

Reno Doctor Aids Research

Well, what do you think of the weather

You don't like it? Too hot? Say, you're not keeping cool scientifically.

Two Nevada State Journal reporters, decided that we were tired of conversation about the weather and decided to do something about it.

Entering the office of a prominent Reno physician, we noticed that he had a big fan keeping the air circulating in the room.

"Well, gentlemen," he asked, "What can I do for you?"

"Er—is it warm enough for you?" we asked lamely.

"Come, come, fellows, don't waste my time," he snapped warmly.

"Now, doc, don't get hot under the collar," we admonished, "we've come to you to learn how to keep cool."

The doctor was pleased at our inquiry, and invited us out to lunch to discuss the subject. He put on his hat and noticed that his visitors were bareheaded.

"Why, gentlemen," he advised, "you should always wear some kind of a hat during the summer; protecting the head from the sun's direct rays is one method of avoiding heat prostration."

Undaunted by the rebuke, we continued the conversation by asking why he wore a wool shirt in the middle of the summer.

"Isn't that woolen shirt awfully hot, doc?"

"Oh, no," he answered calmly, "a light wool outer garment keeps the body's moisture from evaporating so rapidly and maintains coolness all over the skin."

"Maybe so," we said skeptically, "but these white shirts or ours look plenty cool, don't they?"

"What makes you think that, boys," asked the doctor. "Haven't you noticed that almost all animals in the polar region are usually white, and on the other hand most people and creatures of the tropics are dark or colored in some way?"

While we were pondering over this startling bit of information, we reached a restaurant.

"Phew, it's really hot," we complained. "Let's have a long, cool gin drink before eating."

"Oh, no!" interrupted the doctor, "alcoholic beverages do more harm than good in the terrific heat; so does soda pop. Let me advise fresh fruit juice, like orange, lemon, or lime, for a thirst quencher."

Just then the waiter arrived.

"Bring me a glass of tomato juice with a little salt in it," ordered our learned companion. We fairly pounced on him this time, convinced that he was caught off his guard.

"Ah ha, doc, so that's why you advised against an alcoholic drink—you've got a hangover!" we accused.

"On the contrary, boys. Don't you know that in the boiler room of warships in the navy the temperature rises to more than 130 degrees at times? They send down tomato juice by the gallon, with a sprinkling of salt; it prevents heat exhaustion."

With the wind taken out of our sails, we proceeded to order—plenty of meat, soup, gravy and heavy

foods. The doctor's eyes rolled in dismay.

"No, no, gentlemen! That heavy food makes the stomach work too hard in this weather. After all, the stomach is mainly a large muscle and anything that causes it to work hard raises bodily temperature. Digestion is just a form of exercise."

After a "cooling" meal consisting mainly of green leafy vegetables, we took leave of the doctor.

"And be careful, boys," he warned, "don't take any unnecessary exercise in the heat of the day, and be careful of ice-cold water. Hey!" he shouted as we started to run down the street, "where are you going?"

"So long, doc. We're going to grab a tall Tom Collins and then go swimmin.' See you next Christmas!"

Color Films Will Be Made On Land, Sea

Refinements in the highly complex art of color photography that have tumbled one upon the other during the past year have revived Hollywood's interest in chromatic films. Now the tones are true, the register is perfect, the equipment is mobile, and little more light is required than for ordinary black and white reproduction.

For this very logical reason every Hollywood studio has several important features that will be shown in color during the approaching season. Many of these will be outdoor action dramas — once very difficult to film under the techni-

color process — now comparatively simple.

For example, Paramount has gone to sea for one, to the air for another, and a third will be of the land, the great American desert, in fact.

The maritime drama is "Ebb Tide," from the Robert Louis Stevenson story of adventures in the South Seas. The able European actor, Oscar Homolka, makes his American debut in the production, co-featured with Frances Farmer, Ray Milland, and that fine little Irishman of the Abbey Players, Barry Fitzgerald.

Those who have seen the footage so far secured for "Ebb Tide" have been amazed at the faithful reproduction of the elusive tones of the ever-changing sea and sky, for the violent blues of the early technical color pictures are no more.

Paramount's aerial flight into color will be with the spectacular and costly "Men With Wings," a major dramatic undertaking that will trace the entire canvas of the development of aviation since the earliest times. This will be directed by William Wellman, who made the memorable "Wings" of a few years ago, and the cast probably will be headed by Fred MacMurray and Randolph Scott.

The third all-color production will be "Beau Geste" from Christopher Wren's unforgettable story of the Foreign Legion, which will go before the cameras later in the fall, probably with a cast headed by George Raft, Oscar Homolka, Ray Milland and Lynne Overman. No director has yet been set. For this picture color will be put to a new test, for it is under the glaring sunlight of the Arizona and California deserts that the production will be made.

CHURCHES

316 South Fourth street, across from grammar school is a branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, Boston, Massachusetts. Meets every Sunday at 11 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. and Wednesday evening at 8:00.

Christian Science reading room, 112 North Third street, open weekdays, except holidays, from 1:15 p. m. until 4 p. m. Evenings except Wednesdays, from 7 until 9 o'clock.

"Soul" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, August 15, 1937.

The Golden Text is from Psalms 42:2, "My soul thirsteth for God, for the living God; when shall I come and appear before God?"

The Lesson-Sermon includes the Bible passage, "For the Lord God is a sun and shield; the Lord will give grace and glory; no good thing will he withhold from them that walk uprightly" (Ps. 84:11).

Also the correlative from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, "Soul and Spirit being one, God and Soul are one, and this one never included in a limited mind or a limited body" (p. 335).

Alleged to have eaten a \$30 bogus check when police attempted to arrest him, Lester Byrl of St. Louis was sentenced to 30 days imprisonment.

After carrying a broken pipe stem in his throat for two years without knowing it, Samuel Carlson of Moala, Sweden, got rid of it during a violent coughing spell.

Mermaids Feast At Sun Valley



MANY OF THESE MERMAIDS from the East had never before tasted trout until they came to Sun Valley, Idaho, on their vacation. As a surprise, fishermen escorts of Jessie Ricks, Gerda Ewald and Betty Magel (left to right) arranged with Chef Honore Martin to serve their first catch to the ladies during a dip in the edge pool.

Sun Valley, in the heart of America's last wilderness, became a winter sports capital last winter and this summer will be the mecca for national summer sports activities including the Sun Valley Rodeo, August 14 and 15, which will attract many world's champion buckaroos and cowboys.