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## In sacred memory of our departed friends

*Today All Saints day, and tomorrow All Souls day; being the day set apart as the Anniversary for the immortalizing of the sacred memory of our friends and relatives, who have been called away from our companionship by the apparently cruel hand of death.*

*There are those of us who may have our peculiar idiosyncrasies, and exhibit our pleasures by praying to the Supreme being to draw them nearer and nearer to his «Perpetual Light and happiness», even though we know that we may be ridiculed by some of our friends for so doing, but who is it, that has lost a truly dear one that would not find pleasure in supplicating an all Merciful father to modify were it possible, the chastisement of such an one; and after all, supposing that our constant preoccupation in this respect were valued by us, when we too shall have crossed the veil, as a mere fanciful illusion; shall we have lost much by such devotions? I say no; but suppose that we should be awakened to a realization of the fact that by the mysterious manipulations of an allwise, allmerciful father, the wishes of others with regard to their loved ones gone before, have been effectual in alleviating their sufferings and elevating their status before the King of all Spirits, while ours who have been abandoned, forgotten by us in our pious supplications of toleration are found "as the tree where it falleth" ought we to find disappointments and remorse for our intentions?*

*In this spirit of Sacred Memory and loving aspirations for good, does «The Searchlight» ask all its readers to offer up a fervent wish, «That they be granted Eternal Rest, May that perpetual Light shine around them, and may they rest in Peace, in the pleasure of our Father.*

## Strange decision of a Police Judge

As guardians of public equality among all classes of the Community, it falls in our lot at times (however unpleasantly) to be forced to recoup items of strange appearances even though it affects our best friends. In on last issue we recorded a most pleasant note in favour of our friend the Agent of Police of this town, but something has occurred which seems to be so lacking in Justice that we cannot fail from recording the incident; from information reaching us it appears that a man named McAdam and another named C. Cornwall had an altercation whereupon the latter drew a knife to stab the former; a policeman was called in who found a dangerous knife in the possession of Cornwall who was arrested and lodged in jail; he was granted bail to appear in the police Court next day; when arriving there, the charge sheet was presented from the Comandancia, whether he was charged for assault, or for being in possession of a danger weapon, we have not been able to ascertain, but instead of dealing with the Charge; Our Judge turned upon McAdam the party offended, and abused him shamefully, charging him for having stolen chickens

from a gentleman and other reflections on his conduct which turned out to be untrue, and dismissed the man on whom was found the weapon and which weapon is still in the hands of the Police.

Some days ago he sentenced a man for 30 days arrest for having a razor on his person, here this man was found with a knife in his hands which was threatened to damage another, and yet, he sets him free and sends the one charging the offence for 24 hours, because he resents his abuses uttered to him.

McAdam has placed an accusation and protest against what he calls a miscarriage of Justice and illtreatment by the Judge.

This man also charges strange manipulations, because he says that as soon as the case was called on, a man called Mitchell came in and handed the Judge in a mystified manner something with closed hands which he considers to be the secret of his being illtreated in this manner, and for the other being set free.

The accusation and protest is before the Governour, and we do not know what will come out of it; but as McAdam has protested to us it is our duty to see what light can be thrown on the matter.

Dear Mr. Editor.

It is impossible for me to abstain from giving a thought to a subject of such interest that I am about to discuss. I am glad that I have an example to base my argument. Since it is of a public nature. I have no fear in calling names, as this matter was

discussed in the Courts of Limón.

«A it was stated, Mr. Charles Royes eldest daughter fell under the clutches of a young shiek of Limón, and having borne him a child, was ruthlessly thrown aside in preference to her younger sister. This young damsel, not

taking warning from her sister's unfortunate escapade, cherished the preference, and brought Mr. Royes to many a disagreeable moment; one of these he was compelled to lock her in the Roble's Hotel for correction. Nothing daunted, she still stuck to her «Lover». This raised the ire of her worthy sister, and many a tough scene was witnessed between them both.

Things came to a crisis on Friday Night when Miss Royce brought her «Works» to her mother's home although that lady didn't appreciate a double son in law for her two daughters. This young fellow. Oh! sad to relate, received the full force of the worthy mother's ire on his person, and with such an omission of dirt and illibness, he resorted to the police, but they refrained from arresting the lady who was in a most embarrassed state. Mr. Rayce answered for his embarrassed wife and slept in Roble's Hotel for the Night. The next morning, Mr. Young Shiek appeared before don José and paid the small sum of Ten Colones. Now, this is the kind of retribution that such parents must receive, for not giving their children the education that would make them worthy children. I remember having heard Mr. Rayce and some of his friends stating that it is folly to educate girl children. The money he had to waste on them would have been better to give him a drink of Rum.

