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Phrase of the moment

It is said that opportunity calls at our door but once in a lifetime; but it is a fact, that each one of us is quatied by talents, instincts, tendencies, abilities and general characteristies of nature to perform certain things better than others, therefore devote your abilities to the one field of effort for which you are best qualified; and make your own; for the self created opportunity is always the best.

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MAN OF THE DAY Another Function by the Star Combination Company



On December 22 last, Antonio Cruz Bolaños, with vvhose photograph vve honor these columns, obtained from the National Lavy School rt San José, the Degree of Bachelor of Lavvs, after passing his examination with ho-nors before a Board of Exáminers constituted of five of the most able members of the Bar. The significance of the distinction merited to Mr. Cruz does not rest alone in fact of he having qualified to practice as an Attor-ney-at-Lavy before the Tribunab of Central America, but avaluable services for the divaluable services that he will be able to render to the public in general, especially to the english speaking element residing in Costa Rica, because of his unusual culture and commad of English in every subject of the language.

Just as his father and other ancestors, Mr. Cruz has been fortunate to have lived the life of and have been a student for some toventy years, never allowing the opportunity to acquire knowledge to go by.

He has trod the doors and occupied a student's bench in some of the best educat nal and professional institutions in Central America, England and the United States of America. After completing his elementary and secondary training here, he entered the Guatemala National Institute from vyhich he graduated vyith the degree of

A. B.; he then proceeded to England vyhere he received his secondary training in English and later entered the Infantry School of Camp Benning, Georgia, U. S. A. for military training. But this vyas not all.

Immediately after his graduation from the Military School, he studied at Layola University of Nevv Orleans, La., where he again received the degree of Bachelor of Arts; and finding that he vvas inclined for the legal profession, don Antonio entered Columbia University of Nevv York vvhere he received the degree of Bachelor of Lavs, and vvas admitted as a member of the Tau-Delta-Phi fraternity in the early part of 1927, vvhen he decided to return to his native is at Costa Rica.

Upon his arrival here, Mr. Cruz inmediately entered the National Lavv School, so as to become perfectly informed with our jurisprudence, and in the meantime obtained permission to function in the Civil and Criminal Courts. each for one year, and during the third year he worked in association with his father, to acquire practice in proceedure.

Mr. Antonio Cruz Bolaños is a son of Mr. Luis Cruz Meza a popular and eminent Attorney of Costa Rica and the nephew of the late Antonio Cruz, considered as one of our lavvgivers, who in 1888 vvas appointed a member and president of the Commission composed of such noted Jurisconsults as don Cleto Gonzalez Viquez, don Ricardo Jimenez, don Ascension Esquivel and don Jose Astía which codified the Civil and Commercial Lavvs of the country.

Since his graduation, Mr. Cruz has been offered a prominent position by a foreign Corporation of repute operating in the country, but, as he desires to obtain a vvider

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Messrs Thomas and Samuels again entertained the Theatre Fans at Arrasty's on Monday night by another shovy, vvith his troupe of performers; vvho acquitted themselves in a manner that brought great applauses from every section of the house.

Indeed the different acts performed by there artists can stand reproduction and appreciation in any country. Limon and Costa Rica generally may vvell compliment herself in having such a local company, organized trained and comprised entirely of Costa Ri-

New Year Greetings
Limon Service Bureau

Wishes to express to its namerous clients friends and collaborators, through this medium, its atternost gratitude and highest appreciation for their unselfish support and cooperation during the year 1930, and anticipates for them happiness and prosperity during the ensuing Year.

Emiliano Odio Aurelio E. Bermúdoz Counseller Soliciting Manager

Limon, January 1931

Politics in and around as

During the past fornight much unrest has arisen in political affairs not only in C. Rica but in some of our Sister Republics.

Our Ministers of Finances and Education, Messrs. Carlos Aragón and Ricardo Fournier have resigned their portfolios.

A foolish attempt at revolution vvas made in Grecia by Mr. Ernesto Martín, a prominent lavvyer of San José and a fevy follovvers, but they overe arrested and all is quiet. Four guards overe vvounded in the fraces.

In Panamá there vvas a Coup d'etat, by vvhich President Arosemena vvas. forced to resign and Mr. Alfaro has been called from Washington to take charge of the Presidency. The Star and Herold has been suspueded in consequence.

The nevy government of Guatemala has been acknowledged by Costa Rica and the United States of America.

President Moncada of Nicaragua is protesting against the vithdravval of the American Marines from his country, but the populace demands it, con born players, it only goes to show what our people are capable of doing under proper training. It is only fair to say that the Benbovy troupe would sink into insignificance before this Company in time.

