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Distribution of Food and Fuel

THE FOOD CONTROL LAW

Albuquerque, Nov. 10, 1919

Dear Sir—I am enclosing here with a copy of the Amended Food Control Law, which now makes criminal, among other things, the making of excessive charges for the necessities of life and imposes heavy penalties for the violations thereof. The Attorney General has instructed this office to prosecute all violations of the law vigorously and this will be done. I will be glad to have the assistance of all good citizens in enforcing this law.

SUMMERS BURKHART,
U. S. Attorney.

FOOD CONTROL ACT AMENDMENT

That section 1 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide further for the national security and defense by encouraging the production, conserving the supply, and controlling the distribution of food products and fuel", approved August 10, 1917, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"That by reason of the existence of a state of war, it is essential to the national security and defense, for the successful prosecution of war and for the support and maintenance of the Army and Navy, to assure an adequate supply and equitable distribution, and facilitate the movement of foods, feed, wearing apparel, containers primarily designed or intended for containing foods, feeds, or fertilizers; fuel, including fuel oil and natural gas, and fertilizer ingredients, tools, utensils, implements, machinery, and equipment required for the actual production of foods, feeds, and fuel, hereafter in this Act called necessities; to prevent locally or generally, scarcity, monopolization, hoarding, injurious speculation, manipulation, and private controls affecting such supply, distribution, and movement; and to establish and maintain governmental control of such necessities during the war. For such purpose the instrumentalities, means, methods, powers, authorities, duties, obligations, and prohibitions hereinafter set forth are created, established, conferred, and prescribed. The President is authorized to make such regulations and to issue such orders as are essential effectively to carry out the provisions of this Act".

Sec. 2 Section 4 of such Act of August, 10, 1917, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"That it is hereby made unlawful for any person willfully to destroy any necessities for the purpose of enhancing the price or restricting the supply thereof; knowingly to commit waste or willfully to permit preventable deterioration of any necessities in or in connection with their production, manufacture, or distribution; to hoard, as defined in section 6 of this Act, any necessities; to monopolize or attempt to monopolize, either locally or generally, any necessities; to engage in any discriminatory and unfair, or any deceptive or wasteful practice or device, or to make any unjust or unreasonable rate or charge in handling or dealing in or with any necessities; to conspire, combine, agree, or arrange with any other person, (a) to limit the facilities for transporting, producing, harvesting, manufacturing, supplying, storing, or dealing in any necessities; (b) to restrict distribution of any necessities; (c) to restrict the supply of any necessities; (d) to prevent, limit, or lessen the manufacture or production of any

necessaries in order to enhance the price thereof; or (e) to exact excessive prices for any necessities, or to aid or abet the doing of any act made unlawful by this section. Any person violating any of the provisions of this section upon conviction thereof shall be fined not exceeding \$5,000 or be imprisoned for not more than two years, or both: Provided, That this section shall not apply to any farmer, gardener, horticulturist, vineyardist, planter, ranchman, dairyman, stockman, or other agriculturist, with respect to the farm products produced or raised upon land owned, leased, or cultivated by him: And provided further, That nothing in this Act shall be construed to forbid or make unlawful collective bargaining by any cooperative association or other association of farmers, dairymen, gardeners, or other producers of farm products with respect to the farm products produced or raised by its members upon land owned, leased, or cultivated by them."

Sec. 3. That sections 8 and 9 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide further for the national security and defense by encouraging the production, conserving the supply, and controlling the distribution of food products and fuel", approved August 10, 1917, be, and the same are hereby repealed: Provided, That any offense committed in violation of said sections 8 and 9, prior to the passage of this Act, may be prosecuted and the penalties prescribed therein enforced in the same manner and with the same effect as if this Act had not been passed.

The American Legion

Six of the soldiers and sailors of the Government Post at Ft. Stanton joined the American Legion on Armistice Day. The total enrollment of the Post is 83.

The local Post of the American Legion now has one lady member, Miss Dora Belle Miller, army nurse. Miss Miller was over seas.

From now on the Legion Weekly will be sent to those who subscribe for it. Subscription price to members is \$1.00, to non-members \$2.00. Members may send their subscription direct to The American Legion Weekly 19 West 44th Street New York City or turn it into the local Post.

Judge John Y. Hewitt has turned into the local Post four large boxes of books and one book case. These books have not yet been catalogued and stamped, announcement will be made with regard to them in the next issue of this paper.

Mrs. W. L. Gumm advised the Legion she had some books she would donate. Announcement will be made with regard to them later.

Until arrangements can be made with regard to a hall for the Legion to meet in all books are being cared for in the Director's Room of the First National Bank, Carrizozo.

The committee appointed to arrange for a meeting place for the local Post are requested to report to the Post Commander or the Adjutant.

The time for becoming charter members of the American Legion has now expired and any one desiring to become a member must apply as heretofore, the routine being the same except that the application must be voted on by the executive committee of the local Post.

EX-SERVICE MEN'S COLUMN

Answers to Questions

1.—Can you tell me what states are giving bonuses to discharged soldiers?—A. V. C., Denver.

ANSWER.—Massachusetts gives \$100, to all persons who were residents of the state for six months before entering the service. Minnesota gives \$15 for each month of service with a minimum of \$50. Tuition amounting to \$200 is also provided at the state schools. New Hampshire gives a gratuity of \$100, and Vermont gives \$10, for each month of service not to exceed twelve months. North Dakota provides \$25 for each month of service, the money must be spent in the home building projects fostered by the state government. Wisconsin gives \$10 for each month of service or \$30 a month for 36 months if the ex-service man wishes to attend school.

2.—Why have I, who served a full enlistment in the Navy, not received my \$60 war bonus after waiting six months since the time I sent in my discharge papers, while other ex-service men who were not in the service long enough to wear a uniform got theirs long ago. I served from December 10, 1914 to December 9, 1918.—J. R. K., Montrose, Colorado.

ANSWER.—The only explanation we can give is that you are probably one of those men whose records became confused or lost in the mass of files at Washington. It is possible, however, that you yourself made some error in making the claim. You should have sent claim accompanied by your discharge papers or a certified copy thereof to the Disbursing Officer, Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, Navy Department, Washington, D. C. We suggest that you keep on writing to this address until you get an answer.

3.—On enlistment this last time I was requested to present my discharge papers from the Mexican service. This was attached to my enlistment papers and was supposed to be kept with my service record but I have not seen them since leaving the Recruiting Office in Denver. What method should I use to get the papers to show that I have served the time so as to apply on my homestead?—R. B. L., Montrose, Colo.

ANSWER.—Write to the Adjutant General of the Army, Washington, D. C. explaining the situation and request first that your discharge papers from the Mexican service be returned if possible, and second if this is not possible, that you be sent a certificate of service in lieu of discharge papers. This certificate will suffice for all practical purposes including your homestead negotiations.

4.—Having enlisted in Encino and being discharged as a commissioned officer at Camp Sherman, Ohio, I drew four-cent mileage from Camp Sherman, Ohio, to Encino, N. M. According to the papers I am entitled to extra travel pay. Please inform me where I can secure blank applications for same or forward this letter to the proper place.—E. L. H., Encino, N. M.

ANSWER.—Unfortunately for the officers of the army the bill providing extra travel pay applies only to enlisted men, and the newspapers which you read were apparently misinformed. If you received four-cent mileage on discharge, it will do you no good to apply.

6.—I bought a Liberty Bond while in the service and have never had it delivered yet. Could you give me information as to where to write about it?—An ex-soldier., Goldfield, Colo.

ANSWER.—You should write to the Zone Finance Office, Allotment Branch, Bond Section, United States Army, Washington, D. C., submitting an affidavit containing the following information: date of enlistment, organization at time of subscribing for bond, amount of bond and whether it was the first, second, third, fourth or fifth loan. You should also give a list of the months in which payments on the bond were deducted from your pay, and amount of deduction, name and place of the organization of which you were a member during those months. You should then give date and place of discharge, and your present address. Swear to these facts before a Notary Public and send to the address given above. If you will go to Miss Sarah E. Smith, the Home Service Secretary in Cripple Creek, she will help you make out this affidavit.

Educational Association

The New Mexico Educational Association meeting will be held at Albuquerque, N. M., November 22 to 26 inclusive. The executive committee of the Association has made arrangements for the comfort and pleasure of the teachers. An exceptionally interesting program has been prepared, consisting of such speakers as Dr. Suzzallo, Dr. Coffman and Miss Griffin and many others of wide educational experience. Rates of one and one third fare for the round trip have been secured, therefore a large attendance of teachers is expected. Tickets will be on sale November 19 to 25 inclusive and will be good for return not later than December 2, 1919.

Jose Torres Pardoned

Santa Fe, N. M., Nov. 6.—Jose Torres, of Lincoln county, has received a conditional pardon from Governor Larrazolo. Torres was sentenced in the district court on May 15, 1919, to serve a term of one to one and one-half years for an assault with intent to kill. In the pardon it is said that Torres committed the offense in a general brawl, in which he first took part as a peace-maker; that his conduct as a prisoner has been excellent and that his parole has been recommended by prominent citizens of Lincoln county. If all the conditions of the pardon have been complied with up to Oct. 30, 1919, then the conditional pardon will be complete, carrying restoration to citizenship.

