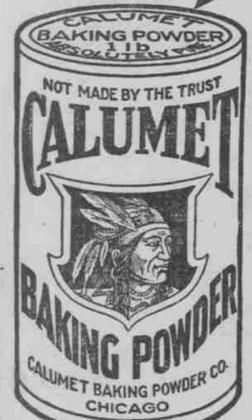


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President Taft Discusses His Attitude on Magazine Postal Rates.

Washington, March 2.—Magazine editors and publishers from various parts of the country called on President Taft to urge further investigation into the postal rates these publications should be paid. The president welcomed the visit of the publishers, whose spokesman was T. J. Zimmerman, editor of System, and in answering them, said that as long as he was in office he was "going ahead to bring about a proper adjustment" of magazine rates.

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## GOES TO WASTE.

Thousands of Acres of Kansas Land Fruitless.

Might as Well Be Under the Plow.

### USE DRY FARMING.

Prof. Jardine Says It Could Be Made Productive.

Tells How the Crops Should Be Rotated.

Manhattan, Kan., March 2.—Thousands of acres of land that ought to be producing crops and making money for the owners are lying idle in western Kansas. These acres are in what is known as the dry farming belt, west of a line running through the east part of Smith, Osborne, Barton, Stafford and Barber counties. According to W. M. Jardine, professor of agronomy at the Kansas State Agricultural college, all that is needed to make application of this land productive is the application of the principles of dry farming.

The rainfall for the eastern third of this dry belt is about 20 inches, decreasing westward until the minimum of 15 inches or less is reached on the Colorado line. To get the best results in the eastern part of the district, Mr. Jardine would use a five-year rotation. The first year's crop would be corn, followed by oats or barley on the corn stubble the next spring.

For the western part of the state, where the rainfall is 15 inches or less, a three-year rotation for summer fallow is necessary. A good series of rotations is kafir or broom corn, followed by summer fallow, with winter wheat the third year. Whenever possible, winter rye or vetch, to be used as green manure, should precede the kafir or broom corn.

Dry land farming is showing excellent results in the eastern part of the arid belt, where land has more than doubled in value in the last eight years. Good results are also obtained in the central part. Dry farming is made difficult in the extreme western part by the high wind velocity evaporating the moisture rapidly from the soil and also blowing the soil badly. But in spite of this, 100 bushels to the acre of saleable potatoes is the record just across the line in Colorado, where the conditions are almost identical.

The standard crops for this country seem to be winter wheat, the sorghums, milo, kafir, broom corn and cane and a few hardy, quick-growing varieties of corn. Alfalfa for seed is generally profitable, and on first bottom lands can be raised for forage. In the arid lands alfalfa should be raised in rows and cultivated just like corn.

No dry land farmer should neglect to have live stock. There is money in hogs, dairy cows and poultry. And he should use only brood sows from his farm work. Successful farming is hardly possible in this region without live stock.

### DREW STRAWS FOR OFFICE.

This Is the Way Constableness of Humboldt Was Settled.

Iola, Kan., March 2.—George McGee, marshal of Humboldt, has been appointed constable for the same city by the board of county commissioners, vice George Rhodes, resigned. There were two applicants for the place, Mr. McGee and W. E. Kelly. Mr. McGee's appointment was made in a novel way.

When the matter of making the appointment came before the board, Commissioner Reynolds said it was a most unpleasant task for him to choose between the two men, both of whom were his friends. Both McGee and Kelly, Commissioner Reynolds said, were tried and true officers and either would make good in the new place.

At the suggestion of Commissioner Travis, straws were drawn to see who would be appointed. McGee drew the long straw and made the appointment of the board. The straws were drawn by Commissioners Travis and Cubbison.

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apple orchard. Its west edge is four and one-half miles east of Hutchinson. Four hundred acres are bearing. Last year, in the heated area, 29,000 bushels of apples were grown. Outside of the heated area there was practically no yield at all. Underwood says he would have had a yield of 300,000 bushels.

### ARM OF THE LAW IS LONG.

Forger Wanted at Lawrence Is Caught in California.

Lawrence, Kan., March 2.—The long arm of the law has reached out to Los Angeles and arrested in W. M. Palmer, wanted in Lawrence for forging and cashing a check for \$12. The check was passed on March 17, 1910. It was a check on the Winking plink bank and purported to bear the signature of H. D. Holland.

Mr. Holland is a contractor and as Palmer was plasterer by trade the check was cashed without question. When it was found to be worthless, Palmer had departed.

### WILL TEST THE TAX LAW.

Right to Assess Certain Contracts Is Questioned.

