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Go Back to Work Is Latest Order

Bloodshed in Streets of the Portuguese Capital Has Now Subsided

PARIS, France.—Somewhat obscure dispatches received by the Havas agency indicated that the rebellion in Portugal has resulted in the overthrow of the unpopular cabinet and the selection of a new set of advisers for president Arriaga. It is also stated that quiet has now been restored in the capital.

The dispatch adds:

An official proclamation issued by the cabinet after its first meeting in the Hotel de Ville, reads:

"The new ministry, representing public opinion, congratulates the population and the army and the navy on the noble way in which they fulfilled their duties in the difficult crisis from which we have just emerged. The ministry invites all the citizens to resume their work and occupation in respect of the law.

THREATS FOR RIOTERS.

"If by chance rioters should disturb the peace, they will be guilty of high treason and they will be punished to the full extent of the law.

"The Mundo, of Lisbon says that the revolutionary committee, not wishing to create difficulties, but rather to avoid them, has come to the conclusion that in so much as señor Arriaga, president of the republic, respected the revolutionary movement, he will be continued in office, conforming absolutely to constitutional law, until the expiration of his term, October 5, next."

MADRID, Spain.—An official dispatch received here from Lisbon announces that street fighting similar to that which occurred Sunday night has broken out again. The naval bombardment was stopped Saturday night owing to a lack of ammunition.

The number of persons killed or wounded is said to be considerable. Many buildings were burned and the homes of known loyalists pillaged.

REBELS ANNOUNCE PROGRAM.

A dispatch from Lisbon containing the proclamation issued by the revolutionary committee in Lisbon is as follows:

"We are going to restore the republic to the republicans. We demand a democratic government and it ought to be republican. We shall adopt no party flag because we wish all republicans to be united for the dignity of the country and the salvation of the republic.

"We do not advise violence or reprisals. Our energy does not preclude generosity for the vanquished. It is the province of the national government alone to execute measures for patriotic defence. All may rely upon its honor and patriotism."

TENTATIVE CABINET CHOSEN.

Another dispatch from Lisbon says the revolutionary party assembled the warship Vasco da Gama, and deliberated on the designation of a national government and the choice of ministers. The cabinet, it is stated, probably will be presided over by Jao Chagas, who will also have the portfolio of minister of the interior. The other members probably will be Fernandez Costa, former minister of marine; Duarte Leite, former minister of finance and Raoulo Falco.

Mexican Pesos Down to 11 Cents on Dollar

The purchasing price of Mexican paper money has been decreasing steadily until today the Mexican peso is worth but 11 cents gold in Mexico City, instead of 50 cents in normal times. The price of commodities has risen accordingly and the populace has become greatly excited.

A few days ago the exchange value of the peso was the occasion of a heated debate among the delegates attending one of the national conventions now in session. An orator had been holding forth for an hour or more in an incendiary speech wherein he charged Wall street and the financiers in London, Berlin and Paris for being responsible for the "thirty-cent" variety of money now prevailing there. He was interrupted by the president of the session, who said:

"Mr. Delegate, I desire to call your attention to the fact that the relative value of Mexican paper currency and the gold coin of foreign states is due in a large measure to the law of supply and demand."

"Then," thundered the orator, "I demand that this law be repealed forthwith."

The statement met with great applause on the part of the majority of the delegates, who signified their willingness to vote for the repeal; but the chairman failed to put the question.

Ugly Riots In South Africa Menace Teutons

Crowds Destroy German Property and Lives Are Treatened

LONDON.—A Reuter dispatch from Capa Town, says:

"Immense crowds thronged the streets singing 'Rule Britannia' and their behaviour threatening. Troops and police found great difficulty in preventing disorders.

"Latest reports show that the rioting has been of a most serious character, but for a possible uprising among 250,000 mine boys along the Rand now apparently is having a steady effect. The natives obtained liquor freely from looted stores and this added greatly to the peril of the situation.

"Some of the largest warehouses on the Rand, containing immense stores of merchandise belonging to Germans or supposed Germans, are reported to have been systematically destroyed. The buildings simply were set on fire and allowed to blaze. Goods found in smaller shops, hotels and offices were flung out of windows and made into bonfires.