\$138,000,000 For New Mexico Roads

Santa Fe, N. M., Nov. 4.—During the year there will be an unprecedented amount of money available for the improvement and building of federal aid roads in the several states, so the New Mexico State Highway commission has been advised by the bureau of public roads of the department of agriculture. The total amount that will be expended in 1919, for hard surfaced roads, exclusive of sand clay and similar types, is \$138,000,000. The largest previous expenditure for like purposes was in 1916, when the total was \$136,000,000. The amount that will be available for roads in 1920, it is estimated by the bureau, is no less than \$633,000,000.

CARRIZOZO SCHOOL NOTES

SUPT. E. E. COLE.

The Red Cross drive is meeting with splendid success all over the country, and worthily so. It is a humanitarian movement, designed to help weak, foolish, unfortunate mankind. Ever since Florence Nightingale, in 1854, with her 34 English nurses, went to the Crimea, changed the English camp from a hell to a comparative heaven, changed the death loss of the wounded from 60 per cent to less than 1 per cent the Red Cross has proved to be indeed "The Greatest Mother on Earth", and has won the respect, the love, the support of every man and every organization on the globe.

After the armistice was signed it was thought that the work of the Red Cross would be greatly lessened, but it was soon realized that, although the big war was over, the evils of war are to remain with us for some time. Multitudes of children are in rags, freezing and starving. America has no conception of this fact. A year ago, about 6,000 orphan children were collected from the war-cursed cities of Petrograd and Moscow, and taken to Siberia where it was hoped to scatter them among the farmers of that land. In some way, in the confusion, they were forgotten and not taken care of. Hundreds died of starvation, other hundreds managed to live over the winter by eating nuts and roots. Along toward spring the Red Cross found them and took 1200 of them to Vladivostok, finding homes for them. Multiply this case by hundreds and you have the condition of a large part of the world.

Then we must not forget the 40,000 American soldiers on the Mexican border. They must have all the help we can give them, 25,000 of our soldiers are in the hospitals today, the wreckage of our vast army of a year ago—suffering from the "flu", tuberculosis, shell-shock, gas, etc. There is still vast need for the work of the Red Cross today.

But most of the subscription asked for in Lincoln county is for much needed work in Lincoln county itself. This is not a new idea. New Mexico has several counties with skilled nurses doing a wonderful work. This nurse does just about the work that a skilled physician would do. She, in the first place, will have to be highly trained and very efficient. None other will do. She will not only carefully inspect all the pupils of the schools, all over the county, but will also visit many of the homes, where needed, instructing mothers. Do you say this is not needed? By government reports—50 to 75 per cent of the children of the United States are more or less physically deficient. Conditions are much worse in the country than in the city. Lung trouble is four times worse in the country than in the city, malnutrition is worse, mental defects are four times worse, heart disease is twice as bad, spinal defects are 20 per cent greater ear trouble is five times greater, eye trouble is four times greater, tonsillar troubles are five times worse, adenoids are three times as bad, and tooth troubles are twelve times as bad. A country nurse could detect these troubles and suggest to the parents what to do.

Thousands of mothers die in childbirth every year; a nurse could give much-needed instruction. There is great need for training for motherhood. For the child to live is not enough

It must be properly developed and cared for, giving it a healthy body and a sound mind. Do you know that a baby has a better chance to live in a city than in the country, and the larger the city the better the chance? The reason must be this—if sick, the doctor is just across the street; if needed, the nurse is just around the corner; if wanted, the best sterilized milk is just a few doors away. Besides, in the city the mother is much better instructed in the hygiene of living. There is great need for skilled inspection of the homes and of the children of our county.

The Tinnie-Picacho Oil Field

THE FIRST DEEP TEST WELL READY TO SPUD IN

A report from the eastern end of the county is to the effect that the people living along the Hondo stream are taking time by the forelock, and preparing for a big oil boom, which they believe is due to strike that valley one of this days. The derrick for the first test well in the district is in place, the pit is dug, and those in charge say the well will be spudded in about the 22nd or 23rd. One eight-room and one four-room adobe buildings for the employees are almost completed. Two large tanks for hauling fuel oil, are standing by, the cooks are fixing up a cook-house, and the stage is set for the solution of the oil problem in the Hondo Valley. New York capital furnishes the money, California the derrick and machinery, and Texas the drillers.

This well will be known as "Well No. 1," as the company are to put down six. The derrick and the machinery for "No. 2" is being hauled from the railroad terminus at Capitan to the Hondo Valley, and it is said the road between points is lined with wagons loaded with casing and other stuff. The site for "No. 2" is known to few outside the company, but it is believed it will be at a point south-west of "No. 1."

The company is equipped financially to find oil if it exists in the Valley, and their drilling holes through the bosom of Mother Earth to the depth of 4,000 feet, or more if necessary. The Hondo Valley may prove to be a second edition of the Ranger oil field.

A man who passed through that Valley Wednesday counted twenty three wagons loaded with cable, drills, casing, iron and timbers presumably for the second test well. Royalty buyers are in the field, and are offering big prices for royalties on land adjacent to the well site, but only one sale has been reported, the owners of land believing that as the drill goes down, the prices will continue to go up.

May Indicate Oil

Alamogordo, Mov. 3.—About three weeks ago a crack in the earth started at the foot of the San Andreas mountains, and at the present time it is over one and one-half miles in length and about three feet in width. Visitors to the place say there is no bottom to the crack and that a fence post was dropped into it and could not be heard to strike the bottom. Geologists of the local oil fields have investigated the matter and claim that the crack is caused by gas pressure underneath and say that these cracks are common in the Mexico oil fields.

"Flu" Is Coming Back This Year, Warning of Surgeon General

"Will the 'flu' come back this year?"

This question, being asked by thousands of scientists and millions of laymen, is discussed by Surgeon General Blue of the public health service in an official bulletin, in which it is said that the plague probably will reappear but not be as severe as last winter.

"Probably, but by no means certainly, there will be a recurrence of the influenza epidemic this year," says General Blue.

"Indications are that, should it occur, it will not be as severe as the pandemic of the previous winter. City officials, state and city boards of health should be prepared for a recurrence. The fact that a previous attack brings immunity in a certain percentage of cases should allay fear on the part of those afflicted in last year's epidemic.

"Influenza is spread by direct and indirect contact. It is not yet certain that the germ has been isolated or discovered, and there is yet no positive preventive, except the enforcement of rigid rules of sanitation and the avoidance of personal contact.

"We may expect at least local recurrences in the near future, with an increase over the normal mortality from pneumonia for perhaps several years, and certainly we should be, as far as possible, prepared to meet them by previous organization of forces and measures for attempted prevention, treatment and scientific investigation.

"There should be no repetition of the extensive suffering and distress which accompanied last year's pandemic. The most promising way is 'preparedness.' And now is the time to prepare.

"No mention has been made of a cure. So far as the most careful scientific investigations have been able to determine, none has been discovered, and suggested remedies which gave most encouragement are even now in their experimental stage.

"Evidence collected during last winter's pandemic points strongly to infected eating and drinking utensils, especially in places where food and drink are sold to the public, as being one of the modes of transmission of this disease."

THE OPEN WINDOW

My tower was crumbly built,
With many a butt and bar,
"And here," I thought, "I will keep my life
From the bitter world afar."

Dark and still was the story floor,
Where never a sunbeam lay,
And the mold crept up on the dreary
wall,
With its ghost touch, day by day.

One morn. in my million musings,
A flutter and cry I heard,
And close at the rusty casement
There came a frightened bird.

Then back I flung the shutter,
That was never before shaken,
And I kept till its wings were tested
This little weary one.

But to through the open window,
Which I had forgot to close,
There had burst a gust of sunshine
And a summer scent of rose.

For all the while I had borrowed
There in my dingy tower,
Let the bird had sung and the leaves had
danced
From hour to sunny hour.

And such balm and warmth and beauty
Came drifting in about then,
That the window still stands open
And shall never be shut again.
—Edward Roland Hill.

SHANTUNG

Has 30,000,000 People Size of Small State

If you wish to realize the blessings of your native land, where there is plenty of room and plenty to eat, go and look at the province of Shantung, writes Nilsen.

Shantung has thirty million people, but it is no bigger than the state of Illinois. Not a scrap of anything is wasted in Shantung. The Chinese girls there weave the discarded pieces of their brothers into the hair nets that American girls wear when they go motoring. The silk worm, which probably yields more wealth in proportion to what he eats than any other creature, is the most important domestic asset.

The great majority of the thirty million Chinese in Shantung just barely exist.

To add to the misery of this human mass, the ruthless Hwang-Ho river splits the province of Shantung with a yellow flood, which once a year rises over its banks and kills and destroys. It is held back by dikes that tower above the homes of the poor, keeping them always in the shadow of death.

As everywhere else in the civilized world, an aristocracy, both oriental and European, sits on the shoulders of this impoverished yellow mass. Tsing-Tan the chief port, is a sort of Chinese Atlantic City full of splendid hotels and homes, rich and beautiful.

Nearly 7,000 Bison Are in Captivity, Records Show

The American bison has been saved. The species was threatened with destruction by wild game hunters. This has been prevented, says "Boys' Life," and there are now nearly 3,000 bison in captivity and some seventy running wild in the United States, and over 3,000 in captivity and 500 in the wild state in Canada. Only a little over 1,000 head were known to be in existence when the protective movement started. Records show more than 900 calves born in 1917.

