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Farmers May Grow 110 Lbs. Lint Tax Free

The extension agent of Chaves county has received a special exemption form for the producers to use that provided they desire to gin lint tax free for their own household use. The regulations permit a producer to gin 110 pounds of lint in his own household. In order to get this permission the producer must execute a form and have his application approved by at least one member of the county committee. It is suggested by the agent that producers who desire to take advantage of this ruling wait until they have ginned most of their cotton before they apply for household tax exemption certificates. As the ginning season progresses many producers find that they do not have enough tax exemption certificates to gin all of their lint. Other producers will have surplus of tax exemption certificates. Those who have a surplus should bring them to the office of the county agent and permit them for sale. In order that the producers who are short of lint tax certificates should continue to gin their cotton, it is suggested that producers having surplus certificates should estimate the amount of surplus certificates and surrender them for sale. At the end of the ginning season if a producer still has a surplus he may make a second application to sell his surplus certificates.

DANIEL GETS DEATH DECREE; HIS BROTHER LIFE

TELLURIDE, Colorado — Otis Daniel, accused slayer of Sherman W. Dunlap of Montezuma county, must die in the lethal gas chamber at the state penitentiary, and his younger brother, Herbert, is sentenced to a life term in the state prison, by a jury's verdict Friday.

BOTH DEFENDANTS ALREADY HAD LIFE SENTENCES HANGING OVER THEM. THEY WERE CONVICTED LAST MONTH AT TERANGO ON THE STARVATION SLAYING OF JAMES WESTFALL, AGED LEWIS, COLORADO, RANCHER. THESE SENTENCES WERE DEFERRED PENDING THE OUTCOME OF THE SECOND TRIAL.

BILLS FACE EVICTION SUIT

It was declared in El Paso, Texas, last week that there is little possibility of settling the eviction suit filed by Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Fall over possession of the three Rivers Ranch home. The eviction suit filed by the Petroleum Securities Co., which sold the ranch to the Palomas Cattle Co., is expected to reach trial at Alamogordo in January.

STATE SCHOOL BUDGET TOTALS \$5,782,853.00

Final budget allowances for school maintenance purposes total \$5,782,853, according to figures released by R. H. Grissom, educational budget director. This compares with \$5,436,876 for last year. Nearly all of this increase is in teachers' salaries.

Contour Farming Now Important

Even horses are "sold" on contour farming as recommended by the soil conservation service for controlling water erosion. A Wisconsin farmer writes that his horses find working on the contour easier. "It goes away with dragging heavy implements up and down hill.

Contour farming also does away with rows of cultivated crops running up and down hill—their open furrows are an invitation to the little torrents that are likely to cut big gullies eventually and, in any event, carry off tons of topsoil.

Contour farming leaves furrows nearly level—at right angles to the slope of the land—each furrow a tiny terrace holding rainfall until it is absorbed into the soil, thus forcing it to creep away rather than running wild downhill. This Wisconsin farmer finds the idea of working "on the contour rather than up and down hill" to be a new idea at first, but you get accustomed to it.

He likes terracing and strip cropping to retard runoff. The terraces, he reports, "aren't as bad as they look." And the strip crops—long, narrow plots of grass or alfalfa sandwiched in between long cultivated fields, all on the contour—have made him "wonder" if he shouldn't have "more permanent pasture" on corn land which always washes badly.

Southern Calif. Hit By Fire and Dust Yesterday

LOS ANGELES—Raging forest fires, high winds and a freak dust storm struck Southern California yesterday, causing thousands of dollars property damage and possible death to at least one person. Hundreds battled through the night against a roaring blaze that swept over Echo Mountain northeast of the city bordering the exclusive Altadena section, destroying several residences, a sanitarium and the incline scenic railway to near Mount Lowe.

Residents on the outskirts of the town were ordered to evacuate the section, although shifting winds later turned the blaze westward.

High winds reaching a velocity in some spots of forty-five miles an hour ripped through areas in all directions from here, toppling over trees and blowing over trees and sign boards at other points.

The region around Santa Ana south of here, shook itself out of a heavy dust coating that whipped in with the wind blasts, and several hundred CCC and volunteer workers fought to stamp out a stubborn forest fire near El Toro.

State highway patrolmen ordered the main highway closed between Tustin and San Juan Capistrano after numerous motorists, blinded by the dust, collided along the road. No serious injuries were reported.

Loose soil swept by the high winds off bean fields under cultivation caused the freak exhibition, officials said.

In Huntington Beach damage to the oil field amounted to many thousands of dollars, an debris, broken derricks and tree limbs littered the streets.

ENROLLMENT AT UNIVERSITY 1,335

ALBUQUERQUE—The enrollment at the University of New Mexico is now 1,335, it has been announced by the registrar's office. This is 126 more than the total enrollment for the first semester last year. This figure will continue to climb for several weeks, the registrar predicts. There are 744 men students and 591 women.

LOCALS

Royce Lankford, O. J. Ford and the Rev. Geo. Toby attended the Baptist Brotherhood meeting in Roswell on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson of Kansas City have taken apartments at the Mineral Wells and will be in Hagerman for some time.

The B. A. U. of the Artesia First Baptist church put on a splendid B. T. U. program on Sunday evening at the Baptist church of Hagerman.

Our list of hunters is incomplete we are sure, but reports are that O. J. Ford, W. H. Keith, Jim King, Johnny Allen, Elmer Bible, Levi Barnett, Aubrey Evans, Lloyd Harshey have hied themselves to the wilds, to try their annual luck at missing the doe, and bringing home the bucks.

Farmers who are interested in the corn and hog program, will note that a referendum vote on the question of continuing this program in 1936 will be held on Saturday, October 26th, at the county agent's office in Roswell. Votes may be cast from 10:00 a. m. until 5:00 p. m. This will be the secret ballot system.

Forest Areas Drying Out Fast

Unless moisture is received between now and the hunting season, October 25th, there will be considerable fire hazard. If the condition of the forest warrants, guards will be placed at some of the lookout stations, it was announced. The public is requested to be very careful about letting fires get away during the hunting season.—Alamogordo News.

SURVEY COMPLETED FOR CHECK RESERVOIR

A survey has been completed for the location of a check reservoir in the Penasco river to serve the Hope irrigation district. The proposed reservoir to hold back the flood waters in the river will be constructed near the Y. O. Crossing, if the present plan goes through.

BANKHEAD ACT TO BE TESTED

WASHINGTON—The supreme court of the United States Tuesday directed the nation to show cause by November 11 why the state of Georgia should not be permitted to file a test suit on the constitutionality of the Bankhead control act.

APPOINTED AS RE-SETTLEMENT SUPERVISOR

Orren Beatty, former Lea and Roosevelt county agent, has been appointed rural re-settlement supervisor for eleven eastern New Mexico counties, it was announced at State College last week. Headquarters will be established in State College.

Three Sentenced In Gallup Riot Case At Aztec

AZTEC—Judge James B. McGhee last Thursday sentenced the three Gallup murder case defendants, who were convicted by the jury, to serve terms of from forty-five to sixty years in the state penitentiary.

Five of the seven acquitted will be deported to Old Mexico. After deliberating for two hours and a half, the Gallup mass murder trial jury convicted three defendants and freed seven of the ten on trial for the murder of Sheriff M. R. Carmichael, during a riot last April 4th.

The three convicted on a charge of second degree murder were: Juan Ochoa, Manuel Avitia, and Leandor Velarde.

The defendants who were acquitted were: Joe Bartol, Augustino Cavillo, Gregorio Correa, Victorio Correa, Rafael Gomez, Willie Gonzales and Serapio Sosa.

Defense attorneys said that they would appeal to the state supreme court.

The seven defendants acquitted immediately were remanded to jail in default of \$2,500 bond. They still face charges, along with four others, of aiding and abetting the escape of a prisoner.

The other four are: Teresa Avitia, Altargracia Gomez, Mrs. Dolminica Hernandez and Jose G. Lopez.

Eight Cited for Contempt

SANTA FE—Charged with contempt of court for assertedly having signed resolutions demanding the cessation of the "persecution" and "judicial murder" of the ten Gallup murder defendants, eight persons pleaded not guilty before Judge James B. McGhee at Santa Fe Friday.

They were given forty-eight hours in which to raise bond of \$750 each.

The defendants, all from Santa Fe, were: Jose Rodriguez, Mrs. Jose Rodriguez, Willie Martinez, Alfredo M. Rodriguez, Mrs. Alfredo M. Rodriguez, Mrs. Lucia R. Maes, Rafaelita Rodriguez and Miguel Maes. One other defendant did not appear because of illness.

CARLSBAD HOTEL CLERK ARRESTED

Charles Ferrell, former clerk at the Crawford hotel in Carlsbad, was arrested October 16th at Mobile, Alabama, on a warrant charging him with the embezzlement of \$176.80 from A. J. Crawford.

George L. Reese, Jr., district attorney, Thursday applied for a requisition from Gov. Clyde Tingley, asking that the governor of Alabama extradite Farrell.

Reese, in his application, asked that Dwight Lee, Eddy county sheriff, be appointed to return Farrell to Carlsbad.

Ferrell was employed at the Crawford hotel for several months, leaving in August. The complaint, charging the embezzlement, was signed by Harold Miller, manager of the hotel, August 22.

The former clerk came here from Hagerman, where his parents reside.

TO FERRET OUT GRAFT

WASHINGTON—WPA set out Tuesday with a squad of its own sleuths—known as "W-men"—in an effort to track down work relief grafters.

"Our job is to keep graft out of the program and we are going to do it," said Dallas Dort, head of the Works Progress Administration, Division of Investigation, in announcing the appointment of fifty "special field agents."

These new federal agents, working out of Washington and thirteen regional offices, will operate both independently and in cooperation with other government agencies, notably the Secret Service.

GOOD HUNTING PREDICTED BY STATE WARDEN

Conditions Right For A Bigger Kill Than Last Year; Many Hunters In The Hills Now Ready For Opening Friday.

A successful hunting season was predicted by State Game Warden Elliott S. Barker, on the eve of the big game season which opens tomorrow.

"Feed and moisture conditions are good throughout the state and game is in excellent condition," it was declared. Damp ground and leaves in most sections will make hunting easier this year, believes Mr. Barker. He foresees a larger kill than last year.

Hunters were especially urged to delay their hunting until the latter part of the season. A long season has been provided to allow for this. "Too many hunters in the field at once means increased danger of accidents and poorer hunting for everyone," said Barker.

Greater success was expected for those who are willing to leave their cars behind and really get back into the game country.

"Look carefully before you shoot, be careful with fire, and observe the game laws," requests Mr. Barker.

This year especially the Department of Game and Fish solicits the cooperation of all good citizens in helping to prevent game law violations.

Tomorrow is the opening of the big game season, when several hundred hunters from this and other localities are expected to take to the hills in quest of a buck. In fact, local hunters have already encamped on their favorite hunting spot ready for the opening day.

The Sacramento mountain region is expected to attract the biggest number of sportsmen, although many others will journey to the Guadalupe mountains, the Black range and the White mountains.

Two-Day Pheasant Season

An army of hunters were also searching the fields and pastures for the elusive pheasants during the two-day open season on cocks, October 21 and 22. Hunters found pheasants difficult to locate and many spent two days in a vain effort to get even a shot. According to local report, only two or three hunters were able to get the bag limit of three, although the birds were previously reported fairly numerous. This was the first open season permitted by the game department since the birds were planted in the valley several years ago.

