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## BIRDMAN WRIGHT SUCCEUMBS TO FEVER

WILBUR, ELDER OF THE DISTINGUISHED BROTHERS, DIES IN DAYTON, OHIO.

### DEATH WAS NOT EXPECTED

THE INVENTOR HAD BEEN ILL SINCE EARLY IN THE PRESENT MONTH.

### THE NATION IS SHOCKED

PRESIDENT TAFT AND OFFICIAL WASHINGTON EXPRESS THEIR SORROW.

Dayton, May 30.—Wilbur Wright, the noted aviator, died early this morning of typhoid fever. He had been ill for several weeks and a number of times had been reported at the point of death, but each time he rallied.

Following a sinking spell that developed soon after midnight, Mr. Wright died at 3:15 o'clock today. He had been near death for many days and though his condition from time to time gave hope to members of his family, the attending physicians, Drs. D. B. Conklin and Levy Spitzer, maintained throughout the latter part of his sickness that he could not recover.

When the patient succumbed he was surrounded by members of his family, which includes his aged father, Bishop Milton Wright, Miss Catherine Wright, Orville, the co-inventor of the aeroplane; Reuchlin Wright and Lorin Wright. All of the family reside in this city except Reuchlin, who lives in Kansas.

The most alarming symptoms in Wright's sickness developed yesterday shortly before noon when his fever suddenly mounted from 104 to 106 and then quickly subsided to its former stage. At this juncture the patient was seized with chills and the attending physicians were baffled by the turn of events. Chills were unusual in a patient suffering from fever this high and the doctors at Wright's bedside were puzzled.

The condition of the aviator remained unchanged throughout the rest of the day and there was no improvement until last midnight. Then there seemed to be a slight improvement but soon there was a sudden turn for the worse and Dr. Conklin was called. He arrived at 3:25 and learned that Wright had died ten minutes before.

Mr. Wright was seized with typhoid May 4 while on a business trip in the east. He went to bed immediately and it was several days before his case was definitely diagnosed as typhoid. Arrangements for the funeral had not been completed early today.

Wilbur Wright was born in Henry county, Indiana, April 16, 1877. Orville, the sixth child, was born August 19, 1881. Both Wilbur and Orville attended the local high school and stood high in their studies. Hampered by heart trouble, caused, it is thought, by accidentally being struck by a pole stock, Wilbur was compelled to abandon his purpose of attending college. Their father, Bishop Milton Wright, being away from home much of the time, the two brothers helped to maintain their home.

The two first started a job printing office and for a while published a small sheet that had a suburb circulation. They then entered the bicycle business and opened a repair shop, at the same time manufacturing bicycles. In the meantime they began studying the flying machine while carrying on the bicycle business and in pursuit of this subject they acquired a knowledge of the underlying principles, further adding to their knowledge by a working acquaintance with different modern languages.

The ancestry of Wilbur Wright can be traced through a number of generations in England. Samuel Wright, through whom was transplanted the lineage in America, came to Springfield, Massachusetts, in 1736. His descendants participated in the revolutionary war.

### Taft Knew Him Well.

Washington, May 30.—In government circles, especially in the signal corps of the army, profound sorrow was expressed at the news of the death of Wilbur Wright. His connection with the government in the early days of aeroplane development was particularly close.

Wilbur Wright negotiated the first contract with the war department for an aeroplane in February, 1908. Prior to the issuance of specifications for this first heavier-than-air flying machine, he was a frequent visitor to the army signal corps headquarters. During these visits, Brigadier General James Allen, chief signal officer of the army said today there never was a time when Wilbur Wright showed any doubt of his ability to do exactly what he had undertaken, or made extravagant claims for his machine.

The first military aeroplane in the world, which was the Wright brothers' built for the United States, was brought to Fort Myer in 1908. In it Orville Wright, on September, 1908, maintained a continuous flight of one hour and the same day carried a passenger on a short flight. Soon after Wilbur Wright went to France where he made better records in a duplicate machine.

General Allen today paid a high tribute to Wilbur and Orville Wright. "To them," he said, "is due the great credit of first publicly demonstrating to the world the practicability of dynamic flight. The success of the Wright brothers was not due to chance or to any accident at discovery, but to their persistence, daring and intelligence in scientifically working out the different parts which go to make up their machine and practically testing the same in flight."

The Wright brothers received a medal and thanks from congress and also a medal from the Smithsonian institution for their achievements.

President Taft, who presented the gold medals granted by congress to Wilbur Wright and his brother Orville, and who had frequently seen Mr. Wright fly, today dictated the following statement:

"I am sorry that the father of the great new science of aeronautics is dead, and that he has not been permitted to live to see the wonderful development that is sure to follow along the primary lines which he laid down. He deserves to stand with Fulton, Stephenson and Bell."

## LAS VEGAS HONORS THE SOLDIER DEAD

DECORATION DAY IS OBSERVED HERE WITH TOLLING BELLS AND HALF HOLIDAY

With services at the cemetery, the tolling of bells at noon and the suspension of all business during the afternoon, Decoration Day was fittingly observed in Las Vegas today. The members of Sherman Post No. 1 Department of New Mexico of the Grand Army of the Republic went to the cemetery in a body where they decorated the graves of their former comrades. The E. Romero Hose and Fire company drove to the cemetery leaving the station house at 1 o'clock, to pay tribute to the late members, and the members of the East side department visited the graves of their dead this afternoon. The Stars and Stripes floated at half mast on all public buildings from sunrise to sunset as a mark of respect to the men who fell in the war of 1861-65.

The banks of the city and public offices were closed all day. There was one carrier delivery this morning and the general delivery window of the postoffice was open between the hours of 8 and 10 o'clock. The Santa Fe team and the Las Vegas Maroons were scheduled play this afternoon at Amusement park.

### TODAY IN CONGRESS

Washington, May 30.—Senate: Met at noon and resumed consideration of metal tariff revision bill. Further protests made to inter-oceanic canal committee against Panama canal bill provision prohibiting railroad owned steamers from using canal. Senator Warren appealed for expedition of appropriation bills. House: Not in session. Meets at 11 a. m. Friday.

## CUBA PREPARES TO CRUSH THE REVOLT

LARGE DETACHMENT OF SOLDIERS IS SENT TO GUANTANAMO

### MONTEGUEDO IS IN COMMAND

HE ASSERTS HE WILL OVERTHROW INSURGENTS WITH LITTLE TROUBLE

### WILL PROTECT LOYAL NEGROES

THOSE WHO ARE NOT PARTICIPATING IN OUTRAGES WILL BE ASSISTED

Santiago, Cuba, May 29.—General Jose J. Monteguedo, the commander-in-chief of the Cuban regular army in the field, who arrived here last evening with a large detachment of reinforcements on board the cruiser Cuba, intends to leave for Guantanamo today. He said he was now fully prepared to crush the revolt, as he now has sufficient forces at his disposal. All arrangements will be made immediately, he said, to begin an active campaign and it was his intention to make an example of the rebels. All the loyal negroes, however, would be assured the fullest protection.

A party of insurgents, under the command of Vicente Anaya, today burned 3,000 tons of sugar cane on a French plantation near Guantanamo. The United States gunboat Paducah has arrived in Nipe Bay, where her commander, George C. Mitchell, will watch the situation.

A body of insurgents is reported also to have burned some buildings in the town of Dalquiri, 15 miles southeast of this city belonging to the Spanish-American company. A detachment of 25 rural guards who were aided by local volunteers were attacked by rebels yesterday while endeavoring to bury the bodies of several peasants hanged by the insurgents at Manantial and El Rincon in the vicinity of Guantanamo.

The fighting continued until nightfall when the insurgents retired. Another band of insurgents under the command of Vicente Anaya set fire to the Miraflores plantation near Guantanamo, which was almost destroyed.

### Fleet in Key West

Key West, Fla., May 30.—Eight battleships of the Atlantic squadron arrived here at 6 o'clock this morning and anchored in the harbor. They form part of the fleet dispatched here to await eventualities in Cuba.

### MAINE MEMORIAL UNVEILED

Kearny, N. J., May 30.—Decoration day was observed here by the unveiling this morning of a handsome memorial to the soldier dead. The memorial, which stands in front of the town hall, consists of a marble pedestal surmounted by a 498-pound shell from the battleship Maine.

## GOVERNMENT TAKING A PART IN I. W. W. ROW

IT IS SAID SECRET AGENTS ARE AT WORK IN SAN DIEGO LOOKING FOR EVIDENCE

San Diego, Calif., May 29.—That the United States government was interested in the Industrial Workers of the World situation in San Diego was again evinced today by the presence of secret agents of the department of justice. While they declined to state why they were here they were supposed to be investigating the general conditions.

So far as the alleged shifting of the scene of activity of the Industrial Workers' representatives from San Diego to Los Angeles was concerned, no statement could be obtained from those directly connected with the so-called "tree speech" campaign in this city. Attorneys for the Industrial Workers were busy today with the general situation. They refused to forecast their future acts.

## WORLD'S RECORDS SMASHED BY DRIVERS

FAST TIME MADE IN MEMORIAL DAY RACES ON INDIANAPOLIS SPEEDWAY

### DE PALMA LEADING THE FIELD

DARING SPORTSMAN WHIZZES AROUND THE COURSE LIKE A RUNAWAY COMET

### TIRE TROUBLE IS MANIFESTED

MANY OF THE CARS HAVE NARROW ESCAPES WHEN RUBBER GIVES WAY

Speedway, Indianapolis, May 30.—Under a cloudless sky, 75,000 spectators and enthusiasts from all over the country assembled today at the Indianapolis speedway for the greatest event of the automobile world—the second annual running of the American 500 mile sweepstakes. They came to see 24 of the most famous drivers and cars battle for honor and fortune in the greatest race of motordom.

The course, washed clean of its black and dangerous coat of grease, accumulated during weeks of practice grind, glistened in the sunlight when the big motors pulled out along the repair pits, swarming with mechanics. Harroun and his Marmon last year did the distance in 6:42:08, and every pilot today was determined to cut this mark in his effort to come in on the \$20,000 offered for the winner of the race.

With an explosive roar of ten enormous engines, especially built for this ultimate test of speed and endurance, the cars came together at the electric timing wire at 9:50. In a tumult of cheering, Starter Wagner let the cars go at 10 o'clock.

Teidy Tetzlaff and his Fiat made the first round of 2 1/2 miles in 1:43.40. Then he lost the lead to Ralph de Palma. De Palma held his lead at the 26 miles, which he covered in 14:28, bettering the old record of 15:29, set by Marquis in an Isotta at Los Angeles.

Spencer Wishart in a second Mercedes, kept at De Palma's rear wheels, with Bruce-Brown, National third. Ormsby's Opel broke its gas line and he drew out.

At fifty miles, De Palma still led and was ahead of the record. Bruce-Brown came into second place and Mulford (Knox) crept into third. The terrible pace began to tell on three. Johnny Jenkins came into the stretch with one tire of his White whipping the track like a ball. The car swung perilously, but Jenkins held it true. Zengle's 3-ut cast a tire into the air, but he, too, came safely to his pit. World's records went down throughout the first 100 miles. De Palma, leading, set a new mark of 1:43:01 over Tetzlaff's old record of 1:43:29. Joe Dawson, in a National, pounded into second place and Wishart took third.

Bruce-Brown withdrew his National and Harriet Knights his Lexington, because of engine trouble.

De Palma continued to build ahead at the 20 mile mark—just half the distance. His time was 3:03:34, just 14 1/2 minutes better than Bruce-Brown's time last year. De Palma made 300 miles in 3:43:21, beating Harroun's time last year 13:04. His average was 80.9 miles an hour.

De Palma's National No. 8 went into second and Burman's Cutting was running third at 300 miles. Flat No. 3 was forced back to fourth place by a stop at the pits.

De Palma was about three laps ahead of National No. 8 at 350 miles, his time being 4:19:35—2:55 better than last year's time. De Palma had increased his lead to four laps when he completed his four hundredth mile in 4:56:24—28:44 better than Harroun made it. National 8 was second and Flat 3 third. De Palma's average was 80.9.

## 'REWARD SERVICE' IS COLONEL'S PLEA

ROOSEVELT SPEAKS IN HISTORIC NATIONAL CEMETERY AT GETTYSBURG.

### HE LAUDS THE OLD SOLDIERS

SAYS THEY SHOWED VALOR IN WAR AND COMMON SENSE IN PEACE.

### TALKS TO RAILROAD MEN

BROTHERHOOD OF ENGINEERS RESPONSIBLE FOR HIS APPEARANCE, TODAY.

Gettysburg, Pa., May 30.—Standing at the spot where Abraham Lincoln delivered his famous address 49 years ago, Colonel Theodore Roosevelt today spoke of the encounter between the north and the south which reached its crisis here and found in the deeds of the past times which he applied to the present day.

