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NEWS NOTES OF CURRENT WEEK

Resume of World's Important Events Told in Brief.

Dr. James Monroe Taylor, president of Vassar College since 1886, has resigned.

The U. S. senate has stricken out the proposed tax for the use of water-power.

Joaquin Miller, "the poet of the Sierras," died in his cabin in the hills East of Oakland, Cal.

Two thousand American marines have been sent to Cuba, there to await developments in Mexico.

A Nevada prospector was killed by a slide of rock in his mine, which uncovered a rich body of ore.

Italy is having the coldest winter weather in 20 years, Mt. Etna being entirely covered with snow.

The French government is preparing to increase her standing army, owing to the growth of Germany's forces.

Increased demand for fish during Lent has sent the wholesale price of halibut to 94 cents a pound at Seattle.

Miss Emmeline Pankhurst, noted suffragist leader, of London, was arrested and jailed for window-smashing.

Twenty-nine officials of the National Cash Register company were sentenced to jail terms and fines for violations of the Sherman anti-trust law.

The Central Pacific and Southern Pacific roads have applied to the state railroad commission of California for permission to lease certain portions of each other's tracks.

Dr. Frederick A. Cook, Arctic explorer, threatens libel suit against the Pasadena, Cal., News, for stating that his stories of finding the North Pole were not to be relied upon.

A Japanese student at Stanford University, Cal., won the oratorical contest against three American competitors.

The French-American treaty of 1908 has been renewed.

Representative Olmstead vigorously opposes the United States' quitting the Philippines.

It is expected that at least 25,000 soldiers and sailors will be in line in the inaugural parade.

SEATTLE MARKETS

Wheat—Bluestem, 94¢ per bushel; forty-fold, 85¢; club, 85¢; Fife, 85¢; red Russian, 83¢.

Oats—\$27.50 per ton.

Barley—\$24 per ton.

Rye—\$22.50 per ton.

Yellow corn—Sacked, \$29 per ton; mixed corn, sacked, \$28.50 per ton.

Bags—93¢.

Eggs—Select ranch, 24¢ per dozen.

Poultry—Live hens, 14¢@16¢ per pound; old roosters, 10¢; last year's chickens, 16¢@20¢; ducks, 20¢; squabs, \$3 per dozen; guinea fowl, live, \$8@9 per dozen.

Ranch butter—21¢ per pound.

Apples—New, 75¢@1.50 per box.

Cranberries—\$10@12¢ per barrel.

Pears—Fancy Eastern Washington, \$1.50@1.75 per box.

Honey—New, \$3.50@3.75 per case; California, strained, 9¢ per pound.

Dressed Beef—Prime, steers, 13¢ per pound; cows, 12¢; heifers, Nos. 1 and 2, 12¢ per pound.

Dressed Veal—14¢ per pound.

Dressed Pork—12¢ per pound.

Dressed Mutton—Spring lamb, 13¢ per pound.

Oysters—Olympia, \$8.50 per sack, \$3 per gallon, 80¢ per quart; Eastern Standards, \$1.50 per 100; do. open, \$1.85 per 100; do. half shells, \$1.30 per 100.

Clams—\$2.25 per sack; butter, \$1.50 per sack.

Crabs—Extra large, \$2 per dozen; large, \$1.75; medium, \$1; small, 50¢.

Shrimps—Large, 18¢@20¢ per pound; medium, 7¢@10¢.

Scallops—Open, \$3 per gallon.

Vegetables—Almonds, 18¢@19¢ per pound; artichokes, \$1.50@1.75 per dozen; beets, \$1 per sack; bell peppers, 25¢@30¢ per pound; Brussels sprouts, 10¢; cabbage, \$1@1.25 per crate; carrots, 75¢@1 per sack; cauliflower, \$1.75@2 per crate; garlic, 8¢@10¢ per pound; horseradish, 8¢@10¢; lettuce, hothouse, 75¢@1 per box; California, \$2.25 @ 2.50 per case; onions, California, 1¢ per pound; Fanno, \$1.50 per sack; green, 30¢ per dozen; Oregon, \$1.25 per sack; Walla Walla, \$1 per sack; parsley, 30¢ per dozen; potatoes, on track, \$9@12 per ton; sweet, California, \$2.75@3 per 100 pounds; rhubarb, 7¢@12¢ per pound; squash, Hubbard, \$2.50@3 per crate; turnips, new, \$1@1.25 per sack; yellow, \$1.25; walnuts, 17¢@18¢ per pound.

WAR FOOTING FOR SOLDIERY

Major-General Wood Wants Army Always Ready.

Washington, D. C.—Major-General Wood, chief of staff of the army, gave out a statement concerning reasons for the recent army reorganization orders. This statement is the first authoritative announcement from the War department as to the real reasons for the army reorganization. General Wood would not say reorganization of the army had a direct bearing on the Mexican situation.

"Our object is to have a war organization of the army in time of peace," he declared, "so that it will be ready for war when it comes suddenly, as all wars come."

"At the beginning of every war," General Wood continued, "this country has suffered defeat, loss of life, vast expenditures and a useless prolongation of war, with all its attendant miseries, because the country has been utterly unprepared; the army was not organized or prepared when the war began, and the commanders of larger units, such as brigades and divisions, had had no opportunity to handle such before. So far as we can we intend to mitigate the evils of unpreparedness by having a semblance of a real army organized and giving officers and men the practical training and experience they need to fit them for soldiers."

FALSE REPORTS GIVEN OUT

Mexican Government Officials Incite People Against U. S.

Washington, D. C.—Mis-statements by Mexican federal officials concerning the intentions of the United States in the present crisis which so inflamed the populace in the capital recently, are being made throughout the republic with similar effect. Consul Kirk reports to the State department that anti-American feeling ran high in Manzanillo and through the countryside because of unauthorized statements about the intended action of the American government.

Demonstrations against Americans have been made in other Mexican Pacific ports, and it became necessary to hold the cruiser Denver at Acapulco until the arrival of the South Dakota in that port.

Outbursts resulted in some assaults upon American citizens who were peacefully passing through the streets. With the South Dakota at Acapulco and the Colorado at Mazatlan, officials here feel that there will be an abatement of these outbreaks. Reports indicate that quiet prevails at Juarez. While there is considerable feeling against the Mexican government in Chihuahua, the people seem to be restraining themselves.

RESCUERS FORCED TO QUIT

Norwegian Party Unable to Reach Stranded German Scientists.

Christiania, Norway.—The second Norwegian expedition sent to the relief of the German scientists, stranded in a remote part of Spitzbergen, has not succeeded in its undertaking. It left Advent Bay late in January, but was forced to return to Green Harbor, arriving in a pitiable condition.

The expedition reached Bickson Bay, when a hurricane stopped all progress. Seven dogs died and several of the members of the rescuing party were frost-bitten. Two sledges were destroyed, and for that reason and the loss of the dogs the expedition was forced to leave all provisions except minimum rations.

No further effort will be possible until additional dogs are sent from Norway. Experts consider that unless the Germans are rescued in the near future their position will be exceedingly precarious.

Exact Model is Planned.

San Francisco—An exact model of Independence Hall, built of the original timbers, beams and joists, will occupy a site at the Panama-Pacific exposition in this city in 1915. Mayor Blankenberg of Philadelphia has written to President C. C. Moore of the exposition company, informing him that Alfred Wolf, who gained possession of the material when it was removed at the time the building was restored in 1907, has agreed to rebuild the structure.

Many Japanese Coming.

