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## GOLD IN PANAMA

The newest gold strike is in Panama and the lucky strikers are British. If their accounts are true, they are incredibly lucky.

No find so rich has occurred since the discovery of the Rand gold field in South Africa. And this, say the British financiers who have organized a syndicate to exploit the Panama deposits, is greater than the Rand field.

Moreover, it is all theirs. A rush of prospectors might prove futile. The syndicate of 50 members has concessions to more than 10,000 square miles, including all the known deposits. The concession is perpetual, and free of all taxes but an export tax of 2 per cent on gold. Besides the millions of gold said to be in sight, on the surface and is easily accessible "reefs", there is nickel ore assaying 91 ounces to the ton, and one vein of "pure zinc a foot wide."

The holding company represented by the syndicate will be wholly British, but the promoters want American participation in the mining companies, they say, on a fifty-fifty basis. That, presumably in part of compliment to the Monroe Doctrine, is to insure American favor instead of hostility in their big enterprise. There will be no lack of willing capital if these promises are proved true.

Think of such riches, unexploited, in so well known and accessible a part of the world, missed by Balboa, Cortez and their successors for 400 years.

The most astonishing thing, however, is that any country will give alien interests the right to exploit its natural wealth for so trivial a recompense.

## THE GOOD CITIZEN AND TREES

Very soon now comes the "week" in which this country will "Save the Forests." If only that important piece of work could really be accomplished in one week of concentrated effort, how wonderful it would be! For there would be the concentrated effort.

Everybody loves trees. Everybody knows by this time a little about the importance of forests, ever-renewed, to a thriving nation. But not everybody feels a personal responsibility to any special tree or group of trees or to the country's forests, existing or proposed. So the adoption of sound national and state forestry policies is slow, and a long process of education is necessary.

That education is what national "Save the Forest Week" — April 19-24 — will help along. The single week, no matter what its activities, can't do all its name suggests, but it can push forward knowledge of the problem and enthusiasm for its solution.

A statement of Theodore Roosevelt's needs to be recalled and emphasized at this time. He said:

"A people without children would face a hopeless future; a country without trees is almost as hopeless; forests which are so used that they can not renew themselves will soon vanish, and with them all their benefits. When you help to preserve our forests or plant new ones, you are acting the part of a good citizen."

An Arctic explorer says airplanes may be used to carry reindeer meat. From recent aviation experience in the Arctic, it looks more as if reindeer may be used to carry airplanes.

No other argument for buying a piece of real estate — Prof. Huxley says in a few hundred years there'll hardly be standing room on this earth. Reserve your place.

England, having repudiated socialism by electing a conservative government is nationalizing its coal mines.

France's idea of how to solve any big national problem is to call a mass-meeting of ex-premiers.



Necessity makes the portions small.

Why be good unless you are good for something.

What you pass out, you get back, particularly love and hate.

With water and soap so cheap, and fresh air free, it costs little to be decent.

It is better to be occasionally deceived than to be eternally suspicious of everybody.

Self reliance, self-control and self-respect are the main ingredients in the formula for making a man a man.

Her Heck says: "It might hev bin' in sad words, all right, but not so bad as 'I ain't got the price.'"



Our opinion is that we have enough rain in April without people trying to give picnics.

A brute is a man who brings company home for dinner without calling and letting his wife know.

A big bum seems to be a man who gets in the way while his wife is trying to spring-clean the house.

Polished floors will not be scratched if you will make the family go barefoot.

Autos and radios, you can't look at either and tell what distance you will get.

Spur cream will not be noticed in coffee if you throw it out the window.

## STEWART'S WASHINGTON LETTER

By CHARLES P. STEWART  
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON—The Filipinos think Governor General Leonard Wood has too much power.

Wood thinks he hasn't enough. Secretary of War Dwight F. Davis announced he was going over to the Philippines to find out which was right.

The White House announced that, oh, no, he wasn't; he couldn't be spared from the War Department for so long a trip; that Carmel Thompson of Ohio was going instead.

Much emphasis is laid here on the fact that Carmel Thompson is General Wood's best friend.

Such being the case, it doesn't necessarily follow that Thompson was picked to decide in Wood's favor and against the Filipinos. If the president expected the Filipinos to win, it's conceivable that he might have been extra careful to choose a special commissioner who, couldn't possibly

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be suspected of any prejudice against Wood.

However, the betting in Washington is that Commissioner Thompson's conclusions will be Governor General Wood's—that he'll find the only thing the matter with Wood's administration has been that he hasn't had power enough.

That is Washington's hunch on general principles, and for the more specific reason that it's a finding large American rubber consumers will like.

The rubber interests, as everybody knows, want an American source of supply. The Philippines are good islands for the purpose, but are they American—and can they be depended on to stay so? The rubber folk hesitate to invest money there until they're certain the answers to both these questions are safely affirmative.

Hermiston — Hermiston Light Power Co., shows net income of \$7,785, for 1925.

## NEVER DEDICATED

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON  
Eugene, April 15. — (Special) — From the time when Deady hall, the University's first building, housed the student body of 160 was surrounded by wheat fields, it has waited to be dedicated.

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