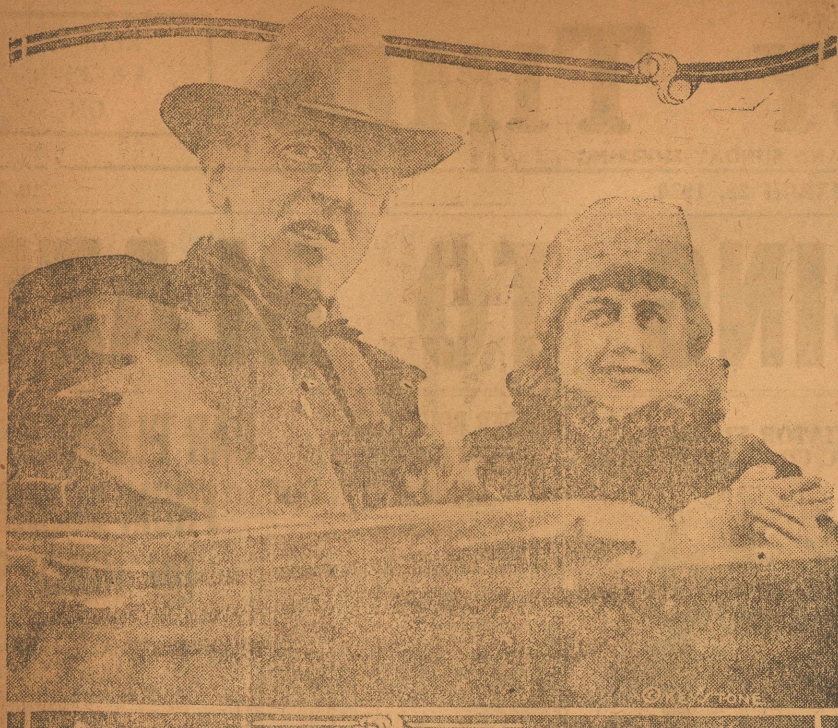




NEW CLOSE-UP OF PRESIDENT SHOWS HIM IN HEALTH AGAIN



President and Mrs. Wilson out for their morning spin.

After six months of seclusion in the White House, Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States, is again appearing in public. This photograph, taken a few days ago as

Mr. Wilson was leaving the White House for his morning automobile ride with Mrs. Wilson, shows that the nation's chief executive is rapidly recovering from his protracted

illness, although the gray hairs around his temples and the thinness of his face bear mute witness to his suffering.

HOTEL THEODORE SIGN ILLUMINATES STREET

Mrs. Mabel Wilson, owner of the Hotel Theodore, at a cost of \$500 has installed a large electric sign across the street in front of the hotel. The name of the hostelry is spelled out in high powered lights which illuminate the streets for several hundred feet.

Approximately 78 per cent by volume of the air near the earth's surface is nitrogen and 21 per cent oxygen.

U. S. HOCKEY TEAM O. K. FOR OLYMPIC CONTESTS

NEW YORK, March 27.—Acceptance of the United States hockey team entry for the Olympic games was announced in a cable Monday from Antwerp. The American Olympic committee stated the team would sail for Antwerp in time for several days of practice before the opening contests scheduled for the latter part of April. The team will be captained by Joe McCormick of the University of Pittsburgh.

SUNFLOWER STATE'S OLDEST BUILDING BEING TORN DOWN

International News Service. ATCHISON, Kan.—The Sunflower state's oldest building is being torn down at Kickapoo, near here. It is an old Catholic mission, erected more than eighty-five years ago. It stands on the farm of C. A. Spencer. The mission was built by Fathers Ben Quickenberry and Hoeken, Jesuit missionaries and was the cradle of the Catholic church in Kansas.

GLEEM EXPLAINS NEW BALL RULES TO MITCH'S MEN

PASADENA, Calif., March 27.—Umpire K. Gleem arrived here Monday and gave a lecture to the Cubs on the new rules. He had already visited the other seven National league training camps and now all players are or should be familiar with the changes.

Many of the Cub pitchers, like Alexander, Vaughn, Toler and Hendrix, asked questions concerning their own cases. Each has his own peculiarity and wanted to know if they would come within the scope of the rulings which prohibit freak pitching.

Train left Monday and practice was called off for the second straight day. Hendrix wired that the field there was soaked, so the proposed trip there for a game against Seattle today was cancelled. The Takerfield battle for tomorrow also was called off.

LONDON HOUSE SHORTAGE SUBJECT OF STAGE JOKES

International News Service. LONDON.—The house and hotel shortage has reached such a stage in London that one of the weekly journals pictures a revolver burglar and this conversation:

Burglar—"It isn't only I want. Where does this door lead to?" Nervous occupant—"That leads—to a spare bedroom." Burglar—"That's just what I've been advertising for!"

BRAND NEW INDUSTRY IS ESTABLISHED IN PUEBLO

International News Service. PUEBLO, Colo.—A "cat factory" to produce hides that sell for \$1.50 each is Pueblo's latest "industry."

Sergeant Charles Colvin, of the Pueblo police department, established the industry, and he utilizes a method of "perpetual motion" to keep it a "going concern."

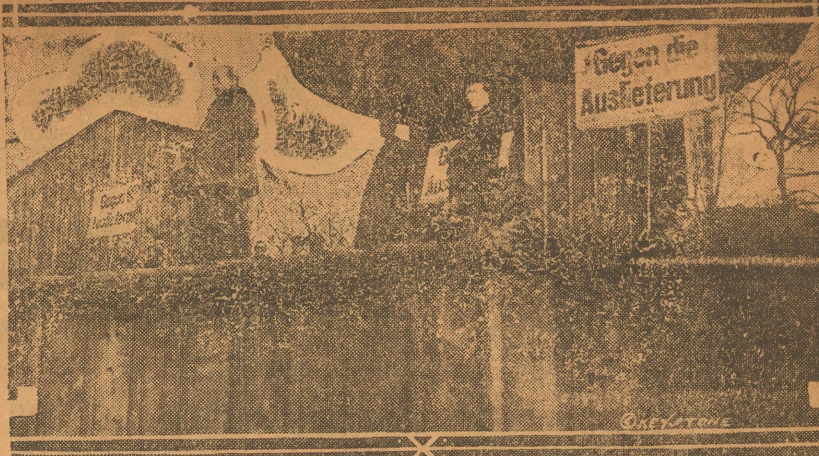
Colvin feeds his cats on fish caught in the Arkansas river, and after he has skinned the animals for their hides, he uses the entrails for bait to catch the fish.

Colvin declares there is an excellent market for cat hides.

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GERMANY PROTESTS AGAINST DELIVERANCE OF WAR CRIMINALS



Speakers at Munich mass meeting protesting against deliverance of German war criminals.

As soon as the allies presented their demands for the delivery of about 800 Germans, including such national heroes as Hindenburg, Ludendorff, Mackensen, etc., great

demonstrations were held all over Germany in protest against the compliance of Germany to the allies' demands. One of the mass meetings was held at Munich, and

the photo shows the speakers in action. The signs read: "Against the Deliverance." Apparently the protests were successful in inducing the allies to back down.

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DIVERSE AID IS OFFERED TO FRENCH GIRL

International News Service. KANSAS CITY, March 27.—Offers of marriage, of homes, of legal aid and of financial aid, condolences and condemnations are being received daily by Madeline Babin, French girl in the war romance of Lee Shippey, Missouri poet, newspaperman and Y. M. C. A. secretary. Madeline seems amazed at them all and answers only those from friends whom she met in Paris, as she waits, with her mother and her sister, Georgette, the outcome of the demand by Shippey's wife that she be sent back to France. Recommendations in Miss Babin's case have been sent to Washington by Warren Long of the United States bureau of immigration here. Among letters received by Madeline is one from Miss Jean Chamblin, in charge of the Y. M. C. A. office in Paris, where Madeline worked after the death of her father, Miss Chamblin is now in New York. She spent much time at the Babin home and knew Madeline well. Miss Chamblin's letter, a cherry one, concluded by stating that an attorney here had been notified to visit Madeline and do all he could to help her. Another letter came from Leonard Robinson, former sergeant in the A. E. F., who lives with his wife at North Platte, Neb. The Robinsons offered the girl refuge in their home. Robinson became acquainted with the Babins while stationed in Paris. He obtained Madeline's address through the police upon learning from a press dispatch that she was in America. In the scores of letters received at the Babin home daily, a legal bond of wedlock seems to be the prevailing idea as to the best way to relieve the girl of her distress. One young man asked Madeline to meet him at the Pontiac hotel in St. Louis. There, he said, they could look one another over and, if suited, could be legally married. Madeline says she has received word from Lee Shippey since her story was bared in the press, but seems reticent about telling in what way. She says, however, that she has not received a letter direct from Shippey. Shippey's sister, Virginia, and his mother, who live at Long Beach, Cal., both have written warm letters of encouragement, telling her to be brave and patient, the girl says.

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Of the 4831 members of the A. E. F. who married abroad, 1060 were officers and 3,771 enlisted men.

An organization of baseball leagues is being formed in each of the seven Philadelphia districts of the American Legion in Pennsylvania.

NOTICE TO ALL ROYAL ARCH MASONS

We propose to organize a chapter of R. A. M. in Ranger, and request all companions of this degree to meet with us in the

Masonic Lodge Rooms, 7:30 p. m., Thursday, April 1

—COMMITTEE.

WIFE OF WEALTHIEST INDIAN IN WORLD VISITED BRIEFLY HERE

In an effort of the United States government to prove Jackson Barnett, the world's richest Indian, incompetent and a minor, and his marriage with Mrs. Lowe, about a month ago, as invalid, the trail of evidence touches Ranger. A federal agent was in the city Saturday, following Mrs. Lowe who was here for a day about one week ago. In the marriage the government claims that Barnett is incapable of a competent marriage, being 73 years old, but classed as a minor because he is a federal ward. Both of the married couple contend that the United States has no rights in the matter. The Indian and the woman are under restraint in Arkansas City, Kan. It is said, awaiting federal action.

TWIN LAMBS BORN AT HOSPITAL

By International News Service. BOSTON.—Born to Tom and Jerry Boston City hospital, twins, Methel and Ethyl. Mother and children are doing well. Methel and Ethyl are genuine spring lambs. Their parents are part of the laboratory equipment of the hospital. In spite of the family names the twins will be brought up strictly on a prohibition diet.

WOULD-BE PURCHASERS OF BULL TAKE ONE LOOK

By International News Service. VALLEY FALLS, Kan.—Alfred Moore and Sam Judd farmers near here, made a trip to Oskaloosa the other day to look at a bull they understood was for sale. Finding no one at home they decided to take a look at their prospective purchase and entered the barn lot where the animal was confined. Anyway, Judd spoiled two perfectly good rows of cornstalks for a hundred yard stretch and Moore became friendly with a nearby tree. They decided not to buy the bull.