The Buck dances, kick-

The Buck dances, kicking performances and limbering and stretching excercises of the troupe is certainly marvelous. As a comedian Mi. Sy-

As a comedian Mi. Symes, son of our deceased Limonense Tity Symes the Druggist is a credit to us, and vvill vvith continued practices be as a good as anything of his class. The leading actress Miss. Bougle, has mastered her training vvith such ease and grace that cannot fail to afford her a vvonderful career on the stage. The aerobatic feats of the performers predicts for them in years to come great successes in this art.

The hypnotic exercises of Proffesor Thomas was clean and vvell done. In fact the presence of this Company in any town is vvell worth the support and appreciation of any community and we are predicting for this Company of players great successes wherever they go.

Little Miss. Leon will

be a great actress and a

credit to her people. In short there vvas not one of the troupe that did not perform his or her part vvell, ofcourse as is customary vvith nature, some vvith greater ease and brilliancy than others.

They intend breaking out for San José at an early date and if they are properly advertised, there is no reason they should not have unbounded successes in all the cities of the Interior.

Unfortunately theyoungsters of the Band have been a bit unreasonable in their demands; on the Manager.

As is customary vvith some individuals, they want to get rich overnight hence these men, after practising for six or seven months, they vvould expect to retrieve all their time lost on the very first performance that they put before the public, by demanding an exorhitant amt. from Mr. Thomas, by vvhich the Comandante had to intervene, or there vvould have been no show on Monday.

It is evident that considering that the instruments belong to Messrs. Thomas and Samuels that they will have to reorganize this section of the Company by a feasible contract.

THE MAN!! THE MAN!!

This is the phrase of consternation now in Limon. The heads of families of Limon are living in fear and trembling in consequence of the perambulations of this supposed Sacrifice man around the town.

It is said that this man in conjunction with his partner Martley, have been digging a treasure in the vicinity of Rio Bartolo and Moin, and another near by to the Pocomyah Church on the road to Camp one, but for Want of a sacrifice of human blood, as is the practise among these black art wizards especially from Haiti and the French west Indies the treasures cannot be lifted. Hence it is said that as Mrs Martley's life

was not given by the husband; children are being sought now.

On New Year,s night it

On New Year,s night it is said that this man mysteriously got into the home of Mrs. Duncan near the U. N. I. A. and was luring one of her children to him but got away when the attention of the Police was called, by climbing down the Verandah Post in the back. Since then it is said other attempts have been made to entrap children, but a few days ago an attack was made on three girls at Cieniguita. The attention of a Detective was called to this, but nothing has been done.

ing has been done.

It is time that the Police investigate this scandal around Town.

"The Searchlight"

in wishing her many patrons and readers great happiness and contentment throughout this year, begs to express its appreciation

great happiness and contentment throughout this year, begs to express its appreciation for the many favours extended to our efforts, and solicits the continuance of your kind sentiments during the past, throughout the ensuing year.

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At the same time it is my Sincere wish that, may no cloud mar the brightness of your pathway so that you may all be blessed with unbounded happiness and prosperity all the year through.

> J. T. McRac Botica Moderna

A Birthday Par

Berthday celebration.

very enthusiastic dance vvas held at the home of Mrs. Doris Falconer of Cartago on the night of the 25th Dic., in conjuction with the celebration Miss Jane Robinson's birth day; invitations vvere extended to a large crowd of folly friends from La Florida and Cartago among those present yvere. The Misses Dolores and May Gallop Mr. L. Glasgovv of Panama, Miss Enid Benedict, Mr. Guillermo Anteguera of Panama, Miss

Carnegie, Mr. Kenneth Bobb, Miss May Lou Stephenson, Mr. Clyde Gallop, Mr. S. C. Nation, Miss Theresa Ricketts Mr. Robert Bobb, Mrs. Cameron and others. A fine time vvas had by all.

Miss Jane Robinson hails from Mandeville, but has been in the employ of Mr. Cecil Lindo for several years; and her presence among her friends in Cartago gave rise to her entertainment by them, as a mark of appreciation.

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What is there in a name?

Sunday last, The Ven. Archdeacon Oakley kept his audience spell bound by his sermon on the significance of the name Jesus» and went on expressing that all names carry their corresponding significances and influences.

He took his theme from the 21st verse of the 2nd Chapter of St. Luke's gospel, proving that this name was selected by the Angel before the child was even conceived, because there significance of what his life on earth should have been «A Saviour» to fallen mankind; and he went on to show that all Christian names for Children of christlike parents should carry some thought as to what they would like that child to attain in life. As every name given to a

child at Baptism is the name by which that child is known to God, so parents should not be frivolous in naming their children, beause every name has an influence on that child for good or evil, especially when named after some saintly person who has gone before, would we expect the life of that person to weigh some good influences in the life of the child so named. He proved that there is therefore much in a name.

He announced that his Lordship the Bishop would soon be here to perform the rites of Confirmation early in February. It pleasing to note the marked attention of the congregation to every word that fell from the lips of this venerable leader of the Faith of our Fathers.