"Reports from Durban describe the wholesale firing and sacking German business houses, hotels and wool stores.

"At Port Elizabeth, twenty German establishments were wrecked; in Pretoria, the windows were smashed in the office of a German newspaper; Maritzburg reports a general exodus of Germans. The disturbances at Kimberly were unprecedented in the annals of the diamond fields, while the rioting at Bloemfontein also was serious."

Plan to Raise Democratic Funds.

D. K. B. Sellers, of Albuquerque, will submit to a conference of Democrats to be held at Santa Fe, his plan for financing the Democratic party for the campaign of 1916.

He proposes to assess all office holders and every other willing Democrat in the state, a small sum to be paid each month from now on until November of next year.

It is argued that such preliminary financing will enable the Democratic party to nominate men with an eye to the fitness and popularity instead of their ability to make a big campaign contribution.

The committee consisting of Edward C. Wade, jr., J. H. McCutcheon and J. H. Crist will report tentative constitution and by-laws for Democratic clubs to be organized in each precinct. Governor McDonald and other state officials will attend. From Albuquerque, in addition to D. K. B. Sellers, H. B. Henning will be a delegate.

LEANDRO OLGUIN SHOT TO DEATH A. B. SANCHEZ

Quarrel Over Dance at Jarales Leads to Death of Prominent Valencia County Stockman.

As a result of a quarrel at a dance in Jarales, last Saturday night, in the extreme southern portion of Valencia county, Adolfo B. Sanchez was shot through the heart and instantly killed by Leandro Olguin, a young man scarcely more than 20 years of age.

Just what led to the killing is not definitely known. Olguin was arrested immediately after the occurrence and is now languishing at the county jail in Los Lunas.

One version of the affair is that Sanchez, who was conducting the dance, refused to allow Olguin to go into the dance hall without paying the price charged for admission, and that this caused a quarrel which led to the shooting. Another version is that Olguin entered the dance hall and was boisterous in his conduct, and that upon being ejected by Sanchez, Leandro called Sanchez and shot him.

The dead man was a prominent farmer and stockman of Valencia county and formerly was a member of the board of county commissioners of this county. He was a member of the Fraternal Aid Union of America, and lived in Jarales. He was between 40 and 42 years old and is survived by his mother, wife, son and one daughter. The remains were interred in the cemetery here Monday.

Leandro Olguin is well connected, and so far as is known has always borne good reputation heretofore.

Bull in a China Shop Has Nothing on Steers

While a number of steers were being weighed on the Alfalfa Lumber scales at Clovis, N. M., three of the animals, finding no other means of escape, entered the company's paint and glass room in the rear of the office building and proceeded to break all the glass in sight, finally making a bolt for the windows in the east side taking glass, screens and all with them as they cleared the room.

Brother of Villa Shot In Quarrel

Admiral Howard of The Pacific Fleet Goes Back to San Diego

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Consul Hostetter at Hermosillo reports that the situation in the Yaqui valley appeared to be entirely under control, and that C. C. Wilson, not Jack Wilson, was among the Americans killed in the Indian uprising last week.

Admiral Howard, commander of the Pacific fleet, who started from San Diego aboard the cruiser Colorado for Guaymas, reports that on information that the situation had cleared he had turned back and was returning to San Diego.

Gen. Obregon Fails To Flank Gen. Pancho

El Paso, Tex.—An official Villa report said that the Obregon troops had failed in an attempt to flank Villa's position at Leon by a movement from the east, it was said, during which General Rodolfo Fierro, one of Villa's favorite commanders, was wounded slightly. The Obregon army employed a large number of the Yaqui Indian troops in the expedition, which was supported by many machine guns.

Brother of Villa Slain in Gun Fight

El Paso, Tex.—Antonio Villa, a brother of the northern chieftain, was probably mortally wounded and seven others killed Sunday night at Chihuahua City, in a public place, where a political argument arose. Pistols were drawn, and in the running fight which followed Villa was shot through the brain.

Hipolito Villa, another brother who is commercial agent at Juarez, left Sunday on a special train for Chihuahua. Antonio Villa is a minor commander of the Villa army. The cause of the argument over which several other Villa officers were killed or wounded, was not learned.