Mr. Editor, I would be glad if you would find space for this thought of mine. Although some might think that it doesn't merit publication, yet

many may receive some good from it. Can we not realize the social outlook of our young women? Well no less than one hundred are in «Embarrassed Conditions» which is the more serious in consequence of the «Conceptions». We see them running Pell mell into the jaws of danger, due possibly to our Financial Crisis, but due primarily to lack of training. If they would realize that sooner or later, they will expose their nakedness to public ridicule, they would refrain from their dirty actions, and think more seriously of the fact that eventually they will be the losers in the game. Some of them ever stoop to that crime called «Birth Control» to carry on their nefarious habits. Something should be done to stop this for it seems as if the Pupils can not do anything. We have heard about the «Women Student Club, and the» League or Guild, but nothing is seen of their good works. The Wives of our Ministers should buckle on their armor and help to fight—this awful condition. Better by their advice or by their actions do they seem to better the condition. The Boy Scouts are helping to solve some of the problems where morality is concerned, but the Commissioners should make a law against immoral living. These are just the things that lead girls to cause their mothers to be thrown into the Courts.

Mr. Editor I hope that in your next editorial you would speak about this crime, and how it should be fought.

The Night Hawk.



### Angelina Morales Vargas

Fallecida en San Vicente de Moravia el 11 de Julio de este año

### Mi eterno recuerdo a su grata memoria

Después de tanta lucha en esta vida aquí en Limón y luego con la muerte en otro ambiente en San José. Te fuistes de allí como ave herida a morir entre los tuyos, a tu suelo natal en San Vicente!

Así como Moravia tú te cuna engrandecida por ti misma hoy en ultratumba está tu suerte, suerte que es la mía también, porque te quise en esta vida, te adoré e idolatro ahora en la muerte.

Yo espero estar pronto cerca a ti. Si no llego, ven por mí, que me encuentro solo y triste, sufriendo la ausencia que es mi muerte, así como los vaivenes de esta vida, que son pura y vana ilusión!

Angelina, compañera mía por doce años.

Tú en esta vida tuviste grandeza y poderío y sustentaste ricas galas de mujer no vayas a mi lado, y ahora que está tu cuerpo y frío, debes llenar el vacío, con la rica blancura de tu alma.

CARLOS OROZCO AMADOR

Limón 10. de Noviembre de 1930

## TOPICOS DE ACTUALIDAD

### Supresión de Empleados por las Compañías

Gran revuelo a causado en esta ciudad y en toda la República la supresión de empleados de parte de las compañías Bananera y Ferrocarrilera.

Parece ser que esta disposición se debe a la baja de valores en la bolsa y a los precios de fruta en los Estados Unidos. Según rumores no confirmados han causado grandes pérdidas a las citadas compañías.

La Aguda situación ha venido a empeorarse pues la esperanza mantenida por muchos era de que con la aprobación de los contrafrat bananeros esta mejoraría, pero la reacción de bonanza está muy lejos todavía.

La declaración de Mr. Stein alto empleado de la Compañía Bananera viene a comprobar lo dicho, este señor en su reportaje dijo que la Compañía Bananera no está en condiciones de iniciar trabajos en el Lito-

ral del Pacifico ni en el Atlántico actualmente.

La crisis que nos azota es Mundial, y si el gobierno no busca otra fuente de riqueza y trabajo para el país la situación tomará caracteres muy serios, pues en todos los países del orbe aumentan diariamente «Los sin Trabajo».

Actualmente el país no cuenta con otra fuente de producción que pueda tomar el puesto del Banano y el café y en esta posición se encuentra a merced de las fuertes borrascas que están azotando a Centro América.

Es de esperarse que pasado el invierno en Norte América y mejoren los precios de fruta y la Bolsa se establezca un poco permita a las grandes empresas cumplir con los contratos para que mejore un poco la situación del país.

El Gran Alberto Limón, octubre 29 de 1930

## Wedding Bells

Squires, October 30.—There were married in the Anglican Church here on Monday evening last Mr. Reuben Rose, of the Electrical Department of the Costa Rica Banana Company, and Miss Ida Francis, only daughter of Miss Bertha Francis and granddaughter of Mr. S. O. Brown, of the Railroad Department of the Costa Rica Banana Company.

