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Many young men allasamee have enough sand to propose marriage but short on "duat."

M. NEEDLE Merchant Tailor St. Louis, Mo.

Pop! (From Baraboo, Wis., Democrat) At the home of the bride's parents—Mr. and Mrs. William Poff-Ableman, on last week Wednesday evening were married Miss Lena Poff to Fred Kopf, the Rev. F. P. Poff officiating.

A Joy Ride "Two or more passengers, 15c each way—anywhere in city. To the cemetery my specialty."—Ad in Illinois Star.

Save Time and Trouble "Shall I have your lunch brought up to you on deck here, dear?" asked the husband of the seasick wife. "No, love; have it thrown straight overboard; it would save time—and trouble."

The Jealous Salesman A vaudeville playlet in one act. Scene: Chairoviant's room. Time: Witching hour of midnight. Characters: Traveling salesman, medium and sprits.

Medium—Name H. Salesman—Can you answer Medium—Name H.

Salesman—Well, I have a very beautiful wife (his voice trembled) and I left her at home alone. Tell me, oh dear! what is my wife doing now?

Medium—She is looking out of the window.

Salesman—Strange—who can she expect?

Medium—Ah, somebody enters the door and she caresses him fondly.

Salesman—Impossible, Arabella is faithful to me!

Medium—Now she lays his head fondly on her lap and strokes his hair.

Salesman—Nonsense!

Medium—Now—she looks tenderly into his eyes!

Salesman—(Prattling) You lie!

Medium—And now he wags his tail. (CERTAIN)

Stella's Bargain Counter The difference between a gown and a "creation" is about \$45.

Young man, select a business in which the styles change every year.

Wasn't the uniform A sailor under the influence of liquor went to the main entrance of a New York theater recently and presented a ticket. The manager refused to admit him, telling him that his money would be refunded at the box office.

"Don't you respect your country's uniform?" asked the bibulous one.

"Sure," retorted the manager, "take it off and I'll put it in a stage box."

INTERESTING BEET SUGAR DATA.

THE lack of a payroll to furnish occupation, the lack of a market to utilize soil and mineral products, and the lack of diversified agriculture are keenly felt in the valley, hence the prospects of securing an institution that fills all these long felt wants is universally recognized.

A beet sugar factory is such an institution. What the sugar beets mean to a locality is briefly set forth in a letter received by W. C. Jones of this city from G. C. Brown, of Saginaw, Mich., secretary of the Michigan Sugar company, who writes:

The Michigan Sugar Co. is composed of six factories. Four of them are 600 ton and the other two 1000 tons each (that is 600 and 1000 tons per 24 hours.) From May 1, 1914, to May 1, 1915, we contracted 60,000 acres of beets and manufactured 359,579 tons of beets into 103,688,547 lbs. sugar, using 73,210 tons of coal for sugar, 13,986 tons coal in pulp driers, drying 20,425 tons pulp. We also used 27,328 tons of limestone, and 2198 tons coke to burn the limestone.

Our sugar percentage was very low, being an average of 15.95 percent of sugar, purity 85.60 percent.

Last year was our first year buying beets by the flat rate, that is, so much per ton, regardless of sugar content, and it has been so satisfactory over former percent methods that it will probably be our permanent method in future.

The beet factory not only makes sugar and provides a payroll and market for farm products, and pulp for livestock feeding, but will furnish a steady market for local coal and wood for fuel, and utilize the product of our limestone quarries.

The contract of the Michigan Sugar company with the farmer provides for the furnishing of 15 pounds of seed per acre to be planted and cared for under the direction of the company, the grower agreeing to follow instructions in regard to preparing soil, seeding, caring for, harvesting and delivering the crop and giving the company the right to enter the land and care for the crop if neglected, deducting the cost from the proceeds of the crop. Payments are made the 15th of the month following delivery of beets.