Liberty Bell to Make Stop at Deming, N. M.

The Chamber of Commerce at Deming, N. M., has received a telegram from Harry C. Ransley, president of the select council of Philadelphia, stating that the Liberty Bell committee has adopted a resolution fixing Deming as one of the stopping points on the return trip of the Liberty Bell from San Francisco next fall.

DEATH COMES TO MRS. LUCERO AT SANTA FE HOME

Wife of Secretary of State Passes Away After Illness of Three Weeks Surrounded By Members of Family.

Mrs. Antonio Lucero, the wife of Secretary of State Antonio Lucero, died Monday evening at 9 o'clock after a three weeks' illness, at the age of 48. She is survived, besides her husband, by four daughters and three sons. Her mother was also at her bedside when the last summons came. A brother and two sisters also survive.

Mrs. Lucero, before her marriage, was Miss Julianita Romero, of Las Vegas, where she met and married Mr. Lucero, accompanying him to Santa Fe three years ago. They had only recently finished a beautiful bungalow at that city.

Mrs. Lucero was quite popular in local social circles and much beloved by her many benefactions.

Opinion by Clancy on Taxes Redemptions

In an opinion given A. W. Hockenhall, of Clovis, Attorney General Clancy holds that property has been so assessed that the tax due on any part of it can be segregated, the owner can be permitted to redeem that part after the property has been struck if the tax certificate has not been disposed of.

In answer to a question as to whether a county treasurer should sell property for all delinquent taxes going back as far as the same are delinquent, or whether he should sell only for the delinquent taxes of the last year. Mr. Clancy cites a supreme court decision which holds that all taxes delinquent should be considered.

Mr. Hockenhall reported that the Curry county treasurer had found about 150 double assessments on the 1914 rolls, and that he had been able to get a court order correcting them, and asked if such property should be sold as belonging to both parties in whose names it is assessed. In reply, Mr. Clancy tells him that this appears to be the only safe procedure.

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THE EDITOR

Consider the editor. He wears
eth purple and fine linen. His
abode is amongst the mansions of
the rich. His wife hath her li-
mousine and his first-born sport-
eth a racing car that can hit up
in forty flat.

Lo! All the people breaketh
their necks to hand him money.
A child is born unto the wife of
a merchant in the bazaar. The
physician getteth ten golden
plunks. The editor writeth a
stick and a half and telleth the
multitude that the child tippeth
the beam at nine pounds. Yea,
he lieth even as a centurion.
And the proud father giveth him
a cremo.

Behold, the young one grow-
eth up and graduateth. And the
editor putteth into his paper a
swell notice. Yea, a peach of a
notice. He telleth of the wisdom
of the young woman, and of her
exceeding comeliness. Like unto
the roses of Sharon is she and
her gown is played up to beat
the band. And the editor get-
teth a note of thanks from the
S. G. G.

The daughter goeth a journey.
An the editor throweth himself
on the story of the farewell par-
ty. It runneth a column, solid.
And the fair one remembereth
him from afar with a picture
postal card that costeth six for a
jitney.

Behold, she returneth and the
youth of the city fall down and
worship. She picketh one and
Lo, she picketh a lemon. But
the editor calleth him one of our
most promising young men and
getteth away with it. And they
send unto him a bid to the wed-
ding feast and behold, the bids
are fashioned by Muntgummary
Hawbuck, in a far city.

Flowery and long is the wed-
ding notice which the editor
printeth. The minister getteth
ten bones. The groom standeth
the editor off for a twelvemonth
subscription.

All flesh is grass and in time
the wife is gathered into the silo.
The minister getteth his bit. The
editor printeth a death notice,
two columns of obituary,
three lodge notices, a cubit of
poetry and a card of thanks. And
he forgetteth to read proof on
the head, and the darned thing
cometh out "Gone to Her Last
Roasting Place."

And all that are akin to the de-
ceased jumpeth on the editor
with exceeding great jumps.
And they pulleth out their ads
and cancelleth their subscriptions
and they swing the hammer unto
the third and fourth generations.
Canst thou beat it?