The ceremony in the Church was indeed a splendid one, which occasioned an unusually large turn out of sight seers. The Rev. Cecil B. Rycart officiated.

Among the honourable guests were: Mr. S. O. Brown, who gave away the bride, Mr. Charles Porter of La Fancia, who acted as bestman, Miss Nelly Porter (chief bridesmaid)

Mr. Alfred Hayles, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knight, Mr. Rose (the bridegroom's father), Mesdames Hines, Hewitt, Montaña, and Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Lindsay.

At the close of the ceremony, the bridal party repaired to the banquet hall of the Mechanics (Progressive) Lodge room where delicious speeches following the occasion were delivered by the officiating clergyman, Mr. Rycart, Messrs J. G. Deslandes, W. A. Chambers, S. O. Brown, W. A. Pelgrave, W. P. Morrison, W. A. Toby, Joseph Reid, McDonald and Master Ezekiel Cowan.

A ball followed in which the Yankee Jazz Band of this town supplied the music. Along with Mr. Toby and Mr. Casey we wish the Couple a happy time.

# A Peculiar Election The Nicaraguan Canal

Dear Mr. Editor.

I see that Mr. Wellington spat too much in the air, and eventually it fell into his face. One reading this gentlemen's energetic antics in your paper, would be vront to be deceived as to his motive, and not until I was present at the Election, before I could understand his propaganda. This worthy gentleman declined most decisively the nomination of third Vice-President, but when the presiding officer turned down his nomination for the office of Executive Secretary, this said worthy kicked most brutishly. One vwith an eye of humour would be vront to think that a man of Mr. Wellingtons personality,

should never presume to aspire to so honorable and distinguish a post as Secretary of a Race Uplifting Association.

Again, I found out that the members of this Association are like a bunch of Kindergarten, that need to be taught every inch of the road. Giving these Children a franchise, would be like delivering your vvealth into the hands of a maniac: One man haudly knev the meaning of this vword «Franchise.» I also thought that one Mr. Brambvell and another Mr. Gordon would be manly enough to accept positions in the Executive Boards, and one Mrs Samuels and another trouble maker would accept the secretarial job, after all the

noise they are vront to make.

One Mr. Ried vvas «Elected» president, but such a queer looking type, that one is afraid to trust his destiny vwith a person of that sort. Novv vvhát I'd be proud to see, is a general propaganda to get the young fellows and girls in.

No finer display of «race help» could be seen than vwhen Mr. Barratt and Mr. Mitchell helped to elevate to the position of Assistant Secretary. Miss L-Lindsay. One would feel proud to see that young lady make good in that post; and I hope that vwith her aid, more young vwomen would realize more seriously the Race Problem.

This is a word of warning to our elders. Remember that the eyes of the vworld are looking on you. You cannot build your home, if your builders are always living in discord. The members of the Negro Race should be not merely units to the vworld's «mass, but should be as One Unit, as the vvhite Race represents another Unit. Do not look on your brothers ysterdays, but try to praise his today. If he should fall in the vvay, give him a helping hand. Do not make your children be «disgusted of being a child of the Race, but let them be proud of the name Negro, because by your fine example, and good will towards all your brothers, they can find some thing to rejoice in. Enmity is a great enemy to your progress, and hate shatters your vitality. If you quarrelled vwith your neighbor, be manly enough to accept his friendship, and not to drive it on to public ridicule. Such demonstrations just help to sap your vitality. Just reason along this line, and see howv much you can achieve.

### The Night Hawk.

Ed Note.  
It is a pity that Mr. Hawk would not enlist himself to the cause so as to help as an official to disen tangle the knot.

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All papers coming from Nicaragua are all elated over the fact that the surveys of the projected route for the Nicaraguan Canal has been completed, and it is expected that the works will soon be started.

Colonel Danl. J. Sultain of the U. S. Army Engineer Corps who was in charge of the work of surveying the Canal, has completed his work and turned in his report, so it is only being waited on the decision of the Senate as to whether it shall be started or no.

«La Prensa» of Nicaragua

says it will be started on the 4th of July 1931. «La Noticia» says the time has come when the Canal will soon be started.

