may bring riding horses back artificial arm and instead of be- eight stars in a row. Each star whatever he might have to suffer from into more general favor. One day moaning his loss he derives a great in the field represents a particular on our ride, not far from Squam lake, we met a farmer driving a funny situations it causes. At one chronological order in which it was Peace Valley footing. As Mr. Dabbs never put out the whole pie," Dabbs team. He stopped us. "How'll you time he was on a sea trip and had admitted, writes Norbury W. trade that roan?" he asked. "She'd

and I'd like to talk trade." I told him she wasn't mine, and gave the owner's name. "Tell him As they got into bed a steward, a Connecticut, Massachusetts, Marymy name when you get back," said the farmer, "and that I'm right here any time ready to dicker." When our week's ride was over I re- seeing the gloved hand and a foot Hampshire, Virginia, New York, Ned," and Dabbs opened the door. Ned found himself in a queer, bare and when Mom died Aunt Lyddy membered that commission. The owner of our horses made a note of the matter. "Are you going to do anything '

"You betcha! The first time I

can get up that way. I'd go anywhere on the chance of a hoss trade."

There are Yankees still left in New England.-Burgess Johnson, hasty retreat, is one of the many The eight states in the fifth row in the North American Review.

#### New Zealand Island

#### Almost Pure Sulphur

White island, lying off the east soast of the North island of New Zealand, is the nearest approach known to a mass of pure sulphur, says the Philadelphia Bulletin. There are deposits 95 per cent pure side his door. After a moment he and the ore that composes the floor concluded that the voices came and walls of a volcanic crater is 44 per cent sulphur. Recently a new blowhole appeared about fifty feet "Claude Dabbs, I'm a dear lover of up the cliff face from the crater

> In 1914 the main vent sent forth great clouds of red volcanic dust and sulphurous steam and a porappearance of the new blowhole it sumed. The eruption in 1914 threw a mass of sulphurous mud covering ten acres of the crater floor to a depth of three inches.

#### Well Chaperoned

In its reminiscence column a western newspaper prints an ac-

## Had Arm and Leg, but Where Was the Body?

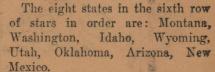
A man who now resides in Philadelphia had the misfortune to States flag there are 48 white stars. lose an arm during the war. He These stars are arranged in a recdeal of amusement from the many state in the American union in the for his roommate a man who wore Thornton in National Republic. match up well with one I've got, an artificial leg. As the two were The eight states in the first row

retiring one night they tossed their | of the stars in order are: Delaware, extra limbs under the lower berth. Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Georgia, very superstitious native of Africa, land and South Carolina. came into the room. There had been The eight states in the second a deal of drinking on board and row of stars in order are: New sticking out from under the berth, North Carolina, Rhode Island, Verhe concluded that one of the pas- mont, Kentucky, Tennessee. sengers had "passed out" and needed

aid. Grasping the hand in one of of stars in order are: Ohio, Louisihis and the foot in the other, he ana, Indiana, Mississippi, Illinois, gave a mighty pull. The owner of Alabama, Maine, Missouri. the arm says the sight of the negro, sitting on the floor, holding the row of stars in order are: Arkansas, wooden limbs, with his face almost | Michigan, Florida, Texas, Iowa,

white, and the ensuing yell and Wisconsin, California, Minnesota. things that help to compensate him of stars in order are: Oregon, Kanfor his loss .- Philadelphia Record. | sas, West Virginia, Nevada, Ne-

braska, Colorado, North Dakota NOT A GENIUS South Dakota.



The eight states in the third row

The eight states in the fourth

Exploring Parties to

Each State Has Star

on Our National Flag

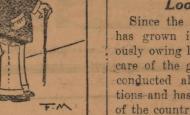
On the blue field of the United

Look Over Aleutians Since the purchase of Alaska it has grown in importance marvelously owing largely to the fostering care of the government, which has conducted all kinds of investigations and has led to the opening up of the country and the development of its resources, says the Chicago Journal.

At the same time no attention whatever has been given to the Aleutian islands, the chain of dots He-He isn't-he's a shoe clerk. which extends from Alaska to Siberia. There are at least thirty of these islands owned by the United Chemically treated pine needles States of which nothing whatever

poses. By varying the process a publish the results in the shape of comes either in the shape of fine It is more than probable that sheet wadding or in soft fleeces that | these islands will be found to be

Mexico.



He-That fellow you speak of can fill almost any man's shoes. She-I never suspected he was a genius.

