Cooperators Are Not Pikers, Anyway

LINCOLN, Neb., August 5.—Wheat is said to be the largest cooperative organization of farmers in the United States has put been formed here. It will market the grain of the 40,000 members of the Nebraska Farmers' Union and elevators and farmers and farmers.

The organization, known as the National Cooperative Company with a capital authorized at $2,000,000, according to C. H. Gustafson of Lincoln, president of the Nebraska Farmers' Union and president of the company, has that lands, 300 grain elevators, 50 general stores, 3 grain ...

Willed His Son Sixty Barrels of Whisky

CLEVELAND, Ohio, August 5.—Sixty barrels of whisky and other liquors and a start in life for Herman Rowlandson, age 7 years. The whisky was willed to him in trust by his uncle, Adolph Goodfriend, a German wholesale liquor dealer, who died recently. The will says the whisky is to be sold and the money held in trust until the boy is 21 years of age.

Federal authorities say the liquor can be sold legally for medicinal purposes. They figure that there are 2256 gallons in the sixty barrels. At $10 a gallon the price realized doubtless may, it would be worth ...

Borrow Book Here And Return it There

CHICAGO, August 5.—Borrowing a book from the public library in one city and returning it to the library in the next town where he makes a stop may be arranged for the benefit of the traveling man. The national council of traveling men's associations has appointed a committee to see what can be done along this line and has asked the American Library Association to appoint a similar committee to confer. The library association, accepting the invitation, has just constituted its own committee. John Adams Lowe, vice librarian of the Brooklyn public library, is its chairman.

CATTLE LEGISLATION

SILVER CITY, N. M., August 5.—The executive board of the New Mexico Cattle and Horse Growers' Association will meet here August 9 to consider national forest, cattle sanitary board and legislative matters. Protection of stockmen adjacent to Indian reservations also will be considered.

BOND MARKET PUNK; BOUGHT BONDS THEMSELVES

CLOVIS, N. M., August 5.—The bond market wasn't good this year, so when the people of the Hollene neighborhood issued bonds of $16,000 to erect a new school building the local banks and citizens subscribed the entire amount and saved the bonding house commission.

Fountain pens at the Courier office, $1.50 to $5. Lady's pens also.

Texas Cavalrymen Now Begin "Digging In"

GALVESTON, Texas, August 5.—Texas cavalrymen engaged in the movement of martial law in the city have settled down for a long drawn out stay in Camp Hutchison. Following a statement by Governor Hobby that it necessary to keep the peace save in emergency to marshal martial troops here until his term of office expires, state troops have effectively speaking begun "digging in."

Enlisted here June 1 to protect strikebreakers on the docks, the artillery brigade of Texas cavalrymen, under command of Brigadier General Jacob F. Wolters, has found its duties multiplied. With the suspension, by order of the governor, of the city's entire police department and the partial suspension of its board of city commissioners, the versatile guardsmen took up police duty. Within three hours after the order was promulgated, the soldiers were walking beats.

Just Suits Bailey.

Colonel A. W. Biser, provost marshal, veteran of the 36th Division, acting "chief of police," not only found former policemen among the troops here, but also discovered a soldier who at one time had been a member of an eastern city's detective bureau. This talent immediately was called into service to train the new department, which now boasts motorcycle traffic officers, mounted officers for the residential section, an up-to-date detective bureau and a "riot squad."

Camp Hutchinson, where the men are under canvas, overlooks the Gulf of Mexico and provides unexcelled opportunities for surf bathing. An hour daily, from 1:30 to 3:30 p. m., is set aside for water sports. Movies, baseball and other sports are arranged under direction of wartime welfare organizations, which volunteered for the service.

Counterfeiting Whisky Labels Is the Latest

WASHINGTON, August 5.—A new counterfeiting "industry" has followed in the wake of prohibition.

"This industry," says Chief Moran of the treasury secret service, "is the counterfeiting of the strip label revenue stamp that goes over the corks, or that used to go over the corks, of whisky bottled in bond. Those engaged in the manufacture of whisky are prepared to use these counterfeit stamps and we have arrested three gangs already for doing it."