Hutchinson, Kan., March 2.—A case will be tried in the Reno county district court Thursday, at an adjourned session, which will really be a test case of the Kansas tax assessment law in a certain sense.

The suit is an application by Thos. Collingwood of Pretty Prairie to enjoin Reno county from collecting a tax on several hundred acres of valuable farm land.

Mr. Collingwood, it is alleged, deeded this land for one-half its value, then received an option to rebuy the land at the same rate, one-half value. He then deeded the land to his wife and the supreme court in all probability goes to the effect that the option is void and the tax on the land was to all intents and purposes a payment of interest on the loan.

### BARTON MAN SORRY NOW.

Sold Wheat Crop for the Cost of Seed.

Cliffin, Kan., March 2.—James Tabler, superintendent of the county farm, and who had 80 acres of wheat on rented land close by, has sold his crop for just what the seed cost him.

Tabler was in Great Bend the fore part of last week, before the rain came, and was talking about his wheat, while the president and Willis Bolinger. Now Tabler is spending his time since the rain out back of the barn kicking himself for making the deal.

### INHERITS A LARGE ESTATE.

Young Kansan Left \$30,000 by His Father.

Fort Scott, Kan., March 2.—Lucas H. Johnson, only son of Mrs. Effie Havens-Johnson, and one of the well known young men of this city, is heir to the entire estate of his father, Judge W. H. Johnson, of Ohio, who died on the 14th of last month at Daytona, Florida, where he had gone for the benefit of his health. News of his death was received here recently and with it the statement that he had left \$30,000.

### Five Minutes Sometimes Makes A Big Difference

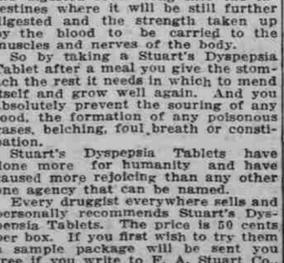
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willed all of his property to his only son although the property is all to be sold and the proceeds invested and held in trust by the executor, Harry L. Johnson and Dr. W. A. Melick, who are to pay the income to the son after he had reached the age of 25, unless the mother is not then living, in which case the entire estate is to be given to the son in fee simple. The value of the estate is estimated at from \$25,000 to \$35,000.

### BLACKHANDERS IN EL DORADO.

They Demand a Ransom for the Return of a Cheese.

El Dorado, Kan., March 2.—Last winter C. E. Dillenbeck received a present of a whole cheese, one of those famous ones, they make back in New York state, where the Dillenbecks had a farm. It was treasured and eaten sparingly of so as to make it last.

Just before Christmas the cheese was stolen out of the back shed, when it was put to keep cool. Mr. Dillenbeck, snorted and howled, he wanted some more of that cheese.

Finally one stormy night another rap and the cheese owner went to the door and peered into space, nothing there but on the floor was a rock and under the rock was a note signed with a "Black Hand." The note said: "We will put five dollars under each case on the river and ask no questions your cheese will be returned," the spot being fully described. Now Mr. Dillenbeck not being an easy one he declined to ransom the five, and became resigned to his fate of a cheeseless winter. Again a tap the other night and this time the cheese or rather the note and cheese for this time it has gained strength till it is able to sit up, and in fact Mr. Dillenbeck is not sure but that it walked home. There are so many crooks in this neighborhood, Mr. Dillenbeck can't decide who swiped the cheese, but he doesn't care now.

### HE PAID PLEDGE TO CHURCH.

James Benner Quit School Till He Had Earned a Thousand Dollars.

Manhattan, Kan., March 2.—Although pledging \$1,000 to help build the new Baptist church here meant to James Benner that he would have to quit college and earn the money to pay his obligation, he did it. Now, the debt having been liquidated, he is back in school and will be graduated this spring, unless unforeseen difficulties arise.

Benner is a member of the class in veterinary science. The story of the student's sacrifice came out today. He returned to discuss it. But his mother, proud of her son's accomplishment, said: "The Lord did it. When James made that pledge he didn't know where he was going to get the money any more than I know right now where I am going to pick up \$1,000. But the Lord has been so good to us that years ago James resolved the first \$1,000 he ever made should be returned to the Lord."

It required 18 months' work for Benner to obtain the \$1,000. He worked for a steel and wire company, experimenting with sulphate of iron as a destroyer of weeds. After he paid the \$1,000 he added \$5 as his share of a Sunday school class pledge.

### CHARGED WITH STEALING GAS.

A Man Who Tampered With His Meter Is Arrested.