San Francisco—The Asiatic Exclusion league adopted a report on the influx of Japanese into the United States in the last six months of the year 1912. The report will be sent to every member of the state legislature and every member of congress. According to the report the arrivals in this period were 5616, and the departures 542. The report covered many phases of proposed alien land and Japanese exclusion legislation.

Mexican Warship Ordered Home.

Valparaiso, Chile.—The Mexican warship Morales, which arrived here several days ago, sailed Sunday at full speed for the west coast of Mexico on orders from the Mexican minister of marine.

NEWS OF LAWMAKERS AT OLYMPIA

A Brief Resume of Proceedings of the People's Representatives at the State Capital, Bills Introduced, Passed, Rejected, Etc.

FORGETS LIQUOR QUESTION

Public Morals Committee Would Side-Step Fight.

Olympia—Unless the public morals committee of the house of representatives fails in its plan there will be no liquor legislation before the Washington legislature during the present session. Believing that the liquor question would precipitate such a fight in the house that there would be no time for other business during the rest of the session, the committee rigged up a scheme whereby all bills involving either directly or indirectly a liquor question will be smothered in the committee pigeonholes.

That the committee will be upheld in its plan seems apparent from action in the house Friday, when a liquor measure was turned loose upon demand of its author, Farnsworth, of Lincoln county. The bill provided for public liquor dispensaries and got out of the committee strongbox principally to test out the sentiment on the liquor question.

The house smothered the bill so quickly that even the author failed to put in a word for it. The committee recommended that it be indefinitely postponed, the chairman of the committee moved that the report be adopted and the house shouted a wild acclaim to the motion. It was all over with before any comment could be made, thus demonstrating that the members of the house do not want get tangled up in a liquor fight.

At the last session the same action was taken and there was no liquor legislation. At the session before that the liquor problem was brought into the open and the greater part of the session was devoted to the fight that followed. At the present session there are all kinds of liquor bills, both for and against the liquor interests.

The legislature on Friday ended its fifth week with its work probably farther along than that of any other session in years. While it is apparent that there will be a large number of bills which will not be reached before the end of the session, it is believed the number will be smaller than usual, despite the fact that the total number of measures introduced will be greater than ever before.

LEGISLATION AT HIGH SPEED

Both Houses Become Exceedingly Industrious.

Olympia—Both houses ran on high gear during the past week. In four days the senate passed 129 senate bills and three engrossed house bills and the house passed 19 house bills and two senate bills. The senate killed two senate bills and no house bills and the house killed two house bills and no senate bills. Altogether five bills were sent up for the approval or rejection of Governor Lister.

Of the number the most important was the measure introduced in the house by the committee on roads and bridges providing for an increase of the state highway fund from one-half of one mill to 1½ mills, or from \$500,000 to \$1,000,000. The bill passed the house by overwhelming vote early in the week. Friday it was passed by the senate with only five dissenting votes.

The bill has been passed up to Governor Lister, who probably will sign it. With this measure out of the way the senate will take up consideration of the bill passed this week by the house providing for an increase from \$1,000,000 to \$2,500,000 a year of the permanent highway fund tax levy. It is believed that a lively fight is to be made on this bill in the senate, on the ground that it would cause an unnecessary increase in the taxes of the state. The permanent highway fund is used for improving state roads in the counties, while the state highway fund is devoted to the extension and improvement of state arterial roads.

Lister Uses Veto Power.

Olympia—Despite the fact that both houses of the Washington legislature voted overwhelmingly to appropriate \$300,000 for the erection of new buildings at the Cheney normal school to replace those burned a year ago, Governor Lister vetoed the bill on the ground that the Cheney school's place should be taken by the other two state normal schools.

This is the first time the governor has exercised his veto power and the first time he has attempted to carry out an economy program upon which he based his candidacy for governor.

Would Have State Flag.

Olympia—The house, following general deluge of oratory, passed bill creating a board to design and adopt a state flag.

GOOD ROADS WIN IN SENATE

Only Five Vote Against Measure—Vancouver Bridge Next.

Olympia—Good roads legislation had its first inning in the senate of the Washington legislature Friday and won hands down.

After three hours of fighting contending forces, which deadlocked the session of 1911 and threatened to deadlock the present session, were brought together on a suitable working basis and all joined hands in the general cause of good roads throughout the state.

The house bill providing for \$1,000,000 annual increase in the taxes for the state highway fund was passed with only five dissenting votes. The bill is the first good roads measure to be passed by both houses since 1909.

A present there is no bill before the legislature providing for an appropriation for the Vancouver bridge. The only measure pending is the bridge enabling act, which has passed the house and is now awaiting the action of the senate. The bridge appropriation question is expected to make its debut next week.

It is likely that the legislature will go on record as opposing the alteration of the channel at the mouth of the Columbia river near Fort Canby because of the fact that the improvement will result in the moving of the Oregon-Washington boundary line a mile north on Washington territory. Members asking congress to discontinue the changing of the channel were introduced in both houses. They ask that the dredging from Sand Island to Fort Canby be discontinued and that boats carrying supplies for the strengthening of the jetty be required to use the Maybury channel.

IRRIGATIONISTS WIN POINT

Northwest Electric Will Abandon Klickitat Project

Olympia—Because of the attacks made on the Northwestern Electric company in drastic bills before the Washington legislature, the company has abandoned the Klickitat river part of its power-generating system. This was made known here by W. S. Yearsley, owner of the riparian rights on the Klickitat, which the Northwestern company had taken over on an option. Mr. Yearsley says the option has been cancelled and the rights have been offered to the Horse Heaven irrigation project promoters for \$175,000. The rice asked covers the value of the land and the water holdings of Mr. Yearsley and the improvements put in by the Northwestern company.

The abandonment of the Klickitat is offered as a compromise plan in the legislature on the bill now pending, which, if passed, would out the company from both the Klickitat and the White Salmon rivers. Mr. Yearsley says the Klickitat rights will be turned over to the irrigationists provided they will abandon their endeavor to tie up the White Salmon part of the project.

PENSION PUT UP TO VOTERS

Teachers' Bill Is Passed, Then Referred to People.

Olympia—By an overwhelming vote the senate of the Washington legislature passed a bill providing a pension system for school teachers. With the same stroke the members invoked the referendum on the measure, sending it to the vote of the people.

While the senate was busy with the teachers' pension question, the house quietly passed by a overwhelming vote a bill providing for the pensioning of destitute mothers and passed to second reading a measure for the pensioning of judges.

The teachers' pension bill stirred up the first real bitter fight of the session in the senate. For more than five hours the chamber was in an uproar. Personalities were flung, vehement pleas for the "overburdened" taxpayers were made, members attacked the system as an outrage on the people, others upheld it as the crying need and nearly every member took occasion to explain at more or less length his attitude for the benefit of the gallery, which was crowded with school teachers.

Cruise School Land Timber.

Olympia—A measure which has been prepared by Attorney General Tanner asks for an appropriation of \$10,000 to pay the cost of cruising and staking the value of about 730,000 acres of school land now within the forest reserves. The state highway commissioner is empowered to open negotiations with the government to once.

PICK-POCKET TRUST THRIVES

New York Judge Says City Has Many Criminal Associations.

New York—A "pickpocket trust," and other compact organizations of criminals exist in this city's underworld, according to testimony of Judge Swann, of the Court of General Sessions, a witness before the aldermanic committee investigating vice conditions. Pickpockets dispose of their loot at central "fences" after being assigned to sections of the city to ply their trade, and when they are arrested they are able to get bail readily and lawyers to defend them. The "trust" is run like any lawful business, he declared.