The former president turned aside for the day from the stress of political campaign to the serenity of this spot of memories. About him massed on every side were thousands of persons, among them hundreds of civil war veterans. Colonel Roosevelt spoke earnestly, but as a preacher rather than a political leader. The throng which heard him listened in grave attention with occasional outbursts of applause.

Colonel Roosevelt came down from Oyster Bay to fulfill a promise which he made several months ago to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers who have been holding a convention at Harrisburg and who came here to observe Memorial Day. He first spoke briefly at a luncheon attended by 2,300 engineers.

The luncheon was given in a tent. To bring the crowds, 22 special trains steamed into Gettysburg. Railroad men said that these trains brought nearly 20,000 persons. Colonel Roosevelt went over the battlefield with Warren S. Stone, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

"The veterans of the civil war," said Colonel Roosevelt in his address at the national cemetery, "not only left us a united country, united forever and not only left us the priceless heritage of the memories of valorous self-sacrifice shown in the civil war, but also by their careers and their whole attitude in the war and after the war, have taught us lessons which we should apply to ourselves in civil life. During the war they showed that mixture of intense and lofty idealism with sound, practical common sense, which is as essential to the nation's success in peace as in war."

"So in civil life at this moment, the prime necessities of this national are that our people shall show both a lofty idealism in insisting on the rule of justice and hard-headed practical common sense in recognizing that we must secure material prosperity and that, so far from there being any necessary antagonism between justice and material prosperity, neither can be given its full development unless the development of both goes hand in hand."

"Our protest must be against utter inequality of reward, against reward that comes to privilege instead of to service, and of course especially against all reward that comes to any man because of conduct that amounts to wrong-doing in violation of the eternal laws that underlie right from wrong."

"If we refuse to face the fact that there are great existing evils and that we must work with all our heart and soul and mind to solve them, then we shall prepare disaster to ourselves in the future. We shall no less prepare disaster for ourselves if we fail to work with Lincoln's broad kindness of spirit toward all our fellow citizens, with malice toward none, with charity to all, striving resolutely to accomplish our ends, but frowning on all vindictiveness and do-

ing everything in our power to prevent the ranking hatred, whether shown in the form of envy or of arrogance, and the disregard for the rights of others which have so often in the past turned movements for the betterment and uplift of mankind aside from the goal at which they were aimed, and have insidiously marred what would otherwise have been achievements of the more far-reaching good for all humanity."

### Taft After Ohio Votes

Washington, May 30.—With President Taft's influence and that of all the Taft political advisers back of him, Senator Burton will leave Washington Saturday to take up the fight for control by the Taft forces of the Ohio republican state convention, scheduled for early next week.

Although Colonel Roosevelt won a victory over the president in Ohio's primaries the Taft managers are confident they can dominate the state convention and add Ohio's six delegates to the Taft column.

At a conference in which Mr. Taft, Vice-President Sherman, several members of the cabinet and other Taft leaders were present last night, it was decided that Mr. Burton should go to Ohio and make the fight.

### IOWA TRAVELING MEN

Burlington, Ia., May 30.—Decorated in the national colors, Burlington today extended a hearty welcome to the members of the United Commercial Travelers assembled here for the annual meeting of the Iowa grand council. Every large city of the state is represented. The meeting will close tomorrow with the election of officers. Ottumwa is making a strong bid for the next convention.

### PRIMARY IN RHODE ISLAND

Providence, R. I., May 30.—Rhode Island's ten delegates and ten alternates to the democratic national convention at Baltimore will be selected in a state-wide primary to be held tomorrow. The primary will be the first of its kind held in this state. The names of Champ Clark, Woodrow Wilson and Judson Harmon will appear on the ballots.

## MAN BLOWS SAFE TO GET REVENGE

GEORGE BLANK SAID TO HAVE CREATED TROUBLE AT INSTIGATION OF DARROW

Oklahoma City, May 30.—Sympathy for Clarence Darrow, now being tried for alleged complicity in bribery attempts during the McNamara trial in Los Angeles, the police charged, prompted George J. Blank to blow open every safe in the federal building here last night. Blank was arrested today and placed in jail.

The second floor of the new building was practically wrecked. Work on the structure was nearing completion. Blank, a structural iron worker, came here from St. Louis a week ago. He was employed in the finishing work on the building. He asserts innocence of knowledge of the acts charged against him. The authorities said Blank had accomplices and that these are being sought today.

### TODAY'S BASEBALL

Western League  
St. Joseph, Mo., May 30.—Topeka defeated the locals in this morning's game in a battling bee.  
Score: R. H. E.  
Topeka ..... 5 10 1  
St. Joseph ..... 4 9 1  
Batteries: Hornaby and Chapman; Freeman; McDonnell, Chelente and Bachant.  
National League  
Brooklyn, N. Y., May 30.—Brooklyn Boston afternoon game postponed, wet grounds.  
Chicago, May 30.—Chicago won the first game today by a score of 3 to 2.  
Score: R. H. E.  
Chicago ..... 3 7 1  
Cincinnati ..... 2 8 1  
Batteries: Chesley and Needham; Benton and McLean.  
American League  
New York, May 30.—New York Philadelphia game postponed, wet grounds.  
American Association  
Toledo, May 30.—The result of this morning's game was: Toledo 3; Indianapolis 3.

## LONDON SHIPPING BOYCOTTED BY THE WORLD

THIS ACTION MAY BE BROUGHT ABOUT AS RESULT OF STRIKE.

### SUPPORT, HOWEVER, IS WEAK

MOVEMENT GETS A BLACK EYE WHEN THE SAILORS AND FIREMEN DROP OUT.

### BERLIN DECLARES FOR VOTE

INTERNATIONAL HEADQUARTERS ORDERS A BALLOT TAKEN IN EVERY NATION.

London, May 30.—The movement tending toward a declaration of a national strike received a serious setback today when the executives of the Sailors and Firemen's union, which is the strongest body in the National Transport Workers' federation, the organization which would declare such a strike, decided against it. Notices were sent out by this body that there would be no stoppage outside of London unless the order were signed by the secretary of the union.

This appears to indicate that a split has arisen in the ranks of the Transport Workers' federation, which engineered the big strike of last year and aimed at combining all the trades unions of the United Kingdom. The secretary of the Dockers' union stated early in the day that there would be an immediate national strike of transport workers and river-side laborers to be followed by an international strike, unless a result favorable to them were reached at a conference tomorrow. To this conference the trades unions will send their delegates, although the employers, including the port of London authorities, have refused to take any part in it.

"The Continental Workers have already decided to strike," said the organizing secretary, "and it is only a question of now confirming their decision by the international executive."

The employers do not take much notice of this threat as previous experience has shown that the continental workers, far from supporting the British dockers, have been rather pleased to get the additional work coming to them as the result of British strikes.

### Berlin Office Active.

Berlin, May 30.—The general council of the International Transport Workers' federation, whose headquarters are in Berlin, is preparing to act on the appeal of the British dockers to proclaim a world-wide boycott of British shipping.

Hermann Jochade, the president of the council, announces that a cable vote of the heads of the transport workers' organizations of the nineteen countries affiliated with the international organization, including the United States and Canada, will be taken on the question of the advisability of calling an international boycott as soon as the full report had been received here from London.

### GEORGIA BAR MEETING

Savannah, Ga., May 30.—The annual meeting of the Georgia Bar association began at Tybee Island today with a large attendance of notable representatives of the bench and bar. President A. W. Smith of Atlanta presided and among the speakers were Judge J. Hansell Merrill of Thomasville, Crutcher of Memphis and Judge W. R. Hammond of Atlanta. The meeting will conclude with a banquet tomorrow night when the subject of discussion will be "The Admission of Women to the Bar."

### CANCER HOSPITAL OPENED

Glasgow, May 30.—The new Cancer Hospital in this city, which is said to be the best equipped institution in the world for the special treatment of cancer, was formally opened today by Princess Louise (Duchess of Argyll).

# NORMAL SENIORS SCORE A HIT IN FARCE

THE ANNUAL CLASS PLAYS AT THE DUNCAN LAST NIGHT WERE ENJOYABLE

Three one-act farces, well staged and the parts well acted, were presented last night at the Duncan opera house by the graduating class of the New Mexico Normal University. "The Garroters," "The Mouse Trap" and "A Likely Story" from the pen of W. D. Howells, by whose special permission the plays were used, were the three productions put on by the seniors. There was some rare comedy in each of the farces and the students played their parts to the limit.

The first play staged was "The Garroters." Mr. Roberts while on the common thinks that a man, who brushed against him, took his watch. He chases the man and takes a watch away from him. Mr. Bemis appears at the Roberts' home and tells of being robbed and beaten. Mr. Roberts, on going to his room, finds his watch on his dressing table and makes the discovery that he has in his possession Mr. Bemis' watch which he took from Mr. Bemis upon his taking him for the man whom he thought had stolen his timepiece. The remainder of the story is given to straightening out this complicated condition. Lee McCullough played the part of Mr. Roberts and Marion Barker that of his friend, Mr. Campbell. Clare Koogler appeared to advantage in the part of Mr. Bemis, who is much enraged over being robbed and beaten. Rosalie P. Powers was seen in the part of Mrs. Roberts. Leroy Brown was seen as Bemis' son, Chesley Thomson as Dr. Lawson, Miss Merle Schlett as Mrs. Crashaw, Frances Murphy as Mrs. Bemis, Jr., and Sarah Tooker, as Bella, the maid.

In "The Mouse Trap" Mr. Campbell, to prove a statement made in a speech against woman suffrage that women are physical cowards, tells Mrs. Somers, with whom he is in love, that there is a mouse in the room. Mrs. Somers jumps to the highest chair. Jane, the maid, comes to announce visitors and on learning of the house, takes her post on the top of a table. The visitors on entering likewise take their stand on the top of chairs, tables and even on the piano. Finally all but Mrs. Somers make a run for it. Campbell with his love on the chair, makes her ascend to his views in love and politics, and then confesses that there never was a mouse in the room. However, the idea remains in Mrs. Somers' mind and the scene closes with Mrs. Somers being carried out bodily by the victorious lover. Marion Barker played the part of Mr. Campbell and Miss Mary Hansen appeared as Mrs. Somers. Vivian Hedgcock, Tillie Ehrlich, Margaret Hill and Louise Murphy played the parts of the guests, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Curwen, Mrs. Bemis and Mrs. Roberts. Sarah Tooker portrayed the part of the frightened maid.

"A Likely Story" in which the leading characters are Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, is a round of amusing incidents resulting from sending a letter to the wrong person. Mr. Welling has written a letter to his sweetheart, Miss Greenway, and an answer to an invitation to a dinner to be given by Mrs. Campbell, and sends the letter to the former in the envelope addressed to the latter. The trouble arising from this forms the basis of the story. Marion Barker and Mary Hansen again appeared in the leading parts while Pryor Timmons played the part of Mr. Welling. The part of Miss Greenway is played by Jeannette Ward, and that of Miss Margaret Rice, to whom Mrs. Campbell thinks the love letter belongs, by Miss Emma Tamme. The productions were staged at the direction of Miss May Rosa, teacher of elocution.

During the three productions the Normal orchestra of 11 pieces, under the direction of Miss Marguerite Cluxton played. The school band played before the first farce. Both of these musical organizations which were organized during the past year are a credit to the Normal and added much to the performance last night.

The class plays were attended by a fair-sized audience. Dr. and Mrs. Frank H. H. Roberts were host and hostess to a theater party at which Mrs. W. C. McDonald was the guest of honor.

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# THREE BILLS ARE SIGNED BY THE GOVERNOR

MOST IMPORTANT IS THAT PERMITTING SCHOOL BOARDS TO BORROW MONEY

Santa Fe, N. M., May 30.—Governor McDonald has approved of the following:

House Bill No. 3, by Mullen, for the protection of the bee industry.

House Bill No. 12, by Cooney, authorizing and empowering district courts to adjudicate interests in town sites where the title is vested in the probate or county judge.

House Bill No. 123, by Speaker Baca, to enable school districts to borrow money for the purpose of erecting and furnishing school buildings and purchasing school grounds. The act especially serves to validate a bond issue of \$35,000 made by the school district of Roswell.

Senate  
There were 31 bills on the senate calendar yesterday afternoon, the largest number that has been thus far on any day's program. Among the 21 were the four road bills.

Chaplain McCullough caused ears to prick up when he referred in his invocation "to the backbone of Governor McDonald," in a thinly veiled reference to Governor McDonald's anti-prize fight message.

New Bills  
The following were introduced:

Senate Bill No. 186, by Mabry, an act to provide for the disposition of certain insurance monies.

Senate Bill No. 187, by Hart, to provide for industrial education in the state schools and for the appointment of a state director of industrial education.

Senate Bill No. 188, by Hfeld, to provide for the terms of office of the members of the state board of education excepting the governor and superintendent of public instruction.

