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Southwest News
From All Over
New Mexico and Arizona

W. H. Goddard, supervisor of the Tonton national forest, died at a Globe hospital following an illness of several months.

Local and state contractors met at a banquet in Phoenix and organized the Arizona chapter of the Association of General Contractors of America.

Three Mexicans escaped from the Wilcox jail recently. In some way they had obtained a saw and made an opening large enough to make their escape.

L. B. Eason, night foreman at the sawmill of the McKinley Land and Lumber Company at Albuquerque, was smothered to death when caught in a cave in of sawdust.

The concrete work for the new vault of the Silver City National Bank is all completed and when the entire structure is finished it will be one of the finest vaults of its kind in New Mexico.

Lieut. Col. J. G. Scrugham, governor-elect of Nevada and well-known throughout the West, will be one of the speakers of the "Prosperity Convention" of the Arizona Industrial Congress which will be held in Phoenix, Dec. 18 and 19.

A mill of 500 tons capacity is to be installed at an early date at the property of the Young Mines Company of Youngsberg, Ariz., and production is expected to start not later than next March, according to George U. Young, president and general manager of the company. Considerable development work has been done and new machinery installed at the mine.

Although the Phelps-Dodge Corporation has 500 men at work at its Morenci (Ariz.) branch, Capt. J. P. Hodgson, general manager, has stated that they would be glad to have another 100 or 150. This number is needed at once to take care of the additional work planned by the company. A school has been started to teach "green" miners modern methods employed.

Henry Williams, Jr., aged 16 years, of Estancia, N. M., killed himself recently by placing a pistol against his head and pulling trigger. The boy had been to a nearby church and came home, passed up the stairs and was found a few minutes later lying on the floor of his room, dead. He had been attending school for some time and it was rumored that he had become dependent over a boyish love affair.

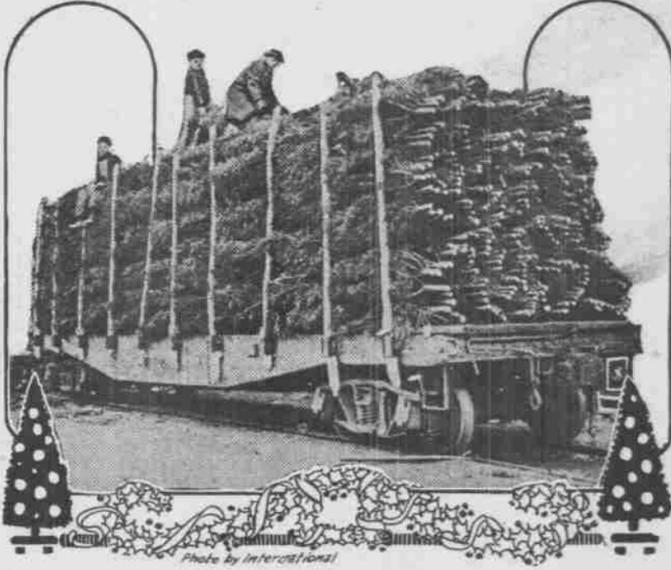
Eastern New Mexico has not been abandoned by oil experts in spite of the fact that several deep holes have been drilled in that section. Geologists are now at work in the La Lande district and it is reported that the McGill Oil Company has agreed to put down a test well on the property. The McGill well which was started several months ago will soon resume drilling and oil experts believed that the first pay sand will be found at not more than 1,200 feet.

Water in the big Elephant Butte reservoir is said to be lower at the present time than it has been in the past two years, but if no more water runs in there will be enough to care for the irrigation in that section for at least another two years, according to the officials in charge. There are 1,400,000 acre feet of water in reserve, or enough to cover that many acres one foot deep in water. No water has flowed into the reservoir since July 20 of this year and there are 200,000 acre feet less water in it than at this time last year. When the reservoir was its fullest last year it stored 1,993,813 acre feet.

Clovis, N. M., has gone back to the curfew days again and the police have been busy rounding up the youths of the city and sending them to their homes.

Out of a class of seventeen applicants who took the regular semi-annual examination for admission to the Arizona bar in the Senate chambers at the Capitol, fourteen of the number passed successfully, according to a report submitted to the Arizona Supreme Court by Judge Selim Franklin of Tucson, chairman of the state board of examiners for admission to the bar. Chief Justice H. D. Ross of the Supreme Court administered the oath to the applicants and they were admitted to practice on motion of Judge Franklin. Those who passed the examination and were admitted to the bar were W. Densell Campbell, Wesley F. Daines, Harry I. Howard, Benjamin F. Hunter and H. W. Ebbelade, all of Phoenix; Russell L. Linton, Joaquin F. Moreno and Arthur R. Thompson, all of Prescott; Hugo B. Farmer of Yuma, Dodd L. Greer of Concho, Frederick A. Kuhn of Casa Grande, D. G. Pace of Bisbee, Dorothy H. Sargent of Tucson and Tildon Edward Scarborough of Miami.

