

NORMAL WILL BE PERMANENT

That Is Supt. Winkler's Hopes; Results Most Encouraging, She Says.

The success of the summer normal at Valeta which closed Thursday, will lead up to the establishment of a permanent normal in El Paso county...

Grateful To Teachers and Citizens.

"The support of the El Paso teachers has meant much to the summer normal, which had an enrollment of 36 students. We also feel grateful to the citizens of Valeta, headed by Dr. E. S. White, chairman of the local committee...

Professional Spirit Noticeable.

"The professional spirit shown by the faculty has also been notable. Despite the fact that they had no guaranteed salary, they plunged into the six weeks' work with an enthusiasm that was indeed praiseworthy. Especially commendable was the spirit shown by R. R. Jones, the conductor of the normal, to whose energy and enterprise much of the success is due.

GERMANY WOULD RETAIN BELGIUM

Officials Declare the Blood-Bought Territory Cannot Ever Be Surrendered.

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people accustomed to political independence is to be rejected.

Sharp Friction in Germany.

"This attitude is a cause that nothing can silence," said Dr. Aked. "But, of course, these moderate men are not the only men of influence in Germany and will not have matters their way when it comes to a settlement. Between the moderate men and the war party there is constant strife. The continuance of the war, the nature and conduct of the war are issues sharply drawn between a 'better Germany' and the 'war party'. It is really of more importance to the world as to which of these parties shall win in the more important years of future war...

WILL BRING COLORADO RIVER WATER 11 MILES TO OATMAN

Oatman, Ariz., July 12.—Oatman is to pass out of the camp stage and become a real city. Plans have been made and finances secured by the Oatman Water and Sewer company, a half million dollar corporation, headed by V. S. Rowley, that proposes to furnish public utilities on a scale that will admit large expansion.

Water is to be brought from the Colorado river, a distance of 11 miles, with a lift of 2200 feet to a reservoir that will afford adequate fire protection and that will serve to bring insurance down from its present high figure. Approval of the scheme and its financing has been granted by the state corporation commission.

MARRON & WOOD MAKE REPLY TO ACCUSATIONS OF BAR

Santa Fe, N. M., July 12.—O. N. Marron and Francis E. Wood, constituting the law firm of Marron & Wood, of Albuquerque, have filed their answer to the accusations placed against them by attorney general Frank W. Clancy for the state board of bar examiners with the state supreme court. The accusations had been formulated by a committee. The answer denies specifically and in toto every one and all of the charges...

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And get quality and weight if you don't believe this, call Southwestern and Feed Co., 511 N. Ochoa St. Phone 531.—Adv.

A dollar saved by buying goods produced elsewhere is a dollar thrown at your neighbor's birds.

The first public order sold by vice president Marshall was that of governor of Indiana.

USE ARTILLERY ON SOMME

Heavy Bombardment Maintained By Germans on Fresh Attack on Verdun.

Paris, France, July 12.—There was no infantry fighting of importance last night on the Verdun front or over the portion of the Somme front held by the French. Day's official report says, "Intermittent artillery engagements occurred in the Somme sector. In the vicinity of Souville and Lauffe, before Verdun, a heavy bombardment was maintained by the Germans."

In the Champagne the French penetrated a salient of the German front and took prisoners. Two German raids in the Argonne were stopped by the French fire.

The statement says: "There have been intermittent artillery exchanges along the front of the Somme."

"In the Champagne district, we penetrated a salient of the German line in the vicinity of Proches and brought back some prisoners."

"In the Argonne, two surprise attacks delivered by the enemy on the northern and eastern portions of the front failed under our fire. At La Fille Mortie we caused the explosion of a mine and then occupied the southern side of a crater."

"On the right bank of the Meuse there has been no infantry fighting. During the night, however, there was an intense bombardment on our fire. At La Fille Mortie we caused the explosion of a mine and then occupied the southern side of a crater."

Goodbye Horses, Dictum Of Fire Department, As It Rigs More Gas Wagons

Six horses are soon to lose their jobs on the fire department.

The old combination wagon at Highland Park is to be replaced by a gas truck chassis. This will do away with two horses.

There is en route another chassis that will take the combination wagon at central station. It is equipped with a patent drawbar that will enable it to draw the steam engines. This will dispense with the services of four more horses.