Ofcourse the needs of the Canal is more evident now than ever, because the Traffic on the Panama Canal has so increased that ships have to be waiting on each other at times, according to the «Star and Herald» we find that on the 18th ultimo the S.S. Caledonia had to lose an hour at the Miraflores Locks and again at the Pedro; Miguel while another boat of the

Dollar there being 27 merchantmen passing thro on that day line had to experience the same delay hence it will be seen the necessity of the Nicaraguan Canal in view of the increasing traffic. It is practically assured that in the approaching elections whether the Republican or Democratic party arrives to power that the Canal will be built, as the necessity is evident whether from the standpoint of Peace or War requirements; and with the unemployment question pressing the U. S. government its evident that this work will be a great release for the unemployed in Uncle Sammys land.

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### A five Million Libel Suit

A Methodist Episcopal Bishop has placed a Libel suit for five million dollars against the Hearst news papers; it is alleged that the Hearst newspaper chain published an article which is said to have reflected on the character of his second wife whom he married in England in July last, soon after the death of his first wife.

### A resignation refused

The Panama Minister Extraordinary before the governments of Costa Rica and Nicaragua, don Tomas Arias, who left this country a fortnight ago, tendered his resignation to President Arosemena as soon as he went over and put in his report on the mission for which he was sent here; but the President refused to accept it and asked him to continue in governmental service. Mr. Arias put up as his plea for demitting office, that his personal affairs needed his attention and guidance.

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# WHAT OF OUR SICK AND DISTRESSED

Dear Mr. Editor:

Permit me space to throw a suggestion out in your widely circulated journal. As one goes along through the different villages and towns, the distress caused to our people through lack of efficient medical help at the proper time is appalling, and to the thoughtful mind much of this distress could be alleviated, if only we could intelligently bring together our forces of concentration for the good of humanity primarily, and the betterment of the race.

It is evident to any casual observer who walks into the Limon Hospital, that the treatment to the patients in that institution is meted out in a manner inferior to brute beasts. At times patients are admitted there in a serious condition and do not see the doctors until next day, sometimes not attended to for two or three days, then the diet allowed them is insufficient to keep body and soul together this is with reference to those people who are employees of the Co. and to whom it is obligated by a deduction of two per cent of their salaries.

The government has no Hospital of its own, so that when any of our people are thrown in the institution as an act of charity, the mode of treatments can well be conjectured. Under the present management there are many employees who would prefer lose their jobs and die outside rather than enter as patients.

Now my object for this article is not with an intention of laying blame to

anyone's door, because everyone in conducting a business must have a method and if this is the system of the Co. it is their business, and in criticising any method of public utility we must do it in a healthy, clean manner looking toward a remedy for the evil. Coming in criticism therefore, it is only with a

view of opening the eyes of my people in so far as the concentration of our forces for cooperation is concerned.

Now there are in our midst over thirty Lodges of Fraternal Organizations operating there are 17 branches of the Universal Negro Improvement Association, scattered throughout

the country, there are five acknowledged religious Societies operating, and all or nearly all of these organizations have by dint of perseverance and cooperation, owned and constructed their own premises for the conveniences of their membership, why then can we not all come together for sake of humanity and love of our suffering people and go out and do likewise by building a Hospital where our sick and afflicted can be attended to.

Look at what Sports has done, not even sports but the Base ball fans, did they not get our unselfish businessman the late Mr. Juan Jose Leon interested in the movement and construct them a Stadium, each one of the seven Clubs guaranteeing an equal sum to repay the Cost of the construction? Why cant this be done? Why cant a committee be formed with a member from all these Societies and consider a scheme and a plan to construct a Hospital? Surely we can get businessmen interested in the scheme, such as Mr. Thomas of the Surtidora Co. or Niehaus and Co. or Mr. Avelino de la Peña, who will supply the materials, and be paid by instalments on the guarantee of the associations concerned.

I throw this thought Mr. Editor so that we may all get interested and consult on the matter, with the view of our own Hospital, where we may be able to send our sick and distressed, and train our own nurses for the purpose and engage our own doctors and druggists for the Services. Thanking you for your cooperative ideas yours Sincerely,

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## The Ministerial misunderstandings

It is pleasing to note that don Cleto has been able to tide over the recent difficulties again arisen in his cabinet. The Minister of Public works seem to have suggested some retrenchment in the manipulations of the Government Railway but the Administrator refused to accept them, whereupon don Leon Cortes tendered his resignation. So as to tide over the dispute however the President asked Mr. Castro Ureña Manager of the Railway to accept the position of Minister to Panama, so as to allow

Mr. Cortes to carry out his schemes of retrenchments in the Railway. Peace is therefore happily restored among the officials.