Reports of Standing Committees  
The committee on finance reported a substitute for Senate Bill No. 145, in reference to occupation taxes in incorporated municipalities.

The committee on railroads reported favorably House Bill No. 24, in reference to suits by non-residents against railroads.

The committee on highways reported favorably House Joint Memorial No. 3, to Congress, in favor of the construction of a highway across the Pecos national forest.

The committee asked that House Bill No. 238 be re-referred to the committee on judiciary. This was done.

The committee on judiciary reported on the following measures; Senate Bill No. 26, recalled from the house, that it be returned to the house with

out further amendments; House Substitute for House Bill No. 75, an exemption tax law, be not passed; House Joint Memorial No. 7, by Vargas, relative to the Pueblo Indians, be passed; House Bill No. 263, be passed as amended.

The committee on printing reported favorably the House Joint Resolution for the printing of 100 copies of legislative pocket manuals in Spanish.

Bills on Third Reading  
Action on the Holt good roads bills was on motion of Holt postponed to the next legislative session.

House Bill No. 110, by Young, providing for the capping of abandoned oil and gas wells, was slightly amended and passed 24 to 0.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 15, providing for a commission of three senators, three representatives, Governor McDonald and Secretary of State Lucero to select a great seal for the state of New Mexico, was passed 24 to 0.

Senate Bill No. 95, by Burns, to amend Section 4164 of Compiled Laws of 1897, providing for the printing of assessment rolls, was passed 24 to 0.

Senate Bill No. 84, by Sulzer, to amend Chapter 40 of Laws of 1907, and Section 4137 of the Compiled Laws of 1897, permitting the sale of native wines without license on premises where made, including distilleries and breweries, was taken up. Barth moved to strike out the word "brandy." Sulzer defended the act as in the interests of the New Mexico winegrowers. Barth said in San Juan county there is a distillery in defiance of the sentiment of the majority of the people and that he thought it ought to be put out of business. Sulzer accepted the amendment.

House  
Speaker R. L. Baca presided when the house convened. The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

Chairman Llewellyn of the steering and judiciary committees reported favorably the following House Bills: No. 159, 223, 210, 258, 264, 253, 47 and 252, and Senate Substitute for House Bill No. 2.

New Bills  
The following bills were introduced:

House Bill No. 268, by Speaker Baca, an act giving the United States government the right to conduct fish hatcheries.

House Bill No. 270, by Llewellyn, providing for the co-operation of the state with United States experiment stations in irrigation investigations.

House Bill No. 271, by M. C. de Baca, providing for the supervision of irrigation construction and for the appointment of construction engineers.

House Bill No. 272, by Manzanares, to amend Section 22, Chapter 22 of the Thirty-third legislative assembly.

House Bill No. 273, by Llewellyn for the steering committee, an act to regulate the business of abstracting.

House Bill No. 274, by Sanchez, an act to provide for the payment of a license by sewing machine peddlers.

House Bill No. 276, by Rogers, to give landlords liens against tenants for money advanced.

House Joint Resolution No. 26, by Speaker Baca, providing for construction of dykes, etc., against floods.

House Joint Resolution No. 31, by Carter and Smith, providing for the submission of a constitutional amendment providing for the initiative and referendum.

House Bill No. 277, Evans, to amend section 25, chapter 57, laws of 1907, relative to preparation of the record for appeal to the supreme court.

House Bill No. 278, by Speaker Baca, a general appropriation bill.

A meeting of the special committee to consider the artisan well bills was called for 3 p. m.

Representative Clancy contributed to the house humor by introducing a resolution, under suspension of the rules, as follows:

Whereas, our esteemed fellow member, the Honorable M. P. Manzanares has gone to Las Vegas (so he said) for the purpose of making an investment in the real estate market, but

Whereas, rumor is persistent that he has really gone for the purpose of scanning the matrimonial market and of paying court at the shrine of Dan Cupid; therefore,

Be it resolved, That this house is in entire sympathy with the effort of the gentleman from Guadalupe to obtain more congenial support during the remainder of this term, and

Be it further resolved, That it is the earnest hope of our members that all of his future cupidities may be very small.

On motion of Campbell the resolution was referred to the steering committee.

House Bill No. 256, by Hilton, to appropriate \$1,400 for the permanent improvement of the Rio Grande, was taken up under suspension of the rules. A petition from San Antonio, Socorro county, was read, asking for help to restrain the Rio Grande from flooding that place. Casados opposed the bill, declaring that the assembly seems to have resolved itself into a legislature of appropriations. The money is to be spent to build a levee at San Antonio. The bill passed 35 to 2.

Bills on Final Passage  
House Bill No. 234, by Chrisman, a fence law, was on motion of Mullen, recommitted to Chrisman for an amendment to make the measure satisfactory to the majority.

House Bill No. 236, by Evans, providing for plate glass insurance, and against hail storms, cyclones and lightning, caused much merriment, because the bill in title and text provided for insurance "against plate glass" as well as against cyclones. The bill was reconsidered after it had passed 33 to 2 and was corrected by Burg. Evans seemed to consider this a personal affront and relieved himself vigorously of his feelings. Incidentally, he said that the lower Pecos valley suffers much from wind and hail storms doing much damage to crops and that this bill is designed to insurance against such calamities. The bill finally passed 40 to 2. Catron and Blanchard voting no, and Rogers being excused from voting.

House Bill No. 245, by M. C. de Baca, an act directing county commissioners to keep bridges and approaches thereto in good condition until replaced by a new bridge, was passed without debate by 41 to 0.

House Bill No. 246, by Cordova, providing that county commissioners shall create as many road districts as there are precincts in a county was referred to the steering committee.

House Bill No. 248, by Llewellyn and Moreno, providing for convict labor on the public roads under direction of the governor and the warden of the penitentiary, and allowing good time for faithful work on the road, was passed 38 to 2.

House Bill No. 163, by Sanchez, to establish the Coronado State Industrial school at Wagon Mound, that place to provide a suitable plot of ground, and appropriating \$30,000 was taken up. The two-story high school building at Wagon Mound is designated as the Coronado state industrial school. Sanchez made an eloquent plea for manual training and domestic science. He explained that the land and building given by Wagon Mound are worth \$30,000. M. C. de Baca opposed the bill of the present and declared that New Mexico has too many institutions and not sufficient money to support them. However, he favored as many educational institutions as possible but not at the sacrifice of the tax payers. "If we had the means, I would favor the school. If the other house agrees to all of our appropriations, the state of New Mexico will be bankrupt."

Blanchard said that if New Mexico has any money to spend it should be for education and it seems strange that a house that appropriates money

# LIVED ON RAW EGGS

Mr. Richard's Experience With Different Diets. Peaches and Buttermilk for Three Years.

Cecil, Md.—Mr. George Richards, of this place, during the past 12 years, has probably tried more different diets than the average person would ever use in a lifetime.

What he has to say about his experiments, must therefore be highly interesting to anyone suffering from indigestion or stomach troubles of any kind.

He says: "For more than 12 years, I suffered with stomach troubles, and paid hundreds of dollars for doctor bills and medicines. I was also operated on for piles."

I lived on dried peaches and buttermilk for nearly three years. The only thing that would not give me pain was raw eggs. I was a physical wreck. I could not sleep, and was as near crazy as a man could well be.

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for chairs of ornithology should object to an industrial school.

Burg declared that it will tax the state to its utmost to maintain decently the institutions it now has, some of which have as many professors as they have pupils. He dwelt on the lamentably small attendance of the University of New Mexico, which it costs \$60,000 a year to maintain. He deplored the reluctance of New Mexico parents to send their children to New Mexico educational institutions. Burg told of mission and industrial schools maintained by private philanthropy that are begging for pupils. To equip properly a state industrial school would require \$500,000, but first we must educate the parents to the necessity of giving their children an industrial school education. At the present to create a second or third rate industrial school would be duplicating the work of already existing schools.

Catron said he could not reconcile the statements made by Burg and Burg's action in favor of the normal school at Clovis.

Burg replied that a normal school furnishes a different kind of an education than an industrial school; that no appropriation has been made for Clovis; that the normal school needs no expensive equipment.

Clancy raised a laugh when he said: "What is the use of discussing the Clovis school? The senate has knocked it on the head anyway."

Tully asked Burg whether he knew of any Spanish-American children going to schools.

Mullen said that though an authority on bees, that the economy bee has not stung him at all; that like the Albuquerque state fair an industrial school will be a good investment. He related the small beginnings of the New Mexico military institute and di-

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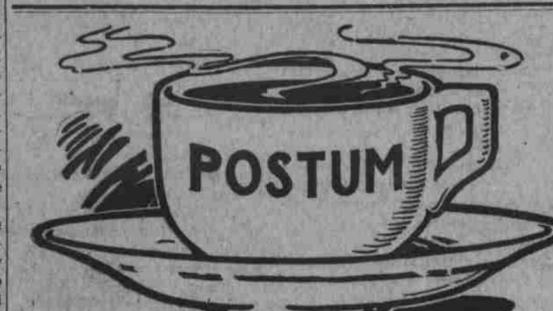
Clancy scouted the report that the house majority organization would not vote for bills introduced by those outside of the breast works. He also as a former teacher, deplored the joyful lack of industrial education in New Mexico.

Smith said that from now on he is opposed to all appropriations except to salaries. He lived in Oklahoma when it was a territory and when it was a state, and the first state legislature made so many appropriations that in some counties the tax rate is almost 20 cents on the dollar. The bill was passed 30 to 12.

The steering committee reported favorably Senate Substitute for Senate Bill No. 41, to teach in the state schools, the effect of alcohol on the human system.

CENTENARY OF NOTED SOLDIER  
Washington, D. C., May 30.—On this, the day universally observed as a day for honoring the memory of the soldiers who fought for the Union, it seems appropriate to call attention to the fact that the day also marks the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Gen. John A. McClernand, one of the distinguished leaders of the federal army. While his historic quarrel with Gen. Grant has cast something of a shadow over Gen. McClernand's fame, no historian has ever ventured to question Gen. McClernand's patriotism as a man or his ability as a soldier.

LATONIA MEETING OPENS  
Cincinnati, May 30.—The annual spring race meeting at Latonia opened today under conditions that promise a successful season. The meeting will last 24 days, with six races on the daily card. The Latonia Derby, the most prominent of the events on the program, will be run one week from Saturday.



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# NEW EXPLOSIVE IS WONDERFUL DOPE

WILL NOT RESPOND TO FIRE AND FRICTION; MORE POWERFUL THAN DYNAMITE.

Chicago, May 29.—A new explosive as harmless as sawdust when exposed to friction or fire but twice as powerful as dynamite was given a thorough test by John E. Ericsson, city engineer of Chicago, and other members of an official committee under the direction of F. M. Marshall, the inventor. Notwithstanding Mr. Marshall's assurance that the nine pounds of amerite was quite as safe for him to carry under his arm as wallpaper, the committee followed him at a safe distance on the way to the testing ground. But he, however, went up and down ladders and over rocks quite unconcernedly and vindicated his judgment later when he opened the package, tossed a long, yellow stick of amerite on a rock and with a revolver proceeded to shoot it full of holes without producing an explosion. Then he spread several pieces of the explosive on a flat rock and ground it as an Indian grinds corn. Still no explosion. But when he put the crumbs into a hole that had been drilled in a limestone ledge, adjusted the fulminating cap and detonated it a hundred tons of rock was crumbled loose which would have required twice as much dynamite to move. Quite unconcernedly Mr. Marshall ignited the end of a stick of amerite in a bonfire and watched it burn with a bright glare notwithstanding the same quantity had just moved a small mountain. Another test was made by exploding black gunpowder in which was buried a stick of amerite and although the powder burned with a great flash the amerite only was smudged. It is believed that this new explosive will prove immensely popular with farmers who have learned the value of sub-soiling with explosives and with orchardists who have found their tree growth doubled by digging the holes with explosive.

### To Control Rivers.

"Annual floods which cost so much in lives and property occur because Uncle Sam does not do his duty in protecting the citizens from the navigable streams, his property," declares David R. Francis of St. Louis, president of the National Drainage Congress, who is thoroughly aroused to the emergency need of positive steps for the control of rampaging rivers. President Francis has called a meeting of the executive committee of the congress in Chicago on June 4 to plan for aggressive work by the congress. In its official publication "Reclamation" he outlines the relation of floods to drainage. "Every man who cherishes a desire for the growth and prosperity of the country," he said, "should do his part in promoting and aiding forthwith the reclamation of the great areas of swamp and overflowed lands in the United States. I have no personal interest whatever in any such lands but it is a crime longer to neglect

them. Annual floods are an ever recurring element of destruction to life and property and it is the duty of the federal government to keep streams within proper bounds. Whether we are conservative or progressive, all should feel that humanity is our first consideration, and only he who is willing to sacrifice personal interests for the perpetuity of our institutions is worthy of American citizenship. The magnitude of this undertaking should not appall us when we realize that it means reclaiming an empire, that if successfully prospected it will result in providing happy homes, lucrative employment and an independent living for the tens of thousands of families who otherwise might be compelled to eke out livelihood or dependence and want and become wards of the state and enemies of society.