FALLS OFF 85-FT. SMOKE-STACK; FINISHES HIS JOB

International News Service. WICHITA, Kan.—"What the h— broke loose up there? Now I'll have to work five minutes overtime to finish up." This was the only remark of Jim Williams, professional smokestack builder, when he fell eighty-five feet from the stack of an electric light plant here the other day. Falling headfirst, Williams struck a guy wire, which broke his fall and caused him to land feet first in soft earth. He was uninjured.

On June 30, 1919, there were 67,434 factories, employing 1,384,888 persons in New York state.

TURN BACK CLOCKS IN EASTERN CITIES TO SAVE DAYLIGHT

NEW YORK, March 27.—Residents of New York state and at least thirty communities in other states, mostly in the east, set their clocks ahead one hour before going to bed tonight. This adoption of daylight saving time, unlike last year, which was general through federal legislation, was effected through state laws and local action.

Railroads entering New York from New Jersey have changed their suburban schedules to conform to local time, but through trains will continue to run on standard time. Steam liners have announced they would observe standard time.

CHICKENS BRING \$2.50 EACH

By International News Service. CONCORDIA, Kan.—That "chickens is chickens" held good near here the other day, when a public sale was conducted at the farm of Clarence Williams, Barnyard habitues when placed on the block had ready takers at \$2.50 each.

E. Kitchens of Oklahoma City is registered at the Hotel Theodore. Mr. Kitchens is in the hotel brokerage business.

CASTELLAW'S MEN'S WEAR

—ON Easter Morn



When you step out next Sunday You should feel your best, and in perfect harmony with the prevailing Spring atmosphere around you. Only correct, good-looking, new clothes will give you that feeling. Castellaw's new Spring styles in Men's Wear were chosen with a complete understanding of what well-dressed men demand—and you will find the prices most reasonable.

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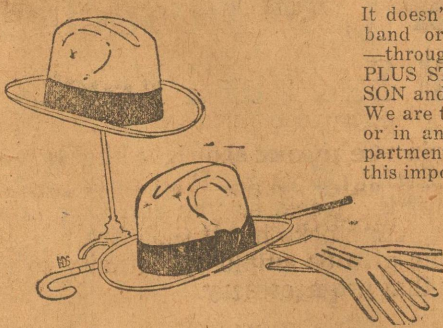
You'll find here all the approved fashions in Men's and Young Men's Suits for Easter designed for this store by the most noted makers of this country, every garment built up to the Richardson-Brown standard of quality, the highest known. A most unusual showing of fine garments in wide variety of correct models, smart patterns and colors.

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Table with 2 rows of prices: \$37.50, \$49.50, \$60.00, \$70.00, \$75.00 and \$42.50, \$55.00, \$55.00, \$72.50, \$85.00

Fashion Has Struck the Spring Note

Full and Strong This Season When It Comes to Hats. It doesn't seem to be a matter of brim, crown band or color. It's the Hat itself all over, —through and through it must have QUALITY, PLUS STYLE. That's why we feature STETSON and MALLORY Hats. We are told it's the best spring line shown here or in any other city. A visit to our Hat Department will reveal the painstaking care given this important line.



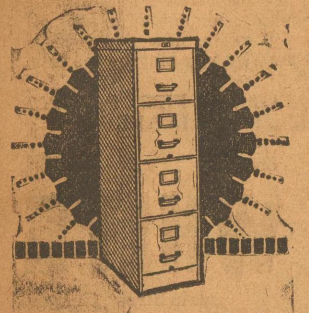
Here Are Our Prices: \$6.50 to \$25.

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# FRANK HITCHCOCK SEEKS HAMON TO BRING HIM BACK TO WOOD BUT HAMON TAKES OWN STAND

Jake Hamon's declaration in Washington that he did not know for whom to vote, being the Arkansas Ranger national convention, is not the only one of the kind. It is the only one of the kind, however, that is not a declaration of Hamon's efforts to bring the Oklahoma to his business interests here and his



JAKE L. HAMON

frequent and often prolonged visits to this city, is one of the outstanding men to be in the Republican party.

While he has for twenty years been widely known as a partisan of the Republican party and has for long been among the leaders of thought in the party, his present greater prominence is due to the outcome of the district and state conventions in Oklahoma that were held to select delegates to the Republican national convention, which delegates also are charged with the selection of a member of the Republican national committee for Oklahoma.

Last August Mr. Hamon announced that he would seek the committee membership. Coupled with his announcement was a declaration in favor of General Leonard Wood for president. A vigorous campaign ensued between Hamon and the incumbent, J. J. McGraw of Ponca City. But at the eve of the first of the district conventions the situation was complicated by General Wood appointing McGraw his campaign manager in the southwest.

The convention that met a few days later adjourned Wood refusing to instruct the delegates to support him for the nomination for president, some of the district delegates making vigorous and somewhat derogatory remarks about his favorite Hamon. Following the convention Hamon sent a telegram to General Wood that informed the military man that he had pulled the beans so far as Oklahoma was concerned. Among other things this telegram stated that "although every delegate sitting in the convention had been instructed for you and notwithstanding my consent or vote I could only secure my preference for myself as national committee man."

The district and state conventions that followed repeated the story. Oklahoma's twenty delegates to the Republican national convention are instructed to vote for Hamon for national committee man and have no other instructions. Wood apparently lost Oklahoma—but this may not be taken as determined. The twenty votes that Hamon has in the national convention are apparently his own to do with as he may see fit.

Hamon is sitting pretty in the convention and the Oklahoma vote, coupled with some more votes that will probably find Oklahoma a convenient independent member, will doubtless be a determining factor in the selection of the next president.

Jake L. Hamon is a busy business man of great wealth. His interest in politics is his one recreation. He does not play golf nor motor for pleasure and his best fun is in the oil fields and railroad camps. But he is a real politician from love of politics and for the good of the government. In his announcement for the office of national committee man he set forth what may be taken as his principles in public affairs, as follows:

**His Policies.**  
"In announcing my candidacy for election as member of the Republican national committee from Oklahoma, it is perhaps proper to say that I desire the position because I believe that Republican control in the state and nation will best promote the prosperity, security and progress of the state and nation and all of the people and because I desire to have a part in bringing about Republican success. If I am elected I will give the party the same thorough organization and systematic administration that has brought success to my private business. It will be my chief concern to see that the Republican voice of the state, instead of continuing to decrease, is increased, and honestly controlled, to the point where Republican success is realized.

"In the past I have never compromised my position in the party councils by giving aid or comfort to the opposition, and I shall not do so in the future. I believe in a vigorous campaign and the fullest publicity of those facts concerning Democratic misrule in Oklahoma, which so completely justify the overthrow of the Democratic party. I stand for party harmony and have no wish to build a political machine to serve either my own purposes or those of my friends. I shall treat those who oppose my election so that they will find no embarrassment in joining with me in the common battle for Republican victory. I do not desire to be committee man for the purpose of controlling patronage, and if elected it shall be my policy to be guided by the party organization in all matters, and a firm determination to clean out the incompetent Democratic office holders and reduce to a minimum the many useless and expensive offices.

"I submit my candidacy upon twenty years' record in Oklahoma as a loyal Republican and an aggressive party worker and my present ability to aid in achieving success, and shall not depend upon promises of appointments to secure support; neither will I spend a cent more than the legitimate expenses necessary to conduct a campaign. If elected national committee man I will see that a winning state campaign is adequately financed, and assist in raising funds for the national campaign necessary to give Oklahoma's pro rata share."

## U. S. GIRL TAKES PART IN PAGEANT



Miss Lois Fox in her parade costume and holding her pet fox.

Miss Lois Fox, American war worker known as the ukulele girl of the A. E. F., was honored in the great fashion parade staged in Paris recently. In this fate a representative of every village marches in a costume regarded as that village's choicest. Miss Fox was dressed as "Brittany." Her apron is a Marie Antoinette handkerchief, once the queen's, given Miss Fox by the Baroness de Butler.

The only states of the original thirteen to ratify the constitutionality of the United States by unanimous vote were Delaware, which was the first to ratify; New Jersey and Georgia; New York and Rhode Island each ratified by the narrow margin of two votes.

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**STARRING SPORTS**

Lefty Williams. Star southpaw of the White Sox who hopes to show the critics he was off form in the world's series isn't through.

Lew Tendler. Star Philadelphia lightweight who is back in the game after a layoff due to an operation.

The state of Connecticut derives its name from the old Indian name "Quoniacutt," meaning Long River, or River of Pines.

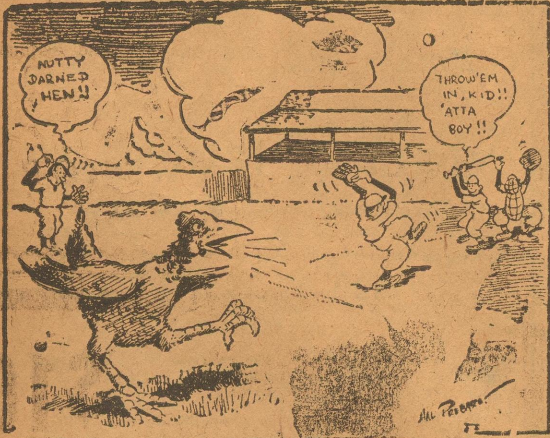
Australia, which is the largest island on the globe, has an area of 2,946,651 square miles.

# SPORTS

## Making the Most of the Tales From Spring Training Camps

NEW ORLEANS, March 27.—The regulars on the Indian squad, in training down here, probably will lay off kidding the bush leaguers with the team for some time to come. And the rookies can thank Jess Perkins, demon slugger from the mountains, for the rest.

Here's how:  
When Jess blew into camp one day he carried the customary luggage and a small crate with a Plymouth hen in it. That hen gave the kidders a great chance.  
"Bring it along to teach the batters to lay 'em down?" asked one humorist.  
"Going to have your own fresh eggs every morning?" yowled someone else.  
Jess said nothing. Just got busy. He carted the hen back and forth



to the park every day, staking it out in centerfield while practice was on. Pretty soon everybody forgot about the hen.  
Then, when the pitchers began to unlimber, Perkins unlimbered his bat—and boys, how he hit.  
He knocked everything they served him to all corners of the lot.  
Coveleskie's spitter, Morton's squirrel-killing ball and Bert Niehaus' southpaw slants were pie for him. At first the pitchers and Manager Speaker kidded him. Then they began to get nervous. The more stuff the pitchers used the harder Perkins hit.  
"He'll send some of us to the bushes if we don't get hep to him soon," was the verdict.  
And someone got wise.  
The hen out in center field had been in on the deal. She had been trained to flash the catcher's signals back to Perkins with her wings and legs.  
When she saw three fingers sticking below the catcher's mitt she simply stood on one leg and drooped one wing. Perkins knew that an out-curve was coming. When she drooped both wings and stretched her neck Perkins set himself for a slow ball.



## KLEM COACHES FLINGERS AS TO MODERN RULES

By ACK VELOCK  
International News Sporting Editor.  
NEW YORK, March 27.—John Arnold Heydler made a toxy move when he sent Umpire Bill Klem on a tour of the National League training camps to instruct the pitchers regarding the new rules.