The Minister of war also had a dispute with one of the Deputies Mr. Saborio on account of which Mr. Saborio offered him a duel, but Mr. Cortes informed him that on account of his elevated position in the government service, it was not in his place to accept a challenge from him, if however he felt like attacking him in the public he would be ready to meet his attack at any moment.

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## Cosas que chocan

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La cantidad de hombres sin oficio ni beneficio que vienen del interior a buscar trabajo y como no lo encuentran se dedican a medir calles.

Que el Municipio tenga tantas cosas por resolver y hace más de un mes no se reúne.

Los empleados Municipales con excepción de uno o dos, figurando en directivas de determinado grupo político y es más, haciendo propaganda abiertamente y tratando de imponer su criterio a los peones.

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## Welcome of Colonel Mary Booth in Belize Honduras

By the Clarion we find that practically the entire country came out to welcome the grand daughter of the founder of The Salvation Army, General William Booth; Miss Mary Booth who has been assigned to the post of representative of the Salvation Army in the Western Hemisphere.

There is no country to which this gifted officer of the Army has been appointed that she has not been honoured for her services.

She was stationed in Germany all through the

world war and she was honoured and beloved by the German people and officers, for her impartial devotion to the duties which were her arduous lot.

The Governor's address. Amidst applause His Excellency rose, and after paying the preliminary honours to the Colonel, Chief Justice and the rest of his audience said, that he was expressing the general feelings of the assembly when he extended a hearty welcome to Colonel Mary Booth to the Colony. It was kind of her to visit

them so early after her arrival in the West Indies; but at the same time he felt so sorry that Lady Burdon was not present, for by her love and interest in the work of the Army, she would be better able to welcome the Colonel chiefly for herself and the work that she has done—a work that the King had been pleased to honour; and next for the distinguished family from which she comes. In speaking of the great names of her ancestors he said the one that is worthy of the greatest honour is her Grandfather, General William Booth (applause) a man whom he regarded as one of the greatest benefactors to mankind (applause) He effected his work without wars or rumours of wars, and it was also on account of the wonderful work of the Army in British Honduras that made him, more zealous in offering the warmest welcome to Colonel Booth.

He spoke of how fortunate British Honduras was when compared with other West Indian Islands, there was no real poverty here. A great deal has been done, and is still being done for the less fortunate ones of the Community, but he regarded the coming of Colonel Booth to British Honduras, as a further great step in the right direction. The arrival of the Colonel and the opening of the Girl's Home was an epoch in the history of the Colony.

In concluding, His Excellency said that one of the chief deficiencies of the Colony is scarcity of population and until that is increased progress will be slow. Such a venture as the Girl's Home was being fostered by the Army for the Colony's Welfare in the future. He hopes that the Colonel's work would be so successful in the Colony that others of her rank in the Army would come and honour British Honduras with their distinguished presence and influence.

## SAD ACCIDENT AT SIQUIRRRES

On the morning of the 25th two young men great friends Osmond Kellerman, and Clarence Hall, went out as was their habit to hunt. When Osmond in attempting to shoot at a wild pig which their dogs had been chasing accidentally shot Clarence instead; he got wvord out to Siquirres and summoned help to bring him out of the woods, and The Eureka Lodge to which he belonged arranged for a train and rushed him away to the Limon Hospital, but all that the doctors did was in vain, he succumbed to the shot on Monday morning, his body was taken charge of by the brothers of the Eureka Lodge of the Mechanics order, conveyed back to Siquirres and interred with the usual rites, amid a profound exhibition of sorrow by the entire community.

as they were well behaved young men, coming from cultured homes, consequently captivated the respect and esteem of all who knew them.

Clarence by his declaration before the authorities, absolved his friend from all blame, stating that the occurrence was of a sheer accident.

The Searchlight begs

to tender its sincere sympathy and condolence, to the bereaved parents, especially Mrs. Morgan formerly Hall the mother of Clarence, as well as young Kellerman whose sorrow and regret in the death of his friend Clarence is irreconcilable, the sad tragedy of which will ever live in his memory.