"Many strong associations of criminals exist, well organized and conducted for the purpose of theft," said Judge Swann. "There are, however, many different kinds of associations. For instance, there is the blackmailing association."

To crush these "trusts" Judge Swann advocated that city detectives be divided into separate groups, nominally known as the homicide group, bomb-throwing group, and so on.

Referring to the "pickpocket trust," Judge Swann told of one member being assigned to Broadway and Forty-sixth street for five years, rifling pockets and pocketbooks of men and women in the matinee crowds. This member was arrested four times and always the "trust" through its representatives, came to his defense.

FIFTH DAY'S FIGHT IS DRAW

Another American Woman Killed by Flying Shells.

Mexico City—Mrs. Greenfield, mother of Harry Greenfield, an employee of the Mexican Light & Power company, a Canadian corporation, was killed by a shell in Victoria street during Friday's fighting. This makes three women among the foreign victims of the battle.

Mexico City—Without decisive advantage to either the government or the rebel forces, the fifth day of fighting in the capital ended at nightfall Friday. Firing was continued until after sundown.

President Madero himself said two hours earlier that General Huerta would renew his efforts for the subjugation of Diaz immediately and it was authoritatively stated that the government forces were planning to take the rebel positions by assault between 6 and 7 o'clock, but the day's operations came to an end with the federals only feebly on the aggressive.

It was another day of terror for hundreds of thousands of non-combatants. These included large numbers of foreigners, who could find in no part of the city a spot free from danger.

PRINCETON GREETES WOMEN

Suffragist Marchers Stagger Into Town Exhausted.

Princeton, N. J.—The staccato yell of Princeton university, with the appendage, "votes for women! votes for women! votes for women!" greeted the "army" of suffragists which is marching to Washington, when it arrived here at 7 o'clock Friday night.

The women, 13 strong, had covered 27 miles in eight hours of active walking and several of them were on the point of exhaustion when the lights of the university town twinkled a welcome.

"General" Rosalie Jones, commander of the expedition, declared that for real hardship the day's walk exceeded anything she had ever experienced. "Corporal" Martha Klatchen, who is less than five feet tall, had to be supported the last four miles of the march. She staggered into the village an hour after the arrival of the vanguard, pluckily refusing offers of a lift from passing automobiles.

\$6 Minimum Wage Passes.

Topeka, Kan.—A bill providing for a minimum wage for women was passed Friday by the Kansas house of Representatives. It fixes \$6 a week for a nine-hour day as the minimum wage of all women workers in the state except domestic servants.

The house also passed a bill providing for a nine-hour day for all the employees of every individual or business concern employing more than five persons.

Warship Strikes Reef.

Caimanera, Cuba.—The United States battleship Arkansas ran on a coral reef 400 yards west of Ceiba reef at 6 o'clock Friday morning. Later the warship slipped off the reef and anchored. How seriously the Arkansas was damaged has not yet been ascertained, but water entered some of her compartments. A survey of the vessel was begun at once.

MADERO RESIGNS; TRUCE DECLARED

De La Barra Probable Choice for Provisional President.

Washington Relieved by News—Intervention Was Expected and Much Feared.

Mexico City—The resignation of Francisco I. Madero from the presidency is believed to be in the hands of the Mexican ministers. It was authoritatively declared that Madero had agreed to resign if the senate so wished.

At the British legation, where Senor De La Barra took refuge Thursday, it was said that Madero's resignation practically had been arranged for, and that De La Barra probably would succeed him in the presidency.

Later, Senor De La Barra, while proceeding through the streets in an automobile, stopped and made a brief address, assuring the crowds that a peace settlement was certain and probably would be reached before morning. De La Barra seemed to be in consultation with both Madero and Diaz regarding a quick settlement in order to avoid intervention.

Washington, D. C.—The news of Francisco I. Madero's voluntary relinquishment of the presidency of Mexico brought relief to official circles in Washington, in which the situation in the past five days had been growing hourly more tense.

The announcement, coming at the close of a day in which the situation steadily had been turning against President Madero, hardly was surprising. It served instantly to clear the horizon of the storm clouds which came nearer as the prospect of armed interference on the part of the United States seemed inevitable.

State department officials, since the opening of the fight in the plaza before the Mexican national palace, have waited eagerly night and day for official and unofficial advices from the scene of the conflict, and the government was fully prepared to meet any situation which might arise.

MEXICAN FIGHT AMAZES U. S.

American Army Could Not Fight Six Days Continuously.

Washington, D. C.—The situation in the Mexican capital is regarded in military circles here as unparalleled in modern history, and experts are astounded at the ammunition sources of the contending forces. One army officer declared that the United States army could not fight six days, as the combatants in Mexico have done, with all of the ammunition now on hand.

Although the government is theoretically equipped with 1,000,000 rounds of ammunition for the three-inch field guns, there are fewer than 150,000 rounds in United States arsenals, while of the 60,000 rounds supposed to be available for the siege guns, only 2500 are in sight. Moreover, about 1000 rounds a day represents the entire maximum product of United States arsenals.

A difficult question, it was disclosed, is likely to arise in connection with the prospective claims of the City of Mexico for pecuniary damages growing out of the street fighting.

Ripe Oranges Big Puzzle.

Tallahassee, Fla.—"When is an orange ripe?"

This is one of the next questions to be put before the Supreme court of the United States in an appeal from the recent decision of the Florida Supreme court upholding as constitutional, the Florida green fruit law. The Florida statute prescribes the age of an orange and its condition of maturity before it can be shipped out of the state.

Mule Carriages Rejected.

Washington, D. C.—Senator Brewster Friday declared the way army officers "flitted about Washington in government automobiles" was "scandalous" when the army appropriation bill came up, and offered an amendment to limit army vehicles here to those drawn by mules, or motor trucks. Mule-drawn carriages, he thought, would reduce the desire to ride.

Most Expert Script Engraver Dies.

Washington, D. C.—John R. Hill, said by Director Ralph, of the bureau of engraving and printing, to be the most expert script engraver in the world, died here from apoplexy. For 16 years he had been chief of the engraving division of the Federal bureau.

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Change of Ownership

The interests of T. H. Marshall and P. H. Knott in the Islander have been acquired by George Gillespie and George Grebin.

It is the purpose of the publishers of the Islander to make some radical changes in the near future—changes that we believe will result in mutual benefit to our readers and to ourselves. We promise you a bigger paper and will do our utmost to give you a better paper. In return we only ask a continuance of your support and encouragement.

Spring

The warm sunshine and balmy air of the past few days coupled with the opening of the pussy willows and piping of the frogs—all good signs—sink to insignificance as heralds of approaching spring when compared with the awakening of the muse in the poet. This for a starter:

BY THE LANGLEY POET

Some people are always complaining
Because it's too hot or too cold,
If it's dry, if it's windy or raining,
They fret and they stew and they scold

They will say that down south it is better
While here it is simply a fright;
They hear from a friend, in a letter,
That the weather there is just right.

So they travel and seek for perfection
In a climate that's free from all blast,
But they come trotting back this direction
And settle in Langley at last.

Senator Iverson's Bill

Senator Iverson has introduced in the Senate a bill to submit to the voters an amendment to the State Constitution entitled "An Act to amend Section 5, Article 16, of the Constitution of the State of Washington relating to the investment of public funds."