Heydler is a former umpire. He knows the alphabet of players and their ways by heart. In fact, he can say it backward. And he foresees that unless the pitchers were given the lowest of low downs regarding what will be expected of them when the season opens, there would be plenty of trouble for the umpires.

So Bill Klem was sent to Dixie-land thoroughly saturated in the National league's official interpretation of new rules against freak deliveries, and when the National's 1920 campaign gets under way alphas on the part of the hurlers will be quite out of order.

The National League intends to live up to the new rules from the start. There will be no infractions, not if Heydler and his competent staff of arbiters can help it, and the pitcher who attempts to get around the letter of the law will find the going hard. The spitter alone will live on through the coming season. After that baseball will be rid of all the freaks in the art of pitching, unless some of the sly slingers invent new and camouflaged tricks, and that will be difficult to do under the new code, which does not permit of a pitcher selling the bait, either by rubbing it in his glove or on his uniform.

It has been pointed out by some baseball critics that the pitchers probably will attempt to substitute the "bean ball" for the intentional pass. As far as the National League is concerned they will not get away with it.  
"There will be no bean ball pitching in our league," said President Heydler. "If the pitchers entertain the idea that any such thing will be tolerated they had best get rid of it. Our umpires will start the season with instructions covering a number of possible emergencies of this kind and the National league will back up their actions to the limit."  
"It may sometimes be difficult for an umpire to determine whether a pitcher is trying to give a batsman a base on balls or whether his inaccuracy in pitching is due to poor control. But any time a pitch aims the ball at the batsman several times there will be no mistake about what he is trying to do. I am sure that a fine and an indefinite suspension would soon eradicate any such practice."

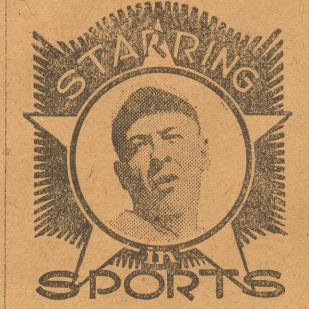
Klem's tour of the camps calls for a visit to every National League training haunt with the exception of Pasadena, Cal., where the Cubs hold forth. But Klem will have a conference with the Cub pitchers in Chicago prior to the opening of the season.

There is much speculation among baseball fans throughout the country regarding what effect the new pitching rules will have on batting. Many baseball critics are inclined to believe that the abolition of the freaks will result in increased hitting, and it is our belief that it will help the batsmen. Whether the ruling out of the freaks themselves or the knowledge on the part of the batter that he is not facing a flinger with a bagful of tricks will weigh more heavily in favor of increased hitting is a question. But the fact remains that the batsman who has confidence in himself is the one who gets the most

hits, and the passing of the freaks should lend him confidence.  
Hank O'Day, himself a veteran pitcher and umpire, points out that although the magnates have been making rules and adopting legislation for years with a view to handicapping the pitchers, the art of flinging was never more perfect than it is today. Hank believes the abolition of the so-called freaks will only tend to make the pitchers work harder and in the end force them to pitch better baseball.  
"In spite of the many things that have been done to handicap the pitchers," said O'Day recently, "they still have the edge on the batter, and they will always have it. The more you try to hold them down the better they will pitch."

JAVELIN PIERCES NECK BUT MISSES JUGULAR  
By Associated Press.  
MORGANTOWN, March 27.—Harry Stansbury, athletic director of the University of West Virginia, suffered a peculiar accident here today when a javelin hurled by a member of the track squad struck him in the neck. The head of the javelin pierced the neck on the right side and came out beneath the chin, having passed between the jugular vein and a large artery. Stansbury walked almost a quarter of a mile to the nearest physician's office with the head still in his neck. Upon its removal, he was taken to his home, where it was said the wound would not prove serious.

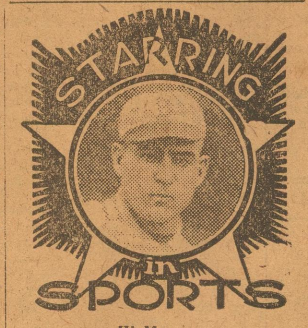
The javelin had been hurled from a distance of 100 feet during a workout of the track squad.



Pitching star of the Browns who is looking forward to another big year.

## J. M. CLARK, HURT IN FALL, NOW ON WAY TO RECOVERY

J. M. Clark, aged about fifty, suffered a dislocated vertebra and a broken rib when his horse fell with him near the crossing of the Wichita Falls, Ranger and Fort Worth railroad.  
He was taken to the Ranger General Hospital and later brought to town for an X-ray examination in the Milford ambulance. He is now resting well in the hospital. His condition is serious, but he has a good chance for recovery, according to attending physicians.  
Clark is well known here. He operates a gravel pit near town.



Dodger outfielder who has started in again like a whirlwind in driving in runs.

The fastest day's run ever made by a passenger ship on the Atlantic Ocean was accomplished in January, 1911, when the Mauretania made 675 knots, or 27.04 knots per hour.

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13—FOR SALE (Real Estate)

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AIRPLANE USED IN ANTARCTIC BRITON'S PLAN

International News Service. LONDON, March 27.—For the first time in history, according to announcement made here recently by John L. Cowe, R. G. S., an aeroplane will be used in an attempted flight to the South pole...

Indians Out for Flag in Earnest; Sure They'll Win

Special to The Times. NEW ORLEANS, March 27.—Nothing but a pennant will satisfy the Cleveland baseball players this year. If they finish second, they will consider the season a rank failure...

CHILD LEAVES STATE PRISON WITH MOTHER AND DADDY

International News Service. MALESTER, Okla.—Thelma Clark, two, the other day left, the only home she has ever known—the woman's ward of the state prison here. The child was freed when her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Clark, were released from sentences of four years for the killing of a physician over a matter involving Thelma's mother.

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After the flight to the South pole has been accomplished, Cope said, the aeroplane will be taken back to the island, and at Washington, New Zealand will be overhauled. The ship will bring the plane back to the ice in the following summer season...

FOR SALE—Two-room house 12x26, east side of Eastland Hill, \$160 cash. Nice lot with shack on Mirror lake; terms. Apply 410 Hunt.

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DAYTON, Ohio.—John Haien, scoutmaster here, has conceived a unique plan to finance and foster the local Boy Scout organization. It bids fair to spread throughout the country.

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### DESTINY ROBS VAMPIRES OF PETTY GAINS

BY MARGERY REX.

Written for the International News Service.

NEW YORK, March 27.—Birds of prey rob the nests of other birds. When the female of the human species—deadlier than her mate, the male—does the same thing, we call her a vampire.

She is feared and pitied. Feared because all good wives and mothers know the depredations she can make upon their own little nests, and

pitied because they know her reign is short and her career automatically shuts itself off like a record stopped when the dance is over.

Vampirism is poor business. Many women have thrown all their resources into it, and all they got out of it was a red headline and a complete funeral. Few, if any, cases show a final return that is satisfactory.

The vampire, as we know and think of her, is a lovely-scented flower, exotic and languid like the fragile air plants with their delicate blooms.

She must have admiration to excess. She must have love, here and there, and far and wide.

She does not hesitate to rob the nest of a plain, sober, domestic bird—for instance, that of the wife whose husband she desires. Let the mother and nestlings perish, she does not care as she laughs her way along.

But how often we read of her sudden end, in the form of murder, suicide or heartbroken death. Today it is Mrs. Ruth Vail Randall, of Chicago, who killed Captain Clifford Bleyer and then herself.

Bleyer was married, the father of two children. His wife, until he was murdered, knew nothing of his unfaithfulness to herself and said:

"I know now my idol had feet of clay. I almost worshipped him. God forgive me!"

It might have been better had she never known, for she didn't deserve unhappiness. Where ignorance is bliss is it always folly to be wise? We wonder.

Ruth Randall was a woman of education, culture and a fair amount of worldly goods. She openly declared her ideas on the subject of free love, which she advocated.

Yet she took trouble enough to cover up her practice of this same

ship of Mrs. Douglas White, the wife of a former admirer—Bleyer was not the first married man she loved—and visited the Whites' home, fondled the White children, and was later denounced by Mrs. White, who had become aware of the existing conditions between her husband and the fair visitor.

The vampire's game is pitiable enough in its romantic aspects. But for the woman who attempts to win a married man's love and offers a betrayer's kisses to his trusting family there can be no contempt too great.

It seems as if even a woman who wants to be a professional love seeker, a foolish, wanton woman who well knows the consequences, might stop at baiting innocent persons who do her the honor not to suspect her motives in entering their homes and accepting hospitality. Even a vampire in her own game ought to "play fair."

And the worst punishment of the woman who subsists on love is the loss of affection. This is what happened to Ruth Randall. Mrs. Douglas White wrote her:

"You are being punished now. The one you thought loved you turned against you."

This letter was written more than a year ago. And about a year ago began the guilty love between Bleyer and Mrs. Randall. A few days before the tragedy the two were heard quarreling in a Chicago cafe. Bleyer said to his companion:

"Ruth, I never want to see you again."

Then he went away and Mrs. Randall is said to have followed with bowed head.

Another woman had told her that she was losing love, and death might have seemed preferable to that loss. She had many a twinge of conscience, as may well be imagined from the words of her delicately perfumed diary, which was discovered after her death and which reads in part:

"My sense of honor (oh, God! how ridiculous that seems to me!) tells me to leave Cliff, who belongs to another. Some day I will have the strength."

She was realizing less and less on her investment in her career of wreckage. Self-respect, peace of mind, precious time, youth, reputation, beauty, these were thrown into the balance at first. Finally she added life itself to the other elements combined to hold the man she loved against others. These precious things invested, and to gain what? Good times, the glamor of constant gayeries, disillusion and worry.

Deliberate tutoring to such a career can be the choice of only an unbalanced mind. And this is proved by the murder and suicide perpetrated by Mrs. Randall, for sane people do not commit either of these acts.

The only presidents of the United States previous to the election of President Wilson who served two full terms of four years each were Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, Jackson and Grant.

#### BROWNS CLASSY DRESSERS

International News Service.  
TAYLOR, Texas, March 27.—The St. Louis Browns will have special "go-to-meetin'" uniforms this season, to be worn for Sunday games only. This is the first time in the history of the game that any major league club has arranged for a set of Sunday uniforms. Manager Burke, who has had the Browns working hard in training here, wants them to look their best on Sundays next season. Whether the Browns finish on top or on the bottom they will be the best dressed team in the big leagues.

Pharamound, who began his reign in 420 A. D., was the first king of France.

#### "COVEY" PLAYS IT SAFE.

International News Service.  
NEW YORK, March 27.—Stanley Coveleskie, Cleveland pitcher, has a lot of respect for Babe Ruth's heavy bat and his ability to swing it. One day last summer Coveleskie was pitching for Cleveland when Ruth came to bat with the bags full and two runs needed by the Yanks to tie the score. Coveleskie walked Ruth and forced in one run. Manager Fohl raved at Covey when he came to the bench.

"What didja do that for?" he howled.

"Cause it's easier to pitch four bad ones for one run than one good one for four runs with that guy hittin'," replied Covey.