Year's

How old art thou?

At the passing away of 1930. I am mindful to write a short message relative to our life's duration and pilgrimage on this earth with the fond hope that it will be profitable How old art thou? «This was a question asked by Pharoah of the old patriarch Jacob when he went dovvn to Egypt at the invitation of his son Joseph. And the answer to the question yyas, «The days of the years of my pilgrimage are an hundred and thirty: fevv and evil have the days of the years of my Itfe been.

I do not intend to vvrite on Jacob's life. Suffice it to say that of all the patriarchs that Scripture has given us an account, there is none vyhose life is more pitiable. He vvas novv about to begin a nevv course of living. His home vvas novv to be in a nevv country, Egypt, and among nevv environments, etc. Taking a retrospective vievv of his past life he beheld vanity and vexation of spirit. He expostulated with the king in the manner as quoted in answer to the question. «Hovv old art thou?» As vvas vvith the patriarch Jacob so it is vvith us one vvay or another in our life's journey. Jacob vvas 130 years old and he accounted his years fevy and evil on account of the dificulties that outveighed the good, in comparision with his forefathers Abraham and Isaac. What sayest thou of this my brethren? Looking back on the past vve cannot but behold breaches and gaps of unsatisfactory nature. Bereavof comforts, of friends and relatives by death; sufferers of pain, need, sickness and other adversities vve

cannot but look upon our lifes course as the patriarch

We are begining a nevv milestones of our life's journey. Would it be out of reason for us to consider the number of days as to hovy far vve have advanced spiritually? Thedays of our age are three score years and ten: tho some may depart prematurely and others livve so much longer above the limit, yet it is appointed unto all men once to die, sooner or later. Hovv old art thou?

We have closed another year and vve have got thus far on our life's journey; vve knovv not vvhat is before us in the Nevv Year. There may be joy or sorrovv, yea even death. It has been so with others, as vve experienced in previous years. But it makes no difference vvith the believers in Christ, and all things vvork out together for good. While vvorking for material success let us also labor for that vyhich perishes not. «For vvhat shall it profit a man if he shall gain the vvhole vvorld, and lose his ovvn soul, or vvhat shall a man in exchange for his soul? Let everyone vvho has been spared to see the davvn of 1931 resolve to followy Jesus in the yvay. He came the vvorld to seek and to save the lost. And may your daily motto be.

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The Revd. Frs. Acosta and Albert Walgarten graced us vvith their presences. Mrs. Apoline Joseph, President to the Ladies Auxiliary to the Kt. of S. J. Miss Cristina Gayles, President of the Juviniles, Miss. Ester Aimsworth, school teacher, Miss. Irons, Mr. E. Van Brovvn, Secty. of the St. Antony Society, Mr. Percy Irons Hon. Scout Master 2nd Limon pied the rostrum of honor, on the floor vvere Sr. Her-nández, Sr. Gayle, Miss. Hortensia Hernández, 1 St. Vice Juvenile, Sr. Annie Clarke, Sr. Precilla Davis, organist, Miss Zoila Rosa Van Brovvn, and Dolores

Joseph, Janitor.
Mr. B. ovvn explained the reason for the gathering, as he acted as chaicman Fr. Wolgarten gave a lovely adress to Miss Irons, explaining the tough time she had had in Siquirres and that her bed vvas not strevvn vvith roses, but her

vvith thorns. He has realized that she has acepted the call to evangelize, and she stayed up there vvith all its hardships, ad mayor am Dei Gloriam. Mrs Joseph next read an adress from Auxiliary, of vyhich Miss Irons vvas an active member, both in Jamaica and here. She has been Secretary for two consecutive years at home. Sr. B. Gayles gave a small speech, small, but filled vvith affection. Mr. Irons thanked the good Fathers and kind friends for the sentiments they had displayed tovvards his sister.

Miss Irons returned thanks and begged us to pray for a safe voyage for her, and has promised us to return if she can help it. She then begged us to sing vvith her a hymn to Our Little Teresita of the Child Iesus. The little entertrainment ended vvith a light refreshment. Miss Irons has indeed been one of the fevv young vvomen vvho kept up their integrity, even as they vvere vvont to do at home. Hope vve may have more of her type here and less of the

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With this confirmation hovvever is expected the resignation of don Juan Rafael Arias as Minister of the Interior, in consequence of former personal differ-ences with don Tomás.

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Timothy Vassel Jamaica Town.

Limón 20th December.

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the Hospital from his nostrils, on the 1st January 156 were extracted, on the second 29, on the third 54 and on Sunday the fourth 45; he complains for awful pains in the head; this curiosity only started since the last five or six days.