The amendment as proposed by Senator Iverson is as follows, the words in capitals indicating the change:

Article 16, Section 5. None of the permanent school fund of this State shall ever be loaned to private persons or corporations UNLESS SECURED BY FIRST MORTGAGE FARM LOANS AT NOT TO EXCEED ONE-HALF THE ASSESSED VALUE OF SUCH REAL ESTATE, but such funds may be invested in national, state, county, municipal or school district bonds.

In the event of the bill being passed and subsequently approved by the people it will be a boon to the farmer and rancher throughout the entire State. The development of the country is retarded more through the difficulty of procuring money at a reasonable rate of interest than for any other cause, and as the law now stands the school funds cannot be loaned on farm security. The amendment furnishes a remedy for this.

If the school funds and other funds now lying unused could be loaned out at 6 per cent on good farm security and a part of this set aside as a redemption fund the State would benefit by thousands of dollars and the borrower would in time have the debt cancelled and in the meantime be free from the dread of foreclosure so long as he paid the interest on the loan.

Deacon Marshall unwittingly established a precedent by breaking a time-honored rule in printing offices. To celebrate the change in management of the Islander he had the office towels washed before they were able to stand alone.

Work on the Langley Cannery is progressing rapidly and will be ready to do business at an early date. Since berries will be the principal product, interest has been aroused in the Winter School of the Washington State Agricultural College, which opened on the 17th of February. The program of this session is a varied one, that part devoted to berry raising consisting of developing soil fertility, selection of stock and preparation of land for berry growing, setting and care of a berry patch, and many other valuable bits of information. The course also includes the results of years of study and experiment in the care and selection of poultry, cattle, hogs, etc., and deals with shipping of products and transportation problems. The course costs \$1.50 and will well repay the time and slight expense entailed in taking it.

The revolution, insurrection, rebellion, etc., in Mexico is over for the present. President Madero was arrested at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon by General Blanquet, commander of the government troops, and was given the choice of resigning the presidency or being shot. He resigned. Gen. Huerta, commander of the federal troops, was proclaimed provisional president. Col. Orozco and Col. Gallivan, revolutionary leaders in the north of Mexico declared the revolutionists in that section would not approve the selection of Huerta and would continue awaiting news from President Taft.

Langley Bank Starts an Agricultural Contest

The Langley Bank will give \$25.00 in prizes, to be divided as follows: \$2.50 each for the best display of Potatoes, Pumpkins, Squash, Cabbage, Cucumbers, Rutabagas, Sweet Corn, Beans and Beans.

The rules and conditions of this Contest are as follows:
Boys or girls under 17 are eligible.
Vegetables shall be attended exclusively by contestants.

Winning prizes shall become the property of the Bank, who will donate them to the Island County Agricultural Fair to be held in Coupeville, together with the name, age and photograph of the winners attached.

No second prizes will be given, but we will forward the second best displays to the County fair on the same conditions as the winners, if desired.

The prize will be awarded at the Bank of Langley on or about the date of the County Fair, the exact date to be given later.

Coming to Langley

Among the arrivals to be expected this coming week will be George Clark with the Island County Booklet. While it was contemplated originally to get this booklet out somewhat sooner, the size and class of it justify any delay.

When it is considered that the illustrations alone cost over five hundred dollars, it is readily understood that the book is one for us all to be proud of.

Mr. Hawes is running his printing establishment night and day in order to get the book out, as the spring season for homeseekers will soon be here. Mail orders will be taken care of and Mr. Clark will be on the Islands with an able corp of assistants to let anyone get the booklet. No one should miss sending one of these to each of his friends for it will be the best advertising Island County has ever had.

Notice of Annual School Election

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Election of School District No. 202 of Island County, state of Washington, will be held at the several houses, in said School District, on Saturday, the first day of March, 1913, for the purpose of electing one school district director for a term of three years, and for the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before the meeting.

The Polls will be open from 1 o'clock p.m. to 5 o'clock p.m.

By order of the Board of Directors.
Dated this 17th day of Feb., 1913.

WM. FOSTER,
School District Clerk.

Key to Telephone Rings

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IN THE MATTER OF THE INCORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF LANGLEY, WASHINGTON.

The Board of County Commissioners of Island County, Washington, meeting in special session on Monday, the 31 day of February A.D. 1913, proceeded to canvass the votes cast on Tuesday, the 28th day of January, A.D. 1913, at an election held in pursuance of an order of said Board and entered on the 6th day of January, A.D. 1913, for the purpose of voting on the proposed incorporation of the town of Langley, and to elect officers for said proposed town, in Island County, State of Washington, proof of due and legal notice of time and place of holding said election having been filed, and now, after having canvassed said votes, it appearing to said Board that a majority of the votes cast at said election are for incorporation:

Now therefore, said Board does hereby declare the territory described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the Section corner to sections thirty-three (33) and thirty-four (34), of Township thirty (30) and sections three (3) and four (4) of township twenty-nine (29), north range three (3) east W.M.; thence east one hundred and sixty (160) rods; thence south eighty (80) rods; thence east to the center of the north half (1/2) of section two (2); thence north to the government meander line of Saratoga Passage; thence meandering along the line of Saratoga passage in a northwesterly direction to the meander line corner of sections thirty-three (33) and thirty-four (34) of township thirty (30); thence south to the place of beginning, including all tide lands adjacent thereto, situated in the county of Island, State of Washington, duly incorporated as a Municipal corporation of the fourth class, under the name and style of the Town of Langley, and further it appearing to the Board that Frank Furman received the highest number of votes for Mayor of said town, he is hereby declared to be the duly elected Mayor of the said town of Langley, and further, it appearing to the Board that James C. Langley received the highest number of votes for Treasurer of said town, he is hereby declared to be the duly elected treasurer of said town, and it further appearing to the Board that Edward Howard, H. J. English, William H. McGinnis, Angus C. McLeod and Isaac Bainter received the highest number of votes for councilmen of said town, Edward Howard, H. J. English, William H. McGinnis, Angus C. McLeod and Isaac Bainter are hereby declared the duly elected councilmen of said town of Langley.

Done in special session this 3d day of February, A.D. 1913.

W. F. BRACHUM,
Chairman
S. J. BARNUM,
Commissioner

Attest:
W. T. WANAMAKER,
County Auditor and Clerk of the Board.

Editor Langley Islander.

Dear Sir:
I am filing with Public Service Commission supplement No. 4 to take effect at once, making rate on potatoes \$1 per ton on twenty tons or over, and \$1.25 per ton on small shipments, this rate to be in effect until March 15th, 1913, if there is no better market on that date than at present for potatoes will apply for an extension. Am reasonably sure of a 25 cents wharfage here on potatoes if moved from the dock in ten days, the reduction in tariff was taken up personally with the Commission, and permission granted after the conditions of the market were fully explained.

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Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

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Sun School every Sunday at 10 a. m.
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Is Leave Langley for Everett

30 a. m., and 4:15 p. m.

Is Leave Everett for Langley

7 a. m., and 3:00 p. m.

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Is Leave Everett for Langley

10 a. m. and 3 p. m.

Sunday Schedule

Is Leave Langley for Everett

4:00 p. m.