According to reports from Roswell in Chaves county forty pheasants were killed in that area during the two-day season. Hunters in Chaves county were asked to report the numbered secured at Roswell, so that a tab might be kept on the number of birds slaughtered.

Messenger Want Ads Get Results

Farm News

The corn-hog referendum will be held throughout the nation on Saturday, October 26th. At this time the producers will have a privilege of deciding whether or not the adjustment concerning corn and hogs shall be carried on in a manner to balance production and eliminate extreme over-production and extreme under-production.

At the National Agricultural Adjustment conference recently held at Washington the secretary of agriculture outlined that an adjustment program should be continued and consumers as well as producers were in favor of the continuation of the present program. Any farmer who has producer corn or hogs in 1935 should vote at this very important referendum.

The secretary of agriculture has instructed all cotton counties that the tax of ginning will hereafter be 5.45 cents per pound, and the transfer and sale price of tax exemption certificates shall be four cents per pound. This ruling is effective from October 21, 1935. This ruling means that exemption certificates which have previously brought approximately \$25.00 per bale will be worth \$20.00 per bale which is the same as the value of certificates in 1934.

TYPEWRITERS Portable and Standards \$20.00 to \$102.50 Woodstock Typewriters for sale at The Messenger.

PROMINENT OLD TIMERS HONORED AT LAKE ARTHUR

A very unique social event was given last Friday afternoon in Lake Arthur at the home of Mrs. Eva Crook, when friends of Mmes. Dora Russell, J. W. Roberts, A. G. Lane and Mattie Williams completed their plans and surprised these ladies each with a friendship quilt. A novel part of the whole affair was that each lady was asked to help make a block for the others, and neither suspected what would happen in the end. A birthday feature was added for Mrs. Russell, as it was her eightieth birthday. Guests were friends who had helped make the quilts. Tea and cookies and birthday cake was served. From Hagerman were Mmes. Harry Cowan, Richmond Hams, Frank Davis, Eliza Floto, Will Wiggins, Bud Menoud and Clint Nail.

NMMI Cadets To Meet University At Roswell Sat.

Graduates and former students of the New Mexico Military Institute and the University of New Mexico, as well as football fans in general, are looking forward with keen interest to the annual game between the Cadets and the University at Roswell Saturday. The game time is 2:30.

This is the big game of the Institute season and because of the rivalry of long standing between the two schools a large crowd of former students from all parts of the state is expected for Saturday's game.

On comparative scores and predictions the University has the edge for this contest. Friends of the Institute, however, are taking comfort in the fact that in the past Cadet teams have always seemed to play their best against the University.

Special entertainment features have been arranged for the period between halves. Adequate seating capacity has been provided at the Institute field, and the Cadets are looking forward to a big day Saturday.

VERDICT AFFIRMED

SANTA FE—The state supreme court, in a unanimous decision written by Justice A. L. Zinn, Tuesday affirmed the verdict of manslaughter returned in Lea county against John H. Puckett, for the fatal shooting of John Field on October 1, 1934.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Holloway have rented their town house and moved to the ranch east of the Pecos.

Noah West left early in the week for Chicago, where he will attend the Townsend convention, as delegate from Hagerman.

Mrs. Harry Cowan entered in the flower contest this week, chrysanthemums, some of the Korean type, the single kind which resembles dahlias. Mrs. Bert Bailey entered dahlias.

The Rev. J. W. Slade is recuperating from a recent illness, which for a few days was quite serious. He is planning to attend conference, leaving Hagerman Friday, if he is able.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Durand returned last week from Frost, Texas, where they had gone to be present at the funeral of the late Mrs. Ethel Smith Miller, the twin sister of Mrs. Durand.

The Southern Methodist annual conference for New Mexico conferences started Wednesday (yesterday). The conference for this year will meet in El Paso, and includes New Mexico, Colorado and Texas west of the Pecos.

Miss Eleanor Paddock and Wilfred McCormick motored to Carlsbad on Sunday for lunch and a visit with Miss Carolyn Paddock. Later in the day they returned home by way of Hobbs, reporting the roads very rough.

I. E. (Buck) Boyce plans to leave late Friday afternoon for Big Spring, Texas, for a visit with his mother, Mrs. A. A. Boyce, who has been ill for some time, and seems to not rally. Mr. Boyce plans to return late Sunday afternoon.

Dexter couples attending the ladies night and to hear U. S. Senator Carl Hatch at the Men's club meeting on Tuesday night were: the Rev. and Mrs. John G. Anderson, Messrs. and Mmes. Orion McMain, L. Parker, F. L. Mehlop and Frank Wortman.

Sen. Carl Hatch Guest Speaker At Men's Club Meet

A very enjoyable evening was spent by members and guests of the Men's club on Tuesday evening. Senator Carl A. Hatch and Mrs. Hatch of Clovis were the honor guests of the occasion. President Wimberly acted as toastmaster, introducing each speaker in turn, and welcoming the visitors. F. L. Mehlop, representing Dexter, gave a response of appreciation. W. A. Losey in his brief speech of introducing Senator Hatch, voiced the community's sentiments of appreciation to Senator Hatch for his timely assistance to Hagerman in procuring the different additions that have been and will be of great benefit to Hagerman. Senator Hatch then spoke briefly words of gratitude in being able to attend this meeting, and mentioning that his main speech would be continued at the auditorium.

At the auditorium, to which the assembly had gone, a delightful program was given by Miss Frances Welborne, Miss Katherine Hammock and Mrs. Price Curd. Mayor J. T. West, in introducing the evening's speaker, Senator Hatch, also spoke of the town's gratitude to Senator Hatch for his help in getting for Hagerman the waterworks and the sewer system.

Senator Hatch spoke on "National and International Cooperation," in which he stressed that the world is full of those rugged individualists, who, without the accounting of costs such as accrued from the world war and attendant disturbances, seek to drive forward to the goal which they desire, disregarding the sacrifice of fellow beings and their welfare, crushing all who crossed their relentless march. He gave examples in which those who chose to gain their ends by cooperation achieved their purpose by a path which profited all concerned.

About sixty were in attendance, including several couples from Dexter. A delicious dinner was served by members of the Presbyterian Missionary society.

THREE MILLION MORE FOR STATE PWA WORK

WASHINGTON—The Works Progress Administration announced Friday issuance of a treasury warrant which it said would permit Lea Rowland, New Mexico Works Progress Administrator, to initiate projects totaling \$3,627,518.

Sponsors of the projects, it was announced, had pledged \$492,896 in addition to federal funds. Rowland will select from his project program these most adaptable to speedy carrying out of his program.

LIQUOR SALES TAX COLLECTIONS RISE

SANTA FE—Liquor stamp tax sales increased \$9,282.60 in the four months ending September 30 over the corresponding period last year, William C. Johnson, chairman of the liquor control board, announced Saturday. They were \$100,993.26 compared with \$97,710.66 in the months June, July, August and September of 1934.

In the same period this year receipts from licenses sold to retailers, dispensers, clubs and wholesalers amounted to \$34,802.75.

CAMP MALONE MOVES

Camp Malone, a CCC camp located about fourteen miles east of Roswell, has been abandoned, it was announced at Roswell Monday and the majority of the enrollees were sent to other camps of this area over the week-end. Lt. L. R. Lashley and his staff of Camp Malone have left for a new camp near Fort Stanton. The improvement work at the Bottomless Lakes will be abandoned unless some other camp is secured, it was stated.

TEXTBOOK BUREAU WILL SAVE \$5,000.00

SANTA FE—A saving of \$5,000 in operating the textbook bureau will be realized this year over 1934, State School Superintendent H. R. Rodgers said Monday. The Finance Board, at a meeting Friday, approved a budget of \$8,750 on which the bureau will operate.

CARTOONIST KILLED

Rites for Sidney Smith, famous cartoonist, killed in an auto accident early Sunday near Harford, Illinois, while en route from his Chicago home to his farm at Shirland, Illinois, were held yesterday. He was the creator of the comic strip called "The Gumfs."

THANKS FOR SUBSCRIPTIONS W. E. Jacobson, G. B. Newsome, George Wade and I. E. Boyce.

INTEREST IN WILDCATING NOW ACTIVE

Second Geophysical Crew Establishes Quarters In Lovington For Work In The North Hobbs Area; Four Wells Completed.

Oil developments in Lea county are generally more active now with a second geophysical crew arrived to make a geophysical survey of north Lea county. The Petty seismographing crew have established headquarters in Lovington to make a geophysical survey of the north Hobbs area and will likely work other districts nearby before moving on. The Midcontinent crew which moved in several weeks ago are working out the wildcat sector between Tatum and the state line. When this crew is finished, it is understood they will work out practically all parts of the county.

Producing companies are also busy renewing leases in the northern and western part of Lea county and in some places in eastern Eddy county, according to reports. In some instances where royalties have been sold and then subdivided, the land representatives are having difficulty in renewing the lease, due to the fact that there are many people involved.

Activity in the sections of Lea county that are in and near the proven areas remain about the same with three new locations staked the past week. These include the Continental Oil Co., State C-20 No. 6, sec. 20-21-36; Continental Oil Co., State C-20 No. 7, sec. 20-21-36, and the Devonian Oil Co., State Heasley No. 1, sec. 5-21-36.

Four producers were completed in the past seven days. Among these were the Byrd Frost, Wells 2-A, sec. 12-25-36, which was drilled to 3348 feet and given an acid treatment of 3,000 gallons. The well responded by flowing 250 barrels of fluid fifty percent of which was water and 1,000,000 feet of gas.

The Gypsy Oil Co., Bell-Ramsey No. 5, sec. 4-21-36, another producer completed, was drilled to 3868 feet and flowed 335 barrels in twelve hours with 500,000 feet of gas, flowing natural.

The Samedam Oil Co., State 1-B, sec. 25-18-37, was completed for 821 barrels of oil per day through tubing after being plugged back to 4156 feet and after being treated with acid on a previous occasion.

One of the biggest gas wells completed in recent months was finished in the Coates No. 3 of the Skelly Oil Co., sec. 3-24-36, which was drilled to 3578 feet. The well flowed at the rate of thirty barrels of oil per hour thru a ¾-inch choke on tubing and made an estimated 100,000,000 feet of gas.

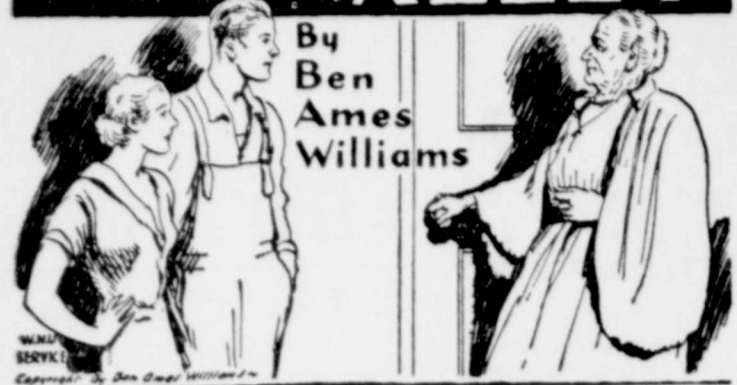
Quake At Helena Causes Damage

HELENA, Montana—Even as a weakened wall of the ancient city administration building crashed under a new succession of moderate tremors, citizens of this Montana state capital drove ahead yesterday with a comprehensive rehabilitation program.

More severe than in the past few days but still not materially damaging, a series of earth shocks yesterday climaxed with a four and one-half minute tremor at 6:41 o'clock in the morning. The city hall wall was the only reported casualty. The building, one of the city's older structures, had been damaged in the major shocks of October 12th and 18th.