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From early morning Mrs. Cipriana McPherson Clara Salmon and other cowarkers of the Ladies Department assisted by Miss Aida Cranston owner of the Restaurant «Aida» got busy, and at three p.m. the feast was spread and the poor were gathered in the com-Hall. attended modious to by the Officers and friends of the U. N. I. A. and The Editor of The Searchlight who were both associated in the effort.

Ensign Wright opened the dinner with thanksgiving to God, and a eulogy for the gentlemen who had conceived the thought. Mr. Nation who was the promotor of the idea, welcomed the then friends who had accepted the invitation, as well as the visitors who had attended to assist at the function, he also spoke at some length on the glorious inspiration of Mr. Marcus Garvey for bringing into effect an Organization such as this for the improvement of the Cultural and

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by which we have been enabled to meet as we are met here this evening for extending the hand benevolence and humanitarian fellowship with those who of our kinsfolk are rendered feeble, whether by increasing declining expressing the hope that now that the idea has been launched, there will be a continuation of these reunions with onr former companions of our activities in daily toil, remembering at all our Seasonal festivities that there are many around us at these times who cannot sometimes afford the usual dinner to which they have been accustomed to celebrate such days whether they be Independence Day, Easter Day, Christmas Day or New Years Day; assuring the Officers of the present Administration of the Div that it is only by such reunions of the feeble, the youthful and the able bodied that the successful achievements in the aims and objects of the Association can be attained:

racial concept of the Negro

The President of the Division Mr. W. A. Reid then responded in his usual forceful manner, giving a hearty welcome to the feeble brothers and Sisters promising during his tenure in office, to follow the example set, by a continuance of such reunions. Mr. Dan McKenzie the eight year Treasurer of the Society spoke of the enormons good such an initiative must entail Mr. lames Hall of Jamaica Town also eulogized Mr. Nation for his forethought in bringing about such a pleasant and beneficient func-

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in the Lavvs of the Cosmos. All occurrences have their reactions and those vvho do not economise during prosperity vvill not be able to meet the repulsion. Economy is one of Nature's greatest attribute and I assume vvithout fear of contradiction that if Allah, the Creator vvas not perpetually economising, the universe vvould long ago have returned to chaos. This statement seems paradoxical to the layman, but an exhaustive study of Nature reveals the veracity of it.

Economy in general, vvell developed and directed in proper lines can be the medium through vyhich the sufferings of humanity can be ameliorated, placing us on a better platform of prosperity unvvii nessed for a long time. May this year of 1931 find the inhabitants of this country developing the economy consciousness vvhich vvas impressed upon us by the Editor of this paper, Mr. S.C. Nation and may vve ever unite vvith him so that unbounded succes vvill attend him. May vve be ever grateful for his foresight in delivering to us the important message of developing the «Economy Cons-

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THOUGHTS

PERITY AND HAPPINESS DURING THE NEW YEAR ARE THE OBJECTIVES YOU DESIRE MOST IN LIFE?

Many and varied concepts may be given to this question, and as one contemplates the matter in a serious vein, some surprising facts will disclose themselves and you will be able to gain a rather accurate perspective as to what your future will be. The ideal which you hold in mind today will surely and certainly become the actuality of the future, and for this reason it is highly profitable to examine your consciousness, search out those attitudes which are preeminent today and come to a determination as to their worth, and decide whether you truly wish them for future companions in the game of life.

The most urgent problem which confronts man today is not so much the lack of knowledge, as, the capacity and willingness to test the virtue of knowledge. Many do not realize they are today building

and molding their future in the matrix of the mind and that each mental process of the present is drawing life and vttality from the thoughts which gave it birth and must of necessity evolve, bear fruit after its kind and thus be justly

In some instances this compensation will appear in the form of Happiness, Peace, Good-will, Abundance and those constructive, desirable and profitable effects we so earnestly desire. In other instances the results will be less favorable, sometimes involving sickness, distress, despair and even want. We do not like to contemplate these unhappy affairs yet if we have invited them, there is no escape until such time as we come into the light of understanding and perceive that they may be exchanged for the more promising ideas, by our attention and refocusing the mind.

God is the essential life of every man and this life constitutes the one creative or universal life which flows into

possess a separate or distinct life. The functional activity of this universal life is dependent upon the state of consciousness of the individual, in that the man may and can appropriate only that degree of 'its abundance which he can realize within himself. The degree of this realization is aptly called a state of consciousness of which there are many, yes, countless states. Through earnest study of the priceless knowledge which comes to us we raise the level of our consciousness step by step, prividing we make use of this knowledge by applying it diligently to the various prowhich daily confront us. As this aplication is made we gain experience, and through experience, wisdom and understanding unfold from within, and we presently find that another rung of the ladder has yielded itself in our upward climb. One may read and re-read all of the books, manuscripts and lectures which the world contains and yet utterly fail in the quest of wisdom, unders-

It is true that our intelleccomprehension will be enhanced and enlarged, but this attainment is not of the stightest value to the student who aspires to the personal solution of the mysteries of life if he rejects, neglects, or passes over the one important and indispensable factor, ACTION, which means the applied use of knowledge.

tanding and demonstration.