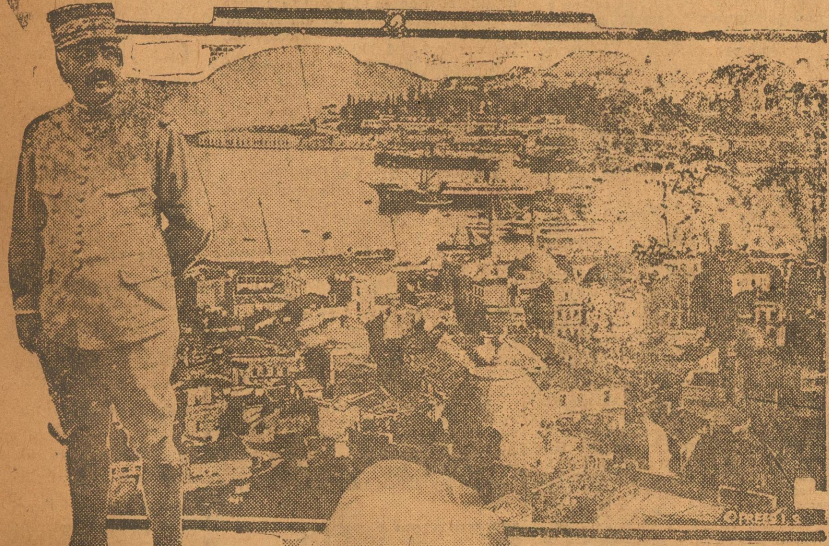
#### McGRAW LIKES RULE CHANGES

International News Service.  
SAN ANTONIO, March 27.—John McGraw, manager of the Giants, said recently that he favors the new pitching reforms.

"Trick pitching added nothing to the speed of the pitchers, was unfair to the batter and detracted from the spectacular side of baseball," said McGraw. "The Giants will not suffer as a result of the new rules, either. Phil Douglas is our only spitball pitcher and he can get along without the moist delivery."

The house of commons of the British parliament consists of 707 members, the coalitionists dominating with a total of 471 members.

### ALLIED FORCES, UNDER GENERALS D'ESPEREY AND MILNE, WILL HOLD TURK CAPITAL UNTIL PEACE TREATY IS EXECUTED



General Franchet d'Espercy (left), Constantinople and the Bosphorus, and General George F. Milne.

Allied forces now in Constantinople will remain in occupation until every provision of the Turkish treaty has been executed. General George F. Milne, who marched into the city a few days ago at the head of a British force, is in active command in the Turkish capital. General Franchet



d'Espercy of the French army is in command of all allied forces in Turkey, and thus the British general is at least theoretically under his control.

French troops have been in military occupation of Constantinople, for the purpose of maintaining order, for sixteen months. The allies have announced that it is not their purpose to deprive the Turks of their ancient capital.

General Milne enjoys the distinction of being the most decorated man who took part in the world war. He served on all fronts and received decorations from the rulers and military commanders of every one of the allied countries.

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## AMUSEMENT SECTION

### At the Show Houses the Coming Week

**LIBERTY**—MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, Mary Pickford in "The Heart of the Hills," her very latest and biggest First National production from her own studio, also special Christie comedy, "He Married His Wife"; THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, "The Long Arm of Mannister," special Christie comedy, Fay Fincher in "Mary Moved In," Consolidated News; SATURDAY AND SUNDAY, Shirley Mason in "Her Elephant Man," Topics of the Day, Pathe Animated Review, Hank Mann comedy, Sennett comedy, Mutt and Jeff comedy.

**LONE STAR**—TODAY, "What's Your Husband Doing?" with Douglas MacLean and Doris May; MONDAY AND TUESDAY, "The Six Best Cellars," with Bryant Washburn, also Prisma Pictures and Christie comedy; WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, Irene Castle in "An Amateur Wife," Holmes Travelogue, Gaumont News; FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND SUNDAY, Wallace Reid in "Double Speed," and Mr. and Mrs. Carter DeHaven in "Hoodooed."

**LAMB**—TODAY, "In Walked Mary," with June Caprice, and Rolin comedy; MONDAY AND TUESDAY, Eugene O'Brien in "His Wife's Money," Universal Comedy, Pathe News; WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, Blanche Sweet in "The Deadlier Sex" and Jack Dempsey in "Daredevil Jack"; FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, Goldwyn presents "The Street Called Straight," one of the great dramas of the screen, also Bray Pictograph and Pathe News; SUNDAY, Mae Murray in "The A-B-C of Love," and Rolin comedy.

**HIPPODROME**—TODAY, "Soldiers of Fortune" and "Crackerjack Girls" ALL THIS WEEK.

**OPERA HOUSE**—TODAY, Lieutenant Locklear in "The Great Air Robbery"; ALL WEEK, vaudeville, change Monday and Thursday, with pictures.

**QUEEN**—TODAY, William Farnum in "Wolves of the Night"; MONDAY, "Winning Stroke," a Fox feature, and Al Jennings in "Seeds of Dishonor"; TUESDAY, "Love Defender," and comedy; WEDNESDAY, "Rose of the Rancho," featuring Bessie Barriscale, and Tom Mix in "Love in the West"; Thursday, "Kingdom of Dreams."

### QUEEN. She Wanted a Lock of William Farnum's Hair.

"I've had requests for all sorts of souvenirs, but this one beats the rest," said William Farnum out in Hollywood, in the Fox studios, during the filming of "Wolves of the Night." He had glanced casually at the beginning of a letter handed to him by his secretary, and remarked with that winning Farnum smile:

"She wants a lock of my 'pretty curly hair,' as she calls it. Can you beat that?" Then he read the rest of the letter and grew most serious, and handed the missive back to his secretary with a few whispered words, as if they were too sacred for the general ear.

The letter said: "Your lonely locks are just like my father's hair that I used love to comb and curl while seated on Daddy's lap when I Daddy died in Africa, far away from me, and always my heart yearns for just one lock of the loveliest hair I ever saw. I see all your pictures, and each time I long for a curl of the only hair I have seen that is like Daddy's. Please, Mr. Farnum, for memory's sake do me this little favor." William Farnum appears at the Queen theater today in "Wolves of the Night," a photoplay that is said to show this great star at his best, with many charms beside his hair.

### LONE STAR. Show Good Pictures.

Doris May and Douglas MacLean have "arrived." We cannot remember a motion picture star whose very first vehicle met with such an enthusiastic response as has "Twenty-three and a Half Hours' Leave," the Mary Roberts Rinehart story in which these two young people made their debuts as comedy co-stars. It is not surprising, Thomas H. Ince, the star-maker, has never erred in his judgment. When he decided to elevate Miss May and Mr. MacLean to stellar ranks, he made their success doubly sure by purchasing for them five of the brightest, liveliest stories on the market at an outlay of close to \$100,000. The Rinehart tale is the first. The second is "What's Your Husband Doing?" adapted from George V. Hobart's stage farce of the same name, which was a smashing hit on Broadway. It's a hilariously funny mix-up of young wives and husbands, radiant with the joy of life and packed with wholesome laughs. Your folks are sure to like it.

Mary Pickford never had a more popular leading man than Douglas MacLean. The pictures which he made with this favorite and with Dorothy Gish, Dorothy Dalton, Enid Bennett, Gail Kane, Vivian Martin, and Alice Brady made his breezy personality well known to screen lovers. Douglas was destined to a career as an engineer by his father, a minister in Washington, D. C., but he left college to enter dramatics and appeared on the stage in support of Margaret Anglin, Maude Adams, and others. Thomas H. Ince saw in him the makings of a star, put him through a grooming period as leading man, then featured him with Doris May in "Twenty-three and a Half Hours' Leave."

Doris May is an unusual girl in more ways than one. She was a talented musician at the age of four, appeared in concert with Kubelik, the violinist, when nine years old, trained the dancers for the San Diego exposition, and came to the Ince studio two years ago with a determination

### IS THERE A MARY PICKFORD IN RANGER?

Manager Palmer of the Liberty theater is offering ten dollars cash for any girl or young lady who will dress up like Mary Pickford in "The Heart of the Hills" as a mountain girl and ride a mule. There is a chance for some young lady to make an easy ten dollars and have a real holiday at the same time. The picture, which is the third production of Miss Pickford's own company, will be shown at the Liberty theater Sunday, Monday and Tuesday of this week. All applicants in this contest must present themselves before Manager Palmer not later than Monday noon. And s-s-shh, it is whispered that a film scout from a movie yard may be there, so applicants best come early. You might get a regular job.

to star in pictures. Mr. Ince was impressed with her earnestness. He tried her out in small parts. She more than made good. Then followed several pictures in which she played feminine lead with Charles Ray. When a partner for Douglas MacLean was being sought, she was the natural choice.

### LAMB. June Caprice Discusses "Make Up" and Leading Men.

The question of screen make up always intrigues and mystifies the average person and the mental image of the color combination recommended by June Caprice is startling, at least.

June volunteers the information that she uses a yellow powder in conjunction with flesh colored grease paint. "It photographs well," she says, "because yellow comes out white on the screen and flesh color is just a little deeper. When I was a beginner I used to like to wear a pretty make up, around the studio, but it photographed horridly."

"Just now I am getting rid of a fine collection of freckles which I accumulated down in the mountains of North Carolina where we were shooting the southern scenes in 'In Walked Mary.' They interfere horribly with my make up but I do love the outdoors and am happiest when we are doing 'exteriors.'"

Comedy dramas is my favorite work," continues Miss Caprice. "The price of the Mountains was my best until 'A Damsel in Distress,' an adaptation of Pelham Grenville Wodehouse's novel which ran in the Saturday Evening Post."

"I had the finest surprise when I inquired who my leading man was to be in 'In Walked Mary' who should it be with good old Tom Carrigan, who has played with me before and I knew right off the picture would be a great success. Tom is really quite a peach." "In Walked Mary" is showing at the Lamb theater today.

### EAST SIDE. Girl's Name Cursed by Father's Record.

In "Mary Regan," which will be seen at the East Side today, Anita Stewart has the appealing role of a girl trying to prove that her father's strain of criminality is not in her own blood, and still remain strong enough to resist the temptations and threats of a clever band of polite robbers who inhabit New York's upper stratum.

Although given a splendid education and surrounded by luxury, Mary has been unable to escape the odium which attaches to her father's name. Now, loved by a detective, and married to a young man of wealth, she reaches a stirring climax in which her future standing is determined in one exciting night.

### AT THE LIBERTY BEGINNING MONDAY



MARY PICKFORD IN "HEART OF THE HILLS"

**HIPPODROME.** New Feldman Company on This Week Harry Feldman's new musical comedy company will open at the Hippodrome today with "Hez on Broadway," a tear-making one-act comedy with plenty of good singing and dancing. The company will play here all week with a change of program daily. "Soldiers of Fortune" will also be shown here today.

**OPERA HOUSE.** Vaudeville All Week at Opera House Vaudeville has been secured for every day this week at the Opera House. Changes in program will be made Monday and Thursday. These bills are all big time and will consist of five and six acts each.