### The Cuban Trade Threatened.

That the wheat and livestock growers of the country as well as those interested in manufacturing the products of these industries would be seriously affected to the extent of many millions of dollars a year by the adoption of the free sugar bill now under consideration by congress is the information conveyed to those who have made inquiry of the state department as to the effect of the adoption of this measure upon the reciprocity convention with Cuba. The opinion given by the officials of the department is that the enactment of the proposed measure would put an end at once to the reciprocity treaty by abolishing the preferential treatment which Cuba now receives on her sugar exports to the United States which now amount to \$100,000,000 annually and constitute five-sixths of all Cuban exports to this country. The application of this action to the farmers and manufacturers of the United States is found in the fact that under the reciprocity act many lines of American products now practically dominate the Cuban market. The sales of American food-stuffs to Cuba amount roundly to \$17,000,000 a year while iron and steel manufactures, consisting largely of agricultural machinery, constitute nearly \$15,000,000 additional and cotton and leather goods make up \$13,000,000 more. Altogether, it is reported by representatives of the department of state, \$63,000,000 of American products would be adversely affected by the abrogation of the Cuban treaty through the adoption of the free sugar bill. Meanwhile, Canada is already conducting negotiations with a view to extending her flour trade throughout the West Indies and several European nations have urged tentative offers of concessions upon Cuba with a view to securing the advantages at present enjoyed by the United States in this rich market in case this country decides to relinquish its hold upon Cuban trade by the abolition of the duty on sugar.

### Prosecuting Reckless Drivers.

Prosecution for manslaughter has begun in Chicago to check the reckless automobile driving which has caused an appalling increase in deaths and injuries. Criminal prosecution is expected to prove a salutary lesson to the irresponsible chauffeur. A coroner's jury which investigated one case held the chauffeur for trial and reported that an ordinance was needed requiring autos to stop when

street cars take on or let off passengers at corners, Coroner Hoffman has made an investigation of the deaths which have been classed as automobile accidents and in his report declares that "the number of persons killed by autos has steadily increased since 1907 to such an extent that where less than one person was killed for every 100,000 population in the former year, the 1911 record shows that three persons out of every 100,000 people in our country thus met their deaths." Mayor Harrison personally has done some sleuthing and also through the police he has begun a systematic effort, by using the number of the machines, to make employers compel their chauffeurs to obey reasonable speed limits or be "fired." The League for Public Safety has called public attention to Coroner Hoffman's report of the steady increase of fatalities, urging positive action not only in Chicago but all cities of the country in regard to automobile traffic. In his report Coroner Hoffman said: "I desire emphatically to state that in few instances are the automobile accidents due to any structural weakness of the machine itself or to the failure of any of its innumerable parts to do what is expected of it. An automobile only becomes unsafe when it is misused."

### Smoke a Menace to Vegetation.

The smoke which costs merchants and housewives of Chicago millions of dollars annually and which represents many more millions of waste has been found to be a menace to vegetation throughout the city. The sunshine is cut off by smoke falls to such an extent that growth is retarded. According to reports from an international smoke abatement exhibition in London the bad effects on all vegetation are not the least of the losses due to the unconsumed carbon that spouts from chimneys and locomotives and fills the air by the tons (as the estimates show). The loss of sunshine is not the only cause of it, for as reports showed "the smoke cloud shut off 40 per cent of sunshine but this deprivation was rendered worse by the thick deposit of soot upon the leaves of plant life, blocking out their vital energy; the film of dirt, oily in character, choked the breathing pores of plants, tending to suffocate them." Numerous patent fuels were exhibited, and at one stand solid petroleum briquets were shown, manufactured from coal and crude hydrocarbons by the use of which smoke is abolished and economy is practiced it was also stated that the briquets act as a disinfectant, while the caloric value is given as 14,500 British thermal units—equivalent to pure carbon.

### "Faking" Labels.

That the green goods man has turned away from currency issues to labels and trading stamps is largely due to the work of a former Chicago reporter, John E. Wilkie, who for 14 years has been at the head of Uncle Sam's secret service, the nemesis of the counterfeiters. Mr. Wilkie as a reporter specialized on any assignment in which clues were scant to some interesting crime. His faculty proved to be coupled with organizing ability and consequently he has driven counterfeiters of money to other undertakings including the making of bogus trading stamps which are sold by the million in some 600 cities of the United States, and of labels of commodities which advertising had made famous and valuable as an asset. The comparatively little risk involved caused the trading stamp and label counterfeiting to be done on a wholesale scale. Three men now in the county jail in Chicago had 1,500,000 bogus stamps when arrested. The printing plant in New York which later was raided comprised many things, including a warehouse load of labels and trading stamps of the Sperry & Hutchinson Co., the concern which caused the arrests and raid. Investigation is being made of the business of "trading stamps brokers" who are said to add the sale of bogus stamps as they buy up unfilled books, remove the stamps and sell them at a discount that ought in itself to warn purchasers that the stamps are not genuine but are sold on the reputation of the legitimate articles, there being laxity, it is said, in the methods of many merchants. In their new field of operations the counterfeiters have displayed remarkable talent and thousands of patrons, particularly the women, have been made to suffer financially.

### SWEDISH SONG FESTIVAL

Philadelphia, May 30.—Large delegations representing Swedish musical organizations in many cities poured into Philadelphia today for the annual festival of the eastern division of the American Union of Swedish Singers. The festival will last two days. The program provides for two great concerts, in which several thousand singers will take part.

## Hints and Advice on Social Forms

By MME. MERRI

### For Music Pupils.

I want to give a little party to about ten little girls—music pupils. Kindly give me some idea as to how to entertain them; some musical game and contest. Also what shall I serve?

I enjoy your corner so much.—L. G.

I think the description of a musical party given below will assist you, and as the guests will be little people I am sure that nothing could please them more than to have ice cream and cake.

### A MUSICAL PARTY.

This party was given for a class of young students about the age of 12. First they played musical "stage coach" after the same fashion as we all used to play it years ago, only each child was given a musical term and rose when his or her word was mentioned and turned around. The forfeits were redeemed by playing a piece upon the piano.

Then they had a novel spelling match upon the piano. The hostess said the tones would spell words, any one who could tell the tones in letters was to do so, writing down the words upon slips of paper. This was, of course, invaluable as an ear test. The tone combinations were played very slowly and repeated several times. The following were the words spelled: Bag, aba, abed, bad, abbe, neo, add, dad, bed, bead, age, be, aged, beef, beg, ebb, added, fag, fed, fad, deaf, fada, egg, cage, faded dab.

The prizes were candy boxes in the shape of musical instruments. There were ice cream and cookies for refreshments and to make fun the cookies were cut in letters, only the first seven being used, and the children had to tell the signature in sharps or flats of the key represented by the letter each took.

### "What Would You Do?"

I have been having a great trouble with my girl friends. They are nearly all "angry" at me just because they say every young man they get to go with as soon as they meet me they lose them. Now, I don't intend to do this at all. I attend high school and have my own boy friend. But still this girl friend of mine refuses now to even speak to me. I miss her friendship and have told her I would give up this young man to her, because I care more for a girl's friendship than a boy's, but to this she made no reply.

### Question From "Uninformed."

I find your columns very helpful, and will ask you to answer the following: When a lady is visiting should she send cards to her gentlemen friends at her home town, and should she on returning home send cards to the gen-

tlemen with whom she has made acquaintance while gone?

Should a lady assist a gentleman on with his overcoat?

When a boy asks a girl to dance what should she say and what answer should she give him on being asked to attend the theaters?

UNINFORMED.

I presume you mean should post-cards be sent? The post card habit seems to be a fixture, and I see no harm in it, aside from the inconvenience it causes the postmen, only I would not send more than one if away for a very short time. A man is quite capable of putting on his overcoat, unless he is quite elderly or an invalid. After a dance all you have to say is, "That was very pleasant," and if you accept the theater invitation, simply say: "Thank you, I would be very glad to go."

### From "An Orphan."

I have been reading your columns for some time and as it has been so helpful to others I would like to have your advice. If a girl has been going with a certain boy for a year or two, would it be considered silly if she should show her affection for him in his company.

How is my writing? I am nearly fourteen.—An Orphan.

My dear, you are entirely too young to be thinking of the boys, and it would be decidedly improper for you to show affection for any boy at the age of fourteen. I would advise you to play with your dolls for awhile yet.

### Form for Visiting Card.

I am a bride and wish to have cards engraved. Is it just as proper to have

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as MRS. CHARLES ALLEN JONES? I prefer the former.

Would appreciate your advice.—Mrs. C. A. J.

Either form you suggest for the cards is proper; the latter is more used but the former perfectly good form if you prefer it.

### Send Self-Addressed Stamped Envelope.

Will you kindly tell me where I can get book or list of contents.—Pauline.

Names and addresses are not permissible in the department, so please send me a self-addressed envelope and I will gladly send you the desired information.

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## Fashion's Fancies

The short coat of lace has returned at the bidding of fashion. The gilet or ball fringe is used to edge the tunics of voile and muslin dresses. The evening gowns of demitrain length have straight, clinging, not incurving lines, and a pigeon tail back. A few collarless utility coats are being shown, the net being finished off with folds of silk, ratine or plain cloth.

Many of the new skirts are trimmed. Some show the tunic with under petticoat; others have side trimmings, and some have loops and buttons.

The newest note is the use of vivid colors in embroidery. Lace continues to be used on everything in every style and weight and every known design.

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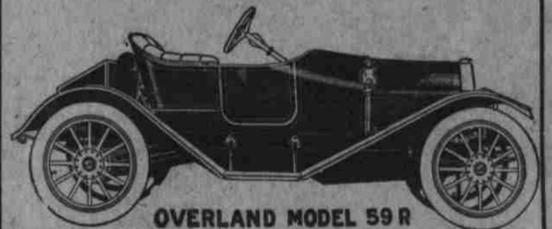
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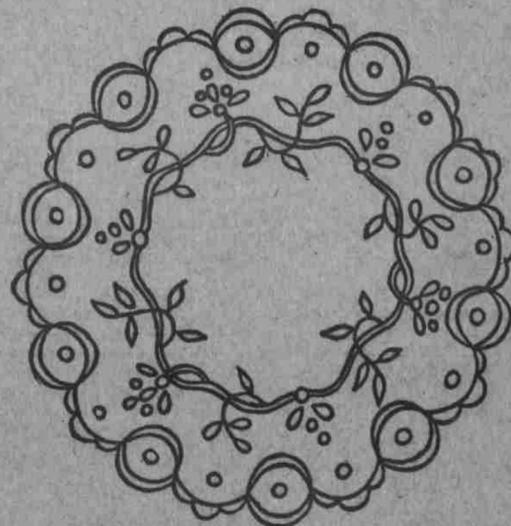
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## THE TITANIC REPORT

The official report of the senate committee which investigated the Titanic disaster verifies the forecasts that had been made of its tenor. That it substantially follows the logic of the evidence adduced may be accepted without question, and that the investigation itself was thorough and impartial is scarcely open to doubt. From the moment it became apparent that the great ship was inadequately equipped to meet just such an emergency as arose there was only one report that could have been consistently made and that was that the British board of trade, charged with the inspection of vessels leaving English ports, had been palpably derelict in the performance of its duties, if not in the fixing of its requirements for the safety of passengers.

Just how great is the responsibility of the United States, as the interested authority at the western terminus of the ocean route, is a question that does not appear to have figured in the probe. It is evident that all vessels should start out properly equipped, but it is also evident that regulations preventing the landing of vessels thus improperly equipped would accomplish the same purpose. The prime responsibility may reasonably be placed upon the initial authority at the English ports, but a measure of responsibility on the part of this country cannot be evaded and its duty is to be assumed hereafter in more rigid regulations framed in the light of the Titanic wreck.

It is very probable that many persons will not agree with the severe criticism passed upon Captain Smith, in view of the fact that while he was unquestionably in command of the vessel yet the presence of his business superior may have had a controlling influence on his conduct. Even after the ship struck, many additional lives might have been saved if the proper precautions had been taken in the matter of equipment, training, etc. The fatal overconfidence shared by all on board was one great cause of the terrible fatality. Believing that the Titanic could not possibly sink, they waited too long to avail themselves of the means of escape. Lifeboats moved off half filled simply because of the reluctance of many to quit the ship. Captain Smith died at the post of duty, and his lips are forever sealed as to how far he was swayed from the prudence of forty years of service by the presence, if not the direct instructions, of Ismay. Ismay lives, and from him incriminating evidence is not to be expected. But the world will not visit the chief blame upon the heroic captain who went to his death like the splendid British seaman that he was even though he fully shared the cruel illusion that his ship was unsinkable.