As children we spend many years attaining an outer education that we may be prepared to meet the world and assume its responsibilities, yet here and there we find one who believes that the study of life itself and the mental faculties and capacities should be a simple and easy subject, and that a full comprehension should become possible in a few weeks or months. Such not the case, and those who are of this opinion will do well to revise their views.

The study of the mind and its limitless powers is by far the most fascinating and wonderful of all subjects and from the time we gain our first insight into the marvels of its activity and attain our first success in consciously directing it into new and untried channels, we become captivated by the alluring possibilities which unfold before us.

One has often heard it said that mind is creative, but unless we analyze this statement with care, we overlook its full significance and miss a very vital point, one which should be of the highest importance, not only at the present moment but in the days to come. Let us, therefore, change this statement around a little without losing its meaning and present it in

WHEN YOU ARE THINKING, YOU ARE CREATING! When we examine the matter in this light, it begins to dawn upon us that if this is true, and it can readily be proven to be so by anyone who will make the effort, it would be a wise plan to look into the kind of thoughts we are entertaining.

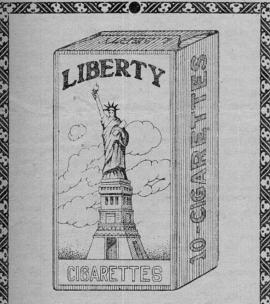
Thoughts become things, or, in other words, they become effects which agree in their polarity with that of the thought, either predominantly positive or predominantly negative and the degree of the polarity will be determined by the intensity and character of the thinking. If the results or effects are negative, such as sickness, inharmony, distress, want or lack, we may assured that the mental process or mental cause was also negative, for the manifestation must eternally correspond with the cause. The cause being mental, the effect can be regarded as a mental creation also, no matter what form this creation may assume. What has actually occurred is that you have projected a thought into the consciousness which may be likened a seed-bed. There it has taken root and set about the business of producing an effect which conforms strictly to the vibratory nature and polarity of the implanted thought.

If you desire the new year to be replete with excellence then you must build into it now, those qualities and conditions from which will spring the fulfillment of your cherished ideals. Let us endeavour to vanquish fear, worry, doubt mistrust, hatred, selfishness and many such phases of existence which so easily beset us and devote our minds and attention to the more constructive evidences of natural abundance. Let us recognize that the one creative life ever thrills down from the Divine in eternal readiness to express the fullness of its perfection in all who can realize this great truth and make of themselves worthy administrators. Fear is the underlying effect of failure to comprehend the existence of natural Law. If we believed completely that all effects are produced by the action of this Law, we would cease to entertain fear for either the present or . future, but instead would urgently search out the Law to be used in overcoming the conditions which disturb us and deliberately set about the purpose of reversing the process that the manifestation be changed.

All cause is mental. This being true, we must also believe all effects to be mental as well. It should thus be clear that effects are not changed until we have chan-ged the mental cause which may be found in our consa diferent form, making it ciousness. In other words, condition for ourselves through recognition, we build that very condition into our consciousness and because our consciousness is the real part of us, the effect becomes an established fact or part of us.

Your predominant thoughts of today, automatically build your tomorrow. If your conceptions are high, the results will be likewise, but be assured of one thing and that is, that your conceptions must not be interferred with by doubt, distrusts, uncertainty, f'e ar, worry and like qualities for these only serve to neutralize, as is often the case, actually become the dominating processes of thought rather than those which represent the true ideal. It will be seen from this that discipline of the mind is an essential to demonstration, for this is the foundation upon wihch you build. See that for the year 1931. Faith, Confidence, and Activity, are the materials which compose your fundation as well as the superstructure which rises therefrom. Let us choose, therefore, wisely and well, that our creations may be substantial and enduring and bring forth the abundance of infinite good from the storehouse of nature which is replete with luxuries and so draw unto us all happiness, prosperity and goodwill in the ensuing year, so that our lives may be a continuous unfolding of sunshine and cheer to all around us.

For thoughts of hate, and illvvill brings unhappiness and deprivation into your oven Soul, vyhile thoughts of goodvvill and love to all, brings into your being the echo of the state of your mind, happines, and sympathetic vibratiens from all aroud you.



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Current Items

In the article sent us for

publication from the Pen of Mr. W. A. Reid, entitled

«The great Injustice explained, we are asked to make a correction, the sum

repaid to Mr. Holness by Mr. A. Smith on the memorable Picnic deal should have been two hundred instead of three

hundred colones, as the

By the plans of the membership of the Limon

Div. a pienic train is being

arranged for Guapiles

to ensure its success.

original reads.