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### Land settlement schemes

No censure can be cast at the government of Jamaica in so far as the means of placing lands in the possession of her peasant proprietorship. In Clarendon we find that through the instrumentality of the Hon J. A. G. Smith, the government bought over the Kelleys property and sold it in small lots to the peasantry which is giving first class results from the fact that £1,000 was paid for the property, whereas up to now over £15,000 have been collected in payments by easy instalments from the settlers for these lands.

In Westmoreland also by the instrumentality of Dr. Hudson the representative for that Parish we find Blauverrie has also been bought by the government for similar purposes. In St. Thomas also the same thing is being done, whilst in St. Elizabeth Mr. Peter Sangster is getting the government to sink wells with great tanks attached for irrigation purposes in the dry areas.

When will these gentlemen realize true Democracy.

Americans Thrown Out of Theatre In Paris

PARIS, July 18—A group of white Americans were thrown out of the Folies Bergere theatre by French citizens and police here Thursday evening when they attempted to stop the show, in which the races mixed. The angry yells, stamping of feet and curses of the outraged Americans were met with prompt action from the management of the playhouse, who ordered the expulsion.

The disturbance occurred in the audience, a third of which was made up of American summer tourists, when Kitty Mara, star French blonde dan-

seuse, appeared on the stage with Fera Bengal, a well-known actor of the Race. At the end of the act the performer clapped the exhausted dancer in his arms. Then the trouble started.

Thinking they were in the United States, the Americans began to voice their disapproval. Many of them declared the act obscene although Broadway shows, in which nude girls and men have been displayed, there were no such outbreaks.

The management of the playhouse in a statement declared that the act would not be discarded. "If American cannot stand to see the race mix, then let them stay away. France is proud of her black citizens and we will treat them as equals."

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The isthmus of Panama was also represented by Bro. K. Morgan of the I.U. Pater Lodge who officiated as Master of ceremonies.

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## Lands, Roads, and Settlers in British Honduras

With reference to a recent news item appearing in this Journal on the question of Colonization in British Honduras, we reproduce the following suggestions from Mr. G. W. Brookes in "The Clarion" of the 2nd October.

The Editor  
Dear Mr. Editor:

In the consideration of the Agricultural situation in this Colony—the land to grow

produce and the way to get it out, and the personal element which is the main object, is co-relative, to use a term in Esperanto grammar.

Start from Belize, take all the land for say 30 miles, it is a safe guess to say that at least 50% is pine ridge, with another 10% or 20% swamp or savannah. The remainder—what is called good agricultural-land is so scattered as to make their settlement difficult. Then what is to be done? Belize is so situated that a 5 mile road across the swamp must be inevitable. But once you get on the pine ridge, right there begin the settlement. It is true, the Agricultural advisor looks adversely and says it is no good. Some of us on the other hand, know it is the easiest cleared, easiest worked and believe that the

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## Intellectual Encouragement

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It is to be hoped that the new Administration of the U. N. I. A. will offer every inducement to the young people to cooperate in the move, by founding a Literary Branch to improve the intelligence of our Youth.

### Belize Young Ladies in Elocution Contest

In connection with the wonderful series of entertainments announced through the columns of this paper, we take pleasure

in informing our readers that the Young Ladies Elocution Contest has now been definitely fixed for the 10th instant at Wesley School Hall. The doors will be opened at 7.30 p. m., the performance commencing at 8 o'clock.

Tickets may be had at Longworths' Store or from Mr. E. O. B. Barrow. Several well known lady reciters will be taking part as well as some who may be less known but equally promising. The contest therefore bids fair to be an interesting one and we give assurance that the entertainment will be of a high order.

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## Mr. Mitchell-Hedges Loses His Eyesight

Mr. Mitchell Hedges who is well known in Jamaica and other British West India Islands as an Explorer and rare fish hunter of great fame. He has secured to the British Museum Samples of unknown specimens from South American waters, his failing sight will be deplored by all who came in contact with him during his many expeditions in these western countries.

Panama Sept. 18 Totally blind in the left eye and with the right eye seriously affected following an operation. F. A. Mitchell Hedges, has been up against it since leaving Panama for New York, where he has been living at the Ogden on West 72nd Street.

Mr. Mitchell Hedges writes that the jungle left him with a very unfortunate legacy. It was taken seriously ill immediately after arriving in New York

he adds, «as the result of a severe attack of malaria fever and the nerves of the left side of my face and head suddenly became violently inflamed, and I had to have an operation immediately through the nose to remove the fluid.