As the total of recorded vibrations reached 442 since the October 12th, hundreds of people still were quartered in temporary shelters with temperatures ranging several degrees below freezing but damaged homes were rapidly being made ready for occupancy. Realization of the widespread damage wrought by the disastrous quake last Friday night, which cost two lives, only served to spur the descendants of pioneers who founded the city seventy years ago as a gold camp and rebuilt it many times after fires and floods. Stores were open for business as usual and stocks damaged and lost were being rapidly replaced.

HOSTILE VALLEY



PROLOGUE

WILL BISSELL'S store in Fraternity village is not only a store; but also it is a social center and a clearing house for news of the countryside. After supper, a dozen or a score of men are likely to drop in there for the mail, for a few dry groceries, or for nothing at all except the chance to listen and to speak in turn. Jim Saladine came down the hill from his farm on the Ridge one spring evening and found Chet McAusland there before him, and Gay Hunt, and Luke Hills, and others, too.

Chet, short and straight and vigorous despite his seventy years, was speaking when Saladine came in; speaking, as he was apt to be in the spring, of fish and fishing. He greeted Jim with a nod, and finished what he had been saying.

"You hear many a tale of big trout from out there," he confessed, grudgingly enough. "But I'd rather eat a small trout anyway; and I can catch a good mess in the meadow brooks, along toward dark any time."

Gay Hunt retorted with a derisive chuckle: "Just the same, there's something funny about it that you never went out there, liking to fish the way you do."

So Saladine asked curiously: "Out where, Gay?" He was a famous hunter of the deer and of partridge and he liked trout as well as any man.

"Carey's brook, out in Hostile Valley," Gay explained. He pronounced the word to rhyme with "smile," with a long vowel in the second syllable. "Bart Carey was in here a while ago; claimed that a man staying at his place caught three two-pounders one afternoon last week."

Now, a two-pound trout is, for the streams about Fraternity, unusual; and to catch three such monsters in a single day was without precedent. Saladine was interested, yet not immediately credulous. "I've heard such tales," he admitted. "But I dunno. This Carey, he act like a man to tell the truth?"

"Know him, don't you?" Gay protested. "Lives right by Carey's bridge. His pa used to take brookies, folks that come for the fishing. After the old man died, Bart and his brother pulled out. Bart's sister killed herself here a year ago."

"I don't know as I ever see him," Saladine confessed. "I never got out to Hostile Valley." He chuckled faintly. "Matter of fact, I always kind of dodged the place. Didn't like the name of it, I guess."

The others nodded understandingly. This Hostile Valley had in fact an ill repute. Hidden away in the hills somewhat north and west of Fraternity, it was a deep gorge between two ridges, and the slopes were bold and black with spruce timber, and they had a trick of catching low clouds and squeezing them of moisture, so that rain fell there and farms did not greatly prosper.

Chet McAusland said now: "I went in there once. It's an awful hole. Once was enough for me."

Gay Hunt assented: "Me, I never liked the sound of it." There was in fact a harsh asperity in the very name, conjuring a picture of the countryside inhabited by dour and silent folk who looked askance at a stranger. "How come it to be called that in the beginning?"

Chet knew the answer to this question, as he was apt to know all the ancient lore of these hills. "It goes back to the sixties," he said. "They had a kind of war of their own out there. They fit the draft and there wasn't ever a man from Hostile Valley drafted at all."

"For the South, was they?" Gay asked.

"It wa'n't that, so much," Chet declared. "It was more that the folks out there, you can't ever drive 'em. Old Enoch Ferrin riled them, got their backs up."

And he continued: "Enoch was the boss coon around there then. He had a farm on the ridge this side, and he had four sons and one of 'em had gone to South Carolina and married down there. When the war started, Enoch wrote him to come home and do this. His name was Will—wouldn't do it. So Enoch made his other three sons lick and told 'em to go hunt up this brother of theirs and kill him for a rebel; and Enoch, he tried to organize a company, out there in the Valley. But he was kind of bulldozing about it, so folks got their backs up and wouldn't go for him nor nobody. So they had a rough time of it for a while."

another channel; but when by and by Will began to turn out the lights as a suggestion that it was time to go home, Saladine and Chet went out to Jim's car together and in the car started up the hill. Chet's farm was on the shoulder of the Ridge, where two roads forked; and Jim stopped to let the other man down.

"You say you never fished Carey's brook only that once?" he asked.

"Once was plenty," Chet replied. "Do anything?"

Chet shook his head. "A few small ones. It's a chancy brook," he explained. He added honestly: "It's full of big trout, though. In the deep holes and down through the bog, if a man could get at them."

"Say we try it some day," Saladine proposed.

"Sho," Chet protested, "what's the sense in going so far when you can get plenty nearer home? The roads is awful."

Jim chuckled. "This old car is used to bad roads, Chet. I'm a mind to go. I'd like to have a look at that brook. You come along!"

But Chet would not; and Saladine's curiosity was stimulated by the other's attitude. And two or three days later, when rain and the promise of more rain made farm work a tedious business of turning water-soaked clods which weighed heavily upon the plow, he took the opportunity thus afforded. "I'll be back by dark or a little after," he told Mrs. Saladine when he set out. "I don't aim to do much only look over the creek and try a few holes."

But it would be long after dark before he came home, and many things would happen in the intervening hours. The past is a book which any man may read, but it is impossible to look ahead with certainty through thirty seconds' span. Saladine often afterward asked himself, if he had known what a sequence of events his entrance into the Valley was to set in motion, he would have gone there that day; and he could find no certain answer.

But he set out with no misgivings. It had rained the day before, and in the night; a sharp torrential downpour. The road from his farm to the village was rutted and washed away along the borders, and mud splashed merrily under his wheels. Chained, Jim decided, might be useful; and he stopped at the garage in North Fraternity to buy a pair.

Lon Pride, the garage man, had news to relate. "Hear about the murder out at Liberty?" he asked, with unctious. Jim had not heard, and Lon said: "Old Man Mayhew lived on the road to Mac's corner, they found him dead this morning with his head beat in. They've sent for the sheriff."

Jim knew Sheriff Sohler, but not Old Man Mayhew. Nevertheless he was tempted to turn that way. In the end, he put this temptation aside, but he would be glad to know where the sheriff could be found, before this day was done.

The chains adjusted, he went on, and there was a pricking excitement, a deep sense of adventure, in him as he drove. He had no clear and certain notion of the proper route, knew only in a general fashion where the Valley lay, and steered as it were by compass now. He meant to come to Carey's bridge, at the upper end of the Valley, and fish downstream; so at crossroads or at forks, he took what seemed the most promising turn, and once or twice he passed abandoned farms, with the glass broken in the windows, so that the empty rooms looked out at him with hollow eye sockets.

By and by he arrived at a farm where a man had just felled a knotted old beech across the road, blocking the way; and he pulled up to ask directions. The farmer took off his hat and scratched his head.

"You're going all right," he said. "If you want to come to Carey's, 'Course, this here is the hardest way. Bart don't ever come out this way. Will Ferrin, he does, though."

It's handiest for him. What do you want to go in there for, anyway?"

Jim said: "Fishing."

The other nodded with a mild mirth in his dry eye. "So they all say," he commented in a sardonic tone. "But I guess full as many stop at Ferrin's as go on to Carey's."

Saladine understood the allusion. He had heard tales enough of this woman who was wife to Will Ferrin. Legend painted her as a figure at once glamorous and sinister, seductive and heartless, enticing and without scruple. Her reputation had spread for miles across the countryside; and he thought this man's present incredulity not surprising. He was conscious of some frank curiosity on his own account to see such a woman; wondered whether their paths would cross today.

But just now he listened to the other man's directions, and drove on. The road was miserable. The car, laboring in low gear, ascended steadily, till through a gap in the woods on the right Saladine saw low lands, and knew that he was well up on the slope of the barrier ridge. So he came at last to its crest, and followed that high land for a space, and in a sort of saddle in the ridge he found another road turning to the left, in the direction in which he wished to go. Saladine turned into it with-out hesitation.

After a few rods, however, he checked the car; for the road emerged upon a naked ledge, beyond which it dipped steeply downward. Directly across, two miles

Crescent City



Many New Orleans Paving Stones Came From Europe.

Prepared by National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.—W. N. S. Service.

LOUISIANA to the average layman means New Orleans. Wherever the visitor goes in Louisiana, he starts from and returns to the metropolis of the Delta state. He may find it necessary to travel over many states to match in some measure the varied features and resources of Louisiana; he will travel the length and breadth of the land and yet never encounter another New Orleans.

To the business man, it is a great port, second in the United States in tonnage of foreign imports and exports; to students it is the seat of three splendid educational institutions, Tulane, Loyola and Newcomb; to the artist it furnishes a rich field for work.

One can imagine that after the astute and adventurous French Canadian, Jean Baptiste Le Moyne, Sieur de Bienville, had selected the site for the future city of New Orleans in 1718, he said to his engineer and city planner, Le Blond de la Tour, "Let's have a cup of coffee while we discuss the details of our new settlement."

At any rate, few affairs of importance or otherwise have been discussed in New Orleans since that historic date except "over a cup of coffee." Here, as in the Near East, business seems to function more easily to the accompaniment of sips of the bitter, black, "French drip" than in any other way, and the most harassed executives will pause for ten minutes in mid-morning, leave their offices and go to the restaurant or the hotel in the same or the next block for a cup of coffee—nothing more.

After a few weeks in New Orleans the visitor is led to wonder how the great two-million-dollar coffee terminal is able to handle the imports of the brown berry for the state's own use, much less provide for the "every third cupful consumed by the nation."

They All Drink Coffee.

On the top floor of one of the most progressive banks in the state—and in countless other establishments, no doubt—there is a special kitchen and dining room to which the employees retire when the bank doors close to the public at three; after their cup of coffee they return to their desks. In one big manufacturing plant every workman brings with him each morning a small coffee pot, which he deposits under the pet steam-heating valve, so that, as the condensing hot water drip-drips constantly, he provides himself with small quaffs of the beverage throughout the day.

But coffee is not New Orleans' sole contribution to gastronomic indulgence. In no other city in the country is a visitor within the gates invited to dine oftener or more lavishly than here. The Creole tradition has handed down for 200 years the French respect for food and art in its preparation.

In the old French quarter, which looms so large in the life of New Orleans, but which in areas occupies only a few blocks in this city spreading over nearly 200 square miles, there are half a dozen restaurants whose reputation is nationwide. Their appointments are not lavish, but they are modest in size, but when, for example, one of the Alcazar's welcomes you to his establishment—there are two branches of this family of famous restaurants, each a bitter rival of the other—and you ask him to plan your dinner, you will feast upon dishes over which the original Lullullus might have gazed.

The visitor's first impression of his table is that it has a peculiarly "bare" appearance. Then he realizes that salts and peppers and sauces are conspicuous for their absence. When you are served with, let us say, some of those marvelous baked oysters on shells imbedded in salt crystals to keep them hot, and garnished with a mysterious spinach concoction, you may be sure that they are seasoned exactly to the taste.

Of course, if you have a "hoorish" taste, and require more salt, or more tobacco, or more whatnot, you may have it for the asking, but it will not be flattering to your vanity to catch the teetling glint of contempt in the eye of your server.