CHRISTMAS TREES &
READY for SHIPMENT



Supplying the country with its Christmas trees is no small job these days. A million or more trees are sacrificed every year and they come mostly from the woods of northern Vermont, and are of two species of pine, the Norway spruce and the balsam fir. People of the Middle West and southern states demand the Norway spruce, while eastern people want the balsam. Here are the trees ready for freight shipment, 2,500 of them to the car, tied up in bundles of three to five trees, according to size.

WILL the Christmas tree become a thing of the past? There are tendencies which would seem to indicate that a substitute may usurp the throne this green harbinger of merriment and good will has held in the hearts of the people for many decades. One of these influences is the danger of a conflagration in the home where Christmas trees are lighted with candles, although this danger is being partially overcome by the use of electricity for illuminating purposes. Another restrictive tendency is the cost of Christmas trees and the growing difficulty of obtaining them. Moreover, a conviction is growing in the public mind that it is poor economy to cut Christmas trees from the tops of mature trees or take down a tree that has been growing for 15 to 30 years for a one day's celebration. The availability of artificial substitutes and the natural trend toward a change in the customs of the people

also bear on the possibility of the disuse of the natural tree. The Yule log succumbed to the greater attractiveness of the Christmas tree. And the Yule log had its predecessors in the various celebrations that occurred at the close of the old and the beginning of the new year during the first centuries of the Christian era. The Christmas tree is believed to be a German institution, but the Romans celebrated the birth of Christ about the middle of the Fourth century by the display of tree decorations, and in some sections of Europe the festival was observed by the employment of pyramids decorated with green twigs and ornaments. Christmas trees should not be cut except from dense growths where thinning of young trees can be made with benefit to the forest. The New York State College of Forestry in the interest of conservation of the forests urges the adoption of artificial substitutes for trees in the observances of the Yule-tide festival.

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Movie romances all seem to read: "And so they were divorced and lived happily ever after."—Imprint.

One nice thing about living in the suburbs—when you miss the last train out you have to stay in town.

"Mummy" Was Drunk.

A woman who was going to Egypt had to be inoculated against typhoid. She was unable to keep a dinner appointment which she had made for the next day, and sent her daughter, aged ten, to make her excuses.

"And what did you say?" she asked the child on her return.

"Exactly what you told me," was the reply. "I said mummy can't come because she was intoxicated yesterday and had a bad headache."—London Tit-Bits.

It takes a dog and the boy who owns it to form a mutual admiration society.

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The Wishing Buttons
By CHRISTOPHER G. HAZARD

TO US children there was a mysterious charm about old Mr. Uplook. He used to spend a good deal of his time in the back part of his shop, turning bits of mahogany into little boats and telling us stories while he chipped and polished. He had a small person in his throat whom he called Pedro, and he would make him grunt out answers to our questions in a wonderful manner. His vest buttons were connected with several insects, and when we touched them there would come out now a bee, then a mosquito, and once in a while a bug that would snap off our noses. The buzzing of the bee, the piping of the mosquito, and the dangerous assault of the snap bug gave us many a thrill and him much enjoyment.

One Christmas time, being rather short of rich relatives and very long on hope, we conceived the idea of drawing upon the fairy resources of our good friend, by suggesting a button that would connect with the good genius of the holidays and bless our wishes. So we asked Mr. Uplook if he thought the first two buttons on his coat could by any possibility have anything to do with the Christmas case. He said that he would have to go into his back room and see about it first, but when he came out we knew by his looks that it would be all right.

We wanted to press the buttons several times, but Mr. Uplook thought that once would be enough, and said that in each case we might whisper two desires, whispering loud enough for him to hear, so that he might be sure we were getting the thing straight. So we pressed and whispered in that perfect faith that Mr. Uplook always inspired in us.

We were not surprised on Christmas morning when things happened just as we had expected, and kind Mr. Uplook seemed just like a real Santa Claus as he stood by the roadside with his camera, taking a picture of one boy with red-topped, copper-toed boots, riding on a new sled; and of another who was trying a pair of

THE INVISIBLE GIFT

THERE'S a gift on the Christmas tree that we cannot see, but we know it's there. There's something that gives value to all the rest and we feel it. With the rich there are fifty gifts to one baby; with the poor, fifty babies to one gift; with both there is this something that makes an equal happiness, something that gives riches nothing over and poverty nothing lacking, something that gives light without candles and warmth without fire. The tree itself springs from it, the Christmas festival sings of it. We are all excited by it and about it. It fills the shops with beautiful things, gathers crowds to buy them, hangs garlands in the windows, carols on the air. It makes the church bells ring and kindles devoutest worship. It is love that hangs upon the Christmas tree. Without the Cross the Christmas tree had never been.

—C. G. Hazard.
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shining skates on the wayside pond and trying to keep a fur cap in its place. And we boys were painting upon our hearts a picture of this good friend that has lasted until now.

VERY SLOW

Mrs. Bug — I've done all my Christmas shopping.

Mrs. Snail — Well I haven't and I started out a month ago.

The Green Christmas.
Some folk say that "a green Christmas makes a fat churchyard," but in Devonshire they say that a green Christmas makes a prosperous year.