### SWISS FEAR REDUCTION OF ARMY BY PACIFISTS

GENEVA.—Swiss military men fear that pacifist organizations, sowing their arguments on the influence of the league of nations in preventing future wars, will succeed in reducing the Swiss army to a condition of absolute impotency.

Colonel Sarasin, Colonel Feyer and Colonel Lecomte have written several articles protesting against any reduction in the strength of the Swiss forces and urging on the contrary, a reorganization designed to make the army more effective.

### WINDOW CLEANERS ASK \$44.

BOSTON.—Members of the Boston Window Cleaners' union have made a demand upon their employers for an increase in wages to \$44 a week, with eight hours' work a day and four hours on Saturdays.

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## WHAT'S YOUR HUSBAND DOING?

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### Proposed Air Mail Stations Pictured in Screen Drama

At the Opera House last night the audience was thrilled and aroused to enthusiasm by "The Great Air Robbery," a master photo-production by Universal, starring the noted air man, Lieut. O. L. Locklear, who startled the world several months ago by his feat of changing aeroplanes thousands of feet above the earth.

Lieutenant Locklear appears in the picture as the crack pilot of the U. S. aerial mail service whose skill in mid-air saves his friend from disgrace, brings to earth a band of desperate air pirates who prey upon the flying mail, and wins him the girl he loves.

In telling this story, which is the pioneer of many such plots that undoubtedly will follow, Universal has accomplished unusual results. Not only do the principal players perform hair raising feats in mid-air, but the camera-men have accomplished equal

wonders in filming the scenes. Many of the hazardous feats, especially the changing from one fast moving plane to another, were performed within a few yards of the winged cameras.

Scenes of rare interest are shown in the lively air-thriller. The audience sees the vast field of the U. S. mail service at night, the aeroplanes outlined by searchlights, and the exhaust from the engines leaving comet-like trails in the sky. One gets a glimpse of strange vistas of cities, rivers, woods and mountains as the daring riders pilot their craft on transcontinental flights.

The story was written and directed by Jacques Jaccard. Lieutenant Locklear, who is as clever an actor as he is an aviator, is surrounded by a company which includes Francecia Billington, Allan Forrest, Ray Ripley and Carmen Phillips.

### QUEEN THEATER

William Farnum in

## "Wolves of Night."

Also Comedy

FATTY ARBUCKLE IN "THE FOURFLUSHER"

## HIPPODROME TODAY

## "SOLDIERS OF FORTUNE"

An Allen Dawn Production

Also

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## Whirly Girly Show

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"Uncle Hez on Broadway."

### Is She the Next First Lady of the Land?

Old Fashioned Wife, in Old Fashioned Home With Old Fashioned Furniture—That's Mrs. A. Mitchell Palmer.

Wife of Fighting Quaker Believes in Votes for Women.

Swarthmore College Romance Begun in School Days May Lead to White House.

The moment a man becomes a presidential possibility the first thing every woman in the country wants to know is whether he is married and what his wife is like.

An old fashioned wife in an old fashioned home surrounded by old fashioned furniture—that is a thumb nail picture of Roberta Dixon Palmer, who may become the first lady of the land.

Old fashioned she is, in that in a world of women seeking personal glory and furthering individual ambition, she believes that the greatest and most fascinating career is to be a wife and mother, and new fashioned she is in that she also believes in votes for women and a woman's right to make her own place in the world.

This combination might seem paradoxical were it not for the fact that Mrs. Palmer, like the Attorney General of the United States, A. Mitchell Palmer, himself, comes of old Quaker stock, and the Quakers, generations ago, maintained the freedom and equality of women, the while their wives tended the hearth fires with quite as much devotion and skill as their women.

Her Quaker Birthright. It is because of this Quaker birthright that Mrs. Palmer can be a suffragist, stand for all that is progressive in woman's affairs, and still find that being the wife of A. Mitchell Palmer and the mother of charming, ten-year-old Mary Dixon Palmer, the most thrilling adventure in the world.

There need be nothing contradictory, in Mrs. Palmer's opinion, between old ideas and new necessities.



Mrs. A. Mitchell Palmer, wife of the Attorney General of the United States, and ten-year-old daughter, Mary Dixon Palmer.

She is neither perplexed nor perturbed by the multiplicity of "movements."

"I cannot understand the point of view of the woman who thinks it sufficient to minister to the material side of her husband's needs," she said. "To me it is quite as essential to understand my husband's views and ideas, his work and his career, as it is to have his home well ordered and his meals properly cooked and served."

"Thought can neither be measured nor bound, and a woman's mind can be just as progressive while she is being a devoted wife and a good housekeeper as it could if she insisted on her right to bob her hair, and refused to cook except on a chafing dish."

"The ideal woman, as I vision her, must be always the woman with brain and hand active in good work."

Mrs. Palmer declares these things in the most matter-of-fact way, with quaint charm and comforting poise. "Surely," comes the thought as one hears her quiet truths, "there is a serenity and strength of spirit in

which other women may discover something of the secret of her husband's success."

Since they were married Mrs. Palmer's husband has gone from court stenographer to successful lawyer, Congressional leader, Cabinet officer, and finally to a candidacy for the presidency which is seriously recognized throughout the nation.

Their marriage might be called a Swarthmore romance. It was at that Quaker co-educational institution that they discovered each other. Mitchell Palmer was a senior when Roberta Dixon was a sophomore.

In those days, when young Palmer was glad to have a job as court stenographer, while he read law at night, not even Roberta Dixon's fondest dreams included his being attorney general, let alone a presidential possibility.

From Plain Everyday Beginning. And the Palmers are of that refreshing sort who remember that they came from plain, every-day beginnings. Mrs. Palmer has long been prominent in affairs at the National capital, but she does not forget the days when her husband was establishing his law practice and she was mothering her first babies, two little boys who died in childhood, leaving little Mary Dixon Palmer to heal the sorrow brought by their passing.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer still use in their home the "thee" and "thou" of their youth, but despite her Quaker derivation and training, Mrs. Palmer, like most women, has one extravagance. It isn't hats, nor Japanese prints, nor anything that may be merely for money. It is flowers, flowers that bloom in every room of her home—and her garden.

"Flowers in pots and vases, lovely as they are," says Mrs. Palmer, "are only substitutes. My real joy is a garden, a great big lovely garden."

An Old-Fashioned Garden. There are 84 varieties of old-fashioned flowers in the old-fashioned Quaker garden at Stroudsburg, Pa. It is just such a garden, this that the grown-up Quaker girl loves and tends, as was loved and tended in the long ago by gray-clad, bonneted Quaker maids who did not worry about life's problems, because all were solved for them by a beautiful and soothing philosophy.

There are hollyhocks, and verbenas, and pansies and four-o'clocks and live-forever and dahlia, and forget-me-nots and moss-roses, and—but if you're ever in Stroudsburg in summer, go and see that garden.

Mrs. Palmer will be glad to show you.

### Summer Don'ts Are Compiled by Red Cross

For the coming summer months, the local American Red Cross nurse has compiled the following don'ts:

- Don't tolerate flies.
- Don't allow them in your house.
- Don't allow them on your premises.
- Don't allow garbage, rubbish, or refuse to accumulate on your lot or near it.
- Don't allow dirt in your house. Look in the corners, behind the doors and furniture, under stairs and beds. Remove the cuspidors. In brief, keep the home clean.
- Don't allow flies near food, especially milk.
- Don't buy foodstuffs where flies are allowed.
- Don't buy milk where flies are on the cans or bottles.
- Don't eat where flies are found.
- Don't forget the screens.
- Don't forget to write to the bureau of health if there is a nuisance in your neighborhood.
- Don't forget—no dirt—no flies.

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### PARIS DOCTORS' UNION TAKES REVENGE ON R. R. MEN

PARIS.—The doctors' union of the town of Mont-de-Marsan took sweet revenge on the union railwaymen during the recent general strike in France. When the government requisitioned all stores of gasoline because of the strike, the doctors had to walk instead of motorize. They thereupon announced that they would not treat sick railwaymen except in the most urgent cases. The dentists joined the doctors and refused to give any aid to suffering strikers.

### PECOS FISH POND DRAWS INTEREST OF VISITORS

Special to The Times. PECOS, March 27.—Thousands of visitors drawn to this city by the recent discovery of oil twenty-five miles north of town are drawn to the large band-stand "aquarium" the city maintains at the crossing of its main business streets, in which large blue catfish and other species of fish are displaying. Artesian water flows into the large concrete receptacle. The water is very clear so that all the maneuvers of the fish can be watched.

### Few Girls Have Been Stirred by the Pre-Natal Influences That Ruled the Soul of Mary Regan—



Her father that one-time famous cynic and master criminal, "Gentleman Jim" Regan; her mother the headstrong daughter of aristocratic parents—Mary Regan came into her inheritance as she emerged from a girlhood haunted by fear of the law into a young womanhood with the nerve and wit to defy it. Then Bob Clifford met her and offered her honest love—but she had so long loved and reasoned as a crook, the old gang and associations clung so firmly to her,

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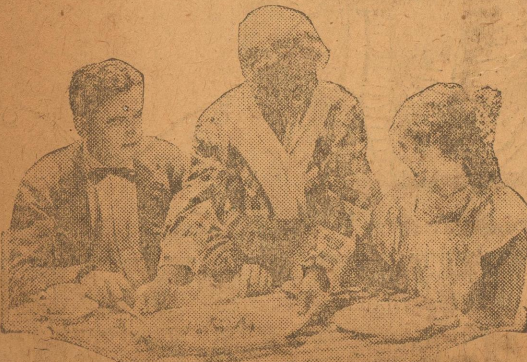


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### "IN WALKED MARY"

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### RUSS WRITER SENDS "S.O.S." BEFORE DEATH

"S. O. S.", a remarkable literary document by Leonid Andreiev, written by the great Russian novelist and short story writer just before his recent death, has been received in this country by the American central committee for Russian relief, with headquarters in the Hotel Buckingham, New York.

Andreiev's message, like a voice from the dead, describes the blight of Bolshevism over his country. Andreiev had been a pacifist, as his play, "The Red Laugh," published during the Russo-Japanese war showed, but he came out strongly for the allies and their cause. His pen was also turned against Bolshevism with telling effect.

In one paragraph the writer makes a direct appeal to America in these words:

"And you, every individual American—I call to you. You are young and rich, you are broad in spirit and

energetic, you desire that the torch of your freedom shall throw its light on distant Europe—come then and see in what agony we are, in what inhuman servitude our body and spirit are struggling. If you would but see, I assure you, you would be terrified and you would curse those deceivers and liars who have represented this most evil tyranny to you as a break on the part of the whole Russian people for liberty."

Andreiev explains the title of his appeal thus:

"Like a wireless operator on a sinking steamer that through the night and the darkness sends the last calls, 'Quickly to our aid. We are sinking. Save Our Souls,' so also I, moved by my faith in human clemency, throw into the dark space my prayer of perishing human beings. If you but knew how dark the night is around us, there are no words to describe this darkness."