In its physical aspects and prob-

SHELTERED SEA IN CANADA

From Vancouver to Prince Rupert, British Columbia, there is a natural sheltered salt water seaway which is used by ships plying up and down the coast. The route lies between the mainland and offshore islands and is comparable to the fjords of Norway because both mainland and islands are very mountainous. The route is known as the Inside Passage.



IT'S NOT IN MANY CEREALS

Nothing anyone eats is more important than Vitamin B—the vitamin for keeping fit. Yet it isn't in many cereals, when cereals are supposed to be our best source of this food element.

Many are nervous, poor in appetite, system out of order, because their daily diets lack enough of the precious Vitamin B for keeping fit.

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So give everyone Quaker Oats every morning. Because in addition to its generous supply of Vitamin B for keeping fit, it furnishes food-energy, muscle and body-building ingredients. For about 1/3c per dish.

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Practically the entire city lies below the mean level of the Mississippi, and in times of occasional extreme high water the river surface is as much as 22 feet above some sections.

Such conditions not only make necessary the maintenance of great levees to keep the river water out of the city, but entail tremendous problems in disposing of rain and seepage.

Drainage is a Problem.

To meet these natural handicaps, a corps of engineers has designed a unique drainage pumping system. Experts come from all parts of the world to study its operation. So heavy is the burden which a long, hard rain imposes on the vast network of pipes upon which New Orleans sits, that the pumps must have a capacity of seven billion gallons a day to lift the flood waters out of the city into Bayou Bienvenue and Lake Tchouchartrain. In comparison with the entirely separate water supply system, the drainage system could pump enough water in three days to supply the whole city for a year.

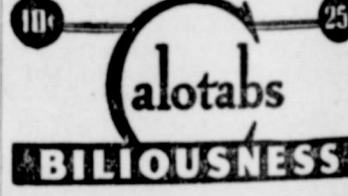
The sewage of New Orleans, discharged into the Mississippi below the city, 30 feet below mean water level, requires still a third and independent system, whose modern development has come since 1907. And in the story of its installation lies one of those romances which one encounters on every hand in this city, to which a gifted local historian has so aptly applied the title, "Fabulous New Orleans."

The sewage pumps originally designed for the system developed only 50 per cent efficiency, whereas contracts specified 90 per cent efficiency. The contracting manufacturers, in defense, declared that no pump could be built that would meet the requirements.

Just when this impasse had been reached, a young engineer, recently graduated from Tulane university, appeared on the scene with a set of drawings and specifications for a revolutionary type of pump. He succeeded in convincing the authorities that it might do the work.

And the pump did work. And the best part of the story is yet to come: The young engineer, offered many times his then modest salary to go with various manufacturing and municipalities, preferred to remain and help to solve other engineering problems for New Orleans.

Kindness
The first thing a kindness deserves is acceptance; the second, transmission.—George MacDonald.



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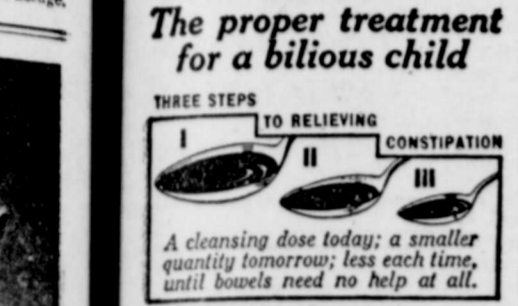
THIS IS THE FIRST INSTALLMENT!

"Gadgets"

You will not find the word "gadget" in many dictionaries; perhaps for the reason that most dictionary compilers consider the word to be slang. Yet, the word "gadget" is well known to everyone, and is used in every-day language in connection with some article that has a practical use, and, usually, can be bought at a low price one that is of a mechanical nature and is supposed to do something that is more difficult without it.

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WASHINGTON DIGEST National Topics Interpreted

BY WILLIAM BRUCKART NATIONAL PRESS BLDG. WASHINGTON, D. C.

Washington.—The President and his two chief relief advisers, Harry L. Hopkins and Secretary Ickes, have just completed a cross-country tour and are now in possession of information on which to base the future course for management of the relief job this winter.

The New Deal was swept into the governmental control upon the twin arches of recovery and relief. The recovery arch seems to be holding up. The relief arch, I believe, can be said to be teetering. At least that is the conclusion that must be drawn on a set of circumstances in which billions have been spent to tide destitute persons over their distress only to leave millions of them still looking for government hand-outs.

It is quite apparent that Mr. Roosevelt took his two relief advisers on his western trip chiefly for the purpose, like the well-known bear, of going over the mountain to see what he could see. The word that has come back to Washington is that he saw some things that were not altogether encouraging.

See Expensive Year Ahead making public preliminary summation of federal financial requirements. He ordered it compiled and released for publication at this early date, he said, in order that the country may know what confronts it in the way of expenditures for the fiscal year beginning last July 1, and ending next June 30.

Courting Trouble Some months ago Mr. Roosevelt announced with emphasis that the job of taking care of the destitute must be turned back to the states and private charity. It was, he said, no longer a federal proposition.

It seems to me that it ought to be said the Roosevelt administration failed to profit by a knowledge of what has happened heretofore in the use of the dole. Just across the Atlantic has been available a splendid demonstration of what the dole can and will do to a population.

Here is the crux of the problem: At any time a governmental agency begins to feed people, to clothe them and to provide them with the other necessities of life free, by that act it inculcates in those people—not all of them of course—a feeling that the world, and particularly their government owes them a living.

They Don't Want Jobs So, in this country now we have a certain percentage of the population who are wholly unwilling to work because they have found that the government will take care of them in times of stress.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Lesson for October 27 BELSHAZZAR'S FEAST (Temperance Lesson.)

LESSON TEXT—Daniel 5:1-31. GOLDEN TEXT—Wine is a mocker, strong drink is raging; and whosoever is deceived thereby is not wise. Proverbs 20:1.

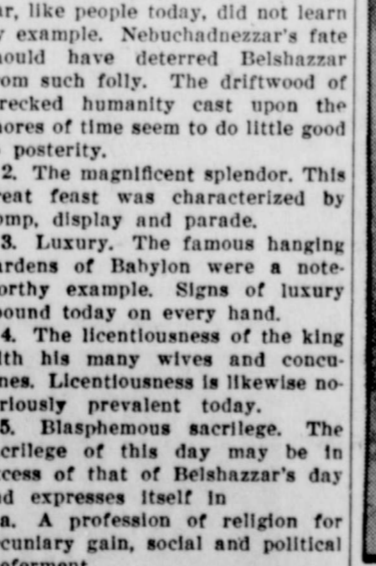
I. Belshazzar's Impious Feast (vv. 1-4). 1. Those in attendance (vv. 1, 2). Those present were Belshazzar, his wife and concubines, and one thousand of his lords.

II. The Handwriting on the Wall (vv. 5-16). 1. The time of (v. 5). It occurred "in the same hour" in which they were engaged in their drunken debauchery.

III. Daniel Interprets the Writing (vv. 17-28). 1. Daniel's address to the king (vv. 17-24). a. He brushes aside his promised gifts (v. 17). He would not give his speech limited by the king's gift.

IV. The Judgment Executed (vv. 29-31). So rapidly did the divine judgment fall that Belshazzar was slain and Darius the Median took the kingdom that same night.

Wool-Sleeved Fur By Cherie Nicholas



Here's a smart new idea; one of those touches that tells at a glance that 'tis a high fashion. We are referring to the wool sleeves set into a swagger fur coat, as you will note if you look close.

Bag and Gloves An outstanding accessory rule this fall is for gloves and bag to match in color.

Latest Millinery Style Trends

By Cherie Nicholas



There's no such word as "can't" when it comes to finding a becoming hat. Yes, indeed you can. Somewhere in the vast showing of millinery fashions your hat is waiting for you, for there is simply no limit to variety of types that appear on the program of modish headgear this season.

To enumerate a few—there is the turban (very smart in Paris with high whimsical crowns and amusing veils) and the off-face types, especially the halo brims which Agnes launched at the first of the season.

As to the brim, it is the brim with the forward plunge, the brim that goes streamline right over the forehead, that carries a message of real importance, because it is distinctly new. Then, too, these brims fold up so as to hug the crown at the back, which makes them delightfully wearable with high coat collars.

FURS OUTSTANDING ON STYLE PROGRAM By Cherie Nicholas

According to early season predictions furs will be the outstanding fashion note of the season, whether it's just an ascot or a full-length mink. The American woman is beginning to realize that furs are no longer luxuries, but are absolutely necessary to her wardrobe.

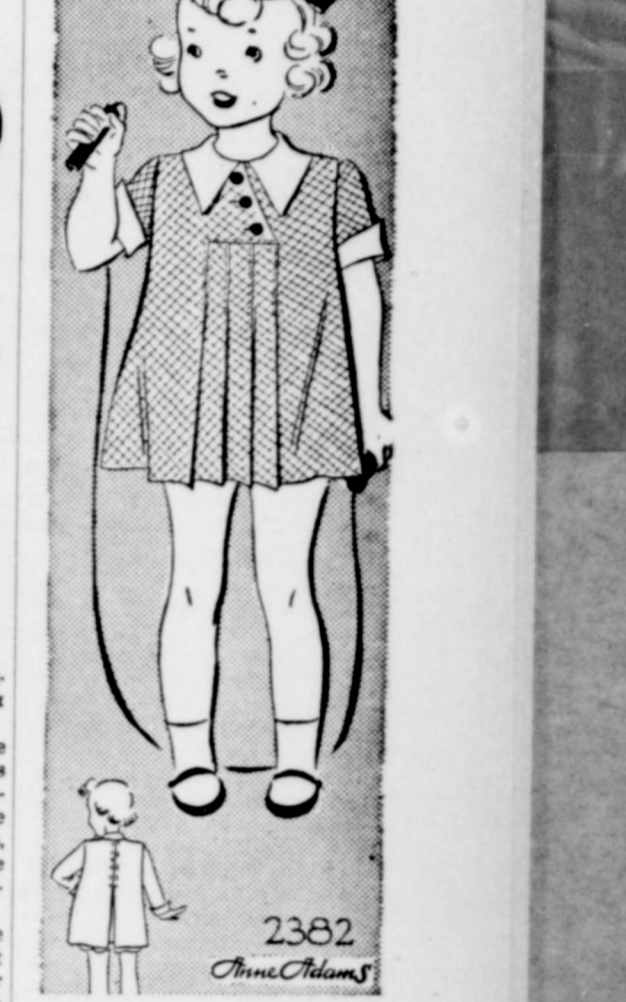
Paris couturiers are outdoing themselves in a most beautiful working of furs. Notably in the early showings is a white broadtail evening wrap, also a silver fox cape, employing 12 skins of feather weight. Velvet trimmed with chinchilla is another intriguing treatment exploited.

Revival of "Dog Collar" Heads New Autumn Ideas Key-shaped bar pins and a revival in "dog collars" of the type worn by dowagers at the turn of the century head the list of new fall ideas in costume jewelry.

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Pleated for play, in a very new way, this child's frock gives her plenty of room for rope-skipling. Her mother will find this smart frock so easy to cut and put together, and a very economical pattern, since bloomers are included with the dress.

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Smiles

"Why don't you try to make yourself agreeable?" asked the reproving friend. "My dear," said Miss Cayenne, "a desire to be agreeable has spoiled my disposition. You can't be agreeable to some people without saying sharp things about others."

Ostentation "Money talks," remarked Mr. Duntin Stax. "Yes," replied Miss Cayenne. "And sometimes it makes its audience suffer."

The Quick and the Dead Teacher—Into what two great classes is the human race divided? Boy—Motorists and pedestrians.—Stray Stories Magazine.