The entire saving to the department will amount to about \$150 per month. The animals will either be turned over to the street department or sold.

"Trucks don't eat while they are not in operation," says the fire chief. "The saving was the way one city hall official commented on the expense that would be affected by the new system."

NEW ROAD FROM LUBBOCK TO OPEN RICH TERRITORY

Lubbock, Tex., July 12.—After considerable consultation between the chamber of commerce of Lubbock and the chamber of commerce of the city of Rich, an agreement was reached between Mr. Pitt, chief engineer of that road, and the chamber of commerce of this city, providing the citizens of Lubbock would contribute the necessary amount of way from the city of Lubbock to the county line.

Mr. Pitt was notified of the acceptance of his proposition and a corps of engineers is now immediately expected in the field to locate a permanent road.

This new line will open up another virgin territory for Lubbock. The trade that will find its way to Lubbock by means of this line has heretofore been forced elsewhere an amount of imperfect transportation facilities.

APPRECIATIVE POLICEMEN GIVE SGT. ARMSTRONG BADE

As a gift of appreciation for his cooperation in enabling them to perform their duties, members of the police department Wednesday night presented Sgt. Thomas C. Armstrong with a gold badge, purchased by popular subscription.

The presentation speech was made by police chief H. J. Zabreckie, before approximately 25 members of the department, assembled in the corporation court room.

The badge is of solid gold, and consists of a star with a gold band encircling the sides and engraved "Sergeant of Police, El Paso, Texas." The design is similar to one worn by Armstrong prior to the presentation.

EXPRESS RATES ARE LOWER ON FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

Santa Fe, N. M., July 12.—Of much interest to the fruit and vegetable growers of New Mexico is the announcement of the state corporation commission that an agreement has been reached between the Wells Fargo Express company and the commission whereby the rates have been lowered so that the minimum express rate is just a little in excess of the prevailing freight rate. The rates for a distance of over 200 miles or more have been lowered from \$2.50 to a maximum of \$2. A scale has been formed for points of lesser distance.

VINTON YOUNG PEOPLE ARE MARRIED BY PRIEST

Vinton, Tex., July 12.—Miss Claudia Gardner and Tomas Contreras were united in marriage Monday at noon at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. father Oudumbe from Anthony, performed the ceremony. The young couple have lived here for many years.

The Mexican population of this district had a dance tonight in the La Union school. Music was furnished by the La Union band.

Merritt B. Holly of Travers City, Mich., has a collection of every known flag of the world.

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Without Plates or Ordinary Bridge Work. Is applicable where two or three sound roots remain in either jaw. It is practically impossible to tell these teeth from those of nature.

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BEGGARS IN ENGLAND SORE

Complain Britons Trying to Drive Them Out Destitute, After Brave Stand.

Brussels, Belgium, July 12.—Belgians returning from England complain of their treatment by the British government and their statements the lot of the 25,000 Belgian fugitives on English soil is deplorable. They are kept under police surveillance and not permitted to live in the coast districts or to change their residence without permission of the authorities.

Many of them find it impossible to obtain employment, because the British workmen object to their presence in factories. When they ask for work they are turned away and told to join the army of their country in Flanders and northern France.

Good Treatment Shorter.

When the war began and hundreds of thousands of fugitives sought an asylum across the English channel even the houses of the best classes were opened to them. For a time they received liberal aid from all sides and lived comfortably, but this did not last long.

The authorities and the public after a few months became tired of supporting them and they were told to give work. When they tried to earn their own living the laboring classes objected to their competition. They were treated as paupers and foreign "scabs" and accused of taking the bread away from British working men. In many cases the manufacturers were compelled to bar them, because strikes were threatened.

In the paper "L'Independence Belge," published in London since Brussels was occupied by the German troops, the Belgian writer, L. de Levaux, says in a copy received here:

Makes Belgians' Lives Miserable.

"England in her egotism has commenced a crusade to drive out the Belgian fugitives by making life unbearable to them. Our people are accused of passing down British wages and we are told that 200,000 Belgians of military age are living on English charity, instead of fighting for their country and the common cause of the allies."

