

MEXICO IS LAND OF PLENTY AND HEALTHFUL

Farming Region in the World When Irrigation Is Enjoyed—Rich in Minerals the Product of the "Lunger."

By Frederic J. Haskin. Washington, Feb. 1.—Few states have been so long and so far from the union with greater promise for future development than New Mexico.

So vast is its domain that a Rhode Island could be tucked within its roomy boundaries with about half as much space left for a Massachusetts population. It claims nearly one-third of the area of the United States.

Land of the "Lungers." New Mexico is known as the land of the "lungers." The records of the United States weather bureau show that the average number of sunny days in the state is 280.

Oldest Town in the World. It is said that New Mexico possesses the oldest living town in the world. Its founding does not antedate the time of Columbus.

civilization is shown by the fact that of its 75,000,000 acres of land less than 500,000 acres are under actual cultivation.

These blooming valleys stir the busy honey bee to unusual activity, a single colony of them making the bee keeper more than a hundred pounds of honey a year.

Some of the Angora Goats. New Mexico leads all the American states in raising Angora goats. Two of its prize winners exhibited at the St. Louis exposition were remarkable for their fleeces.

Big Irrigation Project. Of the several irrigation projects under way in New Mexico, the most important is the Rio Grande. This project is partly in New Mexico, partly in Texas and partly in Old Mexico.

The El Paso Chamber of Commerce declares that the sediment of the Rio Grande is richer in potash and nitrate than the soil carried down by the Nile.

Highly Mineralized. The mining industry in New Mexico is in its infancy. While the Spanish conquistadores failed to find the fabled treasures of Cibola, there are evidences that gold was taken from the river beds and gulches of the territory for a long period by the aborigines.

When— The Stomach is Sick The Liver Sluggish The Bowels Clogged The Blood Impure The Skin Sallow

GOOD LESSON IN "THE TEST"

Sin Ye Do Should Be Expiated by Man Same as Woman.

By E. I. Anybody who would read a play with such an unpromising title as "The Test" deserves all likely to go with it.

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is forced by circumstances to tell of her relations with McVane, Miss Walsh is most effective, and acts with remarkable suppressive force and dignity.

Emma Eitnye, a struggling actress, and Freddie McVane, the chorus girl's delight, are a woman and a man with unsavory pasts.

Arthur wishes to marry Emma, and his mother and sister object because of her grimy past.

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interpreting the role of the "villain" with discrimination. There are moments when he reminds of Frank Worthing.

New Rules to Keep Out Chinese. Washington, Feb. 1.—Several stringent new rules designed to keep undesirable Chinese immigrants out of the United States go into operation today.

Prohibitionists of Illinois will hold their state convention at Springfield in May.



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J. B. Purcell, President Swastika Mines, Portland, Oregon. Sandpoint, Idaho, January 30, 1910.

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In sixty days from today you need not be surprised to see six four-horse teams hauling ore from the mine to the lake.

As soon as we get far enough past the ore I will put four more miners to work taking out ore. I do not think I will bother you for any more money to work on after this month.

The Swastika is sure a mine, and striking this last ore vein is something I did not look for, for at least another 100 feet.

Hoping everything is going well with you in Portland, as it surely is with me at this end of the line, I remain, yours very truly,

(Signed.) J. W. FERGUSON.

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Swastika Mining & Development Co. LIMITED 310 Oak St.

Royal Tracy as Monty Brewster in "Brewster's Millions" at the Baker theatre this week.

Tomorrow, The Smithsonian Institution.

TWO STORY FRAME STORES COST \$10,000

The following building permits have been issued: C. C. Spencer, repair one-story frame store, 517 North Twenty-first street.

Dallas Bache, erect one-story frame dwelling, Corbett street, between Iowa and Pendleton; builder, same; \$1500.

BISHOP SCADDING MAKES APPOINTMENTS. Bishop Scadding has announced the following appointments for February.

Meeting of trustees of Episcopal fund bishopric, 8 p. m. Meeting of school board, 8 p. m.

Church history lecture at 8 p. m. in gymnasium St. Helen's hall, "From Pentecost to the Landing of Augustine."

Conference with local committee of the laymen's missionary movement at Bishopcroft, 8 p. m.

Franco-Canadian Trade Treaty. Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 1.—Following several years of agitation and many long debates in the Dominion parliament, the trade treaty agreed upon last year by the Dominion of Canada and France was put into operation today.

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