Tattered Heroes "Why is it girls go so crazy over those battered football players?" "Oh, I guess it's just their crass for remnants."

Sure Shot Bell—How did she cut him dead? Steel—Looked daggers at him.—Detroit News.

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ETHEL W. MCKINSTRY
Managing Editor

Since the beginning of time, and until the end, there will be the Napoleonic dream of conquest and splendor, and if history repeats, the same story of defeat will be told. Geographically speaking, Italy is less than half the size of Ethiopia, yet she dreams of power. Such a dream to us might seem far-fetched, until we recall that venom from a lowly reptile can sometimes be very serious.

Over in a certain fertile spot in Ethiopia the other day, a monument was unveiled, and on which was this inscription: "To the Dead of Adowa—Avenged At Last." It also marked the beginning of the reign of a puppet ruler. A puppet does as told by the master. To this puppet emperor, the glory of rulership did not mean so much perhaps, as the sweet satisfaction of revenge. Thus from the beginning to the end of time, there will intermittently appear the avenging spirit, a marked characteristic of the human mind.

An Italian spokesman said: "A naval blockade cannot be imposed without the firing of naval guns, and that means war." British correspondents say that it may take from six months to a year for the financial and economic sanctions to become effective operations. Will the British lion be successful in embroiling the desirable countries in this embargo act?

Has the pendulum of time just about swung far enough toward the cycle of war? Has the world been waiting for an alibi of revenge or honor; and will it start pouring the innocent youth of the land into the lustful maw of material gain and tack onto it the nomenclature of war?

AUTUMN BEAUTY SPOTS

We could not resist taking one more last fling at the lovely, riotous colors, which we have found around the country, in particular stand out the rich golden cosmos at the Ben Jack West place and until we saw those, we never knew of such a brilliant color in that flower. Later we found them in several yards. Willis Pardee takes as much pride in the back yard as the front, and why not? His is a thing of beauty and color, the yellow chrysanthemums seem determined to make one last grand effort before Jack arrives. Mrs. Bert Bailey's dahlias tower most six feet tall, and of a healthy, thrifty nature, one stalk producing several large blossoms, if according to some flower lovers, only one bud left on the stalk, we've wondered what they would be like. The east side of the Methodist parsonage shows some brilliant patches of color, and Mrs. H. J. Cumpsten has one of the prettiest little places in town, when you know that she has produced beauty out of a drab, dry and desolate spot, you can really appreciate the soft green and vivid colors. Somehow we regret seeing the gorgeous screens of blue morning glories fade, at the Vedder Brown home, there was a perfect mass of them, and passers by on the highway noted them. Well! Here goes dreaming of future brightness. "There's always another year," you know.

ALMANAC

- "I'll take it easy, there's been lots of wrecks on this curve!"
- Fortunate is he whom the danger of others has rendered cautious.
- OCTOBER
- 22—Aventis prophesy world will end to-day, 1874.
 - 23—Epidemic strikes New York horses, 1872.
 - 24—Phillips patents the phosphorus match, 1836.
 - 25—John Hancock becomes first Massachusetts Governor, 1780.
 - 26—Union between Norway and Sweden ends, 1905.
 - 27—Theodore Roosevelt, 25th president, born 1858.
 - 28—Columbus discovers the Island of Cuba, 1492. *gww*

"THAT LITTLE GAME" Inter-nat'l Cartoon Co., N.Y.—By B. Link



THE CHURCHES

Changes in time of worship services, subjects, etc., must be in The Messenger office by Wednesday of each week. Pastors or members of congregations whose church announcements do not appear in this column are urged to send them in. Churches in Dexter and Lake Arthur are especially desired.

CHURCH OF CHRIST (Greenfield)

Morning worship, Sunday, 10:30 o'clock.
Evening worship, 7:45 o'clock.
Everybody is cordially invited to attend any and all of these unusual services.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

F. H. Evans, superintendent.
Sunday school, 10 o'clock.
We especially want the young people to attend our Sunday school and extend an invitation to all to come.

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Rev. E. L. Askins, Pastor.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning sermon, 11 o'clock.
N. Y. P. S. and J. Y. P. S. 6:30 p. m.
Evening service 8:00 p. m.
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Church every first and third Sundays, both morning and evening.
B. Y. P. U. 7:00 p. m.
GEORGE E. TOBY, Pastor.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Preaching 11:00 a. m.
Sunday evening service.
Services on Tuesday, Friday and Saturday evenings.
Everyone welcome.
REV. LEE R. MILLER, Pastor.

HAGERMAN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school 10:00 a. m.
Morning service 11:00 a. m.
Theme: To be announced at the service.
Christian Endeavor 7:00 p. m.
A change in the hour of meeting will be announced Sunday morning.
James A. Hedges, Pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
J. Roy Slade will preach at 11:00 a. m.
Young People's service 7:00 p. m.
There will not be any preaching service at night as this is conference week.
J. W. Slade.

Attorney: "Now tell the jury, lady, just where the prisoner was milking the cow."
Young Lady: "Why, I think it was just a little back of center, sir."

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, General Land Office at Las Cruces, New Mexico, Sept. 26, 1935.

NOTICE is hereby given that Stefan Kumor, of Hagerman, New Mexico, who, on July 16th, 1932, made Homestead Entry, No. 043-406, for S½, Section 20, T. 14 S., R. 24 E.; and SW¼SW¼, Section 17; SE¼, E¼SW¼, Section 18; NE¼NW¼, Section 19, Township 14 S., Range 25 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Dan C. Savage, U. S. Commissioner, at Roswell, New Mexico, on the 7th day of November, 1935.
Claimant names as witnesses: Warren N. Perry, Henry G. Perry, George Lathrop, Clyde Smith, all of Hagerman, New Mexico.
PAUL A. ROACH, Register.

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1131 Santa Fe, N. M., Oct. 14, 1935.

Notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of September, 1935, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, E. O. Moore of Dexter, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to change location of a shallow well located in the NW¼ SW¼, Section 31, Township 13 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., filed under original filing number RA-1131 to point approximately ten feet from old well by drilling a new well 16 inches in diameter and approximately 150 feet. All rights for new well to be restricted to valid existing rights under original filing RA-1131.

Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer on or before the 23rd day of November, 1935, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.
THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

We notice that Helena, Montana, has been badly shaken. His Mae West been there recently?

TYPEWRITERS

New, second hand and factory rebuilt in portables and standards—See us before you buy. Hagerman Messenger.



A Line To You
BY E. M.
Listen! You of the romantic world. Ever hear of America's mystery man? He has just bobbed into vision again. Death Valley Scotty has recently won his quarter century battle for title to a two million dollar desert castle. Imagine it! Sixty miles from his nearest neighbor. He drives a car made to climb desert mountains, and one that will hold enough gas to reach the next filling station, one hundred gallons of gas, and ten gallons of oil. He calls it his cayuse. Says he has spent eight million already, and he is only sixty. Time for several more fortunes, eh?

Do you know which co-ed will spend the week-end with home folk this week?

Patrons of Akin Gin Co., have raved so much about Mrs. Bert Bailey's garden of brilliant dahlias that we had to satisfy our curiosity and drive that way, and well, did we see a gorgeous riot of color!

In just a few weeks now, all you young lovers, can begin wearing your best beau's (first engagement) ring. Sabe?

Have you heard of the interesting triangles?

Over in Lea county, they are sure howling about bad roads, and from the different reports we hear, it must be true. And at that some of ours aren't boulevards either. Where does all the money go to, that is supposed to be put on the roads, that the people travel on who make up New Mexico?

Many an explosion at home has been caused by powder on the old man's coat sleeve.

Calling Cards, 10¢ for \$1.75 on best grade paneled or plain stock.—The Messenger.
Woodstock Typewriters for sale at The Messenger.

"Buy American Made"

"You're wanted on the telephone"
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JUST KIDS— Starting Young

By Ad Carter



School Notes

The entire faculty of the Hagerman public school, with the assistance of various students, is planning to sponsor an all-school carnival the evening of November 8.

The Girls' Glee club of the Hagerman high school, under the direction of Miss Frances Welborne, will present a Hawaiian operetta, "Ghosts of Hilo," at the high school auditorium on October 29th at 8:00 p. m.

The Junior class is working on the annual class play and is promised to be a good one. The title, "Full of Youth," a play that lives up to its name, and a large cast of characters, is sure to be a "hit."

Health Column

Conducted by Dr. J. R. Earp, Director, New Mexico Bureau of Public Health.

Survival In the struggle for existence they are the fittest who survive. This truism has been the starting point for a great deal of bad logic leading to mischievous doctrines.

Fortune Teller: "Madam, you will visit many foreign lands and the courts of kings and queens. You will conquer all rivals and marry the man of your choice. He will be tall, dark, and handsome, aristocratic, young and rich."

Advice to hunters: If you see more than one set of spikes in one spot, the chances are you have had too much mountain dew and if you can't see his horns, she ain't got any, etc.

And Please Be Quick About It!

Get that meal and be quick about it! Which is no snarling command, just a reminder that it's possible to turn out tempting tatters in ten tiny ticks of the piece!

well. Use as sandwich filling (this is enough for 2 dozen sandwiches), as a cake or cookie filling or spread for bread. If part of mixture is to be stored, use boiling water for liquid, only a small amount when making, and additional amount when ready to use.

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Another Public Enemy

By RAYMOND PITCAIRN National Chairman Sentinels of the Republic

The "Public Enemy No. 1" of our criminal records is growing short-lived. The stern hand of justice, backed by an aroused indignation, makes both brief and inglorious his flash across the front page.

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BEDTIME STORY

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

THE HUNTED WATCHES THE HUNTER

IT WAS so quiet and peaceful and altogether lovely there in the Green Forest where Lightfoot the Deer lay resting behind a pile of brush near the top of a little hill that it didn't seem possible such a thing as sudden death should be anywhere near. It didn't seem possible that there could be any need for watchfulness. But Lightfoot long ago learned that often danger is nearest when it seems least to be expected. So, though he would have liked very much to take a nap, Lightfoot was too wise to do anything so foolish. He kept his beautiful great, soft eyes fixed in the



It Was the Hunter and Across One Arm He Carried the Terrible Gun.

direction from which the hunter with the terrible gun would come if he were still following Lightfoot's trail. He kept his great ears gently moving to catch every little sound. Lightfoot had about decided that the hunter had given up hunting for that day, but he didn't let this keep him from being any the less watchful. It was better to be overwatchful than the least bit careless. By and by Lightfoot's keen ears caught the sound of the snapping of a little stick in the distance. It was so faint a sound that you or I would have missed it altogether. But Lightfoot heard it and instantly he was doubly alert, watching in the direction from which that faint sound had come. After what seemed a long time he saw something moving and a moment later

a man came into view. It was the hunter and across one arm he carried the terrible gun. Lightfoot knew now that this hunter had patience and perseverance and had not yet given up hope of getting near enough to shoot him. The hunter moved forward slowly, setting each foot down with the greatest care so as not to snap a stick or rustle the leaves. He was watching sharply ahead, ready to shoot should he catch a glimpse of Lightfoot within range. Right along through the hollow at the foot of the little hill before Lightfoot the hunter passed. He was no longer studying the ground for Lightfoot had left no tracks. He was simply hunting in the direction from which the Merry Little Breezes were blowing because he knew that Lightfoot had gone in that direction and he also knew that if Lightfoot were still ahead of him his scent could not be carried to Lightfoot. He was doing what is called, "hunting up wind."

