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State's Mineral Production Less

SACRAMENTO (U.P.)—The value of California's mineral production during 1940 is estimated by the state division of mines at \$343,536,000, nearly \$9,000,000 less than for the previous year.

Mineral showing declines in production value as compared with 1939 included petroleum, silver, miscellaneous stone and brick. Increases were recorded in the production of cement, tungsten, copper, quicksilver, and minerals of the industrial and saline groups.

Petroleum, by far the state's most valuable product in the mineral group, was valued at \$210,720,000 for 1940, with 224,167,000 barrels produced during the year. The valuation was off seven percent from the previous year, most of which was accounted for by lower prices since production was down only 100,000 barrels.

The first handbill is believed to be a papyrus, discovered at Thebes, which offered a reward for a runaway slave 3,000 years ago.

MINERAL EXPOSITION IN L. A. HAS MANY NOVEL FEATURES

Gold rush days in this state will be relived for eight days beginning Feb. 15 when the Western Mineral Exposition is staged in the State Exposition Building at Exposition Park, Los Angeles. This annual exhibition of specimens, gem stones, strategic and industrial minerals has been arranged by a group of Los Angeles mineralogists and gem collectors in cooperation with Fox Case, president of the Sixth District Agricultural Association, and trustees of the building.

It will occupy special display rooms in several adjoining halls of the building in the basement, on the main floor and on the balcony, including the theatre, where sound and color films depicting various phases of mining and mineralogy will be shown. Both theatre and exhibit are free to the public.

The exposition will be open from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. from Feb. 15 to 22 inclusive. Public school classes are requested to attend during the forenoon hours. John Herman, general manager of the gigantic gem show, estimates that there will be close to \$100,000 of rare mineral specimens and gem stones on exhibit, and says that arrangements have been made to display the \$50,000 collection of leaf and wire gold and nuggets owned by three northern California counties.

Free Gold Panning One of the principal features of the gem exposition will be Bullard's Bar, a miniature reproduction, in the building basement, of one of the noted placer bars of gold rush days. Harry Newitt, executive vice-president of the show, has arranged to build, within a huge concrete tank, a sand-bar heavily impregnated with ground material from California gold mines, where amateur miners may slip into rubber boots, get into the tank, and not only pan gold but take their cleanup home in small glass vials. Arrangements have been made to have a genuine Alaskan Sourdough supervise the panning. Because of the great interest in this phase of the show, General Manager Herman says it will be necessary for panners to register and receive a free ticket to pan, and they will be limited to one pan of gravel per day. In order that the largest possible number may be accommodated.

On the several floors spectators will have an opportunity to see how modern mining is done, and will be privileged to see hundreds upon hundreds of the richest and most beautiful mineral specimens ever collected west of the Missouri. The show is representative of the finest in minerals and metals west of the Rockies. Mineral collectors in a great many Southern California cities will be interested in knowing that representative collections of rocks and gems are being installed at the exposition by a considerable number of mineralogical societies.

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One phase of the display which will be fascinating for everyone will be the fluorescent division in which night prospecting is portrayed by the use of cold quartz lamps and other electrical equipment. With these a large number of different types of mineral and metals are made to give off gorgeous combinations of colors and lights, in a darkened room. There is free parking along the Exposition Park driveways for as many as 2,000 to 3,000 autos at one time.

California produced 24 percent of the nation's gold supply in 1940.

Hot to Toss Red Hot Rivets



Because local unions could no longer furnish enough trained men for work on Grand Coulee Dam project in Washington State, a school for riveters was organized at which this photo was taken. This is the first lesson in a red-hot subject—how to handle rivets. About 60 men will learn, first of all, how to hold rivet with tongs, as shown above.

OUTLOOK FOR STATE FRUIT MARKETS NOT ENCOURAGING

SACRAMENTO (U.P.)—There is little chance of California recapturing fruit export markets in Europe, no matter what course the present war may take, and they may not return to normal within this decade, according to Dr. H. R. Wellman of the Giannini Foundation of Agriculture Economics at the University of California and Berkeley.

Do All Men Fear Women?

WOMAN is the only object in the world man cannot help thinking about. But what he thinks about her is up to the woman.

In a detailed report to the editors of Good Housekeeping, William Moulton Marston, world-famous psychologist and discoverer of the systolic blood pressure deception test, has set forth, in the February issue of the Magazine, the fundamental reaction of man to woman. The essence of Dr. Marston's finding is that the more men are attracted by women, the more they are inclined to disparage them.

Men, says Dr. Marston, are afraid of nothing except their own unfeeling susceptibility to women. They consider this quality a weakness, feel inferior about it, and criticize women because they feel so ashamed of it. Brought down to fundamentals, man feels this susceptibility disparages his masculine supremacy.

The average man will not admit that he is made emotionally captive by the opposite sex. He combats their power to excite him by trying to dominate and belittle. Calling them "silly" and "frivolous" is one of the more harmless male compensations for yielding inwardly to woman's "mysterious, exciting quality." The key to male psychology as it affects women in their relations with men, lies in their realization that men actually are on the defensive, despite external appearances.

Realizing the contradictory nature of men's reactions to her sex, the average woman is confronted with a personal problem. Dr. Marston asks: shall she try to deal with man's susceptibility or with his critical attitude toward women? Shall she concentrate on captivating him or try to live up to his opinions of what a woman ought to be? The first alternative, according to Dr. Marston, is by all means indicated.

