

Peas, 50¢; Mexican gold, \$50; automobiles, \$35.50; ...

WEATHER FORECAST. El Paso, partly cloudy; west Texas, partly cloudy in south, showers and colder in north; New Mexico, snow in north, rain in south; Arizona, rain, rain in northeast.

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MAYOR SAYS BOND ISSUE UNDESIRABLE

Says City Could Not Hope To Obtain Par Under Present Conditions

TAX RATE NOW NEAR MAXIMUM

Interest And Sinking Fund Could Not Be Handled At Maximum Figures

CONDITIONS in the bond market make a city bond issue highly undesirable at this time, according to Mayor Charles Davis.

At present, according to information received here, the maximum city bond issue is \$1,000,000.

Wherever it is possible, Mayor Davis contemplates the possibility of increasing the city tax rate by 20 cents, which would increase the city's revenue by \$100,000.

At the present time, Mayor Davis said, "large private industries are suffering because of the depression."

While the city charter provides that bonds shall not be issued for the purpose of providing for the city's debt, it is possible to avoid that provision.

Free—A Copy of the Covenant of the League of Nations—Free

NAME: _____ STREET: _____ CITY: _____ STATE: _____

Morganatic Wife Battles For Life Of Greece's King

Of Greece's King



Mrs. MANOS

PARIS, France, Oct. 22.—Mrs. Georges Fernand Wilton, nee French aristocrat, has returned from Athens where she attended King Alexander. It is understood she treated the king with infectious of serum prepared from the wound itself.

Wilson Will Recognize Mexico Soon

President-Elect Obregon So Informs His Countrymen After Visit to U. S.

Mexico City, Mex., Oct. 22.—Gen. Alvaro Obregon, president-elect of Mexico, returned from Dallas, Texas, yesterday and told interviewers he was impressed by the cordiality of the reception given him there.

General Obregon admitted he had heard rumors that United States officials were planning to recognize him as president of Mexico.

Patron Prisoners Freed

Patron prisoners freed and released from the county jail at El Paso, Texas, yesterday.

M'SWINEY NOT PERMITTED TO SEE SISTERS

Home Office Says Their Visits Have Interfered With Careful Nursing

REPORTED SINKING AT NOON BULLETIN

Exchange Telegraph Says Lord Mayor's Last Moments Are At Hand

LONDON, Eng., Oct. 22.—Grave reports were in circulation at noon today regarding the condition of Venetice MacSwiney, lord mayor of Cork, on the seventy-second day of his hunger strike in Brixton prison.

The death of the Irish lord mayor was reported at noon in a bulletin from the home office.

Trade Envoys Will Arrive Here Monday

Train Is Expected to Reach Juarez at 7:30 O'clock; Reception Is Held at Saltillo.

League Council Afraid To Defy Big Powers

But May Settle Dispute of Small Nations

LONDON, Eng., Oct. 22.—Campaign against attacking the league of nations as a device of the victors over the vanquished is being waged by the small nations.

Man Under Charge Of Murder, Believed Dead, Reported To Be Alive

Mystery Surrounds Unearthing of Empty Grave in Which Man Charged With Killing Two New Mexico Ranchmen Was Said To Have Been Buried; State May Offer Reward For Arrest.

COMING as a sequel to the finding of an empty grave in a country churchyard near a small town in Texas town, the December term of district court at Socorro, N. M., probably will set and call to trial on a charge of murder one B. J. Cochran.

Two Ranchmen Killed. About two years ago, according to official records of Socorro county, Cochran was alleged to have shot and killed Ernest Cooper and Jim Cooper, brothers and partners in the ranching business.

Award Woman \$200,000; Record In Alienation Case

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SOLUTION OF MINE STRIKE IS FORECAST

Miners Accept Invitation to Meet Government for Re-opening Negotiations

RAILROAD MEN NOT TO STRIKE

New Proposals Drafted That Are More Acceptable To Mine Workers

LONDON, Eng., Oct. 22.—(By the Associated Press)—The industrial crisis was temporarily bridged into late afternoon when the striking coal miners accepted an invitation to meet the government for renewed discussions of the miners' demands.

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SCANLAND, OUT ON BOND OF \$25,000, IS BEATEN TO DEATH

Man Who Shot John Hutchings in Last Year's El Paso to Phoenix Road Race Is Found Dead, With Body Badly Bruised, in Outskirts of Washington; Had Been Killed Three Days Ago; Was Under Penitentiary Sentence.

MAJ. F. M. SCANLAND, who was sentenced to eight to ten years in the penitentiary for killing John Hutchings, New Mexico's automobile race idol, a year ago, was beaten to death in the outskirts of Washington, D. C.

Expenditures of Democrats Near \$700,000

Poll Tax Law for Women Is Held Invalid

Mather Shoots Teacher For Reprimanding Son

Cox Invades New York For Busy Day of Talks

Begged Mob Not To Lynch Him; Acquitted of Charge

Hotels Clubs Convene

Anxiety Felt By Japanese Over California Situation

Hundred Die When Two Chinese Trains Collide

Headlines in Today's Theaters