The growers application to the company for beet workers stipulates a price of \$18 per acre for beets planted in rows 18 to 22 inches apart, \$16 per acre for beets planted in rows 23 to 27 inches apart, and \$15 per acre for beets planted in rows 28 inches apart, the amount to be deducted from the first payment made for beets delivered. For cash advances made to enable the farmer to care for the growing crop, 7 per cent interest is charged.

The agreement for hand labor on beets made with the laborer for caring for beets, stipulates the method of bunching, thinning, weeding, hoeing and harvesting for which payments of from \$15 to \$18 per acre are provided, distributed as follows: After beets are bunched and thinned, \$5 per acre; for first hoeing, from \$2 to \$3 per acre; for second hoeing, \$1 to \$2 per acre; for harvesting, \$7 to \$8 per acre, depending upon distance rows are apart. The farmer provides dwelling place, fuel, water, hoes and knives. If an unsatisfactory stand of beets is secured, the contract is void as to unfilled portion.

Five thousand acre of beets would mean an expenditure of \$75,000 to \$90,000 in labor caring for the same. The payroll of the factory would be still greater. The payroll required to mine the coal, or cut the wood, and provide the lime, would be as much more, while the pulp would make this a great dairying and livestock region, and the farmer would net from \$10 to \$15 an acre on the land.

It is self evident that the Rogue river valley needs a beet sugar factory.

MARSHAL SHOT IN DUEL WITH BURGLAR

TACOMA, Wash., Sept. 14.—Marshal Henry Stone of Sumner was shot through the right lung; Deputy Geo. Smuch was grazed by a bullet that passed through a sleeve and a hand, who gave his name as Charley Anderson, received a ball in the heel at 4:00 o'clock this morning in a revolver duel that followed a demand made by officers for Anderson to stop. The bandit opened fire and after emptying his gun fled into a blackberry field, where he was captured by Smuch.

T. J. GARDNER BUYS ANDREWS' PLACE

T. J. Gardner, proprietor of the Medford Poultry and Egg company, who has been in the valley just a year has shown his faith in the country by purchasing the Dr. J. M. Andrews place of 34 acres, formerly the Bennett farm on the Pacific highway a half mile north of Medford and will improve the buildings and make it his home. The ranch has 12 acres of bearing Newtown apple trees and has won some of the prizes at the big apple shows, also eight acres of young pear trees and the balance is good farming land. The consideration was not made public.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardner are delighted with their new home.

A Reliable Tonic Many of the people around here know a good deal about this splendid remedy; to those who do not, we wish to say that Meritol Tonic Dissolved, flesh builder and nerve tonic we have ever seen. For people in poor health, weak, run down and played out, those not so strong and vigorous as they should be, we recommend this tonic. Price \$1. Sole agents Hawkins' Drug Store.

IRRIGATION CONGRESS CONSIDERS PROJECTS

STOCKTON, Cal., Sept. 14.—Irrigation projects in actual operation are occupying the attention today of delegates to the International Irrigation congress. Because of its sight-seeing trips and the fact that the convention is to visit four California cities the meeting is known as the "congress on wheels."

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NAVAL ADVISORY BOARD CONSIDERS KNOTTY PROBLEMS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—Secretary Daniels announced today that there was no contemplation of adding to the members of the new naval advisory board, but that officials and members of the board expected to call upon anybody who might be of help in developing the navy through invention and science.

He added that several scientists had not been included in the board's personnel because the appointments had rested with the 11 engineering and scientific societies upon which he had called for nominations.

Mr. Daniels pointed out that the main trouble encountered in operation of aircraft and submarines was in their motors. The Germans, he said, had evolved a new method of preventing corrosion of guns, which if worked out in the United States might be worth millions of dollars.

"These questions and hosts of others like them," the secretary added, "will be brought before the board and first considered by committees of those whose genials bears particularly upon them."

While the board is expected to take the initiative on anything which might result in naval improvements, the work is purely advisory.