Estimate Shows 8,000,000 Women and Girls Did Red Cross Work During War

The war achievement of the American women who are now being mobilized for the Third Red Cross roll call, November 2 to 11, is revealed in the announcement by Atlantic division headquarters that in two years they produced nearly \$100,000,000 worth of surgical articles and garments. During the 24 months ending April 30 last the figures show Red Cross chapter workers turned out 375,174,825 surgical dressings, hospital garments, refugee garments and knitted comforts for the soldiers and sailors, the estimated value of which was \$98,184,350.

In number of articles produced, the Atlantic division ranks first among the 13 divisions of the national organization. The women of the three states—New York, New Jersey and Connecticut—produced 77,800,004 articles with a valuation of \$15,597,428.

It is estimated that 8,000,000 women and girls participated in this tremendous work throughout the country, and it is among them largely that the Red Cross is now recruiting the 1,000,000 workers who will assist in the enrollment of members for 1920 during the ten days ending Armistice day, when a really universal membership will be sought to maintain the effectiveness of the organization built up in the war for the big peace program of the Red Cross.

Mother's Cook Book

To be as good as our fathers we must be better. Imitation is dishonorable. When someone sent a cracked plate to China to have a set made, every piece in the new set had a crack in it.—Wendell Phillips.

Wild Duck with Turnips.

Cut up the bird in neat pieces for serving. Slice one large onion and one carrot; melt four tablespoonsful of sweet fat in a saucepan, add the vegetables; cook until nicely browned. Strain off the fat, add a cupful of stock and one bay leaf, place in the oven and cook for one hour. Peel eight turnips, cut four of them into quarters and fry in hot butter until brown; put them with the duck to finish cooking. Boil the other turnips until tender in salted water; mash and rub through a sieve; put them in a saucepan with one tablespoonful of butter to season and salt and pepper to taste; add a quarter of a cup of cream and heat again. Take up the duck, dish it on the hot mashed turnips and arrange the fried quarters around it. Strain the sauce from the duck, thicken with flour, season and serve in a sauceboat.

Squirrel Pie.

Arrange thin slices of bacon in the bottom of a deep baking dish, season with salt and pepper; add one tablespoonful of chopped parsley, one tablespoonful of mixed herbs and a cupful of white sauce. Cut two squirrels in serving-sized pieces and place them over the bacon; cover with a layer of sliced potatoes and place a cover of pastry over the dish. Bake one hour in a hot oven. Add another cupful of white sauce through the vent in the top, brush with egg and brown.

Roast Wild Duck.

Clean and truss the duck and sprinkle with salt and pepper. Cover the breast with slices of salt pork, cut very thin. Place on a rack in a dripping pan, add a little water to the pan and place in a hot oven to cook for half an hour, basting every five minutes with the water in the pan. Remove the pork and serve with currant jelly.

Rabbit.

This is a delicious dish when a tender young rabbit is served. Wash and wipe the meat carefully, cut it up in serving-sized pieces, brown in a little hot butter, then add water and a tablespoonful of vinegar; cook slowly until tender.

Roast Venison.

Rub a half pound over the piece of venison to roast, lard with strips of salt pork, cook until tender, but not overdone—15 minutes to the pound. Serve with spiced wild grape jelly.

Game in Season.

Most experts in cooking of game agree that the flavor of game birds is better if they are not stuffed with the usual highly seasoned forcemeat.

Nellie Maxwell

New Aid for Aviators.

To aid aviators a New York physician has invented an instrument that tells the direction of flight, the points of the compass and angle from the perpendicular at which a plane may be traveling.

Single Blade Propeller.

A propeller invented by a Massachusetts man for motor boats has a single blade that oscillates like a fish's tail or the motion of an oar in sculling.

World Is Getting Better.

The world is getting better to the man who is doing something to make it better, and remaining the same to the man who is doing nothing to make it better.

Spider Is Credited With Being Original Inventor of Familiar Diving Bell

It is said that the diving bell was invented by the spider; at least, that it was used by that insect long before hydraulic engineers made one for the same purpose.

The diving bell is a cup-shaped body, with an open end that is let into the water. The air is caught in the bell and keeps the water from rising beyond a certain level at any specified depth, permitting anyone inside to breathe.

The improvement of the diving bell known as the caisson is a huge pipe which has compartments, into which air is pumped from above. The spider's bell is filled more in this manner than in any other.

The spider's abdomen is so made that a bubble of air can be caught underneath it and carried into its structure. In this little water house the spider spends the winter and rears its young. The house also acts as a hair from which the spider, known as the nautilus, can jump on unsuspecting prey. Another peculiar thing about the nautilus is that they never get wet. They have thousands of small hairs on their bodies which prevent the air from being washed off and which protect them.

Average Life of a Tank in Battle Was 47 Days, According to Figures

The average life of a tank in battle was forty-seven days, and nearly one-half of the American fleet of seventy-eight were put out of action the first day of the Argonne battle, Brig.-Gen. Samuel D. Rockenbach, tank corps commander, has disclosed these figures to the senate military committee in urging continued development of tanks, pointing out that damage to the tanks and casualties among the crews were light.

In August, 1917, he said, the United States had no tanks, but obtained 150 from the French in September. In the St. Mihiel fighting 417 French, British and American tanks took part. In the Argonne, while the American fleet of seventy-eight tanks was reduced to forty-eight the second day and to twenty-four ultimately, only six were left by shells.

At one time plans were considered for equipping taxis with "tin covers," looking tanks, General Rockenbach said, as it was known that the enemy would surrender when the fighting machines were in sight, so great was the fear of tanks.

WISE MEN SAY—

That working will get you further than whining.

That misery is not on a mind that has stopped working.

That the smaller the mind, the longer it takes to make it up.

That he who lives without folly is not as wise as he imagines.

That the man who never does anything he doesn't like rarely likes anything he does.

That wit should be used as a shield for defense rather than as a sword to wound others.

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WASHINGTON CITY SIDELIGHTS



Congress Likely to Act on Police Unionization

WASHINGTON.—Congress is likely to take a hand in the question of the unionization of the police force and its affiliation with the American Federation of Labor. If it does, it will come about in this way: In Washington, instead of the issue going to a strike, it has been taken to the courts by the police union. The union has asked for an injunction preventing the commissioners of the District of Columbia from carrying out their orders that any member of the force found to belong to a union affiliated with a labor organization would be discharged, on the ground that their right to organize is illegally interfered with.

The pressure of the American Federation, with its four million members, is being used in Washington to win recognition of the police union. The District commissioners, on the other hand, have taken a position from which they assert, they will not retire—that no member of the force may belong to a police union affiliated with a labor organization. The commissioners have full jurisdiction, but already the contest has extended to congress and it is likely that before the struggle is ended a vote on some phase of the question will be forced.

For example, Senator Myers of Montana proposed in the senate that congress interpose by refusing to vote the pay of any member of the Washington police force who belonged to a union. In pointing out the national importance of the question the Montana senator said:

"If the police department of the District of Columbia is permitted to unionize and affiliate with a superior body of organized labor, you may be sure that the police forces all over the country will follow suit and do the same thing."

Senator Thomas of Colorado said he thought congress should inform the District commissioners that it was squarely behind them.

Wanted by Uncle Sam: A Deputy Game Warden

THE United States department of agriculture is in need of a well-qualified man, not less than twenty-five nor more than forty-five years old, to fill a vacancy in the position of deputy chief United States game warden, and the United States civil service commission will give a most practical open competitive test to secure the right man. The entrance salary will be between \$2,500 and \$3,000 a year. Headquarters will be in Washington, D. C.

The duties of the position are to assist in administering the law which gives effect to the treaty between the United States and Great Britain for the protection of migratory birds and the sections of the United States penal code known as the Lacey act; in the supervision of the United States game wardens and deputies in the gathering of evidence and the preparation of cases for prosecution of alleged violations of the federal game laws, and in office administration; and to participate in conferences, in and out of Washington, with individuals and organizations interested in wild life conservation.

In accordance with its practice in connection with positions of this class, the examination given by the civil service commission will not require the applicants to appear in an examination room for a mental test. Those who apply will receive a rating on their education and practical experience, weighted at 80 per cent, and on a thesis on a selected game conservation subject, weighted at 20 per cent. Those who attain a passing grade will later be given an oral test to determine their personal qualifications for the position. Failure in this oral test will render the applicant ineligible for appointment. Applications will be received by the civil service commission up to and including October 28. Full information and application blanks may be obtained from the secretary of the local board of civil service examiners at the post office or customhouse in any of 3,000 cities, or by writing to the United States civil service commission, Washington, D. C.

Army Gas Masks Are Proving Extremely Versatile

ARMY gas masks are proving extremely versatile. A vaudeville comedian facetiously uses a gas mask to protect himself against the hot air of his fellow comedian; while in a more serious way, the worker in a match factory renders himself invulnerable to deadly chlorine fumes by wearing an army mask.

An engineer wrote to the chemical warfare service of the war department asking for a gas mask, because he was growing old and could not stand the smoke which flooded the engine cab whenever the train passed through a tunnel. The mask was sent, and the engineer wrote that it saved him his position. Other engineers have since bought masks for the same purpose. A New York society woman stepped from her limousine into the office and demanded a gas mask. She explained that she had just opened her New York house, and that moths were positively eating up her clothes and house furnishings. Her butler, ordered to fumigate, had purchased a large quantity of formaldehyde and three dozen sulphur candles. He sprayed formaldehyde all over the house, and lighted the three dozen candles. The fumes soon became so strong that it was impossible to stay in the house, and she had hurried after a gas mask in order to have some one open the windows. Her footman, who had been in the army, fitted on the mask and entered the house without being at all affected by the fumes. The woman's pets, a monkey, cat and parrot, were all found dead in the house.