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Offer No. 1:	Regular Price.	Bargain Day Rate
Good Housekeeping or Hearst's Magazine, (State which one)	\$1.50	\$5.25
Post-Intelligencer	\$6.00	
Total Regular Price	\$7.50	

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Uncle Remus' Magazine	\$1.00	\$5.00
The Family Magazine	.25	
Home Life	.50	
Farm & Home	.50	
Agricultural Epitomist	.25	
Post-Intelligencer	6.00	
Total Regular Price	\$8.50	

Offer No. 3:	Regular Price.	Bargain Day Rate
The Westerner	\$.50	\$4.90
The Ranch	.50	
The Pacific Poultryman	.50	
Post-Intelligencer	\$6.00	
Total Regular Price	\$7.50	

Offer No. 4:	Regular Price.	Bargain Day.
Post-Intelligencer, Daily and Sunday	\$6.00	\$4.50
Daily only (without Sun.)	4.00	3.50
Sunday only	2.50	2.00

All magazine offers include one year's subscription to each magazine mentioned in each offer.
Offers on magazines cannot be split. The combinations are exactly as stated.
Be sure and state in offer No. 1 whether Hearst's or Good Housekeeping is desired.
Offers 1, 2 and 3 include Daily and Sunday editions of the Post-Intelligencer by mail only. Where delivery by agent is desired outside of Seattle add 50c to all offers.
Be sure and mention offer number.
The Post-Intelligencer is "Washington's Best Newspaper." It is the only Seattle Sunday paper carrying Associated Press dispatches. If you want the news, get the Post-Intelligencer. Hurry! The Bargain Day price is for one day only, February 28, 1913.

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Anyone cutting or removing timber
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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT of
the State of Washington, in and for
Island County, Plaintiff
Adolph Meier, Plaintiff
vs.
Pauline Meier, Defendant.
Summons for Publication
The State of Washington, to Pauline
Meier, Defendant.
You are hereby summoned to appear
within sixty days after the date of the
first publication of this summons, to-
wit: within sixty days after the 31st
day of January, 1913, and defend the
above entitled action in the above en-
titled court, and answer the complaint
of the plaintiff and serve a copy of
your answer upon the undersigned at-
torney for the plaintiff at his office be-
low stated; and in case of your failure
so to do, judgment will be rendered
against you according to the demands
of the complaint, which has been filed
with the Clerk of said court.
The object of this action is for an
absolute divorce on the part of the
plaintiff from the said defendant; to
ratify property settlement and for gen-
eral relief.
WM. SELLER,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
330 Stokes Bldg.,
Everett, Wash.
Date of first publication Jan. 31, 1913.

Local News
Have you an incubator you want to
rent? If you have write to John Mc-
Master, Langley.

The many friends of Frank Weber,
the popular butcher, will be pleased
to learn that he is recovering from a
severe attack of pneumonia. During
his enforced absence Henry Weber has
had charge of the business.

The Cuthbert Raspberry is the best
for shipping and canning. We furnish
all the plants you can use at \$4.00 per
1000. Leave your orders at once with
Whidby Canning Co., Fred Funk, Sec.

The baseball supper and dance Sat-
urday evening was a marked success,
both socially and financially, about
\$51.00 being cleared. The basket of
Emma Funk brought the highest price,
Ed Howard being the purchaser, and
the dinner therein was worth all it
cost, being entirely the product of Miss
Emma's culinary skill.

A large gathering of neighbors spent
a most enjoyable evening at the home
of Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Hartley last
Saturday. Games and music and a
fine line of "eats" were on the program
and none of the numbers was over-
looked.

A slight error occurred in the an-
nouncement of the Langley Bank's
agricultural contest last week, which
is now corrected. The eligible persons
to this contest should be under 17 years
of age. The winning products will go
to the County Fair with photographs
of the winners if same are available.
Now scratch gravel, boys and girls.

Mayor Furman has been busy mak-
ing up his cabinet, and has made
greater headway than Woodrow Wil-
son so far, having made public at least
one appointment, that of James C.
Langley as city attorney.

Ed Baertshiger, of Bremerton, came
over last week and purchased a 20-
acre tract of T. H. Marshall for con-
sideration of \$1,000. Mr. Baertshiger
is a native of Switzerland and a splen-
did type of man. He will move his
wife and children to their new home in
the near future.

Quite a number of people attended
the meeting of the Senior Whist Club
at Mrs. Langley's last Friday evening.
The club met Friday evening that it
might not conflict with the Baseball
supper and dance held Saturday.

Pay your taxes through the Bank of
Langley. Bring your abstract or deed
and the Bank will get your tax state-
ment and make the remittance. All
kinds of Legal Papers properly drawn,
recorded and cared for. Abstracts
examined.

The steamer Camano on her trip to
Coupeville and Oak Harbor Satur-
day afternoon broke a propeller blade and
on her return limped into Langley
about three hours behind her scheduled
time.

Luther Weeden, President of the
Island Abstract Company, and a lead-
ing citizen of Coupeville, was a Lang-
ley visitor Tuesday. Mr. Weeden is a
pioneer of the pioneers, having come
to Washington with his parents in
1873. He has resided on the Island
for several years and is a staunch be-
liever in its future.

Wm. Kohlvers and Peter Hart left
Wednesday for Puyallup to attend the
winter course of the Washington State
Agricultural College. Mr. Kohlvers
sees the benefits to be derived from the
cannery and intends fitting himself for
the canged conditions. He expressed
the hope that others in this locality
would take advantage of this opportu-
nity to improve their knowledge in agri-
cultural and horticultural work.

NOTICE—There will be a Dance at
Langley in the Olympic Hall on Sat-
urday night, March 1, given by the
Langley Base Ball Club. Tickets for
dance and supper, 75c. Everybody
invited.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Carlton of Ever-
ett were visitors Tuesday and Wednes-
day. Mr. Carlton contemplates locat-
ing on the Island and was very favor-
ably impressed with Langley, her
people and her prospects.

F. A. Taylor, a former resident of
Langley, who has been away from
Langley several months, returned Sat-
urday and has taken up his residence
at his home on Edgecliff drive.

When in Everett stop at Block's
Cafe and get the best meal to be had
in the city at a reasonable price. J.
A. Powers, proprietor, 2824 Colby Ave.

Owing to the Tuesday night's ses-
sion of Justice Funk's court the lecture
that was to have been given on that
date by L. D. Brooke will be delivered
on Tuesday evening, Feb. 25, at the
Langley school house. Mr. Brooke is
an interesting speaker, understands
his subject thoroughly and extends a
cordial invitation to all to hear him.

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John McMaster, Proprietor
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setting B. P. Rocks. The latter a
specialty bred to lay. Rocks in 1912
laved 31 per cent more than my S. C.
W. Leghorns. They will do for you.
Eggs for hatching \$1.00 for 15; \$5.00
per 100.

J. W. Mack, representing the Un-
derwood Typewriter Co., was in Lang-
ley Wednesday extolling the virtues of
his firm's product.

With commendable zeal the newly-
elected officers of the Langley Improve-
ment Club have begun on lines that
entitles the organization to its chosen
name. One of the first acts of Presi-
dent McGinniss was to appoint a com-
mittee, consisting of Mayor Furman,
K. P. Hartley and himself, to repair
the boardwalk leading to the dock.
The call of the committee was gener-
ously responded to, the result being
that pedestrians can now go to and
from the boat landing without fear of
getting seasick or suffering from
broken bones.

For sale: Horse, 6 years old perfect-
ly sound, good worker, or will trade
same for cows, fresh or to be fresh
soon. Inquire of Fred Sacasien, Clif-
ton, Wash.

The regular semi-monthly meeting
of the Improvement Club was held in
the city hall Wednesday evening.
There was a good attendance, but
many of the members were absent due
to a misunderstanding of the day of
meeting. The Club meets the first and
third Wednesdays of the month, and
on account of there having been a
meeting the previous Wednesday many
thought the next meeting would be two
weeks from then. Aside from the regu-
lar routine no business was transacted,
the club deeming it advisable to await
the meeting of the Council before mak-
ing any recommendations. Two new
members signed the roll.