The world knows the main facts as well as though Captain Smith were alive to testify that he took incredible risks that violated every instinct of a sailor, at either the positive or tacit command of owners of the ship. The latter were desirous of "making a showing." They would not have imperiled the lives of passengers and property worth millions of dollars if they had not been obsessed with the universal overconfidence, but they cannot escape responsibility at least for the criminal neglect to provide proper measures to insure safety.

The severe arraignment of Captain Lord of the Californian may or may not be deserved. As the public followed the evidence, there appeared to be ground for the contention of the Californian's officers that while the ship was close to the Titanic yet the ice floes prevented rescue. However this may be, Chairman Smith speaks from a closer acquaintance with the evidence than the general public possesses, and if his charges are based on the facts of the exposition of Captain Lord appears to be well merited. If this is the case, Captain Lord adds to the deplorable examples of selfishness or cowardice furnished by some of the Titanic's officers and surviving passengers.

## ALCOHOL HAS AN INFLUENCE ON UNBORN

### SCIENTIFIC EXPERIMENTS SHOW THAT DRINK HABIT CAN BE INHERITED.

New York, May 30.—In the lecture hall of the academy of medicine some half hundred members of the profession gathered last evening to discuss alcohol and its effects on the brain, the mentality, the individual and the offspring of alcoholic parents. Dr. Woods Hutchinson said the subject was confused by "an abundant deficiency of fact." He was in doubt as to whether alcoholism is a symptom or a cause, whether drunkards drink because they are defective or whether the chief cause of defectiveness is drink. He believes that the percentage of drunkenness is much smaller than is generally supposed. He has sent queries to 350 medical men asking how many drunkards each of them individually knew, and he was surprised to find that the average was only six.

Dr. Charles R. Stockard described the result of an extensive series of experiments which he had conducted at Cornell. These were with the eggs of fish that had been soaked in alcohol and guinea-pigs and mice which had been kept in a state of intoxication before giving birth to litters. He had found that the eggs of fish, when hatched, had developed monstrosities, some double-headed, others with double brain, some with four eyes and none normal. Eggs of chickens which had been treated in the same way showed many gross deformities when hatched. It was the same with guinea-pig litters. From this he argued that alcoholic intoxication in the human, more particularly in the female, would result in the transmission of inherited defectiveness, epileptics, degenerates and idiots.

In the discussion that followed were expressed many opinions which did not agree with that conclusion.

Dr. Smith Ely Jelliffe read a paper dealing with the mentality of the alcoholic. In this he described the various types, the one whose outbreaks are periodical, and due, the lecturer said, to some fundamental disturbance; the one who invokes alcohol to drown care or sorrow, the "half-baked genius who can't produce and who summons alcohol to his aid," and the one, breaking down through old age, who uses alcohol in an effort to reconstruct his belief in himself.

## ROBBER STRIKES GIRL

Trinidad, Colo., May 30.—Refusing the demand of a masked bandit who entered the lunch room of the Santa Fe station early today that she deliver to him the contents of the cash register, Miss Grace Casey, the young woman in charge of the place, was struck insensible by the robber, who then carried the unconscious girl to an adjoining room, extracted the keys of the register from her pocket, secured the cash contents and escaped. Recovering consciousness a few minutes later the girl gave the alarm. No arrests have been made. The robber secured \$35.

## NORMAL GRADUATION WILL OCCUR TONIGHT

### TWENTY-SIX YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN WILL RECEIVE DIPLOMAS AND CERTIFICATES

The annual commencement of the New Mexico Normal University will be held tonight at 8:30 o'clock in the Normal hall, when the largest class in the history of the institution will receive diplomas. The class oration will be delivered by ex-Governor L. Bradford Prince and Governor William C. McDonald will make a short address to the graduates. Dr. Frank H. H. Roberts, president of the school, will make the presentation of diplomas and confer the degrees.

The announcement of the winners of the debating prizes, the representative of the Normal is the annual New Mexico oratorical contest to be held in Albuquerque next November, winner of the Optic cup, the prize offered by Dr. Roberts for the best essay prepared by a student of the domestic science department, and a number of other trophies offered to the students will be made during the evening.

A beautiful musical program will be rendered in connection with the exercises. The complete program is as follows:

- Music.....Normal University Band
- Voluntary—"Gullenne Tell".....
- .....Sydney Smith
- Mrs. Marguerite Claxton
- Music—"The Glenn" from "La Traviata".....Verdi
- The Glee Club
- Invocation.....Rev. Edgar C. Anderson
- Musical—"The Lonely Rose".....
- .....Hermes-Rhys-Herbert
- Class oration.....
- Ex-Governor L. Bradford Prince
- Address to class.....
- Governor William C. McDonald
- Presentation of Diplomas and Conferment of Degrees, President Frank H. H. Roberts,
- Music—"The Beautiful Blue Danube".....Strauss
- The Glee Club

Announcement of prize winners.  
Music—"Night in Seville".....Glee Club  
Music—"O, Fair Dove, O, Fond Dove".....Schlespiegel  
The Normal Orchestra  
Benediction.....Rev. J. S. Moore  
Mrs. W. C. McDonald, Secretary of State Antonio Lucero, formerly a teacher in the Normal and a member of the board of regents; Hon. Alvan N. White, superintendent of public instruction, and Hon. William G. Hayden, president of the board of education of East Las Vegas will be the guests of honor at the exercises tonight.

The class to receive diplomas, numbers 26, 20 girls and six boys, and has the honor of being the largest graduating class in the history of the school, and as large a class as was ever graduated from any of the state institutions. Those who will receive degrees and diplomas are:

- Frank Carroon, David Marion Barker, Arthur Hobart Comstock, Tillie Emilie Ehrlich, Jennie Vivian Hedg-

## SITUATION GRAVE NEAR CHIHUAHUA

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## INDIAN CEMETERY.

Deming, N. M., May 30.—County Surveyor Edward M. Carter and his corps of assistants, while at their work on the Imbres river, about 40 miles north of Deming, a few days ago, found what is undoubtedly an old Indian burial ground. The party found a group of more than 100 graves. They dug up several graves and in each one of them was found the skeleton of a human being. The graves that were opened were found to be lined with large cobblestones. The bottom of the graves averaged about three feet from the surface of the earth. The bones found were in a position that led the men to believe the Indians must have been about eight feet in height. They were in a sitting posture and had a fire clay bowl over their heads. Both the bowls and bones crumbled to dust shortly after they were exposed to the air. The skulls and jaw bones are more than the average size and the teeth were nearly as large as the teeth of a horse. In the graves were found many finer specimens of turquoise beads. The party returned to Deming, Saturday evening, and brought with them a few specimens of the bones and other articles found in the graves.

The little 3-year-old child of S. W. Almy was missing from home Sunday morning from 6 to 8 o'clock. At first it was thought the child had become lost and a searching party was organized. The child came toddling home about 8 o'clock. He was first seen walking up the Santa Fe track.

Word has reached Deming that Jefferson Short was found dead in a room at Tucson, Ariz., Sunday morning. It is thought he had been dead several hours before he was found. Hemorrhage of the brain was the cause of his death, according to the reports received at Deming. Mr. Short lived at Deming last winter. He was a special officer employed by the Southern Pacific railway.

Sheriff D. B. Stephens made a trip to Hermanos, Sunday morning in order to bring a prisoner to Deming. The man, along with others, had imbibed too freely Saturday while attending a ball. The man that was brought to Deming secured a shotgun and started in pursuit of his enemies.

The summer Normal school for teachers has a very large attendance, which is to be greatly increased in the next few days. The indications are the number of teachers will exceed that of any previous session. The teachers are from all parts of the state and they are delighted with the delightfully cool, balmy weather one of the great assets of Silver City.

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## PAPER HELD UP.

Chihuahua, Mex., May 30.—Because the conservative element in the revolutionary headquarters here believed it would be impossible to restrain the lawless in their attacks on foreigners if a document criticizing the United States were spread broadcast throughout the country, the publication of the paper has been held up.

## BRONSON LOSES BOUT.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 30.—Packey McFarland of Chicago won the popular decision from Ray Bronson of Indianapolis in their 10 round bout here last night. McFarland had the better of eight rounds and Bronson managed to break even in the other two.

With the exception of the third and ninth rounds the fight was all McFarland's. Bronson was at his best in the third and ninth rounds.

The first four rounds were fought in a drizzling rain, which made the canvass slippery and interfered with the footwork of the two fighters. In the first two rounds the fighters felt each other out, with Packey getting in a few jabs to the face and body. In the second Referee Ed W. Smith of Chicago cautioned McFarland for hitting low.

Bronson brought a little blood to McFarland's nose in the third round and broke even on an exchange of punches.

The Chicago fighter had a slight shade in the fourth and then went into the fifth and drove Bronson to the ropes with rights and lefts. Packey's jabs to Bronson's wind in the clinches began to tell and the local boxer was breathing hard when the round ended.

Bronson missed several swings in the sixth and was sent to the ropes again when Packey got in several blows at close range. No serious damage was done in the seventh but McFarland started in the eighth and jabbed Bronson at close quarters almost at will.

The ninth was pretty much of a slugging match in the center of the ring with honors about even. Bronson appeared to be getting stronger but blows to the face and body staggered him in the tenth and he was holding on when the gong sounded.

The fight was at 133 pounds. They fought in the American Association baseball park.

## CALLING FOR NEWMAN

Albuquerque, N. M., May 30.—Albuquerque fans who saw Kid Yoakum, the Dallas lightweight, in action a week ago, are anxious to see the Texas fighter matched with a good man, preferably Louisa Newman, the Denver lightweight, who has a very good record of victories, most of them via the knockout route.

It is possible that before Yoakum is put on with Newman, Director Mark Levy, of the New Mexico Athletic club, will satisfy the desire of "Lefty" Floyd to meet Yoakum. "Lefty" has an idea that he can humble any pugilistic laurels of Yoakum and Levy, always willing to be accommodating, may give him a try at it. It might be said, also, that Yoakum is more than willing to meet the colored boy, even to making 128 pounds, ringside, for him.

The Yoakum-Floyd bout should draw good as a special event, and the Newman-Yoakum bout to follow—if Yoakum ticks "Lefty"—should draw a record crowd and give the fans a real battle. The latter bout would be for 20 rounds, if put on.

## COURT HOUSE DEDICATED

Tulsa, Okla., May 30.—Tulsa county's new court house was dedicated today with interesting exercises in which prominent lawyers and jurists from many parts of Oklahoma took part. The court house cost \$300,000 and is said to be the finest edifice of its kind in the state.

Old papers for sale. Optic office.

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### PERSONALS

J. R. Hill, Jr., came in last night from his home in Watrous. For sign painting see Hermann, 429 Grand, Fountain square.  
C. R. Watts arrived last night from his home in El Paso on business.  
Johnson-Flynn photo postals from life. See Crawford at Schaefer's.  
Harry H. Hoffman of Albuquerque was a visitor in Las Vegas today.  
See the line of novelties for graduation gifts at Murphey's drug store.  
W. H. Shea, of the Denver and Rio Grande road, came in last night from Santa Fe on business.  
The new Jim Flynn wrinkle hats are the noblest for summer. Get one at Talehert's.  
Charles E. Carter of Trinidad came in last night from Colorado on a short business trip to Las Vegas.  
See the new Jim Flynn wrinkles at Talehert's. Guess what they are.  
L. J. Hand of Watrous came in yesterday afternoon from his home and was here today on business.

A big fresh assortment of Liggett's and Huyler's candies just received for commencement week at Murphey's drug store.  
Miss Ida Laird returned this afternoon from a short visit with friends in Cherryvale.

It pays to have your shoes repaired if done at Hedgecock's. Our machine sewed work is equal to hand work and costs less.

J. D. Tinsley, Santa Fe agricultural expert, came in this afternoon from his headquarters in Albuquerque on business.

William Newman, formerly of Las Vegas, came in last night from Trinidad and will be in Las Vegas several days on business.

Dan Kelly came in this afternoon from his home in Trinidad for a visit of several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kelly.

Frank Thompson, who Saturday evening will be married to Miss Marie Schaefer, arrived last night from his home in Urbana, Ohio.

The true fit combination shoe, made by the Stacy Adams company will rest your tired feet. Suitable for dress or office wear, at Hedgecock's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stein and children left this afternoon for Ocean Park, Calif. Mr. Stein is division superintendent of the Harvey house system.

Ex-Governor L. Bradford Prince came in this afternoon from his home in Santa Fe, and will be one of the principal speakers at the Normal commencement tonight.

A useful household souvenir given to every lady calling at our store Friday and Saturday. J. C. Johnson & Son.

Mrs. Carlos Dunn arrived yesterday from her home in Taos to attend the wedding of her sister, Miss Marie Schaefer, and Frank Thompson on Saturday evening.