Bill in Congress May Scare Automobile Thieves

AUTOMOBILE thieves will find their activities dangerous if the senate passes a bill recommended to it by the house. The bill was introduced in congress by Representatives L. C. Dyer and C. A. Newton of Missouri. It is a compromise between one designed by the St. Louis men and one by the National Automobile Dealers' association.

Under the provisions of the bill a penitentiary sentence awaits any one who steals an automobile, buys a stolen car, or has one in his possession, knowing the car to be stolen property, or drives a stolen car from one state to another.

Automobile dealers have long waited for a federal law to protect them. Their organizations have urged the members of congress to pass a law rather than to let each state handle this matter. With a federal law on the books there would be no conflict between the various states, as the law would be the same in all. The bill includes the following:

"Section 2. Whoever shall in any state, territory, or the District of Columbia, steal or unlawfully take, carry away, or conceal, with intent to convert to his own use, any automobile, automobile truck, or any other motor vehicle, or shall buy or receive or have in his possession any such automobile, automobile truck or any other motor vehicle, knowing the same to have been stolen, or shall thereafter, in any other manner or means transport such automobile, automobile truck, or other motor vehicle in interstate commerce, to any other state, territory, or the District of Columbia, or to a foreign country, shall be deemed guilty of a felony and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by imprisonment for not more than ten years."

HOW TO AVOID BACKACHE AND NERVOUSNESS

Told by Mrs. Lynch From Own Experience.

Providence, R. I.—"I was all run down in health, was nervous, had backaches, my back ached all the time. I was tired and had no ambition for anything. I had taken a number of medicines which did me no good. One day I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it had done for women, so I tried it. My nervousness and backaches disappeared. I gained in weight and feel fine. I can honestly recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to any woman who is suffering as I was."—Mrs. ADELINA R. LYNCH, 100 Plain St., Providence, R. I.

Backache and nervousness are symptoms or nature's warnings, which indicate a functional disturbance or an unhealthy condition which often develops into a more serious ailment. Women in this condition should not continue to drag along without help, but profit by Mrs. Lynch's experience, and try this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—and for special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co., Lynn, Mass.

Versatility. "Versatile" said the genius' friend musingly. "Yes, on the whole, I think I should call Jones versatile. He's the sort of man who, if he were a piece of furniture, would be one of those look-alikes that turn into a folding bed at night."

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Rome and Romeo. "Was Romeo founded by Romeo?" inquired a pupil of the teacher. "No, my boy," replied the wise man. "It was Juliet who was found dead by Romeo."

Two Estimates. "Cholly Woggles regards himself as a great catch," "The poor fish."

It would take 27,000 spiders to produce 1 pound of web.

Watch That Cold!

Colds and coughs tend to throw an extra burden on the kidneys and lungs, that well kidneys normally throw off, excrete. That may be why you have been feeling so tired, irritable and half sick since that cold. Don't wait for worse troubles to set in! If you suffer constant backache, headaches, dizzy spells and irregular kidney action, get a box of Doan's Kidney Pills today. Doan's are helping thousands. Ask your neighbor!

A New Mexico Case

H. H. Carson, 60 W. Adams St., Detroit, N. Mex., says: "Homeliner when I do too much heavy work, or catch cold, my back and kidneys bother me. When I feel over a heat I pain catch me. I can hardly straighten on I have spells of dizziness and spots seem to float before my eyes. As soon as I feel an attack of this trouble coming on I use Doan's Kidney Pills. They always straighten me up in good shape."

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A teacher was instructing a class in English. She called on a small boy named Jimmy Brown.

"James," said she, "write on the board 'Richard can ride a donkey if he wants to.'"

Jimmy did so to the satisfaction of all concerned.

"Now," continued the teacher, when Jimmy had returned to his place, "can you find a better form for that sentence?"

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In spite of the fact that pies and pastry have been condemned as indigestible, the sentence has never been passed upon them, for they still hold forth on all bills of fare.

Plain Custard Pie.—Line a pie tin with a good, rich crust, having the rim stand up above the plate. Fill with a custard mixture, using two beaten eggs, one-third of a cupful of sugar, a pinch of salt and two cupfuls of milk. Finish with a grating of nutmeg and bake at first in a hot oven to set and brown the pastry, then lower the heat to cook the custard. An orange filling may be made by using the juice of an orange with the grated rind, adding milk enough to make the two cupfuls of liquid and proceed as in custard pie. A meringue on a pie always adds to its appearance as well as making it more nourishing.

Lemon and Apple Pie.—Add a cupful of sugar to half a cupful of chopped apple, one beaten egg, one-fourth of a cupful of rolled crackers, two tablespoonfuls of lemon juice, the grated rind of a lemon and one tablespoonful of butter. Bake with two crusts.

Date Custard Pie.—Cook a third of a pound of dates, washed and stoned, with two cupfuls of milk in a double boiler. Rub through a sieve, add two beaten eggs, salt and sugar if needed, with a few gratings of nutmeg. Bake and cover with a meringue in which four or five marshmallows are placed.

Prune Pie.—Soak three-fourths of a pound of prunes in cold water, stew until tender, cool and stone. Arrange them in a lined pie plate, add half a cupful of sugar, two tablespoonfuls of butter and the juice of half a lemon, salt, two tablespoonfuls of flour and the juice from the prunes. Bake, cover with a meringue and brown.

Rhubarb and raisins make a good combination for a pie filling. Use a half a cupful of raisins to two cupfuls of rhubarb, sugar, salt and flavoring with two tablespoonfuls of flour to thicken the juice to keep the pie from boiling over. Cover with a crust and bake in a slow oven.

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FOODS WHICH APPEAL TO A VARIETY OF TASTES.

For those who are fond of coconut the following drop cakes will be enjoyed:

Rice Drop Cakes.—Mix two cupfuls of bottled rice with half a cupful of milk and one beaten egg; add two tablespoonfuls of flour, half a teaspoonful of salt and a teaspoonful of baking powder with half a cupful of shredded coconut (the unsweetened kind). Beat well and drop on a lightly greased griddle. Cook brown on both sides and serve hot with syrup or honey.

Rich Golden Frozen Pudding.—Scald a pint of rich milk. Beat the yolks of six eggs, add one cupful of sugar and half a teaspoonful of salt and beat again. Cook the two mixtures until smooth and thick; cool and add a tablespoonful of vanilla and one and one-half cupfuls of cream. Freeze. Have ready one and one-half cupfuls of sultana raisins and candied cherries, pineapple and citron cut in pieces and covered with lemon juice and allowed to stand overnight. Stir this mixture into the frozen custard and let stand to ripen two hours. Serve alone or with whipped cream or with the following sauce:

Beat the yolks of three eggs until thick; add one-fourth of a teaspoonful of mace or nutmeg, one-half cupful of sugar; stir and cook over hot water until thick. Cut and fold in the beaten whites of the eggs; stand over hot water to cook. When cold add one-fourth of a cup of lemon juice and one cupful of cream beaten stiff. Serve very cold or pack in ice and partly frozen.

Chestnut Bavarian Cream.—Soak half a package of gelatin in half a cupful of cold water. Press one cupful of preserved chestnuts through a sieve. To this puree and the gelatin add one-fourth of a cupful of sugar and three tablespoonfuls of fruit juice or a tablespoonful of vanilla. Set the dish in ice water, stir constantly until the mixture begins to thicken, then fold in two cupfuls of cream, one cupful thin, the other whipping cream, both beaten thick. Mix the two mixtures until the mass will hold its shape, then dispose in small molds decorated with candied fruit. Rinse the bottom of the molds with some of the gelatin mixture, then chill before placing the fruit, which will keep them in place.

Chestnut Dessert.—Make a simple custard; add a pint of mashed chestnuts or peas; flavor with almond or vanilla and add a spoonful of gelatin. Mold, then serve with flavored and sweetened whipped cream.

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A Look Ahead.

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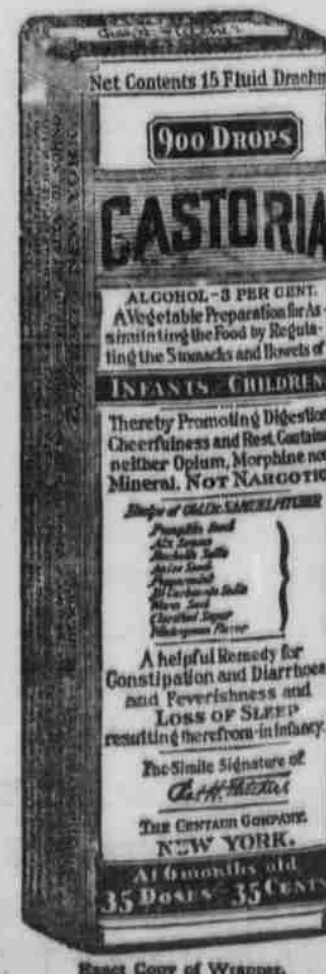
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The Future of Oil

A nationally prominent oil man says: "The fear of a possible over-expansion of the oil industry is not well based. Last year the U. S. produced 341,000,000 barrels of oil, but this was 42,000,000 barrels short of consumption, which had to be imported from Mexico.