## Wool From Pine

have worked out in Germany as a is known, and the effort is about to substitute for wool for certain pur- be made to explore the islands and woolly product is obtained that | reports.

masters finished their interminable marketing and equally interminable conversations.

Marketing took a long time in Peace Walley. In the first place, on lateclosing night it was the custom to "go down along the crossroads and do your 'storing' at Dabbs'." In the second place, hurry was a vulgar habit that had not yet reached Peace Valley.

One was "in the way of knowing what was adoing" in the village and the surrounding countryside by going to the crossroads store. The newsgathering and distributing took time, for no subject was rashly broached or rapidly discussed. One has only to listen attentively to the apparently monotonous discussions in country stores to discover that, though illiterate and totally ignorant of grammar, these solons have read deeply in the Book of Human Nature.

Two men alighted from a car just outside the grocery. One of them, the proprietor of the shop, said: "Leave the bags, Ned. The boy'll bring them in."

He was a dark-haired, rather thickset man. He was not tall. His fine face was reddened like that of a sailor or fireman; round, full and clean shaven. The hair at his temples was graying a little.

It was his eyes that made you look twice at him. C. M. Dabbs' eyes were blue as any Italian sky, and as cold as ice, or as soft and deep as the same sky. It all depended on how Dabbs looked at you.

They were at their softest and deepest now, as he looked at his companion. He was a much younger man, not more than twenty-seven, with smooth brown hair. His clothes were all that clothes should be, and worn by one who thought about them before he put them on, and then forgot about them. He was not the type usually found in a country village and he looked about him with an interest that proved him a stranger.

"Peace Valley !" he said, softly. "It looks like it !" He glanced again at the crossroads, one of which led steeply uphill, while the other wound about the valley until it disappeared behind | a tall wood. The grocery store was a great old stone house, the front part of which had been transformed from a dwelling. Next door, a long low building combined the business of blacksmithing, wheelwrighting and motor repairing. The old and the new were mingled peacefully together. The post office, the brightly lighted barber shop and the cobbler's little hovel were all grouped about the crossroads. "I didn't exaggerate, did I?" asked

Dabbs The young man shook his head

'Peace Valley," he repeated. "I didn't believe there was such a place!" He glanced at the sign over the door and stay awhile."

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Something in the young man's question faintly stirred his memory. Surely there had been mention of "alabaster lamps" in that old play. Vaguely feeling that there was another answer, he took particular pains to be exact: "We've got an electric light plant for the store only, as you'll notice. In the house we burn coal oil. They're

Rochester lamps." He threw the door wide open and beckoned to his companion to enter, saying

"Welcome home, Ned. Welcome to Peace Valley and our store."

With their entrance conversation stopped and all eyes turned toward Mr. Dabbs and his companion. Ned saw what seemed an immense cavern, lit by crudely installed electric lights which shed a garish glow over the huge stock of canned goods, flower pots, cotton cloth, hams, bacon, tea. coffee and other staples which consti-

ute a general store "Hello, Sim," Mr. Dabbs began, greeting the big-headed, pale-faced man behind the counter who was ladling out sugar for a bewhiskered But before he could introduce Ned,

a clear, girlish voice interrupted: "I beg pardon, but could-will anyone tell me the road to Clover Hol-

low?" The occupants of the store transferred their attention to the girl who, unnoticed, had entered just behind Mr. Dabbs and his companion.

She was a slender, vivid, dark girl, One might suspect, and find, red lights in the brown hair almost hidden by her close-fitting hat, and a fire in the blue eyes that looked out from under. long, dark lashes. Everything about her spoke of money and care expended upon every article of her clothing. She had that curious air of responsibility and knowledge that is so oddly part of youth that the war has left us. "I beg pardon," Ned began, but the

girl looked past him and at the capable Dabbs, who had turned toward her and was pointing through the dark doorway as he spoke:

"Go straight along up that road until you pass Brook farm, which you'll know by the little covered bridge over the brook. Cross the bridge, turn to the right and keep on up the hill and away from Peace Valley and you'll be on the only road to Clover Hollow." The girl thanked him briefly, though cordially, and went swiftly out. Ordinarily the crowd would have discussed her, her destination and her likelihood of being a "stayer" or just a visitor at Clover Hollow. But now there was another stranger present, and they

turned their attention to Ned. Mr. Dabbs introduced him briefly: "My nephew, Ned Carter, come to