At present the main problems of the secret service, however, are check note raising, which Chief Moran says has increased to an "alarming extent" in the last year and the forgery of government checks which he adds "has become almost an epidemic."

Records of the secret service show, according to Mr. Moran, more arrests and investigations during the last year than for any similar period preceding.

Shoots at Conductor When He's Put Off Train

LAS VEGAS, N. M., Jack Gibbons and Warren Staley of Lamar, Colorado, were arrested recently in the vicinity of Chapelle by Special Officer Burnett of the Santa Fe and brought to Las Vegas. Both the men were put off a freight train when they were caught beating their way, and as the train started up one of the pair took a shot at the conductor, who notified the officials upon his arrival in this city. Burnett at once started out and met the men as they were walking toward Las Vegas and placed them under arrest. When searched at the jail a complete outfit of safe-cracking tools, a .45 Colts and an automatic were found in their possession. They will be given a hearing in the court of Justice Gutierrez on the west side.

Largest Tin Nugget in the World Found Near Magdalena

MAGDALENA, N. M., August 5.—Frank P. Davis and Alexander McDonald recently found on their holdings on Squaw creek what is said to be the largest tin nugget ever found, not only in this country but in the world. The nugget was found on what has since proved to be almost a solid lodge of tin and has attracted the attention of miners from all parts of Socorro county.

It was sent to New York, where it is being exhibited and from there will be sent to all the large cities of the country. Further south and west of the Squaw creek claims several New York parties are now sinking a shaft and will drift from 100 to 200 feet to give the claims a thorough test. A number of eastern capitalists are now in this territory doing exploration work, and it is thought that this section of the state will develop one of the largest tin producing sections in the country.

Mesquite Honey Is Now Unrivalled

PHOENIX, Ariz., August 5.—Mesquite honey is finding its way to the east to vie for favor with the famed clover honey of New York state and other great flavors. Beginning along the Salt River valley project the best season they have ever known, and say that mesquite honey is selling at an average of $100 a carload.

It is packed in five gallon cans, both for the "expert" trade and for the dealers in this region. One Phoenix dealer has sold more than $5000 worth since it first came into market this season.

The bees whence comes the mesquite "sweetness" are far out in the desert, where the bees do not have flowers to the blossoms of cultivated plants. The honey has no taste of cotton or alfalfa blossoms, but is a pure mesquite.

Masquerading As The Ex-Kaiser's Son

PARIS, August 5.—The report that Prince Joachim of Hohenzollern, the youngest son of the ex-kaiser, was attending a university in Paris caused a comeup of the universities to be taken in this city last week.

A young man masquerading as Prince Joachim was discovered at the College of France. He was in constant correspondence with several Prussian leaders, and at various times had received sums of money from them. He is a Bavarian and throughout the war had been interned on an island near Brest.

The real Prince Joachim committed suicide July 17 by shooting himself during a fit of depression at his home in the suburbs of Sans Souci park at Potsdam.

Man Wanted in Trunk Murder Said to Be in Mexico

DETROIT, August 5.—A photograph said to be that of Oscar J. Fernandez, reported to be in Saltillo, Mexico, was identified about a week ago as that of Eugene Lerner, wanted in connection with the Detroit-New York trunk murder mystery, the police announced. The photograph received from San Antonio police was identified by Patrolman Leo Trumbell and five other Detroit residents.

$250 Cash For The First Bale of Luna County Cotton

S. J. Smith of Deming is the manager of a new gaming company which is being organized in Luna county. The gin will be located in Deming on Railroad avenue.

Among the other gentlemen interested are J. G. Cooper, Clarence Hon, R. L. Miller, J. W. Hopson.

The Toggery, one of the most enterprising firms in Deming, has offered $250 cash for the first bale of cotton ginned in Deming.

Luna county will come into its own as a cotton county. Land with water has already increased in value. The future is propitious.