"Eliminating the war increase and taking the ten years preceding the war we find that the average annual increase in consumption, if continued, will in eight years require every oil refinery in the United States to double its capacity.

"The ten-year pre-war increase occurred before the airplane and the submarine began using large quantities; before conversions from coal to oil as fuel for ships became frequent, and while the automobile industry was just getting into its stride. In ensuing years the demand from these sources for oil will increase tremendously. The possibilities in use of oil as vessel fuel alone can be appreciated from the fact that three 5000 ton cargo boats burning oil can do the work of four same size vessels using coal, and at less expense per boat."

Is it any wonder that far-seeing men are striving for a national policy and legislation encouraging, rather than discouraging, to further development of our oil lands?

A Tribute to the News

We have added quite a large number of subscribers to our subscription list during the past few months, some of which are outside the county and some outside the state, but all evidently are interested in Lincoln county. Here is a sample picked from many received during the past week, and dated Los Angeles, October 29:

"I am enclosing a check. Will you please send me your valued publication without which life is a dreary waste of ignorance—an aching void which none of these so-called newspapers can ever hope to fill.—Yours,"

It does the editor good to receive those kindly tributes occasionally, especially when accompanied by a check.

Our Readers

It will interest our subscribers to know that the advance in paper, printing material, labor, etc., during the past war years has meant an annual increase in the cost of publishing the News of approximately seventy-five per cent, and this in spite of every effort to secure the lowest prices on material. And yet, the News goes out each week to its readers at the same old pre-war price. What we are trying to state is, that those of our readers—they are but a few—who know themselves to be in arrears, would do us a favor by mailing a check for the small amount, and renew their subscription at the same old pre-war rate. It would help to keep the books balanced, and make the editor happy.

To Visit and Advise Rural School Districts

Albuquerque, N. M., Nov., 10.—The University of New Mexico is making an active effort this year to keep the pupils of the rural districts in school. The work is in the hands of Atanasio Montoya, whose efficient service as superintendent of the Bernalillo county schools earned him a national reputation. Mr. Montoya was employed by the board of regents as a specialist in rural education, and under the direction of the extension division, in charge of which is Vice-president Hodgins, will visit the rural communities and present to them in personal conferences and by addresses the strong reasons for remaining with their studies. Recognizing that the greatest elimination, or dropping out of school, is from the elementary grades, the chief activities will be centered in them. Special effort will be made to encourage and persuade the Spanish-American children to persist in school through the elementary grades, through the high school and into college. He will probably assemble an interesting collection of lantern slides to show the work of the university, to illustrate the value of an education, to present health subjects, and show model school plants. Not only will he bring valuable information to the university regarding the schools, communities, and prospective students, but from his long experience will, when desired and possible, offer help in the way of suggestions concerning improved instruction and sanitation. The past week Mr. Montoya has spent some time on the campus to familiarize himself with the courses, equipment and special advantages of the

institution, and to become acquainted with the personnel. In undertaking this work the university is looking forward for several years, realizing that the high schools which are the direct feeders of the colleges must in turn be enlarged before the university can attain its expected eminence.

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PLANS AGREE ON PRINCIPLES.

Return of Roads to Owners With
Assurance of Adequate
Revenues.

Washington.—One of the big problems before the new Congress is settling the railroad back on a "sound basis." These 200,000 miles of highways were taken over by the Government as an indispensable arm of the national defense, but now that their war service is over, there is a country-wide demand that the Government restore them to their owners to be operated on normal American business standards of efficiency.

But, as has been pointed out by President Wilson as well as by many men in public life who have given this subject years of careful study, it is not enough simply to say to the railroad companies, "Take these railroads and give the country the best transportation service that money and brains can provide."

Old Laws Obstruct Growth.

The President recently said that it would be a serious mistake to return to the old conditions of railroad regulation without reforming the antiquated laws that were obstructing the free development of transportation facilities. The Director General of Railroads has recently made an inspection trip from coast to coast, and he has been telling the people that the time has now come to put the railroads on a sound foundation.

The plans for a better system of national control of railroads are as varied as were the plans for banking and currency reform when Congress received a mandate from the people to provide insurance against financial panics. The public now demands insurance against a breakdown of railroad transportation, and the new Congress is undertaking this work as secondary only to insurance against international warfare. Congress solved the banking problem seven years ago as a non-partisan issue, in which all the people had a common interest, and Congress evidently is tackling the railroad problem with the same spirit.

While the many plans that have been proposed differ in the methods to be adopted in reaching the desired goal, it has been pointed out by Senator Cummins of Ohio that all these plans have really very much in common—so much so that he is confident that Congress will have little difficulty in framing a bill that will meet with popular approval, and that will take the railroad question out of politics for many years to come.

Many Plans With One Aim.

The Iowa Senator has a commanding position in this Congress because he is the ranking member of the Interstate Commerce Committee of the United States Senate, and it is in this committee that the new railroad bill will take final form. In an address before a national meeting of business men at St. Louis Senator Cummins stated that since the close of the war fully thirty complete plans for new railroad legislation had been submitted to him by business men, economists, bankers, railroad officials and owners, Government officials, railroad workers and just plain citizens.

The basic principles upon which all of these plans, with one exception, agree are as follows:

1. Private operation is more efficient and more economical than Government operation, and the public interest will therefore be served by a return of the roads to private management.
2. To make certain that new capital will be attracted to the expansion of railroad facilities, there ought to be greater certainty that a fair return will be earned on the investment.
3. The merging of weak and strong roads into large competing systems should be encouraged.

The making of a formula to provide a fair return on railroad capital seems likely to be the phase of the problem most thoroughly debated in Congress. The Director General has been urging that the Government ought to guarantee a certain return and share in any excess earnings, leading bankers, especially some of the international bankers in Wall Street, who have in the past marketed many hundreds of millions of railroad securities, also look favorably on the suggestion of a Government guarantee which will make it easier to sell new securities, and will also stabilize the market for the old bonds and stocks.

Government Guarantee Opposed.

But the proposal that the Government shall guarantee the interest and dividends on private capital invested in railroads will undoubtedly meet with very vigorous opposition in many quarters. Even railroad executives, who might be supposed to take kindly to the idea of a Government guarantee against failure, have frankly stated that they do not want it, because they believe it is un-American in principle, would tend to lessen efficiency, and would involve the roads in a Government partnership that would inevitably lead to Government ownership.

AROUND THE WORLD WITH THE AMERICAN RED CROSS. In Belgium.



Hunger, disease and exposure were not all that Belgian children were subjected to, for enemy shells constantly dropped into what little of their country the invaders did not hold. In this picture Red Cross nurses are seen taking some of the little babies from the American Red Cross nursery at La Paine into a bomb-proof structure as the Germans opened fire from the sea.

AROUND THE WORLD WITH THE AMERICAN RED CROSS. In the Arctic Circle.



Wherever American soldiers went during the war and after, there also went the American Red Cross. This policy carried Red Cross workers to far corners of the globe and here they are seen near the rim of everlasting ice and snow in North Russia. Automobiles were used whenever possible but on many journeys the reindeer pictured here proved most effective.

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Peace League Means More to Them Than It Can Mean to Men.

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(By the Late Dr. Anna Howard Shaw.)
Seven million one hundred thousand men who had laid down their lives in the great war. Think of it! Seven million, one hundred thousand young men had died in the field of battle!

What does that mean to the women of the world? It means that seven million one hundred thousand women walked day by day with their faces toward an open grave that they might give life to a son. It means that seven million one hundred thousand little children lay in the arms of a mother whose love had made them face even the terrors of death that they might become the mothers of men.

It means that year after year these women had put up their lives into the lives of their sons until they had reared them to be men. For what? In the hope that these sons of theirs could give to the world the things for which women dream, the things for which women hope and pray and long. These were the things that the women had in their hearts when they gave birth to their sons.

But who can estimate the value of seven million one hundred thousand dead sons of the women of the world? Who can estimate the price which the women have paid for this war; what it has cost them, not only in the death of their sons, because that is a phase of our war to which we look.

The Courage of Women.
We hear our orators tell us of the courage of our men. How they went across the sea. Very few of them remember to tell us of the courage of our women, who also went across the sea; of the women who died nursing the sick and wounded; the women who died in the hospitals, where the terrible bonds came and drove them almost to madness. They tell us nothing of the forty thousand English women who went to work back of the trenches in France.

They tell us nothing of the thousands upon thousands upon thousands of women who not only killed and worked and slaved in order that the war might be successful, but we do not hear of the thousands of women, not alone in Armenia, not alone in Montenegro, not alone in Serbia, but in Flanders, in Belgium, in Rumania, in Russia—the thousands of women who lie in graves today, murdered, so horribly murdered that men dare not speak of it.

And yet we women are asked what we know about the League of Nations; asked what we can understand about a League of Nations. Oh men! the horrible deaths; the horrible lives of thousands upon thousands of women today in all these nations, who must live, and who must look in the faces of children unweaned, undressed—of little children—and know that these are the result of war.

And then ask women why they should be interested in a league of peace?

Women Suffer Most From War.
If there is any body of citizens in the world who ought to be interested in a league to ultimately bring to the world peace it is the mothers of men, and the women who suffered as only women can suffer in the war and in devastated countries.