Lightfoot kept perfectly still and watched the hunter disappear among the trees. Then he silently got to his feet, shook himself lightly, and noiselessly stole away over the hilltop towards another part of the Green Forest. He felt sure that hunter would not find him again that day.

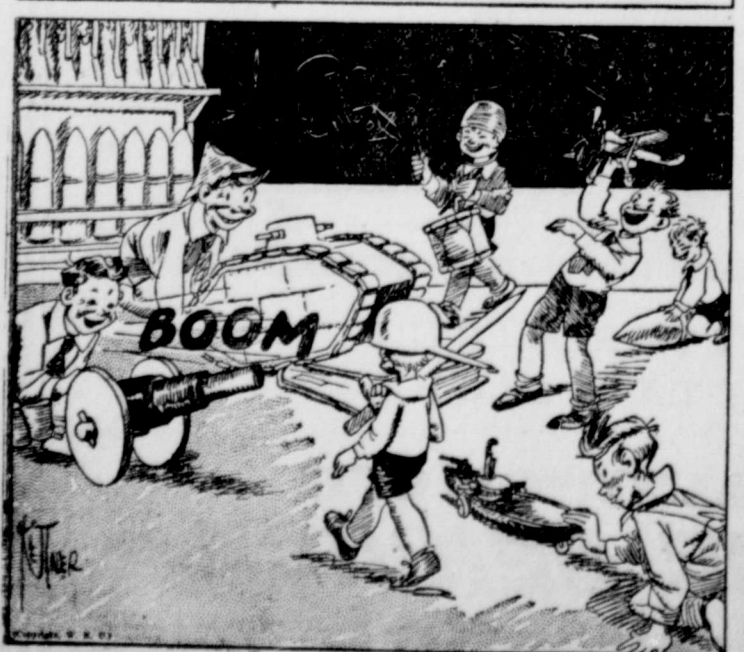
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"It isn't what she eats that keeps the boy friend broke," says pertinent Polly, "it's where she eats."

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European Nursery



Do You Remember a Day in October?

By ANNE CAMPBELL

DO YOU remember an October day, A gold and crimson day of long ago, When for a little while you passed me, To touch the maples with a deeper glow?

Do you remember the New England hills, Where little trees reached up to autumn skies? Today June meets October and distills The roses borrowed from our Paradise.

Do you remember words we did not speak, Long silences that told us more than words, The joyous ripple of the silver creek, And the soft answer of the bright-eyed birds?

Do you remember an October day Far lovelier than this, when for an hour Bright blue October skies reached the gray, And blest affection burgeoned into flower?

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MOTHER'S COOK BOOK

EVERYDAY DISHES

A GOOD ox tail soup is a favorite dish with many. The following stew is worth adding to the card index:

Ox Tail Stew.

Wash the short lengths of ox tail and brown in its own fat. Cook two chopped onions in two tablespoonfuls of butter, add to the meat with two and one-half quarts of water. Simmer until the meat is tender. A half hour before serving add four diced carrots, two diced turnips and one large potato, two teaspoonfuls of Worcestershire sauce, two teaspoonfuls of sugar, salt and pepper to taste. When the vegetables are soft thicken the stew with flour and add water mixed to a paste. Cook until well thickened.

Banana Junket.

Dissolve a junket tablet in a tablespoonful of water, add to a pint of warmed milk. Flavor to suit the taste. Slice bananas into sherbet cups and pour the junket over them. Let stand in a warm place until firm. Mash one banana and add a tablespoonful of lemon juice and beat the white of an egg until stiff, add one-half cupful of sugar and the banana; beat until thick. Add as a topping to the dessert.

Pilaf.

Fry one sliced onion in butter, using two tablespoonfuls; when soft and yellow add two cupfuls of boiling water, one cupful of uncooked rice, two cupfuls of canned tomatoes, one cupful of round steak ground, two teaspoonfuls of sugar, salt, pepper and grated cheese to taste. Cook in a covered dish until the rice is soft. Cover with the

QUESTION BOX

by ED WYNN, The Perfect Fool

Dear Mr. Wynn:

I notice articles, in the newspapers, which refer to something or other happening in the great peace town, but they never mention the name of the town. I must confess my ignorance and ask you to please tell me the name of the great peace town?

Sincerely,
U. R. BRIGHT.

Answer: The greatest peace town I know of is Reno.

Dear Mr. Wynn:

I am taking an examination for a letter-carrier's position. One question seems to stick me. I know you will help me, so here's the question: "What has four legs and flies all around?"

Truly yours,
WILL I. PASS.

Answer: Well, it's a question which answer the government wants from you. Two canary birds have four legs and fly all around, but I think the answer you want is as follows: "A dead horse has four legs and flies all around!"

Dear Mr. Wynn:

I have trouble in keeping my silverware clean. They say that whisky is the best polish for silver. How is it used?

Sincerely,
LMA HOUSEKEEPER.

Answer: Just drink the whisky and then blow on the silver.

Dear Mr. Wynn:

I have been reading the pro and con discussions on "When a Man

THROUGH A Woman's Eyes

By JEAN NEWTON

ALL GOSSIPS SHOULD GO TO JAIL!

A FRENCH postman was sent to prison for six months for gossiping. He had the pleasant little habit of reading postcards that went through his hands and then forgetting to keep to himself what he read. The courts decided that postmen are bound by the rules of "professional secrecy" with regard to mail entrusted to them, and must not talk about other people's secrets which they learn from the corre-

Is Drunk." Please tell me when a person can be absolutely sure that a man is drunk?

Truly yours,
Y. B. SOBER.

Answer: A man is absolutely "drunk" when he comes home late, puts the candle in bed, then blows himself out.

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Pretty Tweed Coat



Loosely woven tweed, in dark blue, wine and white, makes this long belted-back coat that is worn over a dark blue one-piece dress. The shoulder yoke and pockets echo the rounded line of the collar.

spondence. So they made an example of this postman who gossiped and sent him to jail.

Was their anything special about the gossip which led to this rather radical procedure? Oh, no. It happens that his gossip led to a murder. But that's nothing special about gossip, which we all know leads every day to all sorts of tragedy.

The particular case which caused the gossiping postman to be sent to jail was that of a man in charge of a level crossing whom he kept informed of all that his wife wrote to her cousin in Paris. From one of the communications the level crossing tender found that she was keeping a rendezvous, and shot her dead. He was acquitted, but the gossip who had given him the information was sent to jail.

Without getting into any debate on the question of rendezvous with lovers near Paris, we are impelled to approve of sending the gossip to jail. The only criticism that comes to my mind is that the sentence was not long enough. And that apart from his professional responsibility as a postman; it is entirely on the crime of gossiping. For gossiping is a crime. It is always productive of harm, frequently of tragedy. And sending gossips to jail might help a bit in reducing the world's quota of ills!

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CARE IN CHOOSING BOOKS FOR CHILD HAS ITS REWARD

The story of Abraham Lincoln and his struggle for education gives the cue to Alma H. Jones' article, "Satisfy Your Child's Book Hunger," in Hygeia.

"Books are to the mind what sunshine is to the body," implies that just as the well cared for child receives daily sun exposure as an aid to physical growth, so also should he receive early "exposure" to lullabies, rhymes and stories, which constitute aids to mental and emotional growth.

Very early the child needs to establish right attitudes toward books. By the time a child is fifteen or eighteen months old he can easily learn to handle a book without tearing the pages, if the paper is strong and the pages are not too large. Young children who are not yet able to read enjoy picture books or picture-story books.

Though considerable emphasis is placed on the importance of children of school age reading for themselves and in quantity this should not be interpreted as a reason for ending the reading or story-telling hour of parents and other adults. Through such means the young boy or girl may be stimulated to more difficult reading on new subjects, for the parent or adult may interpret through voice or explanation much that would otherwise be lost on the child who does not read easily. There is permanent value as well as present pleasure in the story hour.

The general characteristics of a good book include large clear type, an uncrowded, well-paragraphed page, a pleasing appearance, a lively tale and a well-sustained reader interest.

Sing Something Simple

A bandmaster in New York finally has broken down and written a march song, the words of which consist of a series of "la-la-las." His purpose, it seems, was to make the words easy enough to remember, so that a large audience could be induced to sing the song. The struggle that audiences usually have with the second verse of "The Star-Spangled Banner" suggests that he may have found the solution to one of the two problems in community singing. The other problem is to keep the audience on the tune.

Week's Supply of Postum Free

Read the offer made by the Postum Company in another part of this paper. They will send a full week's supply of health giving Postum free to anyone who writes for it—Adv.

Liberty

The shallow consider liberty a release from all law, from every constraint. The wise see in it, on the contrary, the perfect law of laws.—Walt Whitman.

PLEASANT MIXTURE

Make the earth's doings a comedy mingled with a little necessary seriousness.

Don't Guess But Know

Whether the "Pain" Remedy You Use is SAFE?

Don't Entrust Your Own or Your Family's Well-Being to Unknown Preparations

THE person to ask whether the preparation you or your family are taking for the relief of headaches is SAFE to use regularly is your family doctor. Ask him particularly about Genuine BAYER ASPIRIN.

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News Review of Current Events the World Over

Italy Is Outlawed by League of Nations, Austria and Hungary Objecting—Hauptmann's Death Sentence Upheld by Appeals Court.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD
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BECAUSE it was prosecuting an undeclared war on Ethiopia, Italy was condemned as a violator of the covenant of the League of Nations.



Baron Aloisi

Italy itself, Austria and Hungary, refused to associate themselves with the assembly's action. The Austrian and Hungarian representatives would not participate in any sanctions against Italy because of their political and economic relations with the Fascist government.

If any of the nations concurring with the league's decision wishes to declare war on Italy, it now has the legal right to do so. The nature of the penalties to be imposed on Italy will be determined by a committee including all members of the league council, except Italy, and all Italy's neighbor nations except Austria and Hungary.

The meeting of the assembly first heard an eloquent speech on Italy's behalf by her chief delegate, Baron Aloisi. He charged that the league had been unfair, that it had used "two weights and two measures" in its work, that it had acted against Italy where it did not act against Japan in the Manchurian crisis, that it did not even consider Italy's complaints against Ethiopia.

"Why not Japan?" he asked. "Why not Bolivia and Paraguay in the Chaco war? Why Italy?" Before the decision nation after nation registered its adherence to the league covenant.

"I shall make only a brief declaration," said Pierre Laval of France. "France will face her obligations. I said this before the assembly. I repeat it before the assembly. The covenant is our international law."

"Action must now be taken," said Henry Eden of Great Britain. "I share the readiness of his majesty's government to take full part in such action."

Vladimir Potemkin of Russia announced that his government was determined to fulfill its obligations. Switzerland also emphasized its willingness to participate.

"No other delegation has asked for a vote," said President Benes of Czechoslovakia. "I interpret the silence of all governments with the opinion of the members of the council. The assembly will place this on record." Austria and Hungary cannot of themselves supply Mussolini with arms in the way of raw materials for his war; but there is the chance that he may receive, through those countries, materials from Germany.

Italy's neutrality proclaimed by Hitler does not prevent. Already the packing companies of Brazil have suspended negotiations for the shipment of 22,000 tons of meat to Italy. Greece has stopped the shipment of donkeys to the Italian army. The economic sanctions also put an end to much of Italy's export trade, as well as her imports.