Spending $50,000 On City Electric Plant

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., August 5. According to Manager Arthur Prager, the work of installing improvements at the Albuquerque Gas and Electric Company's plant is progressing rapidly and will be completed about the first of September. A new automatic feed boiler is being installed and a new chopping machine for the cutting up of the refuse from the lumber mill will be put in, as the plant will be somewhat of fuel for some years to come. When all the work is completed over $50,000 will have been spent and the plant will be one of the best in the state.

32 BUSHELS WHEAT TO ACRE.

(Special Dispatch to Courier.)

CLOVIS, N. M., August 5.—The Curry county grain crop this year is said to be much better than indicated a few weeks ago. Several farmers are getting as high as 32 bushels to the acre. Eighteen combination harvester-threshers took care of the crop.

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Meat Platters, large	35c
Meat platters, small	25c
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CLOVIS, N. M., August 5.—There hasn't been any crime in Curry county lately. Judge Sam Bratton decided it was a waste of money to summon a grand jury for the August term of circuit court. Curry county has 16,000 inhabitants.

Married Same Man Twice; Different Names

DENVER, Colo., August 5.—A Denver woman recently had the unusual experience of being married twice to the same man within two months and receiving a different name each time.

On June 7 Miss Kate Cohen was married to Joe A. Eisenstein. Shortly afterward Mr. Eisenstein had his name changed, through a court order, to Joe A. Gilbert. Mr. Gilbert said his own name was difficult to understand over the telephone in his business connections.

This placed Mrs. Eisenstein in the unusual position of being the wife of Mr. Gilbert without being Mrs. Gilbert, as Mr. Gilbert obtained a new license, went through a second ceremony, and Mrs. Eisenstein became Mrs. Gilbert.

Gee Whiz! Denver Owned Immoral Resort

DENVER, Colo., August 5.—The city of Denver for one month was the owner of an immoral resort, although city officials didn't discover it until after thirty days. A woman hotel keeper was arrested and convicted and her hotel license revoked. After this city officials investigating ownership found that the property was among several pieces of real estate which had been condemned and purchased by the city to provide for an extension of Broadway, one of the main thoroughfares of the city.

Phoenix Finally Gets New Union Station

PHOENIX, Ariz., August 5.—This city is to have a new union railroad station. After many years of bickering the roads which enter Phoenix—the Santa Fe, Prescott & Phoenix and the Arizona Eastern—have agreed to the overtures of the state corporation commission and promised to start construction of a union station this autumn.

Five sites are under consideration. The state commission holds the power of veto on the location of the new depot. A meeting of representatives of the roads and the commission will be held within a short time to determine the site.

As soon as the site is selected the roads and the commission will turn to the consideration of architects' plans.

Girl of 15 Disappears From Santa Fe Train

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., August 5.—Officials here have been requested to help locate Alice Miller, aged 15 years, who disappeared from Santa Fe train No. 1 on the night of July 21. It was said that she was on the train when it reached this city, but there is no record of her ticket being presented to a conductor between here and the next division point. The girl was traveling from Newkirk, Oklahoma, to San Francisco, and was alone. When last seen she was said to have been in good health and how she disappeared is a mystery.

Mary Beer's Eight Year Old Son Dies Tuesday

Cecil Beers, the eight year old son of Mary Beers, who has a homestead near Waterloo, died Tuesday night and the funeral was held from the B. E. Sisco Funeral Home. Mrs. Beers has the sympathy of the community.

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PROGRAM
WEEK Commencing
SAT. AUG. 7th

SATURDAY, 7th
"Something To Do"
Starring Bryant Washburn
Did He do Something? Too Much So!

SUNDAY, 8th
"PEPPY POLLY"
Dorothy Gish
Every Movement a Live One!

MONDAY, 9th
"THE DIVORCEE"
ETHEL BARRYMORE
Should a man of 22 marry a woman of 40?

TUESDAY, 10th
SUNSHINE COMEDY—'Light Weight Lover'
CHRISTIE COMEDY—MUTT & JEFF.
LATEST FOX NEWS.

WEDNESDAY, 11th
Frank Keenan in
"Gates of Brass"
A Play with a Message by a Live Man.

THURSDAY, 12th
A Universal Feature

FRIDAY, 13th
"An Artist's Model"
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