George McDonald, better known to his friends as "Chicago Mac," left this afternoon on train No. 10 for his home in Chicago. Mr. McDonald will go east by the way of Denver stopping off in Central City for a short visit with Rev. Father B. E. Naughten.

Alvan N. White, superintendent of public instruction, arrived this afternoon from his headquarters in Santa Fe. Mr. White will be guest of honor at the commencement of the New Mexico Normal University this evening. Mrs. White accompanied him to Las Vegas.

W. C. Black, superintendent of the Seventh division of the Postal Telegraph company, and E. W. Collins, general superintendent of the company, who were in Las Vegas relative to installing additional equipment to handle the telegraphic news of the period around July 4, left yesterday for Albuquerque and El Paso.

### MURDER NEAR GALLUP

Gallup, N. M., May 30.—The decapitated body of Louis Barington, a 20-year-old negro, was found in a gulch near here today. The body was considerably decomposed and had been partly devoured by coyotes.

The murder is supposed to have been committed about two months ago as it was early in March when the negro disappeared.

The officers are working on the case and are believed to be gathering some incriminating evidence.

The negro had worked about town and was quite well known. Robbery is believed to have been the motive for the crime.

It is learned that Barington came here from Des Moines, Ia., with a negro companion who has since left the city. Suspicion points to the companion, and possibly others know about the crime.

Read The Optic.

### SANTA FE FALLS BEFORE THE LOCALS

MAROONS HANG IT ON CAPITAL CITY BUNCH BY 10 TO 0 SCORE.

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THE MAROONS' RECORD.  
May 18—Dawson, 6; Maroons, 5.  
May 19—Dawson, 4; Maroons, 20.  
May 26—Santa Fe, 3; Maroons, 7.  
May 29—Santa Fe, 0; Maroons, 10.  
Standing of the Team.  
Won 4; lost 0; percentage 1.000.  
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By a score of 10 to 0 the Maroons yesterday afternoon defeated the Santa Fe Grays at Amusement park. The Grays were considerably weakened, owing to the fact that three of their players had missed the train in Santa Fe and had been left behind, while the vacant places were filled by less competent ball tossers. Mr. Beam, a hungry looking gentleman, was on the mound for the boys from the Capital City. He pitched fair ball, but received poor support. Barr worked for the locals and performed creditably. The same two teams were scheduled to play again this afternoon. Santa Fe was materially strengthened and the Decoration Day crowd went to the park expecting a good game.

The contest yesterday was called at the end of the seventh inning on account of approaching darkness. The contest did not start until after 4 o'clock, as the management waited for Jack Johnson, who was to have officiated as umpire. Johnson was out joy riding with some of his friends and did not show up.

The box score:

Santa Fe	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
P. Berardinelli, 2b.	2	0	0	0	1	2
Closson, 1b.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Frye, rf.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Anderson, 3b.	3	0	1	2	1	2
Stanton, cf.	2	0	1	1	0	2
Griego, ss.	2	0	1	1	0	0
Kock, lf.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Beam, p.	3	0	0	0	6	1
J. Berardinelli, c.	3	0	0	8	1	0
Totals	24	0	4	21	10	6

Maroons	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Clark, lf.	4	3	1	0	0	0
Ellis, rf.	4	3	2	1	0	0
Lyon, cf.	5	1	2	4	0	0
Lockhart, ss.	3	0	0	1	1	0
Owens, 3b.	3	2	1	0	0	0
Buckles, c.	4	0	1	7	1	1
Shirley, 2b.	4	0	0	0	2	0
McIntyre, 1b.	3	1	1	8	0	0
Barr, p.	3	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	32	10	8	21	8	1

Score by Innings: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7  
Santa Fe 0 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Las Vegas 1 0 5 2 0 2 0-10

Summary: Sacrifice hits—Griego, Ellis, Barr. Stolen bases—Clark, Lyon, Ellis, Buckles. Three base hits—McIntyre. Two base hits—Ellis, Lyon, Owens. Struck out—by Beam 6; by Barr 6. Bases on balls—off Beam 4; off Barr 2. Hit by pitcher—Owens. Passed balls—J. Berardinelli, 2. Time of game—2.00. Umpire—Duncan.

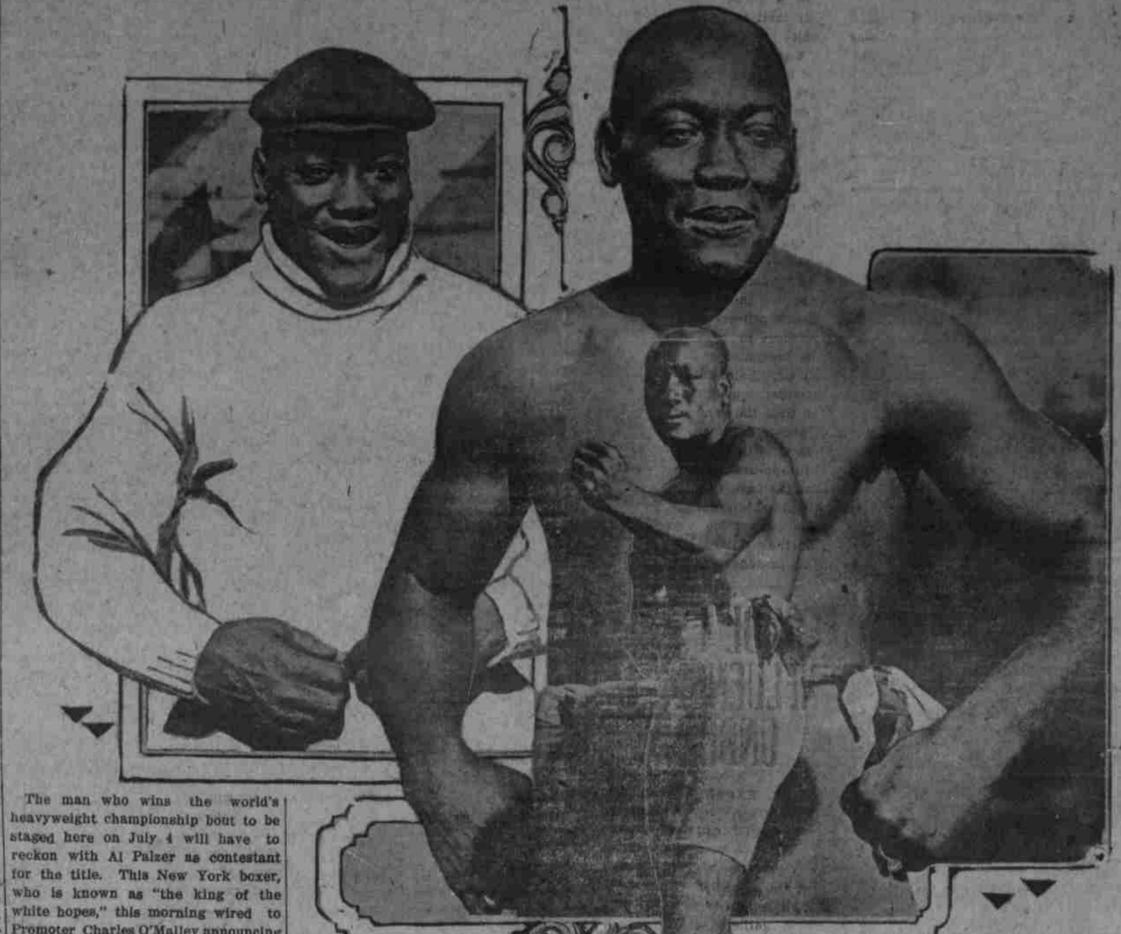
### PREFERS MARRIAGE TO PENITENTIARY

AGUSTIN TRUJILLO'S SENTENCE IS SUSPENDED BY JUDGE D. J. LEAHY

Instead of going to the penitentiary to serve a sentence of from 18 months to two years, Agustin Trujillo today began his honeymoon, having been married early this morning to Adellina Nieto de Garcia, aged 17. Trujillo, whose age is 22, was sentenced a few days ago by Judge David J. Leahy, after charges of seduction preferred by Miss Garcia had been substantiated. Yesterday afternoon Judge Leahy ordered Trujillo summoned into court and told the man if he would marry the girl the sentence would be suspended. Trujillo agreed, Judge Leahy told him he must be a kind and dutiful husband and provide liberally for the support of his wife. Trujillo gave his assent.

Court was in recess today in observance of Decoration Day. Tomorrow a few minor criminal cases are

### AL PALZER WANTS TO MEET THE WINNER OF CHAMPIONSHIP BOUT



The man who wins the world's heavyweight championship bout to be staged here on July 4 will have to reckon with Al Palzer as contestant for the title. This New York boxer, who is known as "the king of the white hopes," this morning wired to Promoter Charles O'Malley announcing his intention of challenging the winner of the Flynn-Johnson battle. His telegram is as follows:  
New York, N. Y., May 30.  
Charles O'Malley,  
Las Vegas, N. M.,

Am doing my own business now. Will be at ringside to challenge winner. Am prepared to post a forfeit of \$20,000 to meet winner on any date after July 4. Answer.

AL PALZER,  
Marlborough Hotel.

Palzer recently broke with Tom O'Rourke, his manager, asserting that while he had been fighting and winning, he had not been receiving remuneration commensurate with the amount of class shown by him in his ring encounters and declaring his intention of looking after the management end of the Palzer company, unaided, himself.

It will be remembered that a short time ago Flynn met Al Kaufman, one of the lustiest of the white hopes, and defeated him. A short time later Palzer encountered the aforesaid Kaufman and whipped him so badly that he has practically retired from the ring. Palzer thinks he is the equal, if not the better, of either Flynn or Johnson and apparently is anxious to mix it up with one or the other at the earliest opportunity. Palzer's getting into the game at this juncture shows that the effects east, which, for a time, regarded the Flynn-Johnson bout as a joke, has begun to sit up and take a lively interest in the encounter of July the-Fourth.

News was received at the Curley of fies last night that three trainloads of fans from Chicago have been arranged for and it is likely that more accommodations will have to be provided for the Windy City followers of Astiana if interest in the bout con-

set for trial, right to a jury having been waived by the defendants. In a short time Sheriff Roman Gallegos will take to the state penitentiary in Santa Fe the prisoners sentenced at the present term. Five men are to go to the penitentiary, other offenders having been sentenced to jail terms.

### DROWNED IN CISTERN

Tularosa, N. M., May 30.—Baby was playing in the yard. Creeping to the rim of the cistern which had been left uncovered, the little one saw another little baby. It was really the reflection of baby in the water, but at one year baby had not learned of reflections. Baby wished to play with the other little baby. When mother went to the cistern to draw a pail of water she saw the baby in the cistern. But it was her own little one who had fallen into the open cistern because it was lonely and wished to play. It was the child of Mr. and Mrs. Asa Clark of La Luz, N. M., and there is sorrow in the Clark home because of the accident.

tinues to grow. John Day, sporting editor of the Chicago InterOcean, "Doc" Krone and Frank Houseman, one time National league baseball star, are responsible for the trains so far scheduled to bring the Chicago sports to Las Vegas.

The ticket sale to local people and persons residing in all parts of New Mexico has been large. The money is coming in fast and the pastebards are going out with great regularity. The prices asked are modest, ranging from \$10 to \$25 and the fans are not slow to take advantage of the bargain.

That Johnson is not slow to avail himself of the prestige of his title is shown by a story being told about town. It is asserted that yesterday a photographer attempted to secure a picture of Johnson as he was seated in an automobile with a number of Las Vegas men.

"Wait till ah gets out o' dis machine," said Johnson. "If de people dat makes this cah is willin' to pay me, ah'll let you take all the pictures you wants. But unless dey comes across with the coin, nix."

There is little excitement going on in the Flynn and Johnson camps. Both men, however, are hard at work, doing stunts on the road. Both are living on the best and most digestible foods and are sleeping ten or 11 hours each night. Tommie Ryan, Flynn's trainer-in-chief, is negotiating

Views of Johnson Doing Training Stunts

for a lease on a cottage down town. He expects Mrs. Ryan, who has been visiting in Chicago, to join him here in a few days.

P. M. Newgard and C. H. Stone, two members of the Nevada state police force, have written Curley asking for positions as guards at the arena. Both men attended the Jeffries-Johnson bout in Reno. They are anxious to see another big exhibition and assure Curley that they can get a furlough if he will give them employment. The men frankly admit the monetary consideration can be arranged easily. All they want is a good excuse to witness the battle.

Lot of "Smokes" Coming.  
A letter was received today from Bob Walkins, a well known and pop-

ular "smoke" of Denver, stating that he will bring 600 Johnson followers from Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo to Las Vegas for the big exhibition of July 4. Requests for seat reservations are coming in by every mail now and unless the Las Vegas fans get busy there is danger of their getting left, or at least having to take the "leavings." Charles O'Malley has charge of the seat sale in Las Vegas and he advises the Meadow City fight followers to make arrangements for the seats as soon as possible.

### KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK.

Kansas City, Mo., May 30.—Cattle—Receipts 1,600, including 600 southern; market steady to weak. Native steers \$6.25@9.25; southern steers \$5.25@8.40; southern cows and heifers \$3.50@6.50; native cows and heifers \$3.25@8.50; stockers and feeders \$2.75@5.75; bulls \$4.50@7.65; calves \$5.50@8.50; western steers \$8.25@8.90; western cows \$4.00@6.50.

Hogs—Receipts 8,000; market weak to 5 cents lower. Bulk of sales \$7.25@7.50; heavy, \$7.45@7.55; packers and butchers \$7.20@7.50; lights \$7.10@7.35 pigs \$5.50@6.75.

Sheep—Receipts 2,000; market slow; muttons \$4.00@6.50; range ewes \$3.90@5.25; Texas goats \$3.00@3.75.

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NEWS FROM THE CAPITAL

Santa Fe, N. M., May 29.—W. E. Garrison, president of the New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts announced today that the college would send two lecturers to each county teachers' institute at government expense to give instruction in agricultural administration and methods and domestic science. This will give the busy house wife, living in the towns in which the institutes will be held, the opportunity of scientific instruction in that which pertains to the better performance of the work of the household and the ranchmen on the farms adjacent to hearing discussions that will be of practical benefit in their business.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction Alvan N. White, has made public the complete list of institute conductors and the places where the institutes will be held. The data follows:

Bernalillo county, at Albuquerque, John V. Clark, conductor, opens June 3, closes June 29.

Chaves county, at Roswell, J. B. Taylor, conductor, opens June 3, closes June 15.

Coffey county, at Raton, T. W. Conway, conductor, opens August 19, closes August 31.

Curry county, at Clovis, C. M. Light, conductor, opens July 7, closes August 3.

Dona Ana county, at Las Cruces, J. H. Wagner, conductor, opens August 19, closes August 31.

Eddy county, at Carlsbad, W. A. Poore, conductor, opens August 5, closes August 31.

Grant county, at Silver City, W. H. McFarland, conductor, opens July 3, closes July 20.

Guadalupe county, at Santa Rosa, Joseph S. Hofer, conductor, opens July 3, closes August 3.

Lincoln county, at Carrizozo, J. B. Taylor, conductor, opens June 17, closes June 29.

Luna county, at Deming, J. B. Taylor, conductor, opens August 19, closes August 31.

McKinley county, at Gallup, R. W. Twining, conductor, opens August 19, closes August 31.

Mora county, at Mora, Rufus Mead, conductor, opens June 3, closes June 29.

Otero county, at Cloudcroft, Frank Carroon, conductor, opens August 19, closes August 31.

Quay county, at Tucuman, Joseph S. Hofer, conductor, opens August 5, closes August 17.

Rio Arriba county, at Velarde, George J. Martin, conductor, opens June 3, closes June 29.

Rio Arriba county, at Tierra Amarilla, George J. Martin, conductor, opens July 3, closes August 3.

Roosevelt county, at Portales, Frank Carroon, conductor, date to be fixed.

San Juan county, at Aztec, J. H. Wagner, conductor, opens June 3, closes June 13.

San Miguel county, at Las Vegas, Leona Logue, conductor, opens August 5, closes August 31.

Santa Fe county, at Santa Fe, Mrs. Nora Brumback, conductor, opens June 3, closes June 29.

Sierra county, waived.

Socorro county, at Socorro, E. C. Galbraith, conductor, opens June 3, closes June 29.

Taos county, at Taos, Mrs. George Dixon, conductor, opens July 3, closes August 3.

Torrance county, at Mountainair, T. W. Conway, conductor, opens July 22, closes August 3.

Union county, at Clayton, W. F. Osborne, conductor, opens July 3, closes July 20.

Valencia county, at Belen, Mary E. Haskett, conductor, opens July 3, closes June 29.

Elks at Pecos Forest. Roaming the countryside near Trout Springs, 12 miles above Las Vegas, damaging growing crops are four full grown, two yearlings and probably three calves, members of a herd of elk that were imported from Colorado last year by State Game Warden Thomas P. Gable. So far the failure to round up the animals has been uniform. Now comes a gentleman and veterinary surgeon, G. M. Jones, and proposes to rope the elk, crate them and ship them to Santa Fe. A contract has been signed by the principals and the work will begin at once. Game Warden Gable accepted the cowman's offer because of the complaints from the farmers of Trout Springs. If caught the Elk will be slain set at liberty on the Pecos national forest reserve where they at their present rate of increase will soon offer good sport to the hunter in season.

Old papers for sale. Optic office.

The Irregular Member

By Annie Blarichan

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"He still, I wish to hear what Mr. Ralston is saying," Mary Collins shook her head impatiently at the men with her. "Nobody listens to Ralston," snuffed the representative of a metropolitan paper. "I do," she retorted. "He talks well."

"He is an irregular," commented a member of the assembly, "a man who votes according to his own convictions. Instead of obeying his party's mandates. He refuses to obey the dictates of the party leaders. He will not make alliances with the other party. No party or faction can claim him. He votes as he chooses, regardless of party lines, and introduces all sorts of impossible but highly meritorious bills. Because he will not stand by either party, neither party will stand by him. He is making a speech now in favor of one of his bills, but nobody is listening to him."

Mary Collins walked away from the group of legislators and newspaper men to a place near the irregular member.

Accustomed from childhood to the unwritten laws of legislative procedure, trained to detect and understand every condition and change in the mental atmosphere of the assembly, she knew that Ralston was speaking to men whose ears were deaf to the words of an irregular party man. The members were reading, writing or talking about. The presiding officer sat in his chair yawning ostentatiously. The pages clattered noisily around the speaking member.

Several times Ralston's eyes met Mary's. When he sat down, rewarded by the indifferent silence of his fellow members, he turned toward her. She smiled and nodded with emphatic approval in the shake of her pretty head. There was a flash of surprised pleasure and gratitude in his eyes.

When the house adjourned she was standing near the entrance of representatives' hall. "Your speech this morning was a good one," she said.

When he smiled the firm-lipped, austere legislator became a boyish young man. "You are the only person who thought so," he said, whimsically. "The members won't listen to me and since I never accomplish anything you newspaper people pay no attention to me."

"Is it impossible for you to act in harmony with your party?"

"I despise the sort of legislation my party is advocating, and I won't work with them. I don't enjoy being a Pariah—an irregular is a Pariah—and I'm awfully lonesome. But I'll stick to my ideals."

"Ideals are sometimes cold companions," said the girl bitterly. They had left the state house and were walking toward the hotel. "They are," the man agreed. "But when we give them up we sacrifice the best of ourselves; we give up all that raises us above the common sordidness of life."

He pushed open the hotel door for her. In the lobby stood Grant Warren, a leader of the house and a member of the party to which Ralston belonged. He came toward them, nodded to Ralston and spoke impatiently to Mary.

"I've been waiting ages for you. Let's go in to lunch."

"What do you see in that man to like?" Warren asked when they were in the dining room.

"His ideals, I think," she answered absently.

"The irregular was at a table not far from them. "The man has a lot of crazy notions. The political whirl is no place for him. He will soon have a chance to redeem himself with his party. The franchise bill which was introduced a few weeks ago will soon be voted on. It is a party measure and we can pass it by a majority of one if all the members of our party vote for it. But Ralston will probably refuse to support it. The loss of his vote will defeat the measure. If he stands by his party we shall forgive him his past misdemeanors. If he forsakes us we shall throw him out of the party and out of the house."

"Shall you vote against the franchise bill?" Mary asked Ralston several days later.

"I have announced my intention of doing so. I can see nothing but harm in it."

"You understand, do you not, that your refusal to vote with your party on this measure will cost you a great price?"

"It will probably cost me my seat in the house. I was elected by so small a majority that my opponent is contesting my seat. Election contests are decided by a committee of the house. The committee is ruled by men who favor the franchise bill. I have been told that my opponent, who ran on the independent ticket, has promised his vote to the men who will unseat me and give him my place. If I persist in my determination to oppose the bill I shall probably be unseated to make room for a man whose vote will pass the bill."

"Yet you persist in your determination?"

"Of course," he answered, as if he regarded the question as superfluous. "I can't vote for a bill I think is wrong. I shall leave the capital. I shall probably never see

you again. I love you very dearly," he went on in a matter of fact tone. "But you are engaged to Grant Warren. If you were free I'd do my best to win you."

The next morning shortly after the assembly convened Grant Warren rose and asked for recognition.

"Mr. Speaker," he said, "as chairman of the committee on election contests I desire to report to the house our decision in the case of Jones versus Ralston. After a careful consideration of the evidence presented we have pronounced the election of Mr. Ralston an illegal one, and declare that Mr. Jones is the lawful member from Pike county."

"Mr. Ralston," announced the speaker, "having been declared illegally elected, is hereby requested to leave his seat in the house."

There was silence as the sturdy, erect figure passed down the aisle. As he reached the door Mary Collins joined him and walked with him into the rotunda. She drew him into the empty state library.

"It is over," he said briefly. "I am a political outcast, a legislative misfit. I am one of those men whose misfortune it is to look on subjects differently from their fellows. And I have to stand by my convictions."

"You are not a failure. You are a glorious success. For the sake of your ideals you endured this humiliation. Ideals are the only things worth clinging to. Do you still love me and want to marry me? If you do I'll marry you now—whenever you wish."

"What are you talking about, Mary?"

"When I first knew you I was engaged to Grant Warren. I did not love him. But the life of a self-supporting woman is sometimes very hard. Mine has been cruelly hard. He has wealth and position. I intended to marry him for the material advantages he could give me. I had had ideals of marriage for true love, but I had put them aside. When I knew you I began to care for you as I had never cared for any other man. But Grant was a success and very rich. So I tried to smother the ideals and marry him. But I can't do it. I realized today when you walked from the house that I honored and loved you and the nobility you represent beyond anything else in the world. I want the man I love and I want to live up to my old ideals of love and marriage. But perhaps you don't want a woman who has been so mercenary. I don't care what you are politically and I don't care how poor you are."

"But I'm not poor," he said, staring at her in joyous bewilderment. "I'm only a poor politician. I am sound in business sense. I have a great deal of money, more than you can spend. Do you really love me, sweetheart? It isn't just pity for a political outcast?"

"An outcast?" she said, scornfully. "I call him a hero."

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A child should say "Yes, father," "No, Mrs. Blank," or "Thank you, Miss So-and-So;" never "No, sir," "Yes, ma'am" or merely "Yes," "No," or "Thank you." The latter forms of speech are used by servants only.

A child should always wait to be spoken to by an older person. He or she should never interrupt in a conversation.

A boy can hardly learn too early that he should stand when a woman or young girl enters the room or comes to the dining table after he is seated. All children, both boys and girls, should be taught to stand whenever they are spoken to by older persons.

No child should remain seated when older persons are standing in the group of which they are members.

To lose one's temper with a child is one of the greatest mistakes a parent can make. In a child's mind to be "mad" is naughty, therefore when "Mother" or "Father" is angry or irritable the child notices it and feels that if his or her parents can do this, why should they scold the child for the very same fault? Example means everything to a child. Therefore, if you want your child not only to be good and clever, but to have good manners and to talk well, remember your parents set the example in all.

More Mirror Superstitions. It is not only in Greece that mirror superstitions survive. English folk still adhere to the belief that to break a mirror is to insure seven years of ill luck; in Scotland the same calamity is regarded as a portent of a death.

In the southwestern counties it is considered unlucky for a bride to look in a mirror on her wedding day—but the superstition must be strong indeed to prevent a woman taking "one last look" at herself in the glass on that most important occasion. Some folk, too, cover over all mirrors in the presence of death, and believe that anyone looking in a glass in a house where a dead man lies will see the dead person looking over the shoulder.

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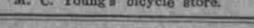
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Jas. G. Dahlmann, serving his third term as mayor, Omaha, Neb., again was successful in receiving the overwhelming support of the voters in the primary election. He also successfully rid himself of a bad case of kidney trouble by the aid of Foley Kidney Pills, and writes: "I have taken Foley Kidney Pills and they have given me a great deal of relief, so I cheerfully recommend them." What Foley Kidney Pills have done for Mayor Dahlmann they will do for any other person bothered with backache, rheumatism, or any other form of kidney or bladder trouble. Just try them for quick and permanent results.—O. G. Shaefer, Red Cross Drug Co.

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Washington, May 30.—How the "strangers within our gates" are directed to opportunities for homes and employment is outlined in a statement by the division of information of the bureau of immigration and naturalization, department of commerce and labor. Under the law it is the duty of that division to promote a beneficial distribution of admitted aliens and other residents among the several states and territories desiring immigration.

