

M'NARY ARGUES STRONGLY FOR BILL'S PASSAGE

WASHINGTON, July 6.—Senator McNary's report on his \$250,000,000 reclamation bill now before congress recommends the bill's passage for a number of strong reasons. The report says in part:

"Nineteen years have passed since the enactment of the reclamation act, and under its beneficial influence there has been added to the cultivated area of our country 1,187,000 acres of land under distinct federal reclamation projects. And there has been supplied by the government water to 316,000 acres within private irrigation enterprises. These lands before reclamation were largely barren desert waste and unproductive.

Crops of Huge Value
"During 1919 on the 1,187,000 acres within the federal projects crops were grown of a gross value of \$33,000,000, and on the land in private irrigation projects receiving water from federal projects there were grown crops of a gross value of \$64,000,000, or a total of \$153,000,000, compared with a governmental expenditure of approximately \$123,000,000. As a result of this expenditure there are fixed properties of a total value of upwards of \$550,000,000.

Loan Fund Created
"The bill is designed to accomplish the following purposes:

"First—Greatly to augment the small amount of money which is now available for the reclamation of land by irrigation. This will be accomplished through the sale of bonds of irrigation districts whose validity has been judicially established. To enable the secretary of the interior to commence and complete projects the secretary of the treasury is authorized and directed to transfer from time to time to the credit of the reclamation fund an aggregate amount not to exceed \$250,000,000, with a limitation of \$20,000,000 for the first year, \$25,000,000 the second year, \$25,000,000 the third year and each succeeding year for a period of three years a sum not to exceed \$50,000,000. At the end of twenty years the bill provides there shall be transferred from the proceeds of the reclamation fund arising from the sale of district bonds to the treasury of the United States, \$50,000,000 annually until the same advanced shall have been fully paid, including accumulated interest.

Districts to Organize
"Second—Future reclamation projects under the bill shall be initiated by duly organized districts in co-operation with the secretary of the interior. Before such co-operation shall be extended, the land owners who desire their land reclaimed shall organize a district under laws into a corporation having full taxing power.

"Third—All future reclamation projects undertaken in virtue of this legislation are placed on an interest paying basis. It is thought under existing conditions the government should not be called upon to supply funds to continue work of this character without interest as it has in the past because the money is directly advanced from the treasury to the reclamation fund and does not accrue from the sale of public lands and from other sources.

Secretary To Judge
"Fourth—The money provided by this measure cannot be used until a district shall file a petition with the secretary of the interior accompanied by maps showing the lands of the district, together with plans, estimates and description of the project to be constructed and the payment of one half of the estimated cost of the preliminary investigation. Thereafter if the secretary of the interior believes the project is feasible for reclamation and settlement, believes that the district is duly authorized to enter into a contract with the United States and that the validity of the organization of the district and of the bonds has been determined through a judicial confirmation, and the owners of the excess lands shall have agreed upon the price, terms and conditions at which the excess holdings shall be sold to settlers, then the secretary may enter into a contract with the district for the reclamation of the lands.

Assets Made Liquid
"Fifth—The strength of the proposed legislation lies in the means provided whereby valuable assets created through the reclamation and settlement of the lands in the district are rendered liquid and available for financing the reclamation of other lands. This situation is brought about through further financing of

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THE CIRCUS BAND AND THE RUNAWAYS STARTED UP AT THE SAME TIME TODAY

At the Theaters

THE STAR

It is as a charming, fun-loving chorus girl who is very real beneath her rouge and powder that Billie Burke will be seen in her latest Paramount picture, "The Education of Elizabeth," which will be the feature at the Star theater tonight.

The heroine meets Thomas Fairfax, of an old Colonial family, and he wins her consent to their marriage. But first he takes her to the family home to meet his sister, Lucy. Lucy decides that Elizabeth's manners need polishing up before she assumes the name of Fairfax, so she and another brother, Harry, begin to educate the girl. This ends most happily.

THE STRAND

In "Atta Boy's Last Race," the new Triangle play starring Dorothy Gish, Director Geo. Siegmann offered \$25 to any jockey who would beat Atta Boy in the big race, and offered Atta Boy's jockey \$50 for a win on the first "take." Atta Boy won, and it was some race, just half a head being the winner's margin at the Strand Wednesday and Thursday.

The hero of the picture is Atta Boy himself, a race-horse. Atta Boy, off the stage, is a race-horse as well as in the picture. This is his first appearance in picture-plays, as Triangle hired him at the close of a successful season on the Tia Juana track. Miss Gish, in the play, after Atta Boy has gone lame in a race, has to take and nurse him back to a complete recovery. The picture was weeks in the making, and every day during those weeks Dorothy rode Atta Boy.