The annual breaking-up function in connection with the Baptist School of Waldeck, under the charge of Mrs. L. E. Douglas, was successfully brought off on Thursday night, 18 th. December. Mr. O. F. Harrison, master of the U.N.I. A. School at the same place, presided.

In the presence of a fair-

ly large audience, did the scholars of this very pro-gressive little school, make fine display, of wit and talent. The hoop dance and modelling song as staged by the girls being pieces of an unusual kind.

At the close of the programme there was an exhibition of needlework and fancy work done by the girls of the school and of specimens of handwork in paper modelling by the

boys.

Mr. Harrison and Mrs.

Did spoke in high Elfreda Reid spoke in high terms of the good work Mrs. Douglas has been Mrs. Douglas doing among the girls, and wished for her a successful school vear in 1931. The lady very suitably replied, and this brought the proceedings to a close.

Cyrillo

School Breaking Up. U. N. I. A. HAPPENINGS

The business transactions of the Limon Division of this great Organization were Carried ont in a most business like and orderly manner on Tuesday the 30th day of December. Among other things there were brought to the attention of the members the findings of the Board on two impor tant matters, one the nonaccounting for of the yearly assestment Tax for 1930 of Mr. S. Young, by the Secre-Miss Cummings, and another the matter of plotting and disharmony and dis respect to the Officers brought against Mr. J. Mitchell the President of the Garvey Club In the first case it was decided to recover the amount so lost by the Parent Body and administer to the lady a rigid Censure for her carelessness in the matter in the second case, it was decided to suspend Mr. Johnathan Mitchell the President of the Garvey Club, for three Months, from priveleges of active membership in violation of the Rules of the discipline of the Association. Several other matters were gone into, among them the Gazetting of the names of the Officers of the new Regine as well as the reading of the financial

reports, forwarded to Jamaica. Much annoyance was felt, over the carelessness of the Jamaica Headquarters in not replying to communications sent enquiring as to the acknowledgment of finances sent up and the forwarding of a new Chart; as well as the financial Standing of the Division.

On Sundaynight was the annual Harvest Thanksgiving, there were several Speakers among them being Mr. Reid and Mr. Flemmings President and Secretary of the Estrella Div. Mr. Williams and Mr. Nation and Miss Alcott recently from Cuba. There were many songs and recitations by the youths and Anthems by the Choir. The Harvest offerings were many. and displayed the change of enthusiasm in the workings of the Organization, since the two months of operations of this new regime. The Searchlight extends hearty congratulations and best wishes for many successes in the year 1931. It is noted that for the two months operations there has been a fair balance to the good, meanwhile during the former administration there has been a continual deficit in the revenue nearly every

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If threadbare your coat and old fashion your haf Someone vvill certainly take notice of that You can't pay your vvay, they gen' rally do say; But don't try to stop them, vvhate'er they choose to say, For people vvill talk-you knovv!

If dressed in the fashion, don't think to escape For they'll criticize in different shape You're ahead of your means, or your tailor's unpaid But this being your ovvn business, don't feel uneasy For people vvill talk-you knovv!

If modest and bonest, they'll have it presume ! That your humble position is only assumed You're a vvoli in sheep's clothing or else you're a fool. But don't be vvorried keep perfectly cool, For people vvill talk-you knovv!

Or if in certain events you act your oven part They'll call you an upstart, conceited, and vain A bully! contentious; and seemingly insane To a delicate mind-surely-it must give some pain When people talk so-you know.

The best vvay to act is to do as you please When your heart if you had one, vvill alvvays be at ease Of course you'll meet vvith all sort of abuse But do not try to stop them, it's of no earthly use For people vvill talk-you knovv!

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Lord Olivier passed through Limon on New Year's day on his way from England to Jamaica and West Indies. He Spent his day sightseeing around the town. -0-

At 27 miles on

property of Mr. J. U. Morgan there was born a heifer

calf on the 23rd December,

without any signs of where

a tail ought to be; it is in

perfect health and condition

otherwise.

around the Easter season (date not yet fixed) to which excursion all branches The British vice Consulate of Limon will soon be seeing another change, Mr. Bob. Johnson will soon be installed as Vice and sympathizers of the U. N. I. A. are cordially I. A. are cordially invited to cooperate, so as Consul in place of Mr. Bowden resigned.

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With Mrs. Lucy James lady President; occupying the Chair, it was Really a red letter day for the Division. Every available seat vvas occupied with a representative audience.

The meeting began, vvith the opening of the ode from Greenland's Icy Mountain's followed by prayer from the ritual. Scripture lesson vvas taken from Saint Matthevv's Gospel Chapter 2.

The programe resdered Was as follovvs.

