

ELECTRIC IRRIGATION HELPS WESTERN FARMS

Provides Artificial "Rainfall" Whenever Needed for "Basic Industry" of Agriculture.

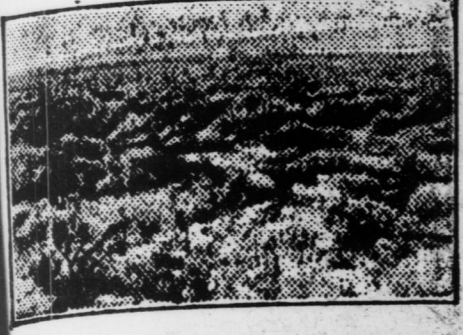
Progress in agriculture, particularly as applied to the western farmer, is symbolized by one thing, prosaic enough in itself—the irrigation ditch. The farmer no longer blames the weather for crop failures, and "hopes

especially the farmer with small holdings.

What electric power can mean is evident when it is realized that agriculture is a great "basic industry"; that hard times invariably follow crop failures; that irrigation is the solution of the western farmer's problem; and that electric power for irrigation pumps is making irrigation easier, more efficient, more reliable and less expensive.

It has been found, incidentally, that in most cases the farmer wants to install too large an irrigation system. The ideal plant is the one that operates continually and has a storage reservoir so that a large, expensive pump is not needed.

When a small installation of this sort is at work, with a storage reservoir capable of holding all the water



Desert Land from Lack of Rain

for better conditions next season. Nowadays, if the rainfall does not suit him, he produces his own rainfall by a twist of the wrist, or the push of a button, in exactly the quantity he desires, and at precisely the time it is needed. Furthermore, he puts it on the particular piece of ground which he wishes to cultivate. The application of electric power to irrigation, through the rugged electric motor, has simplified and economized the process for the farmer,



This Also Was Desert Once

pumped over a period of twelve hours, the plant could be run all night, and in the morning the farmer would find a full reservoir, from which he could water his land as needed through the day; and at night the reservoir would be empty, thus completing the cycle

AN AMATEUR CONGRESS.

Members are Nearly Equally Divided in Politics.

(By JOE SNYDER.)

The members of the Amateur Congress met in the Capitol building in Mugville last week. As they walked through the streets of the city the citizens noticed that there was something unusual going to happen, and when the speaker, D.O. Little, called "time," the members took their seats as usual.

A member from Oakland moved that a committee be appointed to look into the charge against John Bushyhead, the secretary of the navy. The charge was that the secretary had been seen in company with a black grey man on a dark moonlight night, and that he acted suspiciously, as the man seemed to have been drinking near beer, and who was trying to get the secretary to drink with him.

The secretary was called in and denied the charge, saying that on the night in question he was with the secretary of the treasury and that they both were drinking soda pop. Then the committee who had charge of the charge against Bill Sausage, the attorney-general, moved that his chair in his office be declared vacant. The attorney-general, who was present, rose to a pint of water and said this committee had nothing to do with his seat or his chair as he had bought both his seat and chair and the government had nothing to do with it. He was asked what he was doing one night prancing down the main street with Miss Carry A. Gunn, a woman who had bobbed her hair, bobbed her dress on both ends, and bobbed her socks? The attorney-general reminded the committee that he had gotten permission from his ma and pa to walk down the street with Miss Gunn and he didn't care who know'd it.

Then a charge was brought against Tom Hotdawg, a member of congress, in that he stopped at Muggsville's Bonanza Hotel one night and had to sleep in a bed with another person and that in order to get the bed to himself, he told the other person he had the itch, causing the said person to lose a night's sleep, contrary to the laws of Mugville and the village of Pittsborough. Another charge was that he was seen with Miss Letta Carr in a very compromising position in that he lit a cigarette for her and handed it to her with his left hand. He was ordered to buy the committee a gallon of liquor. Said he'd go to jail first as buying a gallon of liquor would break him, unless congress raised his wages. His case was postponed until last week.

The committee appointed to look into the whiskey ring got into the ring and all finally got out but were very drunk. One of them said he got the names of the whiskey ring, which is composed of Fuller Rox, Francis Hush, Newt Wantmore and A. Fish Pote.

After some talk by the members it was agreed by them that the ring was incurable and should be sent to Siler City for safe keeping.

Other committees made reports on the

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WANTED CEDAR POSTS, four inches, up in diameter to as large as they grow, by eight feet long, both ends to be sawed off even. Bring four and five inch posts on separate loads from the larger posts. No doty posts or those with spikes or nails will be accepted. Deliver to Noe's Planing Mill, D. B. Noe, Pittsboro. tf.

BRING THOSE OLD SHOES TO The Chatham Hardware Co., and have them repaired by an expert on electrically driven machinery. Prices reasonable. Feb. 14-tf.

MONEY TO LOAN—We have \$50,000 to loan to the farmers of Chatham county within the next ninety days at 5-2 per cent interest and from 1 to 99 years time. Chatham Realty Co., V. R. Johnson, secretary, Pittsboro. tf.

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EXECUTRIX NOTICE.

The undersigned having this day qualified as executrix of the estate of Alleus Stone, deceased, late of the county of Chatham, state of North Carolina, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the estate to present them duly verified to the undersigned on or before the 31st day of March, 1924, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons owing said estate will come forward and make immediate settlement. This the 31st day of March, 1924. Mrs. MARY D. STONE, Executrix. W. P. Horton, Attorney. May 8-p.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of O. M. Dorsett, deceased, late of Chatham county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the said estate to present them on or before the 6th day of March, 1924, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment. This March 6th, 1924. Mrs. ALICE DORSETT, Administratrix. Rt. 1, Cummeok, N. C. Apr 10-p.

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