And we call upon them, we women of the world call upon the men who have been fighting all these battles of the years, the men who have led armies, and led armies close to their deaths.

We are now calling upon the men of the world to in some way or another find a passage out of the sea of death. We are asking them to form a league which will bring hope to the women of the future. If women are to bear sons only that they may die, if women may not have hope and aspirations for their children, if women may not dream the dreams that have in them the hope of the highest civilizations, the highest moral and spiritual life of the people—if women may not have these in their hearts as the mothers of men, then women will cease to desire to be the mothers of men. And why should they not? Why should they not?

The Light in the Clearing

A Tale of the North Country in the Time of Silas Wright

By IRVING BACHELLER

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CHAPTER XVII—Continued.

My heart beat fast when I saw the house and my uncle and Purvis coming in from the twenty-acre lot with a load of hay. Aunt Deel stood on the front steps looking down the road. Now and then her waving handkerchief went to her eyes. Uncle Peabody came down the standard off his load and walked toward me.

"Say, stranger, have you seen anything of a feller by the name of Bart Haynes?" he demanded.

"Have you?" I asked.

"No, sir, I ain't. Gosh a'mighty! Say! what have ye done with that boy of our'n?"

"What have you done to our house?" I asked again.

"Built on an addition."

"That's what I've done to your boy," I answered.

"Thunder an' lightning! How you've raised the roof!" he exclaimed as he grabbed my satchel. Dressed like a statesman an' bigger'n a bullmoose, I can't tattle with you no more. But, say, I'll run ye a race. I can beat ye an' carry the satchel, too."

We ran pell-mell up the lane to the steps like a pair of children.

Aunt Deel did not speak. She just put her arms around me and laid her dear old head upon my breast. Uncle Peabody turned away. Then what a silence! Off in the edge of the woodland I heard the fairy flute of a woodthrush.

"Purvis, you drive that load on the floor an' put up the horses," Uncle Peabody shouted in a moment. "If you don't like it you can hire 'nother man. I won't do no more till after dinner. This slave business is played out."

"All right," Purvis answered.

"You bet it's all right. I'm for abolition an' I've stood your dominion, nigger-driver ways long enough fer one mornin'. If you don't like it you can look for another man."

Aunt Deel and I began to laugh at this good-natured, make-believe scolding of Uncle Peabody and the emotional strain was over. They led me into the house, where a delightful surprise awaited me, for the rooms had been decorated with balaam boughs and sweet ferns. A glowing mass of violets, framed in moss, occupied the center of the table. The house was filled with the odors of the forest, which, as they knew, were dear to me. I had written that they might expect me some time before noon, but I begged them not to meet me in Canton, as I wished to walk home after my long ride. So they were ready for me.

I remember how they felt the cloth on my back and how proudly they surveyed it.

"Couldn't buy them goods 'round these parts," said Uncle Peabody.

"Nor nothin' like 'em—no, sir."

"Feels a little bit like the butternut trousers," said Aunt Deel as she felt my coat.

"Ayes, but them butternut trousers ain't what they used to be when they was young and limber," Uncle Peabody remarked. "Seems so they was gettin' kind of wrinkled an' baldheaded-like, 'specially where I set down."

"Ayes! Wal I guess a man can't grow old without his pants growin' old, too—ayes!" said Aunt Deel.

"If yer legs are in 'em ev'ry Sunday they ketch it of ye," my uncle answered. "Long sermons are hard on pants, seems to me."

"An' the longer the legs the harder the sermons—in them little seats over 't the schoolhouse—ayes!" Aunt Deel added by way of justifying his complaint. "There wouldn't be so much wear in a ten-mile walk—no!"

The chicken pie was baking and the strawberries were ready for the shortcake.

"I've been waitin' since the dew was off gittin' them berries an' v'lets—ayes!" said Aunt Deel, now busy with her work at the stove.

"Aunt, you look as young as ever," I remarked.

She slapped my arm and said with mock severity:

"Stop that! W'y! You know better—ayes!"

How vigorously she stirred the fire then.

"I can't return the compliment—my soul! how you've changed—ayes!" she remarked.

"I hope you ain't at no more, Bart. I can't bear to think of you flyin' at folks an' poundin' of 'em. Don't seem right—no, it don't!"

"Why, Aunt Deel, what in the world do you mean?" I asked.

"It's Purvis' brats that does the poundin'." I guess, said my uncle.

"It's kind of got the habit. It's a regular beetle brain. To hear him talk ye'd think he an' you could clean out the hull Mexican nation—barrin' accidents. Why, anybody would suppose that yer enemies go to climbin' trees

as soon as they see ye comin' an' that you pull the trees up by the roots to git at 'em."

"A certain amount of such devilry is necessary to the comfort of Mr. Purvis," I remarked. "If there is nobody else to take the responsibility for it he assumes it himself. His imagination has an intense craving for blood and violence. It's that type of American who, egged on by the slave power, is hurrying us into trouble with Mexico."

Purvis came in presently with a look in his face which betrayed his knowledge of the fact that all the cobwebs spun by his fancy were now to be brushed away. Still he enjoyed them while they lasted and there was a kind of tacit claim in his manner that they were subjects regarding which no honest man could be expected to tell the truth.

As we ate our dinner they told me that an escaped slave had come into a neighboring county and excited the people with stories of the auction block and of negroes driven like yoked oxen on plantations in South Carolina, whence he had escaped on a steamboat.

"I b'lieve I'm goin' to vote for abolition," said Uncle Peabody. "I wonder what Silas Wright will say to that."

"He'll probably advise against it; the time isn't ripe for so great a change," was my answer. "He thinks that the whole matter should be left to the glacial action of time's forces."

Indeed I had spoken the view of the sounder men of the North. The subject filled them with dread alarm. But the attitude of Uncle Peabody was significant. The sentiment in favor of a change was growing. It was now to be reckoned with, for the abolition party was said to hold the balance of power in New York and New England and was behaving itself like a bull in a china shop.

After dinner I tried to put on some of my old clothes, but found that my nakedness had so expanded that they would not cover it, so I hitched my white mare on the spring wagon and drove to the village for my trunk.

Every week day after that I worked in the fields until the senator arrived in Canton about the middle of August. On one of those happy days I received a letter from old Kate, dated, to my surprise, in Saratoga. It said:

"Dear Barton Baynes: I thought I would let you know that my father is dead. I have come here to rest and have found some work to do. I am better now. Have seen Sally. She is very beautiful and kind. She does not know that I am the old witch, I have changed so. The others do not know—it is better that way. I think it was the Lord that brought me here. He has a way of taking care of some people, my boy. Do you remember when I began to call you my boy—you were very little. It is long, long ago since I first saw you in your father's dooryard—you said you were going to mill on a butterfly's back. You looked just as I thought my boy would look. You gave me a kiss. What a wonderful gift it was to me then! I began to love you. I have no one else to think of now. I hope you won't mind my thinking so much of you."

"God bless you,"

"KATE FULLERTON."

I understood now why the strong will and singular insight of this woman had so often exercised themselves in my behalf. I could not remember the far day and the happy circumstance of which she spoke, but I wrote her a letter which must have warmed her heart I am sure.

Silas Wright arrived in Canton and drove up to our home. He reached our door at eight in the morning with his hound and rifle. He had aged rapidly since I had seen him last. His hair was almost white. There were many new lines in his face. He seemed more grave and dignified. He did not lapse into the dialect of his fathers when he spoke of the ancient pastimes of hunting and fishing as he had been wont to do.

"Bart," he said when the greetings were over, "let's you and me go and spend a day in the woods. I'll leave my man here to help your uncle while you're gone."

We went by driving south a few miles and tramping in to the foot of the stillwater on our river—a trail long familiar to me. The dog left us soon after we took it and began to range over thick wooded hills. We sat down among small, spiralk spruces at the river's edge with a long stretch of water in sight while the music of the hound's voice came faintly to our ears from the distant forest.

"Oh, I've been dreaming of this for a long time," said the senator as he leaned back against a tree and filled his lungs and looked out upon the water, green with lily pads along the edge and flecked with the last of the white blossoms. "I believe you want to leave this lovely country."

"I am waiting for the call to go,"

"Well, I'm inclined to think you are the kind of man who ought to go," he answered almost sadly. "You are needed. I have been waiting until we should meet to congratulate you on your behavior at Cobleskill. I think you have the right spirit—that is the all-important matter. You will encounter strange company in the game of politics. Let me tell you a story."

He told me many stories of his life in Washington, interrupted by a sound like that of approaching footsteps. We ceased talking and presently a flock of partridges came near us, pacing along over the mat of leaves in a leisurely fashion. We sat perfectly still.

A young cock bird with his beautiful ruff standing out, like the hair on the back of a frightened dog, strode toward us with a come threat in his manner. It seemed as if he were of half a mind to knock us into the river.

But we sat as still as stumps and he spared us and went on with the others.

The baying of the hound was nearer now. Suddenly we saw a big buck come down to the shore of the cove near us and on our side of the stream. He looked to right and left. Then he made a long leap into the water and waded slowly until it covered him. He raised his nose and laid his antlers back over his shoulders and swam quietly downstream, his nose just showing above the water. His antlers were like a bit of driftwood. If we had not seen him take the water his antlers might easily have passed for a bunch of dead sticks. Soon the buck slowly lifted his head and turned his neck and looked at both shores. Then very deliberately he resumed his place under water and went on. We watched him as he took the farther shore below us and made off in the woods again.