The division issues five different forms of application blanks, Form A, for making application for laborers or men of other occupations except farm work; Form B, for farmers who desire owners who wish to rent or sell land; Form D, for making application for domestics. The fifth blank is used by applicants for work who are too far from the division or its branch office to call in person.

The activities of the division are directed principally to furnishing information as to where employment may be secured as farm laborer and common laborer and as to opportunities for settling upon land. The demand for domestics is constant, but very few single girls apply for information concerning employment.

A farmer in Michigan, say, writes to the division of information that he needs a farm hand. The division sends him Form B, with a note instructing him to fill out, sign and return the same. He gives his name



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On the return of this card duplicates are made, one of which is retained in the division and the other forwarded to the information branch of the immigration service at No. 17

Pearl street, New York City. In addition a bulletin containing its data is prepared and copies are transmitted to the New York branch for the scrutiny of applicants in search of work. The inspector in charge there communicates with the farmer. Interpreters explain to applicants who cannot speak English the terms of applications. Each applicant is required to register his qualifications on a card.

When a man meeting the requirements of the farmer signifies willingness to accept, a representative of the branch purchases his ticket, accompanies him to the station and sees that he gets the right train. He is furnished with an identification slip and the employer is notified that the man is on the way. A man will not be forwarded on advanced transportation unless it is thought that his baggage is of such value as to cause him to proceed to destination and not abandon it for the sake of the railroad trip. Not more than four or five a year fail to reach destinations after having had their transportation advanced.

A representative of the New York state department of agriculture frequently calls at the New York branch and secures men to work for the farmers of that state who have applied for help.

#### WESTERN TRACK MEET

Lafayette, Ind., May 30.—Delegations of stellar athletes from far and near trooped into town today in readiness to compete for honors in the annual track and field meet of the Western Conference Athletic association. The meet takes place here under the auspices of the Purdue University athletic association. The preliminary events will be pulled off tomorrow and the survivors will contest in the finals Saturday. Practically every big school in the middle west will be represented, including the Universities of Chicago, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Indiana, Iowa, Illinois, Purdue and Northwestern.

#### PLAYS AND PLAYERS

A play to be produced early next season is called "The New Six." Gabriel d'Annunzio and Mascagni are collaborating on a tragic opera. Billie Burke will have the principal part in Pinero's new comedy, "Mind the Paint Girl."

Winchell Smith has written a new comedy for Julian Eltinge to be used by him next season.

When "Passerby" is sent on tour again Charles Cherry will probably be at the head of the company.

Fred Nible and his talented wife, Josephine Cohan, are about to make a tour of Australia, to last a year.

Digby Bell is playing a vaudeville sketch by George V. Hobart, entitled "It Happened in Topeka" this season.

Charles Frohman has acquired the rights to a Parisian comedy, entitled "The Heart Decides," which he will produce next season.

Charles Frohman next season will present in this country a noted Swedish actress, named Martha Hedman. She has never been in America.

Jules Eckert Goodman has a new play called "Sisters of Fear," which is to be produced by W. A. Brady some time during the coming season.

H. Cooper Cliffe, who made one of the hits of "Everywoman" in the role of Nobody, intends to spend his vacation in his native country, England.

It is reported that Sam Bernard has given up his contemplated trip to London owing to the objection of his mother to his taking a sea voyage.

The Shuberts next season will present in New York Michael Faraday's recent London success, "The Night Birds." The English company will be brought over.

It is announced that "The Pirates of Penzance" will be revived by the Shuberts and William A. Brady this

spring. The production will follow that of "Patience."

Anna Fitzhugh, who retired from the stage on her marriage, is reported to be singing in grand opera in Florence, Italy, where she made her debut as Elsa in "Lohengrin."

A play by Hartley Manner, called "The Money Moon" is to be given a trial by a stock company in Los Angeles, with Laurette Taylor and Richard Bennett in the leading roles.

"General John Regan" is the name of a new play which George C. Tyler, managing director of the Liebier company has just bought in London. It is said to be a delightful satire on life in rural Ireland.

Among the new plays which Cohan & Harris intend to produce this year are "Broadway Jones" a comedy by Mr. Cohan; "The Other Man," a drama by E. W. Presbrey; "Queed," with Brandon Tynan in the title role; "Room 44," a farce by Frances Nordstrom; "The Seven Little Widows" by Rida Johnson Youngs; "The Kleptomaniac," a farce by Carlyle Moore; "The Polish Wedding," a musical farce from the German and "The Romantic Wife," adapted by Clare Kummer.

#### NOTABLE ART SALE

Paris, May 30.—The long-awaited sale of the Marquise Landolfo Carcano's collection of old and modern masters was begun today in the Galleries Georges Petit. The sale is regarded in art circles as the most important that has taken place in Paris in many years, the works comprising oil paintings, water colors, drawings, and sculpture, all picked examples of acknowledged masters. Of 34 old masters the gems of the collection are Rembrandt's portrait, presumably of his sister, painted about 1633; Ruben's "Christ Mourned by the Holy Women," and Veronese's portrait of "Beautiful Nani." The sculpture section includes two Rodins, "The Head of John the Baptist after Execution" in marble and "A Study of Man" in bronze.

#### CELEBRATION OF FIRST MASS

New York, May 30.—The Sabbath-like quiet that pervades the financial district on a holiday was interrupted this afternoon, when a large crowd of Catholic clergy and laity gathered about the United States Custom House in Bowling Green, for the unveiling of a tablet to mark the spot where the first mass was celebrated by a Catholic priest on Manhattan Island. Where the magnificent new custom house now stands there stood in the early days Fort James, within the precincts of which the sacrifice of the mass was first offered up in 1763 by Rev. Thomas Garvey, a Jesuit priest who was chaplain to Governor Thomas Dongan. The tablet commemorating the event was erected by the Order of the Alhambra, which has for one of its primary objects the marking of places notable in the Catholic history of the United States.

Henry Ferris, Hadar, Nebr., is the father of ten children and for the past 25 years has used Foley's Honey and Tar Compound with the best of results. He tells us: "I think Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is the best cough medicine in the world for I have used it for the past 25 years and can recommend it to anyone needing a cough remedy."—O. G. Shafer, Red Cross Drug Co.

Lame back is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles of the back, for which you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. For sale by all dealers.

#### TAX PAYMENTS

Notice is hereby given that unpaid taxes of A. D. 1911, will be delinquent on June 1, 1912, and after July 1, 1912, will be subject to 5 per cent penalty. The list of delinquent taxes will be made and published after July 1, 1912, penalties and costs will be added, judgments recovered and property on which taxes remain unpaid, will be sold.

Dated at Las Vegas, N. M., May 29, 1912.

EUGENIO ROMERO, Treasurer, San Miguel County, N. M.

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**EMPRESS**, you know, is that "Mighty-Good" **GERMAN-MILLED Flour** that makes Baking a Delight.

FOR SALE BY ALL GROCERS Try a Sack You'll Like it.

THIS Store will be closed at 12 O'clock Thursday May 30th.

**THE GRAAF & HAYWARD CO. STORE**

## LOCAL NEWS

Try a dram of Old Taylor bourbon at the Opera Bar.

See the attractive commencement books at Murphey's drug store.

A fancy box of initial stationery makes an ideal gift for the young lady graduate. A big line at Murphey's drug store.

For Sale—All household furniture, rugs, etc. Piano \$100. Apply 1016 Fifth street at once.

A fountain pen makes a useful graduation gift for the young man graduate. A good assortment at Murphey's drug store.

A useful household souvenir given to every lady calling at our store Friday and Saturday. J. C. Johnson & Son.

Work on the concentrator at El Porvenir mine is progressing rapidly under the direction of Mr. Kelly, a mining engineer of Denver. The plant will have a capacity of 50 tons a day and will handle the output of the mine. M. Romero, head of the mining company, says that the ore being mined is rich in copper and other minerals.

The body of B. E. Logsdon, who died Monday night at his home in Albuquerque, passed through Las Vegas last night en route to Soranto, Ill., his former home where burial will occur. Mr. Logsdon was in the employ of Erickson and Sabin of this city as a salesman and was well known here, having been located in Las Vegas. Mr. Logsdon was 33 years of age. He had been a resident of Albuquerque for six months. He is survived by a wife and two children. Mr. Logsdon was a prominent member of the Modern Woodmen of America.

The management of the Las Vegas Maroons announced this morning that games with Albuquerque, to be played here Saturday and Sunday have been booked. The recently organized Duke City team is said to be a fast aggregation and two of the hottest contests of the early season are expected. It is probable that the Maroons will play return games the latter part of next week. The rivalry between Albuquerque and the Meadow City last season was keen and games between the Grays and the Maroons were always good drawing cards in both cities. The same conditions probably will exist this year.

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Record books, graduation cards, dainty gift books, initial stationery, fountain pens, Huyler's candy, Liggett's candy, all make nice gifts. Best assortment in the city at Murphey's drug store.

### "HARVEYS" IS OPEN

Thirtieth season, Mr. Harvey in charge. Auto to carriage house, Wednesday and Saturday at 8 a. m., returning same day. For passage phone Main 385 or leave order at Murphey's, Cutler Brothers or Plaza Hotel.

John Rudolph this morning reported a saddle stolen from the barn in the rear of the Rudolph home on north Eighth street. The robbery occurred last night. The saddle was a Frazier and was valued at \$65. The thief made his entrance to the barn through the door opening into the corral, the door having been left unlocked last night.

A street car in charge of Motorman Schmidt collided with Dr. M. F. Des Marais' touring car at noon today. The auto was not damaged but the fender of the street car was bent and one of the windows on the front platform was broken. Schmidt says that Dr. Des Marais stopped his car in the middle of the track while Schmidt was unable to bring the street car to a stop in time to avert a collision.

George H. Kinkel, local agent of the New York Life Insurance company, returned yesterday from Denver where he had been to attend a convention of the company agents. While in Denver Mr. Kinkel saw A. O. Wheeler, formerly of this city, and is telling a good story on the former proprietor of the Las Vegas Steam Laundry. According to Mr. Kinkel Mr. Wheeler had an exciting encounter with a bear last Sunday night. Mr. Wheeler was returning to his home, which is near City Park, and literally bumped up against a big grizzly which had escaped from the park. Mr. Bear trod the frightened man, but, fortunately for Mr. Wheeler, the bear had recently been visited by a manicurist and his claws would not catch in the bark of the tree and so he was unable to shin up after the ex-laundryman. According to Mr. Kinkel's story the bear kept his prey in his perch in the tree over an hour, finally returning to the zoo and allowing the scared victim to continue home. According to Mr. Kinkel this is the true version of the encounter, though he says Mr. Wheeler declares he had the bear on the run, which Mr. Kinkel believes is possible as the first tree was a good 100 yards from the scene of the meeting.

### PENSION BILL PASSED

Washington, May 30.—The senate today passed the pension appropriation bill, already passed by the house. It carries \$164,500,000, an increase of \$12,500,000 over the amount appropriated by the house. The increase was to meet the expenses growing out of the heavy volume of claims under the Sherwood so-called dollars-a-day pension law.

Big Decoration Day dance tonight at the Armory.

Finch's Golden Wedding Mrs. aged in the wood. Direct from distillery to you. At the Lobby, of course.

Nothing nicer for the girl graduate than a box of fine stationery. Murphey's drug store has a splendid line.

Hello! Where are you going? To the White Kitchen to get a good 25c meal. Home cooking. Open day and night.

Send her a box of Liggett's chocolates for her graduation gift. It's the purest and best candy made. Fresh at Murphey's drug store.

The Spanish-American Alliance will give a dance this evening in Mackel's hall. Admission free; 5c a dance. Rights of admission reserved.

A big line of commencement and gift books for graduation presents at Murphey's drug store.

### TAFT WILL NOT COMPROMISE

Washington, May 30.—President Taft sent a telegram to Arthur I. Vorys, republican national committeeman for Ohio, declaring that while he does not need that state's six delegates-at-large to secure the presidential nomination, he will not consider a compromise in the Ohio state convention.

### LORIMER CASE MONDAY

Washington, May 30.—The Lorimer election case will be brought up in the senate next Monday, immediately after the routine morning business. Senator Kern, of Indiana for the minority, who holds that corrupt practices were used in bringing about Mr. Lorimer's election, today, made that announcement to the senate.

### REGENTS ORGANIZE

At a special meeting of the board of regents of the New Mexico Normal University called this morning for the purpose of re-organizing, Dr. F. E. Olney was elected president and Millard W. Browne, secretary and treasurer. This is the first meeting since the appointment by Governor W. C. McDonald of John D. W. Veeder, Dr. F. E. Olney and Eugenio Romero of Mora as members of the board. No business except the election of officers was transacted, the regular business meeting being scheduled for tomorrow morning. The board was scheduled to meet this afternoon with Alvan N. White, superintendent of public instruction. Mr. White also will be in attendance at the regular meeting of tomorrow.

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