I. M. Bainter will leave Sunday for
Chicago, where he has been subpoenaed
to appear in a suit concerning coal
lands in Alaska.

The Weedin-Cunningham trespass
case was tried in Justice Funk's court
Wednesday. Owing to the many wit-
nesses examined an adjournment was
taken at 5:30 and the trial resumed an
hour later. The case was given to the
jury about 8 o'clock and after a short
deliberation returned a verdict to the
effect that Mr. Cunningham was not
guilty of trespass. It was an interest-
ing trial, with an admirable absence
of personal invective.

Frank Freestone, "The Man from
Saratoga," and well known in Lang-
ley was in town Tuesday.

The Rev. Mr. Coddill, pastor of the
First Baptist Church of Everett, deliv-
ered a sermon in the Friends' Meeting
House Wednesday evening to a large
and appreciative audience. The Rev.
Coddill is a forceful speaker and held
the attention of his hearers from the
first, and many expressed the hope
that he would visit Langley again in
the near future.

Lone Lake
One of the most enjoyable and large-
ly attended affairs of the season was
held at the residence of Mrs. B. O.
Lund Wednesday, Feb. 12. This
social event was in honor of the popu-
lar hostess' half century mark. Father
Time has dealt most kindly with this
charming matron, and to use a happy
expression she grows old gracefully
and is 50 years young. Quite a num-
ber of vocal and instrumental solos
were rendered and a dainty luncheon
was served.

A wedding of much interest to the
many friends of the young couple took
place in Everett Wednesday, Feb. 12,
the contracting parties being Mr. Al-
bert Thompson and Miss Lena May
Post. Rev. Randall officiated and the
couple were accompanied by the
groom's sister, Mrs. Tena Brown, and
friend Mr. James Swazie. A recep-
tion was held in their honor the fol-
lowing Saturday night at Independence
Hall.

The Literary was held last Friday
night at the Hall and the program was
well received and enjoyed. This is
an interesting event for the people in
Bayview community, and due appreci-
ation should be given the young folks
in their efforts toward such a pleasing
entertainment. All should willingly
assist and cooperate with those who
have charge of the program. Music,
debates, pantomimes, etc., were the
principal features of the evening and
each number was thoroughly enjoyed
and applauded.

Mr. Hunter is erecting a lovely home
under the skillful supervision of D.
Rothgeb and son "Hub."

Henry Hill has purchased ten acres
from W. L. Weedin and will make the
Island his home. We welcome him
him back again, and wish him success.

The many friends of Mrs. Thompson
will learn with regret that she is
critically ill.

Gus Blankenburg has departed for
Canada where he has gone to take up
his homestead claim. His wife and
children will follow when pleasant
weather comes.

Sydney Halversen is confined to his
home with a case of fever. It is hoped
that the case will not prove serious and
that he will soon be enjoying life as
before.

Warren Olson, of Bremerton, is en-
joying a visit with some folks.

Mr. Hanna, the surveyor, is still
busily employed on different ranches
in this community.

Freeland
Messrs. Blair and Vogt were passen-
gers to Coupeville on the Ruby Marie
one day last week to purchase grain.

Mr. and Mrs. Versma, of Freeland,
left for Seattle this week where they
will remain for some time. They will
be greatly missed and we hope they
will return soon.

Several of the neighbors assisted in
the moving of a house for Mrs. E. M.
Pierson to enlarge the hotel. They
were given a fine dinner and their help
was very much appreciated by her.

Mr. Pitzer paid the Crest House a
short visit last Sunday.

Those stopping at the Crest House
were J. W. Farmer, Bush Point; H. A.
Rilett, Snohomish; J. E. Moore, Sno-
homish; Frank Olson, Lone Lake;
L. H. Hanchett, Snohomish.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Burnell came home
last week and we understand they in-
tend to remain here and take charge of
Mr. Croyle's ranch.

Otto Lieseke, Ed Jones, Samuel
Duke and Henry Meyer were Everett
visitors via Freeland this week.

Bert Sanford has returned home, but
we understand he expects to leave for
the East soon to look after his property.

Big time expected. Excitement run-
ning high. Mighty men and fair
maidens prepare for big endurance
test on Feb. 22, 1913 at Spencer's Hall.
Don't forget war paint and false faces.
Reinforcements expected from outside
localities. Come early and watch the
parade.

Philip Wahl, of Austin, made a large
shipment of Pork to Everett via Free-
land one day this week.

Austin.
Mr. Hildreth has received another
shipment of fine birds.

Philip Wahl butchered some fine
pigs this week and shipped them to
Everett, where he finds a ready market.

Capt. Howard made a special trip to
Seattle this week to purchase goods
for Cookson.

Mr. Lambier made a trip to Everett
to consult a doctor.

Mr. Teagar is clearing the balance
of his land. My! how the brush does
fly.

J. R. Frith has his boat in the water
again. He has had it out all Winter
for repairs.

Chas. Farmer, who has been confined
in the hospital for some time, is re-
ported as improving.

Chas. Fish is all smiles these days.
Mr. Day, one of his old friends from
Mt. Vernon, has moved here.

Wm. Anable, of Mt. Vernon, who
bought R. S. Condit's place here, has
moved in and will make some extensive
improvements.

The donation work that was done on
the school grounds last Saturday was
a success in every way, and there was
a good turnout. Say, do school teach-
ers know how to handle a shovel and a
saw.

Camano
Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Porch have been
sejourning at Snohomish for the past
week.

Gus Jansson paid Seattle a short
call Monday.

Geo. Rupp was a Stanwood visitor
Saturday.

Henry Kinsland was a passenger to
Everett Tuesday.

Mrs. J. C. Russell and daughter
Ernestine returned from Everett Mon-
day evening.

John Jansson paid Stanwood a short
call last Thursday.

F. W. Lacktrup was an Everett
business caller Friday.

Last Friday morning while a logger
from Bates and Hogan's camp was on
his way home he discovered the body
of James Campbell lying on the road.
Mr. Campbell left Camano Monday
evening to go to Bates and Hogan's
camp where he was employed as boom
man. When he left Camano he was
under the influence of liquor. An in-
quest was held here and a jury was
chosen to decide the cause of his death.
They all agree it was due to intoxica-
tion and exposure to the cold. His
body was taken to Coupeville for burial.
It is thought the deceased has a brother
living in California whose address is
not known.

Clinton
Mr. and Mrs. Tate, Sallie Nemi,
Messrs. Jens Peterson, Wilkinson, W.
H. Annis and B. Thorsheim were
Everett visitors Saturday.

Miss Flora McDonald went to Seattle
Saturday.

Mrs. Ford, of San Francisco, is visit-
ing with her friend Mrs. Frick.

Mrs. Bush went to Everett Friday.

Miss Sill, one of our teachers, went
to Coupeville Friday afternoon return-
ing Saturday. She was accompanied
by her sister, Miss June Sill.

There was an open meeting of the
Grange last Saturday night, a large
number being in attendance. Mr.
Morgan made a very good ventriloquist
which afforded much amusement.
Games were played, lunch served, and
a general good time was had by those
present. New names were added to
the list which is encouraging to the
Grange.

O. L. Nelson have moved from their
place back to the store.

Mr. Cunningham was over from
Everett Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bergstrom, of Everett,
came over last Tuesday.

Wm. Foster, of Langley, visited our
schools Tuesday.

Dr. Frick has lettuce nearly large
enough to use. Who can eat that.