THREATENED WITH EXTINCTION.

According to the report of the
U. S. Department of Commerce,
April 30, the United States is the
greatest producer of tobacco in
the world, and the greatest ex-
porter, the greatest importer,
and the greatest consumer. Our
production of leaf of all sorts

averages somewhat more than
1,000,000,000 pounds a year,
having a value to the producers
of about \$100,000,000. An enor-
mous quantity is exported—con-
siderably more than a third of
the production in normal years—
for the sale of tobacco abroad are
excelled by only seven of the
many products America sends
to other countries. It is not
generally known, however; that
this immense industry is threat-
ened with extinction. The same
forces which are operating
against liquor intend to "take up
tobacco next." The Womans'
Cristian Temperance Union is
leading the fight. The objects
of the Union are the total sup-
pression of the production, sale
and use of both liquor and tobac-
co. Liquor was taken up first,
but the organization is already at
work to suppress the tobacco in-
dustry. At the last convention of
the Kentucky W. C. T. U. a resolu-
tion was passed condemning
tobacco on the grounds of moral-
ity and for the benefit of the
public. The Ohio convention also
attacked tobacco and the same
forces succeeded in having a bill
introduced into the last session of
the Louisiana legislature seeking
to prohibit the manufacture and
sale of the weed in that state.

CHICKENS CONFESS THEIR GUILT

Stevens Point, Wis.—F. M.
Sackett and H. K. West are
neighbors. Sackett made a gar-
den this spring and West's hens
—well, anyhow West was unable
to believe that his hens, which
are well bred; would go foraging
where they were not invited.

So Sackett scattered about his
garden grains of corn, to each
of which was attached a thread
and from each thread a small
placard. They bore such legends
as these: "I have just been
scratching in Mr. Sackett's
yard." "My owner does not feed
me enough and I have to visit
the neighbors."

When West saw this cards
from the bills of his hens he ad-
mitted Sackett's proof was con-
vincing.

FARMERS SHOULD RAISE SNAKES

Every farmer and every poul-
try raiser should keep a few
snakes as a protection to his
crops and poultry, says Allen S.
Williams, secretary of the inter-
national Herpetological society
in a statement just issued. Wil-
liams is a traveler and a lecturer
and snakes are his hobby. He
has collected reptiles in every
part of the western hemisphere.
"The idea is simple," Williams
says. "Rats, weasles and other
rodents destroy crops and are
natural enemies of domestic
fowls. Snakes are the natural
enemies of rodents. Keep a few
snakes to kill off the young ro-
dents and in time your crops and
chickens will be safe. To the
cereal crops alone in the United
States cause an annual loss of
\$100,000,000. If snakes had even
half a chance the loss to farmers
and poultry raisers would be re-
duced to practically nothing.
There are a dozen varieties which
could accomplish the work and
are non-poisonous."

TRUTH AND PARADOX

"Most fanatics, cranks and
madmen" says Rev. Dr. Frank
Crane, in his new work, Foot-
notes of Life, "are those who are
unable to understand a paradox.
Every truth has its opposite,
which is also true. Sanity con-
sists in understanding this; in-
sanity is failing to see it.

"Workable, every day truth
is made up of two or more con-
tradictions. The true doctrine
is always a balance.

"What we call Orthodoxy has
outlived the Hersies, because
Orthodoxy as a rule dares to

retain the mystery of opposing
truths, while Heresy as a rule
has been too logical, and be-
comes mad with clearness.

"For instance, the truth lies
not in Fate (determinism, pre-
destination) nor in Free Will,
but in Both.

"Man is not a Spirit nor a
Brute; he is Both: Whoever
excludes wholly the one or the
other from his idea of man is
not so much untrue as he is
crazy.

"So the religious fanatics on
the one hand and the atheists
on the other; the temperance
wild men, and the drunkards;
and all those who swing to ex-
tremes, are illustrations of the
rule that sanity is a balance and
not a hard certainty.

ODD BITS OF NEWS

Okeene, Okla.—Sunday, while
Oliver Zerby was ringing the bell
in a church in this place, the
clapper fell out of the bell, strik-
ing him upon the head. He died
Sunday night.