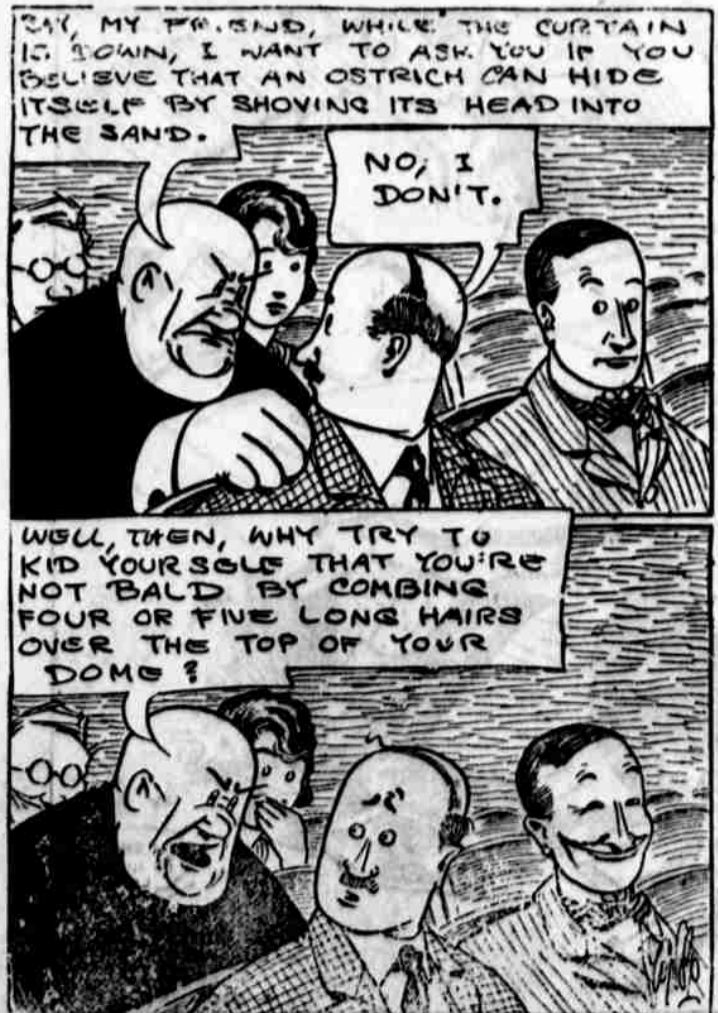
That a person can live and thrive without a stomach is the theory of a French medical expert.

Under a new marriage law, a Swedish husband and wife can dissolve their marriage on agreement.

An anti-bachelor bill introduced into the Turkish parliament makes marriage compulsory for men over 25.

Pictures printed in dots on the Braille system, are the latest innovation for assisting the blind.

Outbursts of Everett True By Condon



LATEST MARKET NEWS BY RADIO TO FARMERS

WASHINGTON, July 6.—A system of broadcasting agricultural market reports throughout the greater part of the country by wireless will be established July 5 when Post Office Department wireless stations at North Platte, Nebr., Rock Springs, Wyo., and Elko, Nev., were included in the radio market news service of the Bureau of Markets, United States Department of Agriculture. Agricultural market reports on live stock and meats, grain and potatoes in important national markets have been dispatched daily since April 15 from Post Office Department wireless stations at St. Louis, Omaha, and Washington, D. C., and the proposed expansion is due to the successful operation of the service of these points. The Bureau of Markets also arrange recently to broadcast market reports from Pittsburgh by radio-phon.

For the first time in the history of the country it is impossible, by means of the department's radio service, for farmers to keep informed of national agricultural market conditions the same day that business is transacted. Formerly the growers in many sections, now to be covered with the radio news, received their national market news several days late. Every effort is being made to organize the State and county marketing and extension agencies into an efficient medium for the receipt of the market news and its distributing points in each county or group of counties covered. Farmers everywhere are reported to be most enthusiastic over the new

Federal Power Commission.

In compliance with the Federal Water Power Act (41 Stat., 1063) notice is hereby given that the California-Oregon Power Company, 507 Montgomery Street, San Francisco, California, has filed an application covering power development on Klamath River, located approximately between a point in Section 31, T. 39 S., R. 7 E., and a point in Section 5, T. 41 S., R. 6 E., W. M. Any objection to such application, or request for a hearing thereon, together with any briefs, reports, or other data for which consideration is desired, should be addressed to the Executive Secretary, Federal Power Commission, Washington, D. C. 1,8,15,29,6,13,20,27

service. Many newspapers, public institutions such as State Marketing Bureaus, State Agricultural Colleges and others, and wireless operators generally have interested themselves in the work, and desire to be of every assistance in getting the market reports to the farmers as promptly as possible. It is expected that the placing of market news in the hands of the farmers shortly after the close of the markets, and during the day's business, will help materially to regulate the movement of farm products to meet the demand, a condition precedent to the stabilization and equalization of prices of farm products.

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PITRIFIED FOREST
GRASS VALLEY, Cal., July 6.—Four hundred feet below the surface a large log was found recently by workmen drilling a power plant tunnel at Caribou, on the Feather River, near here. The wood was said to be well preserved and not petrified. Geologists state the wood was found in what at one time was a river bed on the west slope of the Sierra Nevada mountains. Some of these buried river beds have been found to be vastly rich in gold.

The various currents in the North Sea are now being tracked by means of sealed bottles.

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ASSETS—	
United States Bonds, Notes and Certificates, State, Municipal and Other Bonds (total value \$22,579,403.00) standing on books at	\$22,246,705.63
Loans on Real Estate, secured by first mortgages	39,003,977.28
Loans on Bonds and Stocks and other Securities	1,442,286.73
Bankers' Acceptances in accordance with State Bank Act	671,574.76
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco	103,500.00
Bank Buildings and Lots, main and branch offices (cost over \$930,000.00), standing on books at	1.00
Other Real Estate (value \$153,000.00), standing on books at	1.00
Employees' Pension Fund (value \$357,157.85) standing on books at	1.00
Cash on hand and in Federal Reserve Bank	7,915,213.74
Total	\$71,383,431.14
LIABILITIES—	
Due Depositors	\$67,792,431.14
Capital Stock actually paid up	1,000,000.00
Reserve and Contingent Funds	2,591,000.00
Total	\$71,383,431.14

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