The latter charge is an outright falsehood, according to a recent census the total number of Belgian fugitives in England is 250,000, including women and children. The men among them are mostly over 50 years old.

Declare They Fought For Allies.

"To call our men cowards and 'slackers' is a brutal slander. The working men at Liège, at Namur and on the Yser in the expedition of English and French aid and were mowed down by thousands by the German machine guns. We did not belong to a nation of cowards and they were not fighting for their own interests. The Belgians had nothing to gain in the war against Germany. They did not have to defend the supremacy of their commerce and it was not necessary for them to cross the English Channel."

Called Cowards By English.

"They had no ulterior motives when they cast their lot with England and France and now, after losing everything in the terrible struggle, they are almost treated like enemies and called cowards by the nation for which they sacrificed themselves."

"There are comparatively few Belgians of military age in England. To demand of them that they should leave their families to starvation and to go to the front is brutal. The Englishmen volunteer knows that his wife and children will get ample support from the government, but the Belgians can expect to aid for their dear ones and they may die of hunger while he is dying on the battlefield."

In another article "L'Independence Belge" protests against the order of the British government which forbids the Belgians living in England to furnish war material to their own country. Under this order the Belgian government is compelled to buy directly from the British manufacturers, although the aid of middlemen and the Belgians are not even permitted to act as brokers.

ROSWELL AUTO ROAD SHORTENED

Alamogordo, N. M., July 12.—The board of county commissioners of Otero county made arrangements to create a public road beginning at the mouth of James canyon, a few miles east of Cloudcroft, and running in a nearly direct route to the Chaves county line.

The county commissioners of Chaves county have agreed to create a road from the old Roswell Sacramento mountain road which will connect at the county line with the road to be built by Otero county.

The necessity of creating this road was so urgent that a number of citizens and residents of the Sacramento mountains subscribed something over \$400 in order to hasten the officials in the work of building it.

When the new road is finished it will shorten the route from Cloudcroft to Roswell by from 25 to 35 miles. W. L. Latham, E. Barkley and J. Cox have been appointed by the county commissioners to view the new road and designate the exact course on which it should run.

County Pays Annual Bounty.

The county of Otero has recently paid out \$751 as bounty on wild animals. The bounty is paid by the county in \$2 for coyotes, \$2 for wolves, \$10 for mountain lions and \$15 for bobcats. Bounty was paid on 12 coyotes, 12 lynx, 34 wildcats, three mountain lions and three bobcats.

During the past two or three years coyotes and lynx have been on the increase in Otero county and are quite numerous in some sections. The wolves have increased slightly but they are more wary and harder to trap than the other animals.

La Luz People Prevent Saloon.

On learning that an application for license to operate a saloon in the village of La Luz, six miles north of Alamogordo, had been made, citizens of that community circulated a petition requesting the county commissioners to refuse a license for that purpose. The petition contained 22 signatures, which the county commissioners believed to be a majority of the residents of La Luz, and it was decided that a license should not be granted at this time.

La Luz had a saloon until about three years ago, when it was voluntarily closed by the owner, and since that time until recently there has been no effort made to start a saloon.

REFUGEES FROM AGUA PRIETA RETURN; IN NEED OF FOOD

Touglas, Ariz., July 12.—Hundreds of women and children who fled from Agua Prieta, Son., when war between the United States and Mexico appeared imminent, have returned from Fronteras, having been made citizens of La Luz, and it was decided that a license should not be granted at this time.

Republican candidate for vice president Charles W. Fairbanks was once a farmer.

The Baby Cariole advertisement featuring an illustration of a woman with a baby in a cariole. Text includes: 'The Baby Cariole', 'Indoors', 'Outdoors', 'Bassinet', 'For Travelling and Storage', 'Hoyt Furniture Co. 109-111-113 San Francisco Street'.

ALHAMBRA TODAY advertisement for Dustin Farnum in the Paramount-Pallas Production 'Davy Crockett' As done by Frank Mayo.

UP-TO-DATE 7-PASSENGER CARS, \$2.00 PER HOUR. AUTOS advertisement for Oliver Carr, 418 San Antonio St.