At another point he writes: "It is not assistance for the Russian people that I implore you. But here are these thousands, more or less, who have but one life, which is but an instant, and who are perishing every hour in unbearable suffering, or who live, ut in a way worse than death. It is of no importance that they are called Russians, but it is of importance that these human beings, whose sufferings have begun

so long ago and continue endlessly, continue, without a gleam of light, as in a real hell, from which there is no way out, and over which malignant, terrible forces rule unchallenged. There is still time to shorten their sufferings, there is still time to remove the menace of death from their heads, and it is for the savior of their souls that I send forth my human prayer."

To give assistance to these suffering Russians in non-Bolshevik territory the American central committee for Russian relief was formed with prominent Americans at the head of it. Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard, is honorary president, Elihu Root, Samuel Gompers, John R. Mott and Cyrus H. McCormick are vice presidents, Princess Cantacuzene, granddaughter of President Grant, is chairman.

How about your glasses? Do you know your eyes are one of the most essential things in your life? Don't put it off; have it attended to. A. Z. Megede, Jeweler & Optician, across from Lone Star theatre.

### PENNANT WELL TIED IN TO PHILLIPS CO. LINE, CROSS PLAINS

CROSS PLAINS, March 27.—A franchise has been prepared which will permit the Phillips Petroleum company, who drilled the Pennant well seven miles south of town, to pipe gas to Cross Plains.

Already ten truckloads of two-inch pipe are on the ground. The matter of laying the pipe will take about ten days from the beginning of the work.

The work of surveying the line from the well to the city limits was completed last week. The line follows the Coleman and Burkett road, on east line of Coleman to th Callahan line, and as surveyed will take about ten miles of pipe. The line was surveyed to the intersection of the Dressy road and Coffman street, which is a point just east of the bridge near Uncle Jim Coffman's house.

The Pennant well is on the Harris land in the southwest part of Brown county, and was drilled last summer the Pennant Oil company, who held

the acreage, turning the drilling to the Phillips people on a fifty-fifty basis.

The well showed gas at 600 feet, and some oil at a greater depth, and developed into a fine gasser when it was abandoned as an oil producer, the six-inch casing being left in the hole. This well shows, according to the field man, about 300,000,000 cubic feet volume, and 1,200 pounds rock pressure, which is considered a good well for a gasser. The gas has no water and very little odor.

There is no change to be reported in the Vestal well since it blew into history on the 17shrdlucaefl tBBmpa history on February 17. The bottom of the hole has not been touched since the pay sand was encountered on the aforesaid date, and oil is still flowing by heads through 150 feet of open hole. The Prairie Pipe Line company has completed a four-inch line from Gorman to the well, but the oil has not been turned into it as yet.

The Consolidated has derrick up ready to rig up on the C. E. Barr, west Dryson survey, one-half mile west of Vestal No. 1. Tools are on the ground.

Timbers, boiler and engine are on

the ground for Greenlee Harris No. 1, one-fourth mile northeast of the Vestal No. 1.

Derrick completed for Hill et al, H. L. Vestal No. 1, George Click survey, Eastland county, two and one-half miles northeast of E. J. Vestal No. 1, near Liberty.

Consolidated Jim and John Barr, in south-center of Converse survey, two miles west of Cross Plains, has derrick up.

The Pierce Oil corporation has made a location on the Rushing ranch, seven miles north and east of Baird, and are moving rig timbers to same.

The Pierce Oil corporation has made a location on the J. Y. Gilliland ranch south center section No. 147, sixteen miles northeast of Cross Plains. Rig timbers and a big lot of casing are on the ground. This company holds more than 5,000 acres in this block, and about 35,000 in the county.

Enoch Lawson of Bristol, Va., former sergeant, was four times reported killed in action, and has already received three photographs of his own grave in France.

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### PRINCE-HUSBAND OF THIS U. S. WOMAN IS WELCOME; BRINGS FAMILY FOR VISIT



Princess Alfred zu Hohenlohe-Schillingfuerst and two children. Princess Alfred zu Hohenlohe-Schillingfuerst, formerly Miss Catherine Britton, an American girl, was more fortunate than many other prominent American girls who married titled Austrians and Germans prior to the war. The prince is an Austrian, but his estates are in Galicia, now a part of Poland, so his status in this country is that of an ally. He had no trouble, therefore, in bringing the princess and their two children to Washington for a visit with the princess' parents.

### The Base Ball Season Is Here

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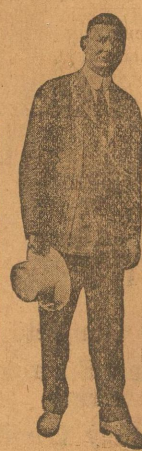


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# Drilling Operations in Ranger Field

Operations in the Ranger field, compiled to include March 22:

Black Diamond Oil Co., Courtney No. 1, 1,820, drilling.  
 Pensland Oil Co., Stokes No. 1, 2,860, drilling, 3,000,500 gas.  
 Sammie Oil Corp., Baggett No. 1, 1,030, drilling.  
 Lone Star Gas Co., Green No. 1, rigging up.  
 Mid-Kansas, C. J. Harrell No. 5, Ac. 2, 1,160, underreaming; No. 1, Ac. 2, 1,765, drilling; Nos. 2, 3, locations; No. 4, Ac. 2, rig.  
 Root, Hupp & Duff, C. U. Connolly No. 2, 835, drilling; No. 3, 115, drilling.  
 States Oil Corp., Calvert et al. No. 1, spudded; W. H. Ray No. 1, 2,870, drilling; J. E. Niv Nos. 1, 2, locations; No. 3, 2,000, drilling.  
 Star Oil Co., Holleman No. 1, 1,960, drilling.  
 Lark Central Oil Co., Langford No. 1, 1,560, drilling.  
 Magnolia Pet. Co., Loper No. 2, rig.  
 John Markham & Tidal Dowell No. 1, rig.  
 Ranger, Texas, C. J. Harrell No. 2, rig.  
 States Oil Corp., Holleman Nos. 4, 5, rigs; Summerall No. 1, 3,080, drilling; H. L. Loper No. 3, east tract, rig; No. 4, east tract, rig; No. 5, east tract, 170, drilling; No. 2, west tract, 1,914, rigging up; No. 4, rig; No. 5, 825, drilling; No. 6, rig; Shahan No. 2, spudding; No. 3, rig; C. Harrell No. 3, 1,835, drilling; No. 4, rig; No. 5, 1,630, drilling; No. 6, 935, drilling; No. 7, machine.  
 John Markham, Thompson No. 1, rig.  
 Ohio Cities, D. Z. Pierce No. 1, rig; Sinclair, W. T. Davis No. 3, rig; T. J. Earnset No. 2, 105, drilling; No. 3, rig.  
 Strabb Oil Co., D. Z. Pierce No. 2, 3,550, cleaning out.  
 Sun Co., J. G. Christmas No. 5, 1,714, making 30 barrels.  
 T. P. C. & O. Co., Meador No. 8, 3,616, drilling; No. 9, rig; Barker No. 2, 1,650, drilling; Terrell No. 4, 3,080, setting 8-inch.  
 Vulcan Oil Co., W. T. Davis No. 2, rig; B. A. Davis No. 1, rig.  
 Mid-Kansas, Griffin No. 4, rig.  
 T. P. C. & O. Co., D. W. Waggoner No. 1, rig; P. O. Ranch No. 2, rig.  
 Northern Texas Oil Co., D. C. Woods No. 1, 3,135, drilling.  
 Texas Co., Stanley No. 3, 3,295, drilling.  
 New Domain O. & G. Co., Ward No. 1, 3,910, drilling.  
 Smith & Hess, Davis No. 1, 2,310, underreaming.  
 Texas Co., Exall No. 2, 2,110, drilling.  
 Root, Hupp & Duff, S. J. Carter No. 1, 2,690, underreaming; Potteet No. 13, 350, drilling.  
 Root & Telling, Bond No. 2, star machine.  
 Ross et al., Bond No. 1, 1,904, total depth, making 200 barrels.  
 States Oil Corp., J. W. Carter No. 1, 1,640, drilling; Hamor No. 1, rig; Peel No. 8, 3,571, shot at 3,441 to 3,571, cleaning out; Henderson No. 1, 1,715, drilling by tools.  
 Chapman et al., Wright No. 4, rig.  
 Drillers Oil Co., Barnes No. 4, 2,100, drilling; No. 5, 1,250, drilling.  
 Eldorado O. & G. Co., Brooks Heirs No. 2, 1,050, drilling.  
 Gladstone Oil Co., Wright No. 2, 3,488, drilling.  
 Gulf Prod. Co., C. L. Perkins No. 9, 3,175, drilling; No. 10, 3,284, setting 6-inch.  
 Humble Oil and Refining company, Fry No. 15, 2,665, drilling.  
 Leon Oil Co., Allen No. 2, rig.  
 Milden et al., Harmony church lot No. 1, 2,140, gas mudded off.  
 Ranger Brooks Oil Co., Brooks heirs No. 3, 3,315, setting 6-inch; No. 4, 2,080, drilling.  
 Ranger Central Oil Co., Brooks heirs No. 3, 3,520, shot with 100 quarts from 3,490 to 3,515, produc-

ing 20 barrels.  
 Ranger Rock Island, Wright No. 4, 2,980, drilling; No. 5, 3,125, drilling; No. 6, rig.  
 Root, Hupp & Duff, Potteet Nos. 8, 9, 10, rigs.  
 States Oil Corp., C. Y. Butler No. 2, 2,475, drilling; Dooley, east tract, No. 1, 1,575, drilling.  
 Texas Co., Little ton No. 2, rig; No. 4, 3,240, drilling; No. 9, 3,408, drilling; No. 9, 3,448, drilling; No. 11, 2,450, drilling; No. 12, 707, drilling; No. 13, 3,500, total depth, 3,374 to 3,399, making 1,100 barrels; No. 17, rig; No. 18, moving in tools; No. 19, rig; Turner No. 3, 3,528, drilling in; No. 4, 2,470, pulling 8-inch; No. 5, 3,415, drilling; No. 6, rig; Boyd No. 10, 3,295, pulling 10-inch; No. 24, moving in tools; No. 25, 815, setting 12 1-2-inch; No. 25, 1,320, underreaming.  
 Vulcan Oil Co., Hamor No. 3, rig.  
 John Markham, Danley No. 9, rig.  
 Sinclair, B. L. Danley No. 8, 3,260, cleaning out; No. 9, 3,394, shot with 40 quarts from 3,346 to 3,366, making 102 barrels; No. 10, 3,080, pulling big pipe; No. 11, spudding.  
 Sun Co., Rust No. 12, 3,435, drilling; No. 13, 2,715, drilling; No. 14, 1,490, drilling; Maynard No. 4, 3,315, making 70 barrels.  
 Texas Co., Hise est No. 4, 575, running 10-inch; No. 5, 1,345, running 10-inch; Boy B No. 11, 3,343, setting 6-inch No. 14, 3,514, total depth, producing 400 barrels; No. 21, 3,540, drilling, show of oil at 3,520.  
 T. P. C. & O. Co., Butler No. 17, rig; O. E. Meador No. 3, 3,227, drilling; No. 4, 2,060, drilling; No. 6, 3,405, swedging casing; No. 10, 3,250, drilling.  
 Markham Copeland No. 24, 3,568, trying to pull pipe.  
 T. P. C. & O. Co., J. H. McCleskey No. 8, rig; McCleskey heirs No. 2, rigged up; C. S. Davis No. 2, 3,520, cleaning out.  
 Texas Oil Syndicate, M. S. Bradford No. 1, rig.  
 Gillespie, A. Bobo No. 1, rig.  
 Great Southern, Bumgarner No. 2, 1,601, drilling.  
 Mascho & Maxwell, Hawk No. 2, 275, drilling.  
 New Domain, Downtain No. 1, 410, drilling; Williamson No. 1, 2,250, drilling.