NO ONE LOST IN BLAZE ON OCEAN

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—No lives were lost and no one was injured during the fire on the steamer Sant' Anna, bound from New York to Italian ports with 1600 Italian reservists, according to a wireless message received by the Fabre line agency today. The message added that the Sant' Anna conveyed by the Anconia of the sea line, is proceeding to Fayal, Azores.

Captain Pavey of the Sant' Anna did not state the extent of the damage, nor the cause of the fire. Agents of the line are inclined to believe the cargo was not damaged as previous messages stated the fire was in the hold containing steerage baggage.

CATARACT FORMING ON ROOSEVELT'S EYE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—Former President Roosevelt does not see as well as formerly. A cataract has begun to form on his left eye as a result of an injury received while boxing with one of the secret service men while he was in the White House. A glancing blow broke a blood vessel and the injury never completely healed. It is the advice of physicians that eventually an operation of no serious character will remove the cataract, but meantime the sight of the left eye will gradually become dim. In shooting, tennis and other things the colonel finds this a considerable handicap.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Reported by Jackson County Abstract Co., Sixth and Fir Sts. Real Estate Transfers Henry B. Sander et ux to Leo S. Sander et ux, land in T. 38, R. 1 E., W. D. Pearl Wilshire to Henry S. Sander et ux, land in T. 38, R. 1 E., W. D. Henry B. Sander et al to Pearl Wilshire, land in T. 38, R. 1 E., W. D. Harry W. Steelman et ux to William F. Blackbert et al, lots 3 and 4, blk. 2, Kelsey's Oak Park Add. Gold Hill, W. D. Florin A. Kelsey et vir to Harry W. Steelman, lots 3 and 4, blk. 2, Kelsey's Oak Park Add., Gold Hill, W. D. United States to Harvey M. McIntyre, land in sec. 23, T. 34 S. R. 1 E., patent. Frances Osborne to United Oil & Land Co., mining claims in Grave creek mining district, deed.

PAN-AMERICAN CONFERENCE MEETS NEXT SATURDAY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—Secretary Lansing announced today that the Pan-American conference on the Mexican situation which was to have been convened here tomorrow will meet in New York City Saturday.

The change in plan, he said, was due to illness of one of the conferees.

No decision has as yet been reached by the Washington government as to the next step in the situation now that replies have been received from all the factional leaders, but the expectation is that after the next session of the Pan-American conference, a definite announcement of the program to be pursued will be made.

Villa's action in sending Roque Gonzales, General Felipe Angeles and probably Diaz Lombardo, his minister of foreign relations to Washington, is said to have been decided upon because of a probability of a conference over Mexican affairs, as a result of the Pan-American conference here tomorrow.

Just how Carranza's suggestion that the conferees appoint delegates to confer on Mexico's international affairs, will be worked out is not apparent.

PRESIDENT CONSIDERS NEW SEAMEN'S LAW

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—Enforcement of the new seaman's law and the recent disaster to the steamer

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Eastland at Chicago wear up for discussion today between President Wilson and Secretary Redfield. Mr. Redfield indicated he thought the department of commerce would be able to administer the seaman's law effectively, despite recent official opinions limiting its scope. The Eastland disaster has developed several contemplated changes in the system of steamboat inspection and a report on the wreck has been before the president for some time.

Household Economy How to Have the Best Cough Remedy and Save \$2 by Making it at Home

Cough medicines, as a rule contain a large quantity of plain syrup. A pint of granulated sugar with 1/2 pint of warm water, stirred for 2 minutes, gives you as good syrup as money can buy. Then get from your druggist 2 1/2 ounces Pinex (30 cents worth), pour into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with sugar syrup. This gives you, at a cost of only 54 cents, a full pint of really better cough syrup than you could buy ready made for \$2.00—a clear saving of nearly \$2. Full directions with Pinex. It keeps perfectly and tastes good.

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