"A woman, then, has two kinds of behavior to control—the superficial and the fundamental. By superficial, I mean small talk and such details of appearance and manner and external personality as are apparent in any casual encounter with a member of the opposite sex. By fundamental I mean the type of woman she really is—submissive, maternal, possessive, ambitious."

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Proper Care Will Ward Off Strep Throat

THANKS to sulfanilamide, streptococcus sore throat, one of the most common diseases, has been conquered. People still suffer from it; its cure is often disagreeable and trying; but it is rarely a killer now.

Sulfanilamide is a drug which was first successfully used against the disease a few years ago when President Roosevelt's son John was stricken by streptococcus infection of the throat. Its discovery, according to Maxine Davis whose article "Strep Throat" appears in the February issue of Good Housekeeping Magazine, resulted while a group of scientists at Johns Hopkins were studying a drug to combat the disease, which they had brought from England.

This is the time of year when the danger of the dreaded throat disease is greatest. It gets you when you least expect it and when you come down with a strep throat you are really sick. You suddenly feel ill and your temperature hits between 102 and 104.

When you feel like this never wait to see if you will feel better tomorrow, advises Miss Davis. Instead, Miss Davis tells her readers, to call a doctor. It is most important that he make a diagnosis at once.

It is important, Miss Davis writes, that we know about it, for sometimes or other most of us get sore throats. The threat is always with us, because our mouths and throats are invariably full of germs, including streptococci. So long as we have a stout defense in general health and immunity we are all right. Let us get run down, or be subject to a mass attack of the bacteria so numerous that they can storm our protective white blood cells, then we get a sore throat.

Streptococcus sore throats, she says, occurs in isolated cases or in epidemic form. In warding off the dreaded streptococcus germ, Miss Davis lists the following suggestions:

Take care of your teeth and gums, for they are the first source of infection; have your tonsils and adenoids removed if they are infected; take care of sinus trouble; take care of yourself generally; try vitamin A if you are inclined to catch cold easily; don't get your feet wet; don't get chilled; get as much exercise and sleep as you can.

State Murderers Serve Longer Than Elsewhere

WASHINGTON—Men convicted of murder in California spend more years in prison than in any other State, the Census Bureau reported today.

From a study of prisoners released in 1938 throughout the country, the bureau found that the median time served by a California murderer was 12 years and 8 months. No other State equaled the figure. The median time served in California for all crimes was 42.3 months compared with 46.2 months in Illinois where prison terms are the longest in any State, and 8.1 months in North Dakota where they are the shortest.

Other medians indicated that robbery is more severely punished in California than manslaughter. The median for manslaughter in California was 48.8 months and for robbery 57.8 months. Other California medians were 46.3 months for aggravated assault, 41.5 for burglary and 35.7 for larceny, fraud and stolen property.

Signaling to the driver behind you before you stop will avoid many traffic accidents.

Press Luncheon by P.T.A. Has Treat for All

Once a year P. T. A. press chairmen would like to "mop up the earth" with the newspaper editor who puts their story on the bottom of the last page after cutting it to pieces, and the newspaper club editor who tears her hair because the P. T. A. chairman is late with copy again, bury the hatchet, relax and really enjoy the friendship that underlies "press arguments."

For the Tenth District P. T. A. presidents and press chairmen have a pleasant custom of "forgiving all" on the occasion of the annual courtesy luncheon to the press and mere newspaper women are treated royally, fed a delicious luncheon, adorned with beautiful corsages and handed so many compliments that they sleep that night with anchors on their feet to keep from floating away, so puffed up are they.

Last Thursday more than a thousand women, with a few mere men, attended the Tenth District Press Luncheon in the Biltmore Bowl, Mrs. H. R. Williams, press chairman of the district, acting as witty mistress of ceremonies. More than 100 newspapers were represented and 298 P. T. A. associations.

The local schools and councils were represented by Mesdames William Jolley and J. O. Bishop, Torrance high; J. L. Abbott and G. A. Carvill, Narbonne high; E. W. Lock, Torrance high; Mesdames Frank Frye and C. B. Airey, Lomita Elementary; E. E. Martin, Walteria; A. C. Steel and J. J. Millard, Fern Avenue; Max Schatz, Harbor City; H. D. Rose and I. G. Mayer, Orange Street; J. Marriott, council president; William H. Tolson and Curtis Brown, Torrance.

55 Accused of Violating State Insurance Act

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 23—Complaints against 55 persons, charged with violation of provisions of the California Unemployment Insurance Act, were issued by courts in this state during December, 1940, according to announcement made today.

During the month, a total of 58 convictions were obtained in the courts against persons who filed fraudulent certificates with the Department, a survey revealed.

Since inauguration of benefit payments, a total of 676 complaints have been issued by the courts against so-called "chiselers," and a total of 584 convictions obtained, or a record of 81 per cent of the complaints filed.

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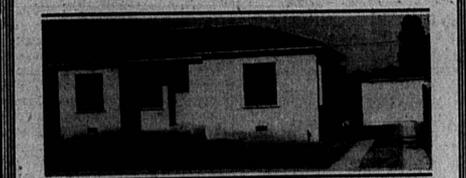


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