Mystery surrounds the sinking of 10,000-ton U. S. shipping steamer "Moccasin," which disappeared at the foot of Columbia street, Brooklyn. The vessel suddenly filled with water and sank, listing far to one side, as the photo shows. The officers and crew barely had time to leap to the pier. Investigation revealed that all the ship's smokestacks and the scuttle were open.

## TRACKLAYERS NOW EIGHT MILES NORTH; NEARING FRANKELL

The tracklaying machine of the Wichita Falls, Ranger and Fort Worth railroad was eight miles north of town Saturday afternoon. It is expected that steel will be laid into Frankell, the first town north of Ranger, by the first of second of April.  
 Paul Neff, general manager of the Hamon and Kell line, is making preparations to start regular passenger and freight service south to Jacksonville on the first of April, and north to Frankell a day or two later.

## SCHOLASTIC CENSUS SHOWS BIG GAIN IN RANGER DISTRICT

P. E. MacDonald, superintendent of the Ranger schools, who has been supervising the taking of the scholastic census for this school district stated that about 2,700 children had been enumerated.  
 Mr. MacDonald stated that he was very anxious that all parents of children who have not yet been counted, notify him of that fact that their names might be entered. He hopes to get the per capita of each child raised to \$9 or \$10 in this district, and to do this it is very essential that no names be missed.

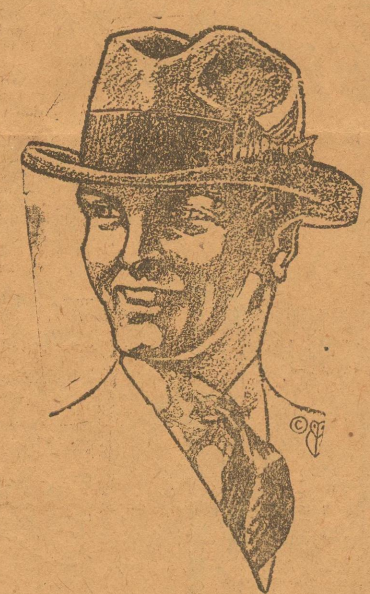
## MORTUARY

PAUL D. ROBERTS.  
 The body of Paul D. Roberts, who died suddenly Thursday at a local hotel, was sent to Paris, Texas, Saturday by Jones-Cox and company, undertakers.  
 Roberts was a representative of a Fort Worth rubber concern. He was 39 years old. He is survived by his mother and a brother living in North Carolina and another brother living at Paris, Texas. The American Legion, of which he was a member, furnished an escort to the train.  
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# TAD'S TID-BITS

## Fred Fulton Learns Something.

New York, March 27.  
Last week during the six-day race at Madison Square Garden, Tom O'Rourke, Fred Fulton and a few scribes were sitting at a table in the dining room when Harry Stevens, the Rockefeller of peanuts, strolled in. Harry mitted the assembled gents and then stated that he had just been talking to his wife, who is on a farm near Cleveland.

Fulton stared at Harry, then looked at O'Rourke to see how he took the story. He didn't get a tumble. He then exclaimed: "You talked from HERE to Cleveland on the phone?" Harry nodded yes. Fred couldn't believe it.

Harry then asked him his phone number in Minneapolis. Fred gave it to him and within five minutes Fulton was talking to his wife. He was all hopped up when he got back.

"Say, it was just as though she was next door." It gave her an awful shock to hear her talking, and she won't believe right now that I'm not on Main street in Minneapolis."

The conversation then switched to fighters. Fulton cannot understand why it is that a bunch of hams are boosted as Dempsey's opponents while he can't even get a story as long as a funeral notice about himself.

"Why don't Brennan, Carpentier, Grab and the rest of them fight me and the winner of the thing take Dempsey? There's Willard, too. I understand that he's going to box again. HE'D suit me fine. The BEST man of the lot should meet Dempsey. I don't see why one should be picked. Let him fight for his chance. Anyone of them will suit me!"

Two managers were trying to impress a promoter with the importance of a match the other night uptown and were talking of the side bets like two millionaires.

"And I'll bet \$5,000 on the side my boy wins," said one.

The other guy came back and piped: "Put up the five grand, and we'll let the purse go to the winner with it."

The promoter got all smoked up, and signed the pair.

One of the listening multitude said to John Shortall afterward:

"They seem to be big gamblers, Jim. I never heard of such betting before."

Jim laughed. "Say, they're both

from Brooklyn. I know them. They'd watch the tide go out and wouldn't bet that it would come back," he piped.

**Jack Dempsey Works Every Day.**  
Jim Corbett blew back to Bayside yesterday from a swing around the country. He spent considerable time in Los Angeles and gave Jack Dempsey a very careful lamp. Jim reports that the title holder is in great shape and ready to get into the ring at short notice.

"Those birds who think he is away off form would be surprised if they could see Jack working out daily with Big Bill Tait," Jim says.

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but what about the auto man

and HIS massacres here?

When King Midas touched anything

smartly, it turned to gold. "It's a way I have," he explained, "of striking it rich."

Of in the stilly night, ere slumber's

chains have bound me, I call upon

some neighbors who have their

stills around me.

**MRS. A. WEEKLEY HOME**  
AFTER SERIOUS ILLNESS

Mrs. A. Weekley, who has been seriously ill at the Ranger General hospital the last ten days, is greatly improved. She was taken to her home on the Copeland lease Saturday in the ambulance of Jones-Cox and company. She is expected to be completely recovered in a few more days.

**RICH PROFIT IN WALNUT TIMBER**

International News Service.

EMPERIA, Kan.—Owners of walnut groves along the Neosho and Cottonwood rivers are reaping a rich harvest from the sale of walnut timber, which is being used for the manufacture of airplane parts and high-grade furniture.

Walnut timber along these rivers has an especially fine grain and is being much sought after by the manufacturers.

## DAUGHTER OF FAMOUS ACTOR-MANAGER RETURNS HOME; SCORED HIT IN LONDON



Miss Georgette Cohan (center) photographed on her return home with her father, George M. Cohan and her grandmother, Mrs. George M. Cohan.

Miss Georgette Cohan, daughter of the famous American actor-manager and playwright, returned home a few days ago after having scored quite a success as Peter Pan in London. She was met at the dock by her father and grandmother.

## ELINOR GLYN EXPLAINS WHY "THREE WEEKS"

By EARL C. REEVES,  
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

LONDON, March 27.—Elinor Glyn has answered the question: "Why I wrote 'Three Weeks.'"

In the Grand magazine she defends the morality of her works and explains that she wrote "Three Weeks" for the arousing of the Englishman because, generally, the Englishman is incapable of a great and overpowering passion.

"The churning of souls in the agonies of the four awful years must have awakened the minds of young men of the present day so that there must not be such numbers of unthinking ones now. But thirteen years ago, Paul was the type of most young, clean Englishmen. I used often to wonder what such beings could become if awakened by a great love, and inspired by a woman of mind and temperament.

"In Latin countries there have been countless cases of supreme passionate loves, which have made history—but in England this is very rare. I was going to say I could remember not a single case. I used to wonder if it were because Englishmen were naturally cold or because English women were incapable of inspiring those great passions.

"And finally the vision of 'Three Weeks' came to me suddenly in the autumn of 1906, and I retired to the pavilion of my garden, where I used to write in those days, and began. It seemed as though some spirit from beyond was guiding me—I wrote breathlessly for hours and

hours on end."

She then turns to the popular attitude toward her works, and speaking of the Slav heroine of "Three Weeks," writes:

"The reason she has been condemned is because in England and America we have always tried to eliminate the red out of the spectrum. Passion and anything to do with the physical must always be ignored and 'tabooed.' Our whole attitude in these countries is an unconscious rejection of God's scheme of things—a tacit disapproval of His plan to keep the earth populated.

"It does not seem to have struck us that it would be more effective and sensible to try and enoble the physical emotion, and fall in with

God's meaning to the highest.

"Our whole attitude is an implied reproach—one might almost say—to the good taste and sense of propriety—of God."

The District of Columbia is the most densely populated per square mile of any area in the United States. In 1910 it had a population of 5,517.8 per square mile.

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# WIRELESS CAN FURNISH GOBS JAZZ MELODY

ATLANTA, Ga., March 27.—Means of sending music by wireless has been devised by Sergeant Thomas Brass, of the Georgia Tech signal unit, reserve officers' training corps. A demonstration to the Atlantic Radio club proved the success of his invention, which is epoch-making in wireless circles.

Sergeant Brass gave a concert by wireless telephone, probably the first in the history of that device. It was to the jazz strains of "Dardanella" that the invention was first publicly tested.

The invention necessitates the listener using a head set to hear, but Sergeant Brass is seeking to perfect an arrangement of sounding boards which will enable an audience assembled at a designated place to enjoy music from a distance without equipping themselves with individual trappings.

The demonstration was started at 7:30 o'clock when all radio stations in Atlanta were called and told to listen. As soon as complete communication had been established, Sergeant Brass sent "Dardanella" through the instrument without warning to the listeners. All were asked to report back what they heard with the result that the success of the invention was assured.

Sergeant Brass tells how he conceived the idea of a radio concert in this manner: "A station in Alabama that is on speaking terms with Tech station, was having considerable trouble in hearing a conversation on the wireless telephone some time ago. After having the message repeated several times, the Alabama operator instructed to 'sing it.' Sergeant Brass, who has spent twenty-five years in the army, and whose singing days are

but images of the past, declined to vocalize in the manner suggested, but promised to get a phonograph for him.

"You know," he said, "the idea struck me that it might actually be done. I tried it out with the ordinary transmitter, but it wouldn't work. Not enough of the sound could be concentrated on the diaphragm of the transmitter. Then I got to work and fixed it."

What Sergeant Brass actually "fixed" was a very sensitive diaphragm for a two-step amplifier receiving test. This was done only after several weeks of experimenting and hard work on the part of the entire signal unit. The work was kept strictly secret until the initial test set was given. An ordinary phonograph was started, the transmitter set up, and wireless music!

On hearing the music, one of the local stations promised to entertain with a dance, the music to be furnished by radio. This will necessitate some additional fixtures, since at present the sound does not carry far enough from the receiver for dancing purposes, and it would be necessary for the dancers to wear a receiving headset.