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and scrutinized Ned from over the with conviction. 'You probably treatcalm exterior he was greatly excited rims of her glasses "Well, Mister Dabbs, this is a pretty

time to come home! Been ajoying ing a fitting opportunity to close it around somewhere, as usual, I sup- unheard, noted that she refused to pose "Brought you something, Aunt Lyd-

dy." Mr. Dabbs patted her on the nounced, "and nothing you do ought back and placed a small package in to surprise me now, but I declare by her lap. "Just a little something to Peter and Paul it does at times. Well, satisfy that awful craving you've got don't say no more, nor fix up any for jeweiry." Then, before the de- pleasant kinda half-lies for me. You lighted old woman could open the box don't know nothing about him, and or speak, he continued, his hand on there were some awful bad characters Ned's shoulder: "But I brought a bigger present than that back with me. throats ain't slit by morning. I'll lock Aunt Lyddy, this is my adopted my room and bolt it, tonight!"

nephew, Ned Carter." "H'm, adopted !" As she spoke, Aunt Lyddy's eyes remained fixed on Ned. that the sound would be unnoticed as "Yes, adopted. But remember, Aunt Lyddy, he's just 'nephew' to those gas bags in the store waiting to be filled

and float round town with the news." Aunt Lyddy nodded. "Well, you showed right good taste in selecting a nephew, Claude. He's a presentable looking young fellow, I'll say that. If so be as he treats you as fair as you treat him, he can stay here and wel- 1925. During that period 2,485,000 "Thank you, Aunt Lyddy," and Ned smiled his friendliest. "I certainly

mean well!" well's another." But Aunt Lyddy served. smiled back at him so that all sting

was taken from the cautious sentence. "Now, what you two rampaging idiots mean coming home at this hour of the . Three Smith brothers, formerly on me and with no notice to get his room ready for him?"

"Oh, go along, Aunt Lyddy! You can fix the room next to mine in a juffy while Ned and I are finishing a bite of your lemon pie." "Pie? Finishing my pie! Who

said a word about pie? Who said I made any pie?" "I did. I smell it." Aunt Lyddy laughed. "He smelled it. Boy," turning to Ned, "did you

ever hear tell of a man like that? Set right down, both of you, and I'll have that pie brung on the table before you can get your hands out of health, is quoted by the Manchester your pockets."

more," Ned began as she left the room. "Remember our dinner on the train." "Jiminy! Even if you weren't hungry, could you resist that?"

Two highly decorated plates, borne by Aunt Lyddy on an old japanned tray, held the largest, thickest and most delicious looking pieces of lemon meringue pie that Ned had ever seen. Aunt Lyddy placed before them the remainder of the pie, a pitcher of cold milk, and a large wedge of cheese. With a hearty, "Enjoy your-

selves, boys, while I fix Ned's room," she left them.

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ed him to that there awful swell suit." Ned, his hand on the register wait-

listen to Claude's protests. "I know you," Aunt Lyddy anthe statement that it was "a very enjoyable moonlight party." And got in the army. We're lucky if our there were nine chaperons! Today

Feeling that he had heard enough, Ned closed the register quietly, sure Aunt Lyddy trod heavily out into the hall.

#### Travelers Get Hungry

The magnitude of the business plified in the report of foodstuffs used by a leading railroad system in pounds of meat and fowl, 497,000 pounds of fish, 1,598,000 pounds of

## Smiths Multiply

night, springing a brand-new relation of Meredith Center, N. H., are the fathers of babies all born within three weeks' time. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Smith of Long Island are the parents of a boy, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Smith of Dover, N. H., a son, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith of Meredith Center a daughter.

#### Bad Housing Blamed

Sir George Newman, chief medical officer in the British ministry of Guardian as saying that bad hous-"I don't think I can eat anything ing was largely to blame for the fact that a million children in Great Britain are either physically or mentally incapable of benefiting by the education provided for them.

## Hampers Exploration

The hunt for prehistoric man and ancient animals conducted by Roy Chapman Andrews under the auspices of the American Museum of Natural History has been seriously hampered this year by the civil war.

the chaperon is as obsolete as the dodo .- Capper's weekly. Five Nations Rule City Shanghai, with considerable reason called the "New York of China," is a most intricate city. It

does not resemble Manhattan in the handled by the dining cars is exem- way it is laid out and built up, but is like it because it is in reality a city ruled by five different nations. The urban area known as Shanghai includes the international settlement, a city of 800,000 people in "Meaning well's one thing; doing of bread are among the list of items is based on written treaties with window." foreign powers, and it is probably the only city with an army of its iy, but that's a lamp shade.'"