MAKING good on his threats and promises, Benito Mussolini sent his armies crashing across the border of Ethiopia, starting a war that gave all Europe the jitters. Under the command of Gen. Emilio De Bono, chief of the Italian colonial armies, the Italian troops laboriously advanced from Eritrea, crossing the Mareb river frontier and capturing Adigrat and other towns that had already been practically ruined by bombardment from planes. The immediate objective was Aduwa, the scene of the terrific Italian defeat 30 years ago. After several years of hard fighting against the Ethiopian, who lost probably 2,000 killed, the invaders reached into Aduwa, and considered the disgrace of 1896 had been avenged. The Italian soldiers General Maravigna's command moved first, carrying to the principal square and there erecting a stone monument inscribed "To fallen heroes of Aduwa." There is a report that Mussolini would to Aduwa to unveil this memorial. Italy officially announced that all Tigre province was in Italian hands, and at the same time her

columns were advancing into Ethiopia from the south and east, with the city of Harrar and the country's one railway as their objective.

Recent reports from Addis Ababa said the Italian minister, whose departure had been requested by the emperor, announced that the Italian forces in the north sector had occupied the holy city of Aksum, the ancient capital of the queen of Sheba. There was no resistance, and the Ethiopians saved their sacred relics.

The kings of kings asked that other Italian legation officials depart with the minister. The legation, he declared, had kept its radio communications in use after being requested to desist.

In Rome it was announced that Mussolini would retort by giving passports to the members of the Ethiopian legation and would launch a new drive toward Addis Ababa. Ethiopian cavalry made a daring raid into Eritrea, killing some Italians and capturing others; but there was a report that a son-in-law of the emperor and another Ethiopian general lost their lives in this operation.

UNANIMOUS decision of the New Jersey court of errors and appeals is that Bruno Richard Hauptmann was given a fair trial on the charge of murdering Col. Charles Lindbergh's baby son;



Bruno Hauptmann

Our conclusion is that the verdict is not only not contrary to the weight of the evidence, but one to which the evidence inescapably led. . . . From three different and, in the main, unrelated sources the proofs point unerringly to guilt—viz:

- (a) Possession and use of the ransom money.
- (b) The handwriting of the ransom notes.
- (c) The wood used in the construction of the ladder.

Hauptmann's attorneys immediately began preparations for an appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States. Their only way is to ask that tribunal for a review of the New Jersey court's action.

To prevent the death sentence being carried out while such a petition was pending in the Supreme court, it would be necessary to have a "stay of execution" issued by the New Jersey courts or by a Justice of the United States Supreme court. If a review is denied the case will be closed and Hauptmann probably will die in the electric chair late in November or early in December.

GREECE changed back from a republic to a monarchy overnight in a bloodless coup d'etat engineered by the royalists in the armed forces. Led by Gen. George Kondylis, the army officers immediately proclaimed restoration of the monarchy. He refused and resigned, and a new government with Kondylis as premier took hold. This former minister of war then forced out President Zaimis, abolished the republican constitution, decreed the restoration, and was named regent by the national assembly pending the return of King George II, who was called back from exile. Though the change of form of government thus seemed completed, the assembly directed that a plebiscite on the question be held November 3, and in London the Greek king's quarry said George would await the result of this vote.

There is in Madrid a pretender to the Greek throne, Prince Eugene Lascaris, son of the late Imperial Prince Manuel of Greece, who was exiled. Eugene declared his followers would "convert Greece into a river of blood" unless he is placed on the throne.

QUITE inadvertently, Secretary of the Navy Swanson revealed the fact that our government is preparing to take part in another naval conference in London within three months. Mr. Swanson, replying to some question at his press conference, said he would send Admiral William H. Standley, chief of operations, to the London meeting as the navy's representative because of his good work at the last conversations on naval limitation. It is supposed the naval powers will try to formulate a limitation program which would take the place of the treaties that are to be terminated January 1, 1937.

HAMILTON FISH, JR., congressman from New York, is going to be a candidate for the Republican Presidential nomination and will throw his hat into the ring about the middle of December. He will enter the primaries in the western, mid-western and southern states.



Rep. Fish

Mr. Fish has not yet formally announced this intention, but he told an interviewer the other day that if he were elected he would have a non-partisan cabinet that would include the best brains in the country regardless of political affiliations. He even went so far as to give out a long list of the men and women from which he would choose his cabinet members. For instance, his secretary of state will be either Senator Borah, Senator Hiram Johnson, Bainbridge Colby, John W. Davis or Newton D. Baker. For secretary of commerce he would have either Herbert Hoover or Frank Phillips of Oklahoma. Senator Carter Glass heads the list for secretary of the treasury; Edward A. Hayes for secretary of war; R. R. Creager of Texas for postmaster general; Judge Charles Lockwood of Brooklyn for attorney general; Al Smith for secretary of labor; Frank O. Lowden for secretary of agriculture; Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., for secretary of the navy, and Former Vice President Charles Curtis for secretary of the interior.

AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR opened its annual convention in Atlantic City with many problems up for discussion. In its report the executive council advocated preservation of the national Constitution without amendment for the present, as best for industrial recovery. It said: "That some control must be exerted over the former system of laissez faire cannot be denied."

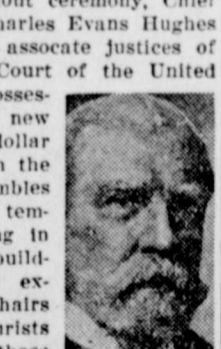
"The experiment," the report added (NRA), "which has been concluded, has helped to point the way to the goal which we must seek. How is congress to acquire that control over the industry and trade of our country which will make possible the necessary reforms?"

"Until exhaustive studies have been made with respect to attaining this great objective, under our present Constitution, we cannot recommend just what steps should be taken in connection with this particular problem."

The report urged vigorous action to drive Reds out of the federation, and recommend the continuation of a strict labor boycott on German goods and services until the Nazis gave "adequate recognition and protection to the rights of minority groups."

The federation's determination to keep out the Communists was emphasized by its action in refusing to seat E. M. Curry, president of the International Foundry Workers' union, because he was a Communist candidate for congress in Michigan three years ago.

QUITE without ceremony, Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes and the eight associate justices of the Supreme Court of the United States took possession of their new ten million dollar home which on the outside it resembles a Corinthian temple. Everything in the handsome building was new except the nine chairs the eminent jurists occupy, and these would have been replaced if the architects and decorators had had their way.



Chief Justice Hughes

There was a big crowd present to see the justices open the first term of court in the palatial structure, but only a few spectators could get inside. The first business was the admission of more than 150 lawyers to practice before the court. Then the calendar was read. On this calendar are six cases which hold the fate of the New Deal. The most important of these is one which will determine the validity of the agricultural adjustment act.

TWELVE persons met sudden death when an eastbound plane of the United Air Lines crashed about fifteen miles west of Cheyenne, Wyo., in the early morning hours. The plane apparently struck the peak of a small hill and bounced nose first, against the top of another hill. Fire did not break out, but the impact was fatal to the nine passengers, two pilots and stewardess.

DOWN in Lower California aboard the cruiser Houston President Roosevelt called Secretary Ickes and WPA Administrator Harry Hopkins into his cabin and studied the work situation on the basis of reports from Washington. After long consideration he formally approved \$26,000,000 in work projects in Pennsylvania. After some fishing in Arenas bay, Mr. Roosevelt headed straight out to the Pacific ocean for Cocos Island off the coast of Costa Rica, a rendezvous of the old-time pirates where search is often made for supposed buried gold. He had good luck angling there last year

BRISBANE THIS WEEK

Mussolini at the Phone Who Is the Man? No Fear in Vatican City A Shot at a Bird

Something new in war is Mussolini sitting in his office at the Palazzo Venezia in Rome, talking on a short-wave radio telephone with Gen. Emilio de Bono, his commander in chief in Ethiopia. Mussolini should have been photographed as he received the message, "We have just taken Aduwa, where 8,000 of our colonial troops, 6,000 of our Italian troops, were killed 40 years ago, and Italy humiliated." That was a proud moment in Mussolini's life.



Arthur Brisbane

After Mussolini gets the news by radio-telephone he telephones it to the Italian king's summer residence. For a change from war, consider this incident. Before the entrance to the "Recess club" frequented by Wall Street's "Who's Who," stood George C. Haigh, banker; Matthew S. Sloan, who used to run New York's electric light and now runs the "Katy" railroad, a learned friend of Mr. Sloan's and this writer.

Mr. Sloan said, with finality that marks greatness, "Mr. Blank," mentioning the name of a well-known Republican candidate, "will be elected in 1936." Your narrator buttonholed the first man passing, a Wall Street denizen, well dressed, asked him "Who is Mr. Blank?" mentioning the name of Mr. Sloan's candidate.

"Never heard of him, don't know who he is. Who is he?" the pedestrian replied and went on. Of the next ten, nine would have said, similarly, "Never heard of him," but all ten would have heard of Franklin D. Roosevelt. Republicans must take somebody whose name is known if they can find him; failing that, they would do well to select him now and see to it that his name is known before election day comes around.

Despite possibilities of widespread bombing of cities if "that war in Europe" should come, Vatican City, ruled by the pope, does not consider anti-bomb defense necessary. Osservatore Romano, representing the Vatican, denies reports that shelters against air raids would be provided in Vatican City. It says: "The Holy Father has reason to believe that the dome of St. Peter's, regardless of whatever the occasion might be, is the most inviolable defense, firstly, because of the celestial protection of the Prince of Apostles, for whom the dome is the sacred sign and symbol, and because its mass indicates so clearly the holy place, respected and venerated during the most obscure centuries."

The magnificent building erected by Michelangelo, with his priceless statues and paintings within it, would be respected by even the most barbarous invader seems certain.

Little things start big things. Doctor Potter, formerly professor of political science in the University of Wisconsin, one of an international committee of four that tried to settle a quarrel between Italy and Ethiopia in 1934, says that Italy has good ground for complaint against Ethiopia, and that a soldier's casual shot at a bird probably caused the present trouble.

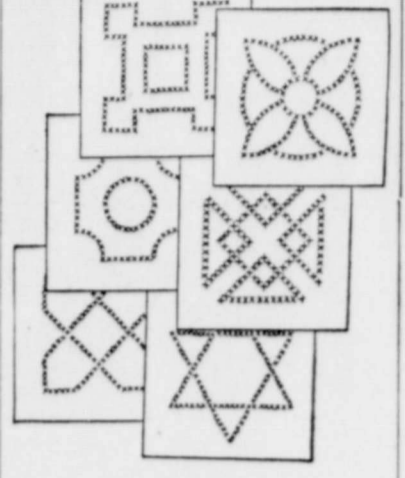
Mr. Joseph E. Uihlein, an able citizen of Milwaukee, who takes information with him on his travels and is therefore able to bring information back, returns from England with the impression that, despite greatly improved conditions in Britain, English and other Europeans are expecting something unpleasant to happen. What it is, where it will start, what will cause it, nobody is prepared to say, but there is a feeling of apprehension, a vague anticipation of some catastrophic event.

The President assures the nation that on this occasion America will not meddle with what does not concern it. What will the United States do about selling food to Italy, if, through "sanctions," the League of Nations tries to starve out the Italians, as Germany was starved?

Mussolini spoke to twenty million Italians gathered in Italy's public squares, and to the people of the world. You could not mistake the meaning of that voice. Newspaper men, gathered near the radio, said: "His voice made the shivers run up and down our backs, although we could not understand a word of it." Shivers do not often run up and down those backs.