Frankfort, Ky.—Chris. Wob-
ler, who was buried in Hopkins
last week, weighed 420 pounds.
The largest stock casket, three
feet wide, was too small to hold
the body so a special coffin had to
be built. It was impossible to
get this coffin inside the church
at Hopkins. It took twelve pall
bearers to carry the remains.

Galveston, Tex.—Chas Pertol-
ina, the official rat catcher, has
resigned. For the past six or
seven months he has been catch-
ing rats along the water front at
the rate of 2,000 a month. He
received the regular bounty of
eight and ten cents per rat, and
in addition, a bonus of \$10 for
each month in which he took
over 1,000 rats. When he took
the job he said he would quit
when he earned enough money to
buy a boat and a gasoline en-
gine. His ambition was realized
last week and he handed in his
badge.

New York N. Y.—Mortimer
Thompson, a jeweler, possesses
the well-known charmed life.
After he had been rescued from
underneath the wheels of a sub-
way train uninjured after two
cars had passed over him it be-
came known that he had been
dropped out of a window when a
baby, by his nurse; had fallen
out of a fourth story window
when a boy and had landed on a
clothes line which broke the fall;
was shot in the head when he
came within range of some re-
volver play four years ago and
had escaped drowning last month
when an automobile, in which he
was riding in New Jersey, plung-
ed into the river.

Lancaster, Mo.—J. Keely
Wright, lecturer of the state
board of agriculture was here
last week inspecting the ele-
phant farm of William P. Hall,
(Diamond Bill.) Although not
generally known, Hall has the
only elephant market on this
continent, and since the war, the
largest in either Europe or
America. He controls the ele-
phant trade of this hemisphere.

Des Moines, Ia.—In bank-
ruptcy proceedings here it came
out that a Miss Dottie Morgan,
a former resident, had for a loan
of \$10, pawned her body to
Moses Levich, to be delivered
to him after death. The woman
moved to Denver and Levich
has asked the court if the pledge
can be counted as an asset.

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Oakland, Calif.—Alex. Jacobi
and his daughter Grace were
motoring on a boulevard last
week when a bee stung Jacobi
on the face. The surprise and
pain caused Jacobi to lose con-
trol of the car, which overturned
and fatally injured his daughter.

Columbia S. C.—Miss Clyde
Yarborough has been awarded
\$3,000 damages for the loss of
three inches of skin from her
rosy cheek. She was thrown
from a street car and sued for
\$10,000 damages.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—Carolina
Klink, only 17, of a respectable
family, collected \$2,375 in 30
days from friends for whom she
promised to get jobs in the cus-
toms service. Her own father
paid \$50. She had no means
of making good and she is now
doing 30 days at Blackwell's
Island.

Yonkers N. Y.—Peto, a mon-
key, owned by Mrs. Libbie
Dixon, saved herself and her
guests from death by fire when
he dragged her down from her
room on the top floor to the
basement where a brisk blaze
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34x4	16.80	3.60	2.60
36x4	17.85	3.90	2.80
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	a m	a m
815 El Paso Pasgr.	10:55	10:55

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	p m	p m
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

To whom it may concern:

Nei' B. Field, administrator of the estate of Solomon Llna, deceased, lately of the County of Valencia, N. M., has filed before the Probate Court of the County of Valencia his final report of such estate, and, the Court has fixed the First Monday of May, being the 3rd day of May A. D. 1915, for its approval, if there should be any objection by which said report shall not be approved they may present same on or before such day.

J. M. LUNA,
Probate Clerk of the County of Valencia.

First pub. Mar. 11, last pub. Apr. 1.

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	Tire	Tube
28x3	\$ 9.20	\$2.00
30x3	10.25	2.20
30x3 1-2	13.50	2.80
32x3 1-2	14.05	3.00
33x3 1-2	15.25	3.20
31x4	17.00	3.25
32x4	18.00	3.30
33x4	19.50	3.40
34x4	20.40	3.60
35x4	21.00	3.80
36x4	22.00	3.90
35x4 1-2	26.00	5.00
36x4 1-2	27.00	5.10
37x4 1-2	27.50	5.15
37x5	36.60	5.40

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Low Mass every day in the week
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Sundays: Low Mass at 7, High
Mass and sermon at 9 a. m.; Ros-
ary and Benediction of the Bles-
sed Sacrament at 2 p. m.