## Fijians Using Dynamite

Value of dynamite to the lazy fisherman has become known to the coast Fijian. It is no uncommon thing to see a native woman who wants some fish for the daily meal calmly pick up half a stick of dynamite and go off and explode it. The police, having no launch, can do little to stop the practice. Recently a native, who was careless with an explosive, had his right hand blown off and lost the sight of one eye.

**Cold-Storage** Development A new plant at Montreal devoted

to cold storage and the dry storage of package freight and other mer- along. chandise will shortly be erected at a cost of about \$5,000,000, accord- latter. "They would help theming to Consul W. I. Jackson, Montreal. The cold storage plant and stories high and will have a floor saves them from becoming that and 000,000 in the next 100 years to inspace of 600,000 square feet. It is planned to complete the building in of sin in the world."-Boston New York city, Philadelphia and

40 years ago. The company, which are used to stuff mattresses. The rich in mineral resources, which numbered about 25 couples, left for pine wool has fine, strong fibers not will more than repay the costs of a rural pienic ground in carriages unlike hemp, and finds its best use the work of exploration. at 6 p. m., chaperoned by four sewhen woven into heavy materials date married couples and a middlesuch as carpets and horse blankets. aged matron. "A sumptuous re-The new process has a valuable aspast was served at 8:30, and directly set in one of its by-products that | the profiteer, and on his last visit afterward dancing began and was results from the chemical treatment continued until well after midnecessary to remove the rosin from night." The account concludes with the needles. The sticky residue is

shaped into resinous briquettes which have a high fuel value and have found a ready use in the manufacture of illuminating gas.

#### Natural Mistake

Mrs. Lela Deschamps of the Federation of Women's Clubs was commenting on the constant shortening of the flapper skirt. "No one knows where it will end and no one seems to worry," she remarked and added: "But things have come to a pretty pass. Only the other day I was in a department store when a young girl tripped up to the counter and said: "Please, I would like to try white potatoes and 405,000 loaves itself. The municipal government on that rose-colored dress in the

"'I'm sorry,' said the clerk polite-

#### Woman Has Traveled Far

One and a half million miles of sea travel is the record of Miss to New Zealand. Miss Dale has portance of establishing the facts. been employed for 40 years by the governmental emigration service. She accompanies parties of women then than it is on the liner.

## A Christian

"What's the use?" queried the

selves, anyway." terminal warehouse will be ten they would be thieves. My sign involving the expenditure of \$500,-

## The Junior Partner

The late Israel Zangwill hated to America he said at a banquet in Chicago:

"The post-war type of man I hate the most is the junior partner type. "'Everybody's profiteering now," said the senior partner in a grape juice firm, 'and it's up to us to get a move on. Shall we raise our price, cut down the size of our bottle, or adulterate our grape juice?"

"'Gee, you're a back number,' the junior partner sneered. We'll do all three, of course. Why can't you be up-to-date?" "

### Barracuda Not Poisonous

To set at rest an impression in the navy that the barracuda is a poisonous fish, an inquiry was undertaken by Bloedorn and Hakansson, who reached the conclusion that all reported cases of barracudapoisoning were due either to disease or to post-mortem change. The authors and others suffered no inconvenience from eating the fish at Culebra over a period of five months. The Journal of the American Medical Association says this. Anna Dale of Swansea, England, fish is an important food in many who is now on her fifty-sixth trip parts of the world, hence the im-

#### Airplane Safety Device

A "fool-proof" airplane is being emigrants to their new homes. Her tested at the Daniel Guggenheim first voyages to Australia and New school of aeronautics of New Yor Zealand were made in sailing ships university which it is hoped will and she found travel much less dull eliminate the dangers of flying. The fearful nose dive, which is the cause of many fatalities in aviation, may be made impossible through this in-A farmer was putting up the sign vention. It also is expected to perin his orchard, "Fruit. Help Your- mit the airplane to glide safely to self," when his neighbor came earth automatically whenever the engines stop.

## Water Supply Treaty

A treaty has been signed by the "True," replied the farmer, "then | Delaware river treaty commissioners prevents to that extent an increase | sure an adequate water supply for other cities.

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## ten months. Presently Ned could hear her, as His camel caravan was repeatedly commandeered by soldiers on the way to Mongolia. Mechanical Violin Two technicians in France, after working on the scheme for 15 years, have completed what is called a "violinista," a device that imitates

lin. The machine uses a real violin and bow and can be synchronized with a player piano.

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