"I couldn't shoot at him, it was such a beautiful bit of politics," said the senator.

Soon the hound reached the cove's edge and swam the river and ranged up and down the bank for half an hour before he found the buck's trail again.

"I've seen many a rascal, driven to water by the hounds, go swimming away as slyly as that buck, with their horns in the air, looking as innocent as a bit of driftwood. They come in from both shores—the Whig and the Democratic—and they are always shot at from one bank or the other."

I remember it surprised me a little to hear him say that they came in from both shores.

"Just what do you want to do?" he asked presently.

"I should like to go down to Washington with you and help you in any way that I can."

"All right, partner—we'll try it," he answered gravely. "I hope that I don't forget and work you as hard as I work myself. It wouldn't be decent. I have a great many letters to write. I'll try thinking out loud while you take them down in sound-hand. Then you can draft them neatly and I'll sign them. You have tact and good manners and can do many of my errands for me and save me from those who have no good reason for taking up my time."

"You will meet the best people and the worst. There's just a chance that it may come to something worth while—who knows? You are young yet. It will be good training and you will witness the making of some history now and then."

What elation I felt! Again the voice of the hound, which had been ringing in the distant hills, was coming nearer.

"We must keep watch—another deer is coming," said the senator.

We had only a moment's watch before a fine yearling buck came down to the opposite shore and stood looking across the river. The senator raised his rifle and fired. The buck fell in the edge of the water.

"How shall we get him?" my friend asked.

"It will not be difficult," I answered as I began to undress. Nothing was difficult those days.

I swam the river and towed the buck across with a beech withe in his gambrel joints. The hound joined me before I was half across with my burden and nosed the carcass and swam on ahead yelping with delight.

We dressed the deer and then I had the great joy of carrying him on my back two miles across the country to the wagon. The senator wished to send a guide for the deer, but I insisted that the carrying was my privilege.

"Well, I guess your big thighs and broad shoulders can stand it," said he.

"My uncle has always said that no man could be called a hunter until he can go into the woods without a guide and kill a deer and bring it out on his back. I want to be able to testify that I am at least partly qualified."

"Your uncle didn't say anything about fetching the deer across a deep river without a boat, did he?" Mr. Wright asked me with a smile.

Leaves of the beeches, maples and basswoods—yellowed by frost—hung like tiny lanterns, glowing with noon-day light, above the dim forest aisle which we traveled.

The sun was down when we got to the clearing.

"What a day it has been!" said Mr. Wright when we were seated in the wagon.

"One of the best in my life," I answered with a joy in my heart the like of which I have rarely known in these many years that have come to me.

We rode on in silence with the calls of the swamp robin and the hermit thrush ringing in our ears as the night fell.

"It's a good time to think, and there we take different roads," said my friend. "You will turn into the future and I into the past."

"I've been thinking about your uncle," he said by and by. "He is one of the greatest men I have ever known. You know of that foolish gossip about him—didn't you?"

"Yes," I answered.

"Well, now, he's gone about his business the same as ever and showed by his life that it couldn't be true. Not a word out of him! But Dave Ramsey fell sick—down on the flat last winter. By and by his children were crying for bread and the poor master was going to take charge of them. Well, who should turn up there, just in the nick of time, but Della and Peabody Baynes. They fed those children all winter and kept them in clothes so that they could go to school. The strange thing about it is this: It was Dave Ramsey who really started that story. He got up in church the other night and confessed his crime. His conscience wouldn't let him keep it."

He said that he had not seen Peabody Baynes on that road the day the money was lost but had only heard that he was there. He knew now that he couldn't have been there. Gosh a'mighty! as your uncle used to say when there was nothing else to be said."

It touched me to the soul—this long-delayed vindication of my beloved Uncle Peabody.

The senator ate supper with us and sent his hired man out for his horse and buggy. When he had put on his overcoat and was about to go he turned to my uncle and said:

"Peabody Baynes, if I have had any success in the world it is because I have had the exalted honor of a consciousness that I represented men like you."

He left us and we sat down by the glowing candles. Soon I told them what Ramsey had done. There was a moment of silence. Uncle Peabody rose and went to the water pail for a drink. "Bart, I believe I'll plant corn on that ten-acre lot next spring—darned if I don't," he said as he returned to his chair.

None of us ever spoke of the matter again, to my knowledge.

CHAPTER XVIII.

On the Summit.

My mental assets would give me a poor rating, I presume, in the commerce of modern scholarship when I went to Washington that autumn with Senator and Mrs. Wright. Still it was no smattering that I had, but rather a few broad areas of knowledge which were firmly in my possession. My best asset was not mental but spiritual, if I may be allowed to say it, in all modesty, for, therein I claim no special advantage, saving, possibly, an unusual strength of character in my aunt and uncle. Those days the candles were lighting the best trails of knowledge all over the land. Never has the general spirit of this republic been so high and admirable as then and a little later. It was to speak, presently, in the immortal voices of Whittier, Emerson, Whitman, Greeley and Lincoln. The dim glow of the candles had entered their souls and out of them came a light that filled the land and was seen of all men.

The railroads on which we traveled from Utica, the great cities through which we passed, were a wonder and an inspiration to me. I was awed by the grandeur of Washington itself. I took lodgings with the senator and his wife.

"Now, Bart," said he, when we had arrived, "I'm going to turn you loose here for a little while before I put harness on you. Go about for a week or so and get the lay of the land and the feel of it. Mrs. Wright will be your guide until the general situation has worked its way into your consciousness."

It seemed to me that there was not room enough in my consciousness for the great public buildings and the pictures and the statues and the vast machinery of the government. Beauty and magnitude have a wonderful effect when they spring fresh upon the vision of a youth out of the back country. I sang of the look of them in my letters and soon I began to think about them and imperfectly to understand them. They had their epic, lyric and dramatic stages in my consciousness.

One afternoon we went to hear Senator Wright speak. He was to answer Calhoun on a detail of the banking laws. The floor and galleries were filled. With what emotion I saw him rise and begin his argument as all ears bent to hear him! He aimed not at popular sentiments in highly finished rhetoric, as did Webster, to be quoted in the school books and repeated on every platform. But no words of mine—and I have used many in the effort—are able to convey a notion of the masterful ease and charm of his manner on the floor of the senate or of the singular modesty, courtesy, aptness and simplicity of his words as they fell from his lips. There were the thunderous Webster, the grandeur of whose sentences no American has equaled; the agile-minded Clay, whose voice was like a silver clarion; the far-seeing, fiery Calhoun, of "the swift sword"—most formidable in debate—but I was soon to learn that neither nor all of these men—gifted of heaven so highly—could cope with the suave, incisive, conversational sentences of Wright, going straight to the heart of the subject and laying it bare to his hearers. That was what people were saying as we left the senate chamber, late in the evening; that, indeed, was what they were always saying after they had heard him answer an adversary.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Victim of Popular Song.

Lawrence Kellie tells of an amusing experience he had over the song, "Douglas Gordon." He was introduced one evening to a gentleman whose name he did not catch. "I have no desire to meet you, Mr. Kellie," said the stranger. Kellie naturally looked a little astonished, but said nothing. "In fact," the other went on, "I hate the very sound of your name. For months past my mother has been worried by the receipt of telegrams and letters of condolence on my behalf, and the thing is beginning to get monotonous." "I'm sorry," said Kellie, "but what's that got to do with me?" "Well, I'll tell you," said the other. "My name's Douglas Gordon, and everybody imagines that your confounded song refers to me." And with that he turned on his heel and went.

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"Many a man dat's as busy as a bee," said Uncle Eben, "uses up all his time buzzin' an' don't make no honey."

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The world was up all night September 12, 1910. Haley's comet blazed across the roof of the world. This "great comet," whose revolution occupied 292 years, was first seen in August, 1858, by a gentleman in Altoona, but Haley's comet, named after the astronomer who calculated its progress, is the same terrible wanderer in depths of space that has appeared down the ages, and to which successive names have been given—Bela's comet, Donati's comet, etc. From the records of history it seems that the comet appears to foretell some world disaster. It appeared before the fall of Jerusalem under Titus; in the reign of Louis the Debonair, 857, and the king died shortly after; it appeared before the death of Caesar, 43 B. C. Again it appeared three years after the capture of Constantinople by the Turks, 1456. It appeared in 1811, just before the Civil war, and in 1910, before the great war.

What is a comet? It is a member of the solar republic—a bright star, a vagabond orb, that travels at almost incredible speed, whose tail is fifty-five million miles long—who approaches the sun, not to be consumed in it, but to draw from that radiant source the energy necessary for its future travels in the unknown abysses of the firmament. It has its own orbit which it follows. What mind dare follow that?