Rev. J. A. Picard, Parish Priest

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Evangelical Lutheran

John A. M. Ziegler, D. D., Pas-
tor. Sunday School and Bible
class 10 a. m. Preaching services
11 A. M. Evening worship at
8 P. M. Luther League at 7:15.

The usual preaching services
morning and night. The time
for Luther League is changed to
7:15 and evening preaching to
8 P. M.

Please see bulletin board for
announcements during his ab-
sence.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES.

Clyde Keegan, pastor; P. P.
Simmons, Sunday school superin-
tendent. Preaching services at
11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.; Sunday
school at 10 a. m.

Sunday School 10 A. M.
Preaching Service 11 A. M.
Regular evening services 8
P. M.

Good Night \$75,000

In argument on demurrer to
the case of the state against the
bond company which is surety
on the bond of Morgan O. Lle-
wellyn, former treasurer of the
state agricultural college, in
which the state seeks to collect
on the bond, Judge E. A. Mann
has advanced an additional
ground for invalidating the bond
when he told the court that there
was no law requiring Llewellyn
to furnish such bond, and that
lacking legal authority the bond
is not valid.

Teacher Dies From Burns

Miss Beryl Long, who taught
school at Belen, Deming and
other New Mexico points, died
from burns at an El Paso hospital
a few days ago, according to
word received by the department
of education. The funeral took
place at Deming Monday. Her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Long,
live at Myndus. Four sisters and
a brother also survive. The burns
were received while Miss Long
was cleaning a skirt with gasoline
the friction igniting the oil.

Charged With Trying to Throw Wife Under Train

Convicted on the charge of
attempting to throw his wife in
front of a Southern Pacific pas-
enger train at Lordsburg, N. M.,
Jose Parras was given 90 days
in jail.

The testimony showed that
Parras beat his wife and then
dragged her to the railroad right
of way when neighbors inter-
fered and forced him to release
the woman.

Last Will and Testament

In the Probate Court, County
of Valencia, State of New Mex-
ico. In the matter of the Last
Will and Testament of Elmer G.
Black, deceased.

Whereas, there has been filed
in my office on the third day of
May, 1915, an instrument pur-
porting to be the Last Will and
Testament of Elmer G. Black,
deceased, and that by order of
the said Judge of said Court the
date for proving said will has
been fixed for the 6th day of July,
1915, at the hour of 10 o'clock in
the forenoon of said day, the
same being a regular term of the
Probate Court.

Witness my hand and seal of
court. Jesus M. Luna, Clerk.
First pub. May 20, Last pub.
June 3, 1915.

Bursum Would Assume All Responsibility

Governor McDonald has re-
ceived a letter from H. O. Bur-
sum, dated at Socorro, in which
Mr. Bursum assures the governor
that until his return to Socorro
from his sheep ranch he had
never heard a word of the honor
tendered him when the governor
invited him to become a member
of the state tax commission. Let-
ters and telegrams tendering him
the position, he says, were not
forwarded to him.

Mr. Bursum to name a major-
ity of Republican members of the
state tax commission that he will
be glad to serve the state in that
position. With a majority of
Democrats and the secretary of
the board working against him,
Mr. Bursum says he could do no
good, and unless his condition is
complicated with he will not accept
the place.

The Knocker Apologizes

Says the Santa Fe Disgrace
(New Mexican):

If as Mr. Bursum states he
never heard of the appointment
on the tax board until he got
home, we cheerfully take back
the charge of discourtesy. It was
natural to suppose of course that
he would have received the mes-
sage in a month's time and the
governor's conclusion was hardly
to be wondered at.

Democratic Meeting

Postponed

The meeting of the Democratic
officials and employees, both fed-
eral and state, which was set for
Monday night at the office of the
secretary of state, has been post-
poned. It will be held late next
week, the exact date to be an-
nounced later. At a meeting
held here last week arrangements
were made to bring about the
organization of Democratic clubs
in every city, town and village in
New Mexico.