Welcome address by Miss McKenzie. Song by Choir, God Bless our president address by Mrs. Foot lady president Madre de Dios address by J. Joseph Pacuarito vyhich vvas encouraging and interesting, then a Recilation

by Miss Veach entilled love and unity, address, by Bro Smith, La Junta, Song by Choir, Praise the Lord; a Recitation by Miss Williamson; another by Miss James.

Solo by Misses McKenzie and Huston, an address by Master Morris.

Song by Choir, Marching to Victory address by Mr. Johnson of Pocora vvhen after several other recitations and twvo addresses, one by Miss E. Knight and one by Mr. Scharschmidt and a Duet by Mrs. Harvey and Miss Keet and a Solo by Mr.

Our popular President Mr. R. W. Lawson, delivered the closing address of 4. p.m. and the meeting closed vvith the singing of our national an

> Reporter E. Knight Secretary Cairo

Dificultades entre la señora profesora de limito

del Colegio de San Luis de Cartago

y numerosos padres de familia

Algún tiempo ha, los alum-

nos del Colegio de San Luis

Gonzaga eran connotados so-

bre los demás colegios de la

República, por sus adelantos

en el inglés; pero desgracia

damente, hoy día, no sucede

lo mismo, aun peor, es todo

Dos años hace apenas que

unos cuantos padres de fami-

lia realizaron un movimiento.

que fué secundado por el Sr.

Director de ese plantel, ten-

diente a separar o trasladar

de su puesto a dicha Profe-

sora, pero la Junta del Cole-

gio evitó que se obtuviese el

No es posible aprender, di-

cen los alumnos, pues duran-

te toda la lección hay un plei-

to continuo entre los educan-

dos y la educadora; y cuando

hay un rato de clase, no po-

demos comprenderle casi na-

da de lo que nos explica. La

Sra. Profesora, según sus dis-

cípulos, carece de la enegía

nocesaria para sostener la dis-

cipfina, sin la cual no puede

desarrollar su plan de ense-

ñanza; y además, así lo en-

tendemos, no se sabe hacer

comprender, carece de meto-

dología en el arte de enseñar.

Nosotros nos permitimos

Las que han cursado el

fin deseado.

lo contrario de lo que fué.

La indiferiencia de las Repúblicas Centroamericanas

por el Canal de Nicaragua

por el gran Jerez, hace más de ochenta años: «Pregunto a Centro América ¿Qué hora es? y ella me responde: Media noche»; es absolutamente de actualidad si tomamos en cuenta el abandono, la criminal indiferencia, con que los gobiernos de las cinco repúblicas del Itsmo ven aproximarse el problema más grande q' jamás se haya presentado ala consideración de ningún pueblo, el debate más importante que decidirá del porvenir de sus respectivas naciones: la construcción del Canal de Nicaragua. Preocupados estos gobiernos en arreglar cuestiones relativamente pequeñas, aun no han tenido tiempo para pensar que derrotero deben tomar ante la enormidad de este asunto, cuyas múltiples consecuencias es imposible medir en todos sus aspectos.

Que Nicaragua permanezca casi inactiva en este momento histórico, es explicable, pues colocada como está en una situación especial de resultas del tratado Chamorro - Bryan, que aunque sea producto de la ignorancia y la maldad en contubernio, como dijo un célebre escritor, es un consumado, no quedándole mas que esperar el desarrollo de los acontecimientos. Pero que Costa Rica, con sus derechos indiscutibles en la margen derecha del Río San luan, sobre los cuales no sa bemos que exista compromiso alguno. Y que Honduras y el Salvador, con los suyos no menos legítimos en el Golfo de Fonseca, tampoco enagenados, ni con promesa de cesión, permanezcan a estas horas cruzados de brazos, sin prestarle la debida atención. es algo inaudito, de difícil explicación.

Con la apertura del Canal de Nicaragua, es innegable q' vendrá para Centro América y el comercio tomará grande

De permanecer como hasta la fecha y de realizarse esta magna obra la soberania de estos pueblos quedará hondamente lesionada: v es en este punto donde todos sus buenos hijos están obligados a cooperar en el sentido de salir de la manera más airosa y menos perjudicial.

La situación está creada, diremos difícil, mas no inevitable, por los innúmeros recursos de toda especie, condición y lugar, con que cuentan los Estados Unidos, presuntos constructores; pero el instinto de conservación, los intereses de la raza, la moral internacional y nuestros deberes para con la posteridad, nos están dictando las que debieran ser nuestras obligaciones en estos momentos.