The operation was entirely successful but was followed by blindness, so much so that I cannot read or write and have to be led when I go out on the street. But the doctors are practically certain that the sight of my right eye will eventually be restored fully, though the left will always be seriously impaired. One never knows does one? The only thing to do is to grin and bear it.

Mr. Mitchell Hedges sailed for England on Saturday and is going to his seaside home in Penzance, Cornwall.

## Lost: Wristlet Watch

Mr. Jack Orane will pay a reward of C 2000 for the return of a Gold Wristlet Watch (Round Shape) with expanding chain which was lost on the 9th inst in Limon

## Sociales y Personales de Limón

### Tres golpes seguidos

Nuestro amigo Egbert Browne Dicks, ha recibido al correr de este año, tres golpes seguidos en el seno de su familia. El 31 de mayo falleció en esta ciudad, su hermana Lily de una afección del corazón. El 18 de agosto falleció en Estados Unidos Miss Amalia de Browne, esposa de Leopoldo, cuñada del amigo Egbert, dejando 4 hijos menores y el 10 de octubre que acaba de pasar, murió en la ciudad de Kingston Jamaica, el Dr. George W. Browne en su residencia, dejando tambien 4 hijos menores. La muerte del Dr. Browne Dicks, médico y cirujano con magnífica clientela, obedeció el haberse caído de un caballo cuando regresaba del campo de atender a un paciente. Para toda la familia nuestro más

sentido pésame, muy especialmente para nuestro amigo Egbert Browne Dicks, que de un momento a otro espera otro golpe, la muerte de su señora madre.

### De San José

Tuvimos el gusto de saludar a nuestro digno amigo Lic. Gmo. Serrano, abogado de la ex-Cia. United Fruit, hoy Cia. Bananera de Costa Rica.

### Proximo matrimonio

Don José Achion Ng, activo comerciante de esta plaza, contraerá próximamente matrimonio con una digna Srta de esta ciudad.

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## Lands, Roads, and Sttlers...

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Pine ridges will be the most productive portion of the Colony.

However, right there, the brightly thought of «Forest Trust» steps in and claims the first few miles as a reserve, so that on the North side there will be 14 miles of road leading through almost unproductive territory, and on the Botanical Station side, about 20 miles. To build and keep up those two roads alone would keep the Colony poor—unless they change methods, move the Reserve over near the Guatemala border and let settlers have that land.

According to last week's independent the Government

was prepared to assign lands to immigrants from Jamaica «on terms extremely attractive.» If those terms mean a lease I should say, no, unless provision is made as to what is to be done when the lease expires who will pay or get the improved value. If however it means after evidence of the actual use of the land, a clear title is to be given in that case I should say give the present lease planter the first chance.

I would say that the unit for the pine ridge lands would be 40 acres. If a man cannot make a living on 40 acres, it could not on 400 acres. It should be block settlement—run roads every half mile from Sibun River, to the Belize River using the present road as the main artery. Survey all lands before settlement begins. Dispose of no more Crown Lands to any but British citizens or those who become such before they get the land. That word British is big enough to include pretty near all colours, races and religions. Make the dwelling on the holding the main requisite—just how much a man can depend on so many factors—health, size of family & c. but each man does his best, which he will for his children's sake, it won't be long before progress will be noticed. In other districts also, when say 20 men wish land they cannot otherwise get, the government should look up the most suitable location and see they get a chance. Then it should be the business of the Agricultural Adviser to know the crops best suitable for each type of soil, and not only to advise, but to show how they may be produced in the most economical manner. If these methods were followed—or some of them—you would not need to look for immigrants—you could not keep them out. But planters looking for Government help had better remember the 9th Beatitude «Blessed are they who do not expect much, for they shall not be disappointed.» G. W. Brookes

nández. Mucho nos alegramos.

### 2 de Noviembre

Para todos los muertos de Limón, «The Searchlight», tiene en este día un recuerdo, que deben aceptar sus deudos como testimonio de condolencia, para que la paz sea con ellos en el Reino de los Cielos.

### Onomástico

El martes 4 del mes que hoy se inicia cumple los 50 Años nuestro buen amigo Carlos Orozco Amador, por tal acontecimiento «The Searchlight» le anticipa su felicitación, deseándole al amigo, todo genero de felicidades, más que de muchos años.

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