Note Has Reached Its Destination

Ambassador Gerard, at Ber-
lin, Monday, notified the state
department of the delivery of the
American note to the German
foreign office. It was the first
official notification that the note
had arrived at its destination.

Three More Prisoners

Sheriff Jesus Romero, of Ber-
nalillo county, took three prison-
ers to the state penitentiary.
They were: Camilo Arriaga, 15
to 25 years, for murder; Jose San-
tos Martinez, 4 to 5 years, assault
with intent to kill, and Jose San-
doval, 1 to 3 years to run concu-
rently, for burglary and larceny.

GOEBEL'S THEATER

EVENING AT 7:45 AND 8:45
SUNDAY MATINEE AT 2:45

Program For The Week

SATURDAY

Bunglings Bunks Bunco
3 Parts

Trip to Madeira—Educational
In natural colors

SUNDAY

Wolf Unmasked
3 parts

Police Dog No. 2
1 Part

Prices 5c and 10c

Not responsible for change of
program.

Until further notice we will
show one 5-6 reel feature every
Wednesday.

No. 6597.

Report of the Condition of the FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BELEN,

At Belen, in the State of New
Mexico, at the close of Busi-
ness, May 1, 1915.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	\$174,000 54
Overdrafts, unsecured	52 20
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	25,000 00
" " " postal savings	1,000 00
Bonds, Securities, etc.	4,885 25
Subscription to stock	
of Fed. Reserve Bk. \$100,000	
Less amt. unpaid	1,500 00
Banking House	\$11,281 54
Furniture and fixtures	5,170 41
Due from Federal Reserve Bank	8,174 01
Due from approved reserve agents	5,400 50
Due from banks and bankers	9,002 80
Outside checks and other cash items	45 07
Fractional currency, notes and etc.	106 77
Notes of other national banks	2,900 00
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:	
Total coin and certificates	\$ 8,470 15
Legal-tender Notes	2,400 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treas- urer (5 per cent. of circulation)	1,250 00
Total	\$255,354 87

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$25,000 00
Surplus fund	25,000 00
Undivided profits	\$1,507 79
Reserved for taxes	75 50
Reserved for	\$5,406 20
Less current expenses	
Interest and taxes paid	4,288 37
Circulating notes	25,000 00
Less amt. on hand for Treas.	
for redemption in transit	500 00
Individual deposits subject to check	107,725 14
Cashier's checks outstanding	372 20
Postal savings deposits	894 72
Deposits requiring notice of	
less than 30 days	105,804 15
Certificates of deposit due on or	
after 30 days	65,022 19
Deposits subject to 30 or more days'	
notice	4,891 51
Total	\$255,354 87

State of New Mexico, County of Valencia, ss:
I, L. C. Becker, Cashier of the above
named bank, do solemnly swear that the
above statement is true to the best of my
knowledge and belief.

L. C. BECKER, Cashier

Correct—Attest:
John Becker
Paul R. Dallas
John Becker, Jr.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
24th day of May, 1915.
Frank G. Fischer, Notary Public.
My commission expires March 25, 1918.

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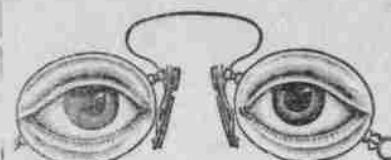
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Sorghum, Grasses, Clovers, Alfalfa, Pasture
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RESTORATION TO ENTRY OF LANDS IN NATIONAL FOREST

Notice is hereby given that the
lands described below, embracing
160 acres, within the Manzano
National Forest, New Mexico,
will be subject to settlement and
entry under the provisions of the
homestead laws of the United
States and the act of June 11,
1906 (34 Stat., 233), at the United
States land office at Santa Fe,
New Mexico, on July 20, 1915.
Any settler who was actually and
in good faith claiming any of said
lands for agricultural purposes
prior to January 1, 1906, and has
not abandoned same, has a preference
right to make a homestead
entry for the lands actually occu-
pied. Said lands were listed upon
the applications of the persons
mentioned below, who have a
preference right subject to the
prior right of any such settler,
provided such settler or applicant
is qualified to make homestead
entry and the preference right is
exercised prior to July 20, 1915,
on which date the lands will be
subject to settlement and entry
by any qualified person. The
lands are as follows: Lots 8, 9
and 10 the NW 1-4 S 1-4, Sec. 4,
T. 8 N., R. 16 W., N. M. M., 160
acres application of Annie Man-
gram, Ramah, New Mexico, List
3-3425. May 5, 1915. C. M.
BRUCE, Assistant Commissioner
of the General Land Office.
First pub. May 13, last pub.
June 3.