Según se ha anunciado, como va los estudios sobre la ruta están terminados, el desideratum para la construcción del canal está muy próximo. El Senado Americano tratará de ello en el mes de marzo

que sea aprobada; porque además del gran aumento que el tráfico de barcos ha tenido durante los últimos años, para el cual el Canal de Panamá ya no será suficiente, las necesidades de defensa militar que los Estados Unidos deben tener como potencia mundial de primer orden, exigen la pronta apertura de ese camino. Por consiguiente, estando ello tan cerca, es de urgente necesidad que los gobiernos de la América Central, partes grandemente interesadas, traten de ponerse de a cuerdo, a fin de que cuando el caso llegue, tener un criterio ya formado sobre el asunto v saberlo resolver en la forma más ventajosa para los intereses de las diferentes colectividades. Mejor dicho: así como se han formado conferencias industriales, médicas, jurídicas, etc., es lógico y necesario que se forme una *Conferencia Centroamericana del Canal», con delegaciones de los cinco países, e integradas por hombres de capacidad y patriotismo bien com-

F. D. Rizo

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probados.

The New Year's

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tion and promised always to feasted and little packages support such a move in the succeeding seasons. Ensign Wright of the Salvation Army gave an elequent address on the utility of the initiative taken, also commending the thoughtfulness of those gentlemen and ladies who promulgated the idea, and thanking on behalf of the poor and feeble all the donors who had contributed to make the scheme such a success.

After the dinner, wines and cream were served and little presents in Cash were distributed to those who were

were sent out to those acquaintenances who known to be too feeble to attend; after which Mrs. Leon of Camp one Road who is stricken blind gave a neat little speech of thanks on behalf of herself and the other beneficiaries who were so generously thought of; after which they left one by one all overwhelmed with lov and gratitude for what had been extended to them.

Too much praise cannot be given to Mrs. McPherson, Mrs. Salmon Lady and Vice

Shooting affray President Mrs Levy and other in Limon

On Monday 5th Limon was thrown into a State of great excitement when five shots were heard in the Commercial Section of the City. All eyes were directed toward the pawnbroker's establishment of Mr. Aniceto Sandi to the western end of the market in which these shots were fired.

It appears that this gentleman and his paramour Miss Syvlia Peña had an altercation brought about by his idea of withdrawing from her companionship, when she suddenly leapt toward him, caught hold of the revolver he had in his hand, and fired the contents at him, fortunately without hitting her mark. They were arrested and on being taken before the Judge, she was granted bail in a thousand colones, having pleaded that she did not intend to kill him, but only to intimidate him. The matter is left to be threshed out before the authorities.

preguntar al señor Director del plantel a que hacemos men-ción ¿cuáles son las causas de esta situación?

presente año en la Escuela Normal, han ido bien preparadas en todos los ramos con excepción del Inglés, habiendo, algunas de ellas, de pagar lecciones especiales de ese idioma para ponerse al nivel de sus compañeras de otros colegios. Esto no sucedía en años anteriores, en que los alumnos habían sido enseñados, por lo menos en un principio, por otro profesor.

El alumno aplazado, para poder presentarse en marzo. deberá pagar un derecho de cinco colones por cada examen. Debe tomarse en cuenta que la gran mayoría de estos son pobres y que esa suma, unida a la de la matrícula, dada la mala situación actual viene siendo una cantidad bastante crecida, sin contar las lecciones que, talvez, tenga q' pagar para prepararse y ha-l ciendo caso omiso de las molestias que tendrá durante las vacaciones, las que no consistirán en tales, sino en una constante preocupación, vol viendo al colegio, la general

dad de esta clase, sin o con pocos deseos de estudiar. Lo que posiblemente sucederá es fácil deducirlo.

Estas causas son las que movieron y mueven a diferentes padres de familia a pedir, a la Junta de Educación del Colegio, que la Profesora, de que muy a pesar nuestro nos ocupamos, sea trasladada de su puesto de este Colegio.

Sentimos verdaderamente lo ocurrido y no deseamos sino que esta ambigua situación se defina bien pronto y en forma que todos queden satis-

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H. Alex Carter

Fourth Cliff

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range of experience as a pretitioner in the various branches of the lavy and make for himself and unrestricted reputation, the offer vvas declined. The young lawyer will, therefore, begin his practice is an Associate Attorney of the Limon Service Bureau as another factor to the benefit of the English Speaking Community in their legal

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I express in this manner my most sincere thanks to the Hon: Lic. don Alberto Echandi, former Pre-sident of the Junta de Caridad, who by ordering the purchase of the vacunas for the Hospital, with which I was injected, has undoubtedly saved my life.

(f) M. Bolaños Jimenez

San José, 5 de Enero de 1931

ladies of the Society for their interest exhibited in the work. as well as Miss Cranston, proprietor of «The Aida's Restaurant> who placed her every facility at the disposal of the workers for making the idea the success achieved. Messrs Mortic Walters and Bengy Nelson also worked with might and mein to attend to the needs of the many friends, as they were accustomed to do in the interests of the Organization. The Searchlight and the Limon Division of the Universal Negro Improvement Association hereby beg to render thanks to all those Charitably disposed persons who have contributed to make this effort occasion in the history of Limon and its poor people. Below are the principal donors.

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