Hutchinson, Kan., March 2.—Two warrants were issued in Justice Ricks' court yesterday for the arrest of L. M. Bates, night engineer at the soda ash plant. They were sworn to by J. A. Greenert, superintendent of the Hutchinson Gas and Fuel company. There are two separate warrants, the first that Bates did, on or about December 1, 1910, alter and injure a through which which his residence at 511 North Maple street is supplied with natural gas by the Hutchinson Gas and Fuel company. The other warrant charges Bates with the larceny of 47,520 cubic feet of gas, of a value of \$12.96. It is alleged that the latter offense has been a continuous one covering the time from the summer of 1910, to February 24, 1911. Constable Carrington served the warrants and brought the defendant before Justice of the Peace Ricks, who set the hearing of the case for this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Bates furnished a bond for \$200 and was released.

### DRUNKENNESS NOT A CAUSE.

No Divorce on This Score If Wife Knew Intended Drank.

Parsons, Kan., March 2.—When a woman at the time of her marriage knows that her husband is a drinker, she cannot get a divorce on the ground of drunkenness in the district court of Crawford county, at least, get a divorce by alleging that he is an habitual drunkard.

This was the decision handed down by Judge Andrew J. Curran when he refused to enter a decree in favor of Mrs. Nora Hantz upon her testimony that she had been told before her marriage that Nicholas Hantz was a drunkard. Judge Curran gave her a divorce, however upon other evidence.

"I want it understood that while I am presiding judge of Crawford county I will not grant a divorce upon grounds of habitual drunkenness if the woman knows at the time of her marriage that her husband is a drinker man," said the judge.

### TELEGRAPH OPERATOR DID IT.

Instead of Delivering Telegram He Called Police and W. U. Is Sued.

Kansas City, March 2.—Eugene Black, a merchant of Kansas City, Kan., has brought suit in the circuit court of Wyandotte county against the Western Union Telegraph company for \$1,995 damages, alleging that the company's telegraph operator directed to him and thereby caused his incarceration for two days in the city jail.

The telegram, dated Tulsa, Okla., and addressed to Black in Kansas City, Kan., follows: "Fountain closed. Officers got everything. Stay hid. Two hundred and fifty dollars reward for you. Brown skin Charlie and Tom in jail."

(Signed.) "GEORGE ROSE." Black alleges when he called for the telegram he was arrested. Two days later it was learned there was no charge against him in Tulsa and he was released. He regards the telegram as somebody's idea of a joke.

### STATE OFFICERS OF A. O. U. W.

J. W. Holliday of North Topeka Is Grand Foreman.

Independence, Kan., March 2.—The Kansas grand lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen elected officers for the ensuing year here as follows: Dr. J. W. Graybill, Newton, grand master workman; John

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Women suffering from any form of illness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass. All letters are received, opened, read and answered by women. A woman can freely talk of her private illness to a woman; thus has been established this confidence between Mrs. Pinkham and the women of America which has never been broken. Never has she published a testimonial or used a letter without the written consent of the writer, and never has the company allowed these confidential letters to get out of their possession, as the hundreds of thousands of them in their files will attest.

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Stole a Church Bell.  
Kansas City, March 2.—A 1,500-pound bell purchased by small subscriptions by the parishioners of the Holy Name Catholic church of Rosebud, Kan., a suburb of this city, was stolen last night from the church yard, where it lay waiting to be hoisted to the new belfry. The thieves were arrested as they were about to dispose of the bell at a junk shop in this city.

House Approves N. Mex. Constitution.  
Washington, March 2.—The house has given its formal approval to the constitution of New Mexico, advancing that territory another step toward statehood. The constitution of Arizona has not yet reached Washington and cannot be acted on until the next session of congress.

Catholic College Burns.  
Plainfield, N. J., March 2.—The main buildings of Mount St. Mary's college, a large and well equipped Roman Catholic institution on Watchung mountain, near here, was burned early today, entailing a loss of more than \$200,000. The nearly 250 students and sister in the building got out in safety.

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Were we perfect, which we are not, medicines would not often be needed. But since our systems have become weakened, impaired and broken down through indigestion which have gone on from the early ages, through countless generations, remedies are needed to aid Nature in correcting our inherited and otherwise acquired weaknesses. To reach the seat of stomach weakness and consequent digestive troubles, there is nothing so good as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, a glyceric compound, extracted from native medicinal roots—sold for ever forty years with great satisfaction to all users. For Weak Stomach, Biliousness, Liver Complaint, Pain in the Stomach after eating, Heartburn, Bad Breath, Belching of food, Chronic Diarrhea and other Intestinal Derangements, the "Discovery" is a time-proven and most efficient remedy.  
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