FISH advertisement for Fresh Ones Arriving Daily. Specials for Tomorrow: Trout, lb. 17 1/2c; White Fish, lb. 20c; Chicken Halibut, lb. 20c; Red Snapper, lb. 20c; Shrimp, lb. 30c; Sliced Salmon, lb. 25c; Gulf Flounders, lb. 17 1/2c; Sandabs, lb. 15c; Large Jumbo Frogs, pr 35c. Also fine line of Fruits and Vegetables. Fulton Market, 114 TEXAS, Phone 6900.

SUMMER COTTAGES advertisement for LeBaron, Beisswenger or Davis 'Katydid' cottages for season. Blacker, Still, Stolaroff and Carpenter cottages by the month. Cottages from \$40.00 to \$75.00 per month. Write quick if you are interested. SCOTT B. WILLIAMS, Cloudcroft, New Mexico.

At The UNIQUE advertisement for Mme. Olga Petrova, 'The Peerless Emotional Actress' in 'The Scarlet Woman'. Five act of exquisite photoplay presenting a vital drama of New York society and the Great White Way. A gorgeous production by Aaron Hoffman. Shows start at 11:30 a. m., 12:45 p. m., 2:30 p. m., 5:15 p. m., 7 p. m., 9:15 p. m. and 9:30 p. m. You See Stars in Metro Pictures.

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There's One and Only One 20th Century Limited advertisement. There's one—and only one—water-level route from Chicago to New York. There's one—and only one—railroad station on the Loop in Chicago—La Salle St. Station. There's one—and only one—railroad station on the Subway in New York—Grand Central Terminal. There's one—and only one—20th Century Limited. Lv. La Salle Street Station, Chicago 12:40 noon. Ar. Grand Central Terminal, New York 9:40 a. m. New York Central Railroad. 'The Water Level Route'—You Can Sleep. Ten Other Fast Daily Trains including the LAKE SHORE LIMITED—Lv. Chicago 5:30 pm. Ar. New York 5:25 pm. LAKE SHORE No. 6—Lv. Chicago 10:25 am. Ar. New York 9:20 am. Apply to your local agent for tickets and sleeping car reservations, or for complete information call on or address our DENVER OFFICE, 718 Seventeenth Street. ERWIN TEARS, General Agent Passenger Department.

WITNESSES FOR DEFENCE UPHELD advertisement. Orpet's Counsel Explains Changes in Testimony; Denies State's Charges. Waukegan, Ill., July 12.—Resulting his argument for the defense today in the case of William H. Orpet, charged with the murder of Marian Lambert, attorney Ralph F. Potter defended the integrity of his own witnesses, particularly H. J. Carlin, the investigator. The state had insisted that Carlin persuaded state witnesses to change their testimony. Not one word of proof has been brought against the investigator, Potter said. The attorney then turned to Josephine Davis, who spent the night with Marian on February 3, before the latter's death. At the inquest and to state officers Miss Davis had said Marian was happy, never made a threat of suicide and never cried. "I was angry at Orpet for what he did to Marian," I thought that guilty and wanted to say things that would hurt him," Josephine said in her testimony. "I talked with my mother and gradually I dawned on me that I had no right to act that way." Mr. Potter said that no one could disbelieve this story, confessing of Josephine's deliberations by Saturday night. He said that her words had a weight more serious than she had realized. Her feeling of spite had been into a great wrong, the lawyer explained, and she purged her soul of it on the stand. It is believed the jury would begin its deliberations by Saturday night. No one here seems to be able to venture a prediction as to what the jury is going to do in the case. The issue has been so confused, it is said, that almost any sort of a verdict would not cause much surprise.

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National Guardsmen advertisement. On Your Return to the East TRY THE. Sunset Limited (Daily at 8:45 a. m.) IT WILL SAVE YOU TIME AND GIVE YOU BETTER SERVICE. ELECTRIC BLOCK SIGNALS, SAFETY, SPEED AND COMFORT. OIL BURNING LOCOMOTIVES. DINING AND OBSERVATION CARS. City Ticket Office No. 206 No. Oregon. Take the Californian West at 6:45 a. m., Dining and Observation Car. R. B. BIAS FUEL COMPANY. Better prepared than ever to serve our customers promptly and efficiently. Phone 549. WOOD. COAL. FEED. POULTRY SUPPLIES.