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cotton rags. We pay 2 1-2 cents
a pound.

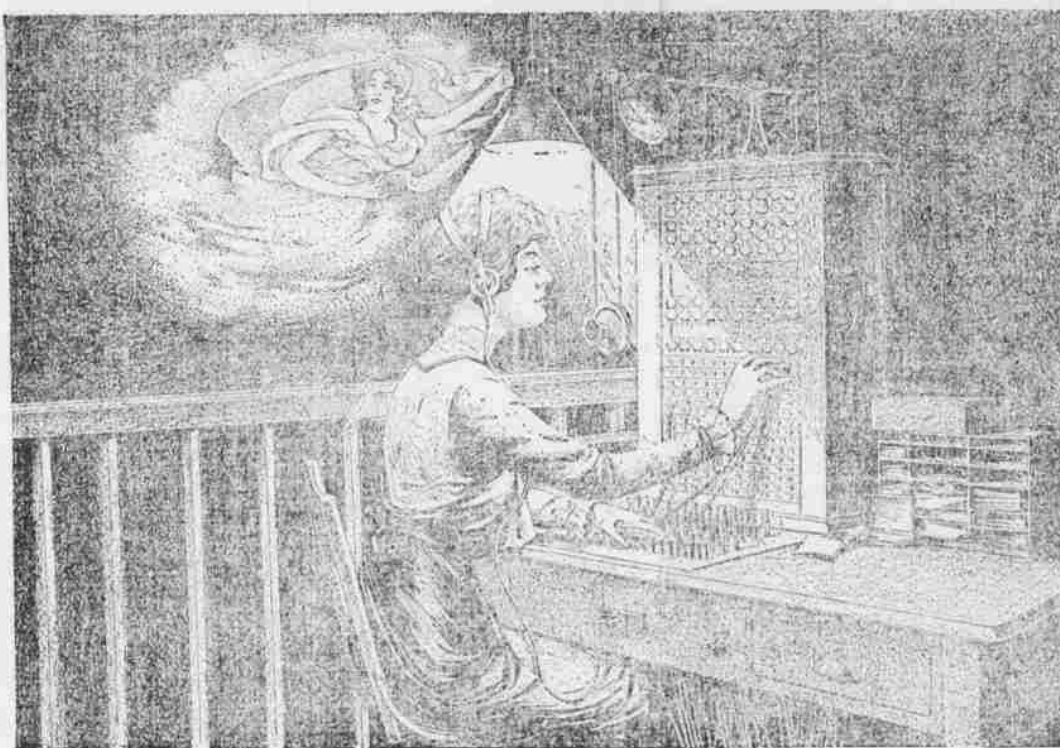
FOR SALE or trade a complete
cone and cream chips outfit.
What have you to exchange?

WANTED—A reliable and ac-
tive man or woman in Laguna to
organize neighborhood magazine
clubs. Members receive their
favorite magazines at 1-3 less
than the regular price and pay
monthly. New plan. Work of
organizing pleasant and highly
profitable and can be done in
spare time. Regular monthly
income. In replying give qualifi-
cations and reference. Maga-
zine Company, Box 155, Times
Square Station, New York City.

SALESMEN WANTED.—We
want good reliable men to solicit
orders for fruit trees in all parts
of New Mexico, write for parti-
culars, previous experience not
necessary. Pacific Nursery Co.
412 Delta Bldg. Los Angeles,
Calif.

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Poll tax must be paid. Re-
mit to the undersigned imme-
diately to avoid additional costs.
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With the builders in the heat of the dusty desert and on the dreary mountain
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In the loyalty, the faithfulness, the unselfish devotion to duty of all those
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