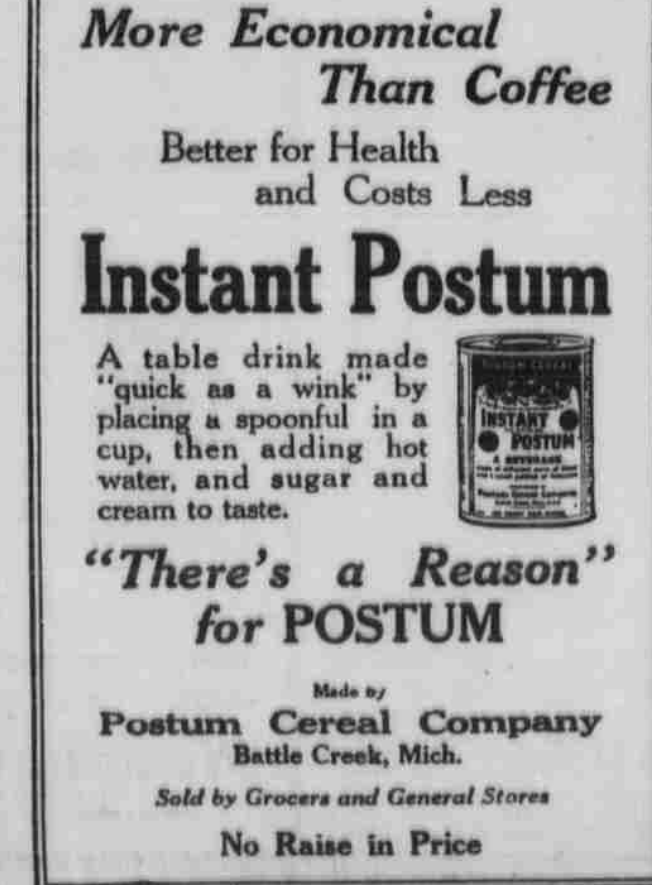
Anybody can make a fool of himself, and we all get plenty of opportunities.

What's Reported?

"Pa, what is reported?"

"It is, as a rule, an insult with a dress suit on, my son."

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rice were here Monday and Tuesday from Parsons.

Cars washed at Western Garage.

Five cars of apples came in over the Capitan branch Wednesday, consigned to El Paso.

Norwalk Inner Tubes and Republic Casings. Both guaranteed. Western Garage.

G. B. Greer came over yesterday from his home on the Bonito.

Try a Spirella corset. Mrs. G. T. McQuillen, phone 1. 3-141f

O. T. Nye drove to Roswell Tuesday to look after some interest in that vicinity.

We meet all competition. Write or our prices. Western Garage.

Sam H. Nickles, a farmer-ranchman on the Gavilan was here Monday, looking just as happy as of yore.

All repair work guaranteed at Western Garage.

Harry and Ed Comrey returned last night from El Paso. Ed, who was injured some time ago, appears greatly improved.

John Brannick of Jackson, Mich., is visiting his sister, Mrs. H. L. Humphrey. He may decide to settle in Carrizozo.

Contractor Nielson has finished laying side walks for this year, as the weather is getting too cold for cement work. He completed the work from the Crystal theatre to the bakery this week.

Etcherry and Walker, sheep men, whose camp is near the Capitan mountains, sold 7,000 head of sheep to a buyer from San Angelo, Texas this week.

B. L. Stimmel returned Tuesday from Oklahoma City to which point he had gone with two ears of cattle. The market was favorable and fair prices rewarded the shipper.

Clement Hightower, of the Honda, accompanied by his son, Perry, and daughter Genevieve, passed through Carrizozo yesterday enroute to Socorro, on a ten days visit.

Four apple buyers from northeast Texas have been interviewing the orchardists in this county the past week with view of buying their apple crops for shipment.

Saturday night a light snow fell, followed by a minor fall Sunday. During the period probably four inches fell but at no time did that depth show on the ground, as much of it melted when striking the ground.

J. S. Morrow arrived Saturday from Detroit, Michigan. Mr. Morrow is originally from Alabama, but the past years has resided in Detroit. He is a brother-in-law of Attorney, C. A. Perkins and will be associated with the Light & Power Co.

Jerry Current, a scion of an old family in White Oaks district, passed through town this week on a visit to the old homestead. Jerry has been mining in the Miami district, Arizona. The Current family is one of the oldest families in the White Oaks district, having located there in the eighties.

A number of fruit buyers have been going through the county the past week or two. Chas. Lyons, of the Lyons commission house, El Paso bought the apple crop of several orchards in the Capitan and mesa districts, the fruit will be boxed and shipped.

Jim Woodland was in from the Block ranch this week, and brought the news that a dance and box supper was held at Richardson last Friday evening, which netted \$127.50 for the Red Cross. Richardson is a small settlement, but when it comes to doing things it does not do them by halves.

Dr. R. T. Lucas left Monday night for his home in Kansas City, Kansas. He had intended remaining longer but a message informing him that his presence was required caused him to cut short his visit, which however will be renewed about the Christmas holidays.

W. J. Ayers arrived Saturday from Maricopa, Arizona. He brought the body of his infant which was buried at the family homestead, south of town. Ayers lived here for a number of years prior to their removal to Arizona, a little over a year ago.

Fractured an Arm

Herbert, a son of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Tennis, while in the act of cranking a Ford car Monday, fractured the long bone of his right arm close to the wrist. Dr. Paden set the fracture and put the arm in a plaster cast. It was a bad fracture, the broken bone folding, but the arm will become all right in time, although it may take several months. There is one feature about the Henry Ford that can't be disputed—it has the "kick."

A Noted Geologist

J. C. Carrera, of El Paso, a geologist and mining Engineer of wide experience in the east and west, spent several days here the past week, the guest of Benj. Lujan. Mr. Carrera has been over the grounds of Lincoln county several times in a search for oil structures. He was connected with the oil fields of Tampico, Mexico, for many years. He returned to El Paso Tuesday in his car. He intends making another visit to this part of the county to further investigate the structures which impressed him as exceptionally favorable for oil.

A Big Blaze

Saturday evening about eight o'clock the residence of R. C. Skinner on the Carrizozo, Capitan road was totally destroyed by fire. The house was a four-room frame building. The flames spread so quickly that there was not time to remove any of the household goods. The family had barely time to get out. The origin of the fire is not known, but is believed to have been started by one of the children. The loss is estimated at between two and three thousand dollars. No insurance. The family were sheltered at the home of a neighbor that night.

The Col. Smith Lecture

At the Methodist church last Friday evening Col. Dan Smith leader of the "Death Battalion" in France, entertained a large audience. He gave a nice word picture of the experiences of the American doughboy as a fighting man, stating that the buck private, with a few months training, proved more than a match for the well-trained Boche. He referred to the well-timed initiative of the regular and the national guardman. He stated that the boys who got no further than the training camps should be placed in the same class with those who crossed over, as they had done all that had been asked of them, and were willing to go over the top with the others if only given the chance. The French, he said, were the coolest of soldiers when hard pressed. He developed a respect for the Britisher as a soldier, and for the English woman, who did a man's part, most of whom he saw were wearing overalls. But when it came to the Boche, he handled him with the bayonet, stating that the Kaiser should not be blamed altogether for the inhumanity of the soldier, and if his audience had only seen a fraction of what he saw they would be of his opinion.

The Colonel's address was well received and he was repeatedly applauded.

Sheriff's Sale

Under and by virtue of an execution issued out of and under the seal of the District Court for Lincoln county, in the state of New Mexico, upon a judgment rendered and docketed in said court, on the 28th day of October, 1919, in an action wherein the Lincoln State Bank, a corporation, is plaintiff, and J. B. Baird is defendant, in favor of the said plaintiff, and against the said defendant, for the sum of three hundred and eighty and 30/100 dollars which execution was directed and delivered to me as sheriff in and for said county and state, I have levied upon all the right, title and interest of the said defendant, J. B. Baird, in and to the following described property, to-wit:

One Baldwin Piano Player and Music Cabinet and Rolls.

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned sheriff, as aforesaid, will sell the above described personal property to the highest bidder for cash, at public auction, at Kelley & Sons warehouse, in the Village of Carrizozo, in the county of Lincoln, state of New Mexico, on the 15th day of December, 1919, at ten o'clock, a. m., of that day, to satisfy the said execution together with the interest, costs, and the costs of this sale.

R. A. DURAN, Sheriff of Lincoln County, State of New Mexico.

Dated at Carrizozo, N. M., this 11th day of November, 1919.
Not 14—Dec 5

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NOTICE

TO PHYSICIANS AND HOUSEHOLDERS

Section 4610 of the Laws of New Mexico, codification of 1915, provides in substance: "Whenever any physician or other person shall know that any person is ill with small pox or other contagious or infectious disease, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the health officer or justice of the peace of any incorporated city, town or village."

Sec 4611, same laws and codification provides in substance: "Whenever any householder shall know that any person in his family is sick with small pox or other contagious or infectious disease, he shall immediately give notice thereof as required by Section 4610, above mentioned, to the proper public officials."

Both Sections 4610 and 4611 impose a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars or more than one hundred dollars for failure to comply with the provisions thereof.

Therefore, hereafter all cases of contagious diseases coming to your knowledge, whether in your own family or not, must be reported at once to the health officer for the Village of Carrizozo, Dr. M. G. Paden. Failure on your part to comply with the requirements of the law, will result in prosecution by the Trustees of the Village of Carrizozo.

Done by order of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Carrizozo.

M. B. PADEN, Clerk.
Nov 11—Nov 21

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The time for the drive has been extended, and any donations received may be turned into the Roll Call chairman.

The indications at present are that the increase in membership will be large.

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All parties indebted to Dr. R. T. Lucas will please settle their accounts with Geo. Spence after Dec. 14, 1919. Prior to that date, with A. L. Burke, at the Outlook office.—Dr. R. T. Lucas. 14-4t

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