E. Goodrich and family will soon
move out of the hotel into the John
Burke house.

Mr. Brown will soon move his family
onto the O. L. Nelson place.

Tom Nichols and Edson Crow are
cutting poles for W. H. Annis.

There will be a school election
March 1, to elect one new director.

Langley seems quite disturbed about
the Milwaukee road coming into Clin-
ton. Langley is incorporated—no
cause for jealousy.

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Men and Women.
As times go on we have the two results to be anticipated. Men reach the point—usually early in life—where business or politics absorbs their whole attention, and they have little time, strength or interest left for the broader culture and the amenities of life, while women are prone to be too much preoccupied with these things, to the injury of the home—not, perhaps, in its smooth running, for in the average American home the wheels of its machinery do usually run smoothly, though at great expense and to the injury of the home spirit. If the two could be averaged we should more nearly approach the ideal. Men need more relaxation, more rest, more variety, especially as they advance in life. Women need more concentration, more definiteness in their work, and especially more interest and a different kind of ideal in their home-making.—Mrs. N. D. Hillis in the *American Women and Her Home*

Hair.
A French scientist makes the announcement that baldness is a sign of intellectual greatness. Let us not be hasty in accepting his theory. He may have a grudge against some fiddler.

Pay Big Price for Water.
Water is sold by the ton at Pernambuco, Brazil. It is piped from springs eight miles out from the city, and is furnished to ships at eighty-one cents a ton within the harbor.

Not Likely.
"I wish you would shout at me, just the same as you shout at the animals you are going to kill," said Judge Moss, at the Carnarvon (Wales) county court, to a butcher who was giving evidence in quiet tones. "If you were going to kill an obstreperous bull you would not whisper like this," added his honor.

"Thou Madest Me for Thyself."
O thou God Omnipotent, who so carest for every one of us, as if thou caredst for him alone; and so for all, as if all were but one! To thee will I intrust whatsoever I have received from thee. So shall I lose nothing. Thou madest me for thyself, and my heart is restless until it repose in thee. Amen.—St. Augustine.

Writing Pad.
A compact traveling case is a book shaped writing pad, which folds over flat, and when open reveals compartments for all the correspondence necessities, as well as a calendar and narrow slides holding memorandum slips. One of these fits nicely into a hand bag.

Our Trouble.
Dr. Orison Sweet Marden, discussing success in New York, said: "Economy is the road to financial success—and most people in this impatient age try to do the trip in costly, high-speed autos."

"Method in Madness."
"Why do you always insist on talking about the weather to your barber?" "You wouldn't have me talk about anything so exciting as politics to a man who is handling a razor, would you?"

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PURE FOOD LAW NOT MODERN

Centuries Ago Tradesmen Who adulterated Goods Were Most Severely Punished.

Pure food laws are not quite so modern an invention as we may believe. Dr. Reissner has made discoveries in Palestine that seem to indicate some sort of supervision of the food supplies delivered to the palace nearly 3000 years ago. Labels have been found that were once affixed to "a jar of pure olive oil." We may wonder what tests were employed and what would happen to the man whose oil was found to be not pure. Probably something unpleasant, for there was no Supreme court in those days.

We know what happened in the middle ages to the enterprising tradesman who adulterated his goods. In 1444 a Nuremberg merchant was burned alive for mating foreign material with his saffron and the saffron itself was used for fuel. Probably that artistic touch impressed the matter upon his memory.

Some Augsburg bakers who used false weights and bad flour were ducked in a muddy pool, and through a faulty knowledge of the human respiratory system, or sheer carelessness, they came to the surface dead.

In 1482 a wine merchant was ordered to drink six quarts of his own adulterated wine, and as he died soon after it is evident that the adulteration must have been serious. It is true that he had to finish the draft in a given number of minutes, and a small number at that, but in those days they had a pleasant way of weighing the scales and loading the dice upon the side of justice.

Civilization has changed all that. Nowadays we shiver with apprehension lest, a rogue shall be punished.—San Francisco Argonaut.

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Arctic Bounty.
The account of the four years' stay of Viljalmar Stefansson and Dr. Anderson in the Arctic regions of America, during which they made long journeys alone with nothing to depend upon for a living but the hospitality of the natives and their rifles, furnishes a new illustration of the remarkable productiveness of the far north. Persons are likely to suppose that it is the tropics which are most spontaneous in the production of food for human beings. The fact is that the contrast between equatorial and Arctic regions is not so very great in this regard. Early explorers of the region of the upper Amazon found they must carry supplies or starve to death. There is game there, but it cannot be reached in the jungles. This was the experience of James Oton, the American traveler, and in his work on the Amazon he recalls the fate of the mighty Pizarro, who tried to penetrate that country, but retreated from it upon a diet of lizards, dogs, saddle leather and sword belts just in time to save his life. Similar experiences are to be encountered in much of tropical Africa. It is true that some tropical islands give their inhabitants a free but monotonous living, but then, so will the ice-bound country around the mouth of the Mackenzie.

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The Calf to Rise.
I never raise a calf from a cow that will not give at least 20 quarts of milk a day, and she must be bred to a pure-bred bull. The percentage of poor heifers when they come to freshen with this method is very small. The custom of feeding milk feeds is not on the increase now, but it had grown heretofore to a very great extent. Many farmers grow as much clover as possible, also peas with oats. The silo has made its appearance on most of the dairy farms. This helps much where properly managed, says a writer in an exchange. Good corn silage fed in connection with clover hay or oats and pea hay and one feed of timothy and redtop mixed a day with a small grain ration should make a good food of milk if you have good cows. Without a good dairy one cannot make milk, regardless of the feed used.

Took Mother Literally.
Marian pointed to the glass or cup when she wished a drink, uttering inarticulate sounds intended to convey her desire. She was old enough to talk some, but she had never been taught to ask for a drink. Mother said to her: "When you want a drink, Marian, you say, 'Mamma, or papa, or Hazel, or Mildred, drink!'" The next time Marian wished a drink she pointed to the cup and said: "Mamma, papa, Hazel, Mildred, drink-ink-ink-ink-ink!"

Swat Indirect.
Mandy—What for you ben goin' to do postoffice so reglar? Are yo' cor respondin' wif some other female? Rastus—"Nope; but since ah been a readin' in de papers 'bout dese 'conscience funds ah kind of thought ah might possibly get a lettah from da mistress what married us."—Life.

CENSOR STOPS MEXICAN NEWS

Madero Agents Keep World in Dark Regarding War.

Americans Fleeing From Scene of Trouble—Embassies Aid All Foreigners in Flight.

City of Mexico—The strictest censorship on all dispatches has been established in Mexico City.

Government officials took charge of the cable offices shortly after 5 o'clock Saturday night and discarded messages of correspondents to their papers. Code messages and all messages containing any expressions whatever that might be construed as a sign of the important happenings in the capital were confiscated.

Nevertheless several dispatches of a somewhat detached nature escaped censorship, and an early bulletin was flashed through that the armistice, signed at 2 o'clock Sunday morning, had been broken and that both sides were fighting savagely.

The Mexican government was unable, however, to shut off the official dispatches of the diplomatic representatives, but as these are sent in cipher, there is considerable delay in translation, and the fear is expressed that many things may occur in the Mexican capital detrimental to the foreign residents before the exact situation is learned by the home governments.

Brief dispatches giving a general idea of the situation prior to the fresh outbreak of hostilities were passed but the government apparently is determined that not a word of the fighting which has torn the city asunder for eight days shall be communicated to the outside world, if that can be prevented.