CROSS-STITCH QUILT BLOCKS

By GRANDMOTHER CLARK



Cross-stitch is about the simplest thing in handwork. Little girls make their stitches in cross-stitch. These six-inch blocks are stamped in cross-stitch designs on white muslin and little girls to grandmothers will enjoy making them into everything from small dollies to pillow tops, scarfs and bedspreads. Easy to carry around, working one at a time and then assembling into article wanted when all the squares are finished.

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Must Be Scientific

The good life can be scientifically defined and that the scientific method can and must be applied to ethics, is the contention of Felix S. Cohen in "Ethical Systems and Legal Ideals." "Shut out from the doubts and the achievements of positive science, our moralists may deal without fear of contradiction (except from themselves) with human conscience and human volition," says Doctor Cohen, "but they have abandoned the sovereignty which Greek and medieval moralists once exercised over the really important realms of human conduct, the realms of art, thought, industry, the distribution of economic and political power, friendship, and war."

World's Most Famous Babies Eat Oatmeal

The Dionne Quintuplets, wards of the King, eat the same cereal that is eaten by millions of babies who don't get their names in the papers—oatmeal. The Canadian government chose a staff of special experts for the care of the Quints. And these experts, their scientific knowledge endorsing the instinctive choice of mothers the world over, have chosen oatmeal for the cereal of the famous five.

Oatmeal, eminent medical authorities agree, has an abundance of everything a child's cereal should have—body-building minerals, muscle-building protein, and the supremely important Vitamin B for keeping fit.

Food science says that Vitamin B is the best safeguard against those dangerous enemies of childhood—nervousness, constipation, and poor appetite due to lack of that vitamin in the diet.

Cheap Labor

The bridge built in 1772 which carries the western highway over the Seine at Neuilly-sur-Seine, France, has become inadequate for modern traffic and is to be replaced. The new bridge, however, is likely to be more costly than the old. Accounts still preserved show that the contractor in 1772 paid his masons 46 cents, carpenters 45 cents, and laborers 26 cents a day, and they were not 8 hour days, either. But living was cheaper then.

WISDOM LOST Whose wisdom is no service to himself, is wise in vain.



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I KNOW YOU'RE NOT FEELING WELL, BUT DIDN'T THE DOCTOR TELL YOU TO GIVE UP COFFEE AND SWITCH TO POSTUM?

YES, BUT WHY SHOULD I? COFFEE NEVER HURT ME!

OF COURSE NOT! PAY NO ATTENTION TO SUCH TRIPE!

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THEN—I SUPPOSE I'LL HAVE TO TRY POSTUM!

CURSES! THAT LICKS ME! I NEVER COULD STAND UP AGAINST POSTUM!

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Screw Worm Loss Can Be Prevented

Screw worm infestations have been exceptionally heavy this year, says W. L. Black of the New Mexico State College.

The present infestation for the southern part of the state averages about seventeen percent. The infestation occurred later than usual this year, due to the fact that the summer rains came later than they do in most years. Most of the cases have happened since September 1. People are inclined to belittle the importance of a condition that occurs every year, and in New Mexico, ranchmen have taken the attitude that this parasite was more or less of an unavoidable evil.

There has been a rather widespread outbreak of the parasite in the southeastern states this year, with the result that a great deal of publicity has been given out upon the occurrence of the parasite in these states and this publicity has resulted in a rather large sum of money being appropriated for the relief of livestock owners in the affected district. New Mexico probably has as severe an infestation annually as has been experienced in the southeastern states

during the present year.

There is need for a great deal of research work to be done on this problem, but in the meantime, the losses can be lessened considerably if the ranchmen will use the treatment recommended by the U. S. Bureau of Entomology for the control of these parasites. This treatment consists of the use of ordinary ninety percent commercial benzol to kill the parasites, and then the use of pine-tar oil, specific gravity 1.065, smeared lightly around the wound to repel the flies. The wound should be swabbed out with a pledget of cotton before applying the benzol, as benzol and blood do not mix. The application is made by putting a small amount of the benzol on a small piece of cotton and placing it over the wound, holding it there until the worms are killed. It is also well to saturate a small pledget of cotton with the benzol and insert it into the wound, leaving it there for twenty-four hours.

NOTICE!

No hunting permitted on my farm.

AVISO!
No se permite cazar en mi hacienda.
H. L. McKINSTRY.

Wedding announcements, printed or engraved.—The Messenger.

In The WEEK'S NEWS

CURRENT EVENTS PHOTOGRAPHED FOR THE MESSENGER



WAR DRUMS are throbbing in Ethiopia. Most of them are tom-toms beating in the hills and across the deserts. But a few, like those in photo at left, make martial music to lead the nation's handful of uniformed troops to battle.



COMFORT AT CAMP BIDE-A-WEE! Photo shows a group at one of the three camps for unemployed women being run for six weeks near Wichita, Kansas. This excellent project is under the supervision of the N.Y.A. in Kansas.



LITTLE GLORIA VANDERBILT who made her debut as a horse show contestant at the thirty-third annual Piping Rock Horse Show. This little heiress whose mother is waging a legal battle to regain her custody is seen riding in a wicker pony cart in a judging of harness ponies. (Photo International News.)



OVER THE LINE! Nick Pappas, Southern California, evades tackle to make touchdown for score of 19-7 when his team won from College of Pacific.



UNDER WAYZARO CHARKOZE, a wealthy landowner, the women of Ethiopia have organized a "Battalion of Death" to serve with the troops fighting the Italian invaders. (Photo International News.)

IT'S HUS-GUBLIN TIME when witches ride across the moon on broomsticks and boys and girls make fearsome jack-o'-lanterns from big pumpkins. Phyllis Brooks, RKO star, in a typical Hallowe'en setting.



IN SOCIETY

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(Items for either this column or the calendar must be turned in by not later than Wednesday noon)

Social Calendar

The Thursday club will meet on Thursday, October 31st, at the home of Mrs. Jack Sweat, Mrs. T. D. Devenport will be leader.

The Methodist Missionary Society will meet on Wednesday afternoon, October 30th, at the educational building basement.

The Woman's club will meet on Friday afternoon, November 1st. Meeting place will be announced later.

The Baptist W. M. S. business meeting will be held on Monday afternoon, November 4th, at the church at 2:00 p. m. This has been changed from Wednesday and members please observe the change.

HAGERMAN THURSDAY CLUB

An intensely interesting and successful book report was given by Mrs. W. A. Losey at the regular Thursday club meeting last Thursday at the home of Mrs. E. A. Paddock. Sixteen members were present, and two guests, Mrs. A. A. MacKintosh and Mrs. A. C. Harter of Los Angeles, California. Mrs. Harter was a former member of the club.

Mrs. Losey, in a natural, homely way, told of "The Folks," the story of a family living in Iowa, and through two generations of their lives the happenings, ambitions and other important occurrences connected with them. An interesting note of the afternoon was given by Mrs. Harter, who told of the friendship of the author, Ruth Suckow and Mrs. T. B. Platt, when they lived near each other in Iowa. Mrs. Platt was also a former member of the Thursday club.

MISS ELEANOR PADDOCK IS HONOREE AT PARTY

Mrs. Ben F. Gehman entertained last night, complimentary to Miss Eleanor Paddock, whose marriage to Wilfred McCormick will occur this fall. Guests were members of the Methodist church choir, with whom Miss Paddock has been associated in their church work, practically all her life. Lovely autumn blossoms graced the rooms, and after a short rehearsal, several

amusing and interesting musical games were played.

At the refreshment hour, a lovely silver dish was presented the honoree, by her co-workers. A delicious refreshment plate of salad, sandwiches, cake and coffee was served to Miss Paddock and Mmes. E. A. Paddock, Ramon Welborne, Ben F. Gehman, Misses Margaret Slade, Frances Welborne, Georgina Silliman, Dorothea Cowan, and Messrs. Frank Bauslin, E. A. Paddock, G. F. Tressler and B. F. Gehman.

BAPTIST W. M. S. MEETING

Last week members of the society met and worked on quilt tops. This week on Monday they met with Mrs. E. A. White in the afternoon for their regular monthly royal service meeting. The lesson topic was: "The Banner of Youth," or "The Training of Youth of Today for the Task of Tomorrow." Mrs. W. H. Keeth was the leader, and talks were made by Mmes. Hamilton, White, Vickers, Dodson and Goodwin. Mrs. Geo. Toby told of the recent convention held in Farmington, and the Rev. Toby made a fine inspirational talk to the society. Mrs. Price Curd sang a beautiful solo.

PRESBYTERIAN AID MEETING

Despite the cold weather yesterday afternoon, about a dozen members and guests met with Mrs. J. T. West for aid meeting. The president, Mrs. J. E. Wimberly, presided. During the business session plans were completed for the lunch to be served to the American Legion Auxiliary on Friday. For refreshments, a delicious fall relish served on wafers, fruit filled cookies and tea were served.

BACHELOR GIRL PARTY

With a few of their married friends to help round out the merriment, the bachelor maids of the local teaching faculty were entertained last Friday night by Miss Nora Clemens at the home of Mrs. Will Beaty, 604 South Washington, Roswell. In addition to great shaggy mums, which Mrs. Beaty had used for decoration, lovely dahlias were given by Mrs. Bert Bailey for the party. Bridge formed the entertainment, and refreshments of brick ice cream was served to the following: Misses Mary Jones, Grace Pad-

November Issue N. M. Magazine Very Interesting

Back in the seventies in Cimarron they had a saying—whenever a man was killed in Lambert's bar—"Lambert had a man for breakfast."

One morning "Lambert had four men for breakfast," for Davy Crockett, a young cowboy, killed four negro soldiers.

Although as much historical interest centers in Cimarron as in any other town that flourished in the wild and woolly days of the west, all the history wasn't of the six-shooting kind, according to Grant Maxwell, writing in the November issue of New Mexico Magazine.

Maxwell writes the story of Cimarron and tells interesting and amusing historical anecdotes about the town and its famous characters.

The magazine notes the arrival of the hunting season, October 25, with a prose verse article by S. Omar Barker, "Buck Hunt Fever," "A Road Runner for the Missus," a woman's version of a quail hunting trip, by Myrtle Andrews of Santa Fe. "Why Not Pack In?" an article by Roy Allen Stamm, which lists all the equipment needed for a horse or back packing trip.

Other articles include "The Last Pioneer," by Stanley Vestal, biographer of Kit Carson and Sitting Bull, who describes his own experiences in homesteading; "Shalako" by Ruth Falkenberg Kirk of Gallup; "Claim and Counter Claim," a fiction story of prospecting by B. W. Kenney of Albuquerque, and "Horse Race Day," reminiscences of early Deming by Jack Thorp, the composer of the famous cowboy ballad, "Little Joe the Wrangler."

It is said a well-educated man never uses profanity. On the other hand, there are about 2,500 profane expressions in the English language, so how's one to acquire a good vocabulary without the use of a profane expression occasionally?

dock, Gene Seeley, Georgina Silliman, Almaretta Growden, Frances Welborne, Jessie George, Peggy Harrison, Katherine Hammock, Dorothy Sweat, Mrs. Ramon Welborne, Mrs. Edmund McKinstry, and the hostess, from Hagerman, and Miss Cleo Rosenberg, Mmes. Ralph Lannon, Thad Cox and Will Beaty of Roswell.

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SUICIDE VICTIM RECOVERING

Elmer Lind, aged 23, Roswell youth, is recovering from a bullet wound in his chest, which officers allege was self-inflicted. Lind was wounded just above the heart with a .45 caliber pistol Sunday afternoon.

We intended to tell the farmers last week to keep up the pea fowls during the pheasant hunting season.

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