Washington, D. C.—Hurried preparations were made Sunday in Mexico City for the flight of American women and children to the United States.

The American embassy staff and the committee appointed by Ambassador Wilson began assembling the women and children at the embassy. Many who hitherto had paid no heed to the warning of the ambassador to leave the city, now were eager to embrace any measures which meant their deliverance from the panic which has followed in the wake of a week's disorders.

The easiest way to safety is via Vera Cruz, only a short distance by rail. Once arrived there, the refugees will have full protection pending the continuance of their journey by steamer to American soil.

While preparations for the flight of the women and the younger members of the American colony were going forward, the work of removing all foreigners from the danger zone was begun and hundreds sought safety.

REBELS ROB EXPRESS TRAIN

\$700,000 Bank Shipment Taken—Cities Sacked.

San Luis Potosi, Mex.—A passenger train from Tampico, Mexico, was held up at Las Tablas, a small station half way to the coast, by a band of rebels led by Cerillo Hermanos. The rebels went through the express car and secured \$700,000 in gold and bills which was being transferred by the National Bank of Mexico to Mexico City.

The rebels gave no heed to the second class passengers, but robbed all the first-class passengers of their arms and money. Forty-two rebels entered the train and 30 remained outside. They proposed to burn the train and had sprinkled the cars with petroleum, but the urgent petition of Licencado Alfredo Munoz, who was a passenger and who at one time had defended Hermanos in court, they desisted.

Americans arriving from Charcas, a town 40 miles north of here, report the rebels ransacking the town.

Wilson's Daughter Aids.

New York—The Russell Sage foundation, through its department of recreation, has sent letters to the heads of the various State Federations of Women's Clubs urging them to begin campaigns at once to secure legislation authorizing the use of public schools for social centers.

Miss Margaret Woodrow Wilson, daughter of President-elect Wilson, is interested in the movement and is assisting in the preliminary work to secure the use of all public school buildings after school hours.

\$30,000 in Bullion Lost.

San Francisco—The \$30,000 in gold bullion in the safe of the river freighter H. J. Corcoran, which was sunk recently in San Francisco bay in collision with the passenger steamer Seminole, is lost. This was determined when John Roach, a diver, explored the capsized hull of the vessel.

The Corcoran drifted, bottom up, through the Golden Gate, and was towed back to a wharf by a tug.

Czar Sends Curt Reply.

St. Petersburg—The Russian emperor's reply to the letter recently sent him by the Austrian emperor is short and decisive. He declares that Austria's attitude in recent years has impelled Russia to support the interests of her Slav brothers. At the same time the Russian emperor expresses the belief that a means will be found to maintain peace.

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Domestic Economist.
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Stevenson's Criticism.
Robert Louis Stevenson once went to hear Charles Halle play the piano at the Queen's hall. After the performance Stevenson, in his black shirt, walked in silence out Regent street to Oxford circus. He stopped at Oxford circus and, in a slow, meditative voice, pronounced this excellent criticism on the English musician he had heard: "The manner of the elderly statesman at the piano was somewhat austere and chilling."

To Clean a Gas Range.
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Mr. Staveley Hill, M. P., was at Bushbury paid a peppercorn as rent. The berry was placed in an envelope and handed to Mr. Staveley Hill during a visit he paid to the old village school. In handing over the receipt, he remarked that he was probably the only man in England who received such a payment in kind.—London Telegram.

Error of Intellect.
Through the ordinary course of mortal failure and misfortune, in the career of nations no less than of men, the error of their intellect and the hardening of their hearts may be accurately measured by their denial of spiritual power.—Ruskin.

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CUTTING DOWN THE FLESH

Heroic Struggles of a Fat Man Who Thought the Scales Were Deceiving Him.

I have about come to the conclusion that the good Lord intended some of his creatures to be fat and some thin, regardless of medicines and so-called infallible cures, writes a western man. For a long while I tried all the alleged obesity cures and none of them did me any good. Then I determined to starve myself and take lots of exercise.

All my life I had been a lover of good eating, and counted that day lost on which I did not consume for my dinner the better part of a sirloin steak as thick as a dorky's foot, with all the trimmings. For breakfast I usually destroyed a platter of cakes, three eggs and no end of thin-sliced bacon, besides fruits and two cups of coffee.

This lifelong system I abandoned for an entire month, cutting out all the meat and about all the vegetables, a piece of toast and glass of milk taking the place of my morning meals and a little rice being the chief item on the meager dinner bill of fare. Lunch I omitted wholly. In addition I walked at least six miles every day and did all sorts of stunts in my room with a gymnasium outfit. Prior to going to bed I perpetrated all sorts of muscular contortions and rolled on the floor till my body was bruised.

At the end of thirty days I felt fit to run a three-mile foot-race or go in the ring with the champion. About this time it occurred to me that I ought to get weighed and I made a bee line for the scales. My grocer assured me that they were correct to an ounce, but they showed I had gained 14 pounds in the period of my

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Buzzing Sounds Made by Insects.
The different humming or buzzing sound in insects is caused by the vibration of the wings, and the more rapid the vibrations the sharper the sound. Scientists have estimated that the common house fly vibrates its wings about 335 times a second and the honeybee 400 times, though a tired bee moves its wings more slowly and makes a different sound from a fresh one. The butterfly is content to move more slowly and makes no noise.

Push Cart Fortune.
The proprietor of the finest cafe in Los Angeles formerly sold "hot tamales" from a push cart, and although he is now wealthy, he still preserves this old vehicle. In erecting a business block to house his modern restaurant he built a cupola just large enough to contain the old tamale cart, and it may be plainly seen from the street.

Pettit's Eye Salve

QUICK RELIEF SORE EYES
More Caution Needed.
An exchange tells the story of a little boy whose mother decided that he was old enough to do without her sitting by him when he was put to bed until he fell asleep. So when one night she kissed the five-year-old and told him he was a big boy and brave enough to go to sleep without his mamma and in the dark, too, he pondered the situation a moment and then said: "Well, wait a minute. I've got to say my prayers again careful."—Suburban Life.

"House Sisters."

The House-Sisters Association of Berlin was established not long ago to ennoble domestic service and to establish better relations between the employers and the employed. The association has a "Mother House" near the city, where girls are trained for services, situations being found for them when competent. Those in charge of the home keep in touch with the girls after they have gone out into the world to make their own way.

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His Unavailing Search.
"Well, James Henry Williams, did you enjoy yourself at the seaside?" "Yes, teacher, very much. I liked the sea, but I couldn't find the inthemis." "The what, James Henry Williams?" "The inthemis, teacher; where it says in the Bible, 'The sea and all that in them is.'"

Bachelor's Savage Comment.
A wealthy gentleman, who owns a country seat, on one occasion nearly lost his mother-in-law, who fell into a river which flows through his estate. He announced the narrow escape to his friends, expecting their congratulations. One of them—an old bachelor—wrote as follows: "I always told you that river was too shallow."

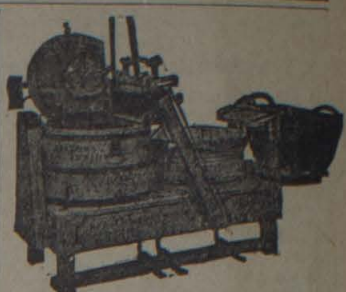
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I told something to a friend once and he replied, "Gee do you want a fellow to be perfect?" I said, "Yes, but I never expect to see one, but there's lots of rottenness which can be cut out of the efforts of all of us."—Exchange.

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