The possibilities of a dance were discussed, and Sergeant Brass is of the opinion that it would be possible with the proper arrangement of sounding boards. He intends to commence work on this in the near future. Until these are made, the pleasure of wireless music will have to be confined to those who are fortunate enough to get a head set.

### PECOS GRAVEL USED ON NEW ROAD SYSTEMS

PECOS, March 27.—The Pecos Valley Southern railway, is loading out numerous cars of coarse gravel for use on new road systems in the Pecos and Monahans counties. This material is being taken from pits near Verhalen. Hundreds of men are being given employment.

The soil along this line changes visibly from Pecos to Toyahvale, ranging from a white alkali to red and black as one goes toward the foothills of the Davis mountains at Toyahvale, the terminus of the forty-one mile railroad.

### PECOS C-C SECRETARY IS ONE BUSY HUMAN

Special to The Times.

PECOS, March 27.—Walter N. Sutherland is one of the busiest men in the Pecos country. He is the secretary of the Pecos Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Sutherland "meets all trains" and gives the glad and official hand of welcome to all arrivals to view the newly found oil field north of the city.

Large delegations representing many cities pour into Pecos during the week. Providing cars to take them to the Bell well and to show them a resourceful country is one of his duties. Mr. Sutherland's office looks like a hotel lobby where hundreds of suit cases, traveling bags and overcoats have been gathered into a whole awaiting the pleasure of hotel guests. Mr. Sutherland takes care of these things, too.

Thousands of letters are coming to this organization asking every conceivable question under the sun. These keep him very busy. Though a stranger to Pecos a few weeks ago, Mr. Sutherland now knows more about the city and the country than some of the old-timers. He is getting valuable experience.

### PECOS HAS SETTING OF OIL FIELD TERRITORY

Special to The Times.

PECOS, March 27.—Pecos has the perspective and the mountains to give it the oil field east, says the West Texas Chamber of Commerce representative. To the southwest are the lofty Davis mountains and to the northwest the towering outlines of the Guadalupe. The Davis mountains are forty-five miles away and the Guadalupe 100 miles off, but they may be seen clearly on a bright day. Between these mountains are the foothills and the famous Toyah valley, which many noted geologists have declared will produce oil wells which will make the Tampico field look small in comparison.

### BARSTOW EAGER TO TRY NEW IRRIGATION PLAN

Special to The Times.

BARSTOW, March 27.—Barstow is quivering in anticipation of the ultimate construction by the government of a huge dam across the Pecos river near Red Bluff, N. M., to impound sufficient water to irrigate 200,000 acres of Pecos valley lands between Red Bluff and Barstow and southward as far as Grand Falls, says the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Already thousands of acres of land on the Barstow side of the Pecos are now under ditch and producing some of the most wonderful crops that are grown in the southwest. Irrigation ditches and canals network the entire city and surrounding country and waters from the Pecos are being diverted to these productive lands in large quantities. Extension of the present irrigation system is proceeding with all land owners optimistic over prospects of having the Red Bluff project put through in a few months.

Some of the finest fruits in the southwest is now being successfully grown in the Barstow region. The town is recuperating from the depression of war and the three years of drought which prostrated the entire west between 1919 and 1921.

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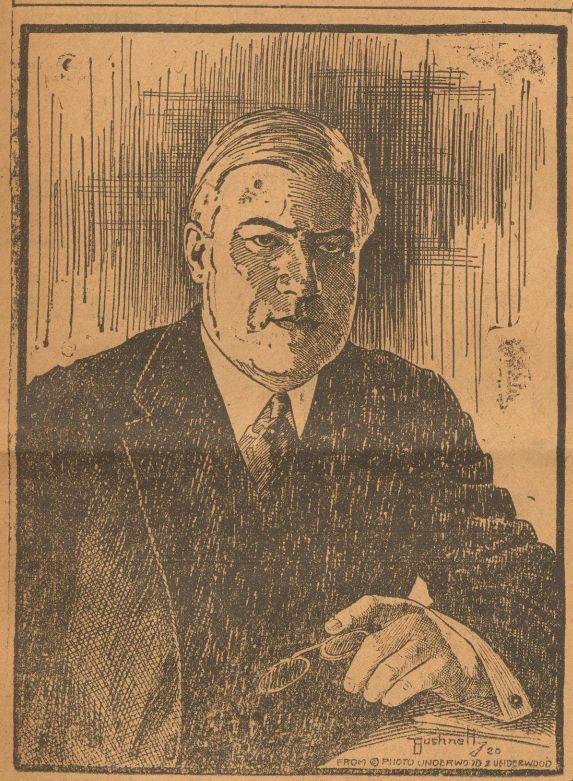
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### WOMAN AMONG RUSSIANS WHO SIGN TREATY WITH ESTHONIA



The Bolsheviks admit women to their councils on an equal footing with men. It is not surprising therefore that one of the delegates appointed by Lenine to make peace with Esthonia was a woman. She is shown with the other Russian delegates in the accompanying picture. Second to her right is seen A. Joffe, chairman of the Russian delegation. He was formerly Russian ambassador to Berlin.

### CHARACTER SKETCHES OF PRESIDENTIAL POSSIBILITIES ATTORNEY GENERAL A. MITCHELL PALMER



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### American Young Men Advised to Visit Russia to Study Its Women

Special to The Times.  
 NEW YORK, March 27.—"I advise all young American men to go to Russia, if for no other reason than to meet and study Russian women. They are not spoiled. They have no false vanity. Their most beautiful virtue is their naturalness. They do not try to appear what they are not. They are trained in the things a woman should know."

This paean of praise was sung by Hugh Street Martin, a former Captain in the United States Intelligence service in Russia, who recently returned to this country with a young Russian bride, after an international romance that would tax the imagination of our most industrious novelists.

Captain Martin and his bride-to-be met while both were doing secret service work in the exciting days of 1918 when North Russia was making its strongest fight against the Red

Guard. He had gone to Russia in 1916 as special attaché of the American embassy and later joined the intelligence branch of the army, where he served with distinction. Captain Martin is now lecturing for Russian relief, whose purpose is to administer aid to the thousands of Russian refugees in non-Bolshevik territory. The committee's headquarters are now in the Hotel Buckingham.

Mrs. Martin, before her marriage, was Maria Bogomolova, which means in English, Maria Pilgrim. Because of her acute sense of hearing, she was known to allied intelligence officers as "the human diatroph." Her auditory faculty was of real value because the officers often lacked the equipment for "listening in" at radical meetings. On one occasion she put her ear to the wall and reported accurately entire conversations, of which none of the others could distinguish a single word.

Captain Martin and Miss Bogomolova first met in Archangel in the summer of 1917. She was a secret agent for the allies, following in tradition in North Russia, and they were frequently detailed to the same investigations. Her quickness, intelligence and pluck instantly appealed to the young American soldier. He had learned to speak the Russian language and he proposed in that tongue. She answered with the only English word she knew—"yes."

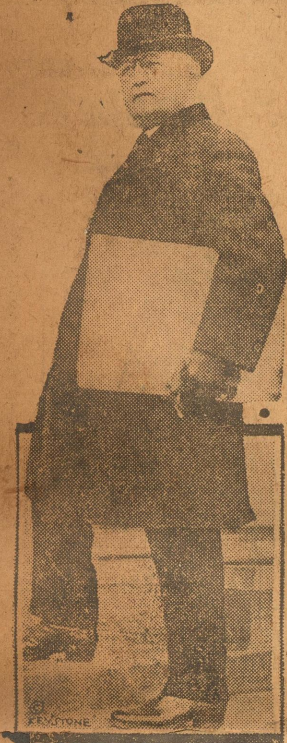
The marriage was performed in Archangel on August 10, 1918, but it was necessary to keep it a secret for more than a year because her value as a secret service worker would have been destroyed if it had been known that she was the wife of an American officer. Six days after the ceremony he was ordered to Murmansk and the Finnish frontier. She continued her work at Archangel.

Captain Martin, who is now in New York, has sent his pretty young wife to his home town, Meridian, Miss., for instruction by private tutors in the English language. She has learned rapidly and now writes to her husband in her adopted tongue. She expresses the greatest admiration for America.

Incidentally, the people of Meridian express the same sort of feeling for the little Russian girl. They marvel at her ability as a modiste. They say she can cut out a fresh dress and fit it most meticulously without even using a pattern. She can also cook, look after the house, discuss Russian literature and relate the most thrilling stories of the war that the good people of Meridian ever heard.

But why shouldn't she? Remember what Captain Martin said about Russian women.

### BATTERED TREATY SENT BACK AGAIN TO WHITE HOUSE



Secretary George A. Sanderson with treaty on steps of White House.

For the second time the Versailles peace treaty has been sent back to President Wilson by the U. S. senate unsigned. The picture above shows Secretary George Sanderson of the senate carrying the rejected treaty back to the White House pending further action on it.

**VALUE OF EMERALDS SHOWS INCREASE OF 300 PER CENT**

International News Service.

LONDON.—Diamonds are still going up, but emeralds are acquiring preciousness even much faster than the engagement stone.

A will case here brought in many experts and revealed that diamonds have appreciated 100 per cent in value in the past few years, while emeralds are up 300 per cent.

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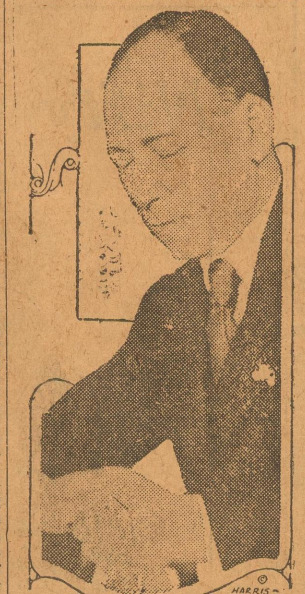
### PECOS HAS PROVIDED FOR ITS WATER NEEDS

PECOS, March 27.—In case Pecos grows into a large city from the wealth of oil which will probably be taken from its trade territory, it will not lack for sufficient water for domestic and factory purposes. The city has over 200 artesian wells. A few years ago water from these wells pushed itself up twenty or thirty feet, as high as a second-story building, but of recent months since many large wells were brought in for irrigation south of the city where the elevation is higher, the pressure has greatly diminished until at present a ten-foot geyser is only possible now. However, it is only a matter of drill or digger labor wells to supplement the present adequate water supply, says the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

### CAMMACK MAKES TRIP TO FACTORY

J. A. Cammack, Okay truck dealer returned the last of the week from the factory where he ordered two more car loads of Okay trucks for Ranger to be shipped at once. He sold two three-ton trucks last week, one to Geo. Dalton and the other to L. W. Crawley.

### PROHIBITION LAWS WELL ENFORCED IS OFFICIAL'S VERDICT



H. M. Gaylord, Deputy Commissioner H. M. Gaylord of the prohibition enforcement bureau recently returned to Washington after an inspection trip and declares that the enforcement of the laws is successful in all parts of the country that he visited. He predicts conditions will be even better within three months. He visited Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, Nebraska, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Ohio and New York.

### Teacher Charged With Harsh Rule; Jury Disagrees

A teacher of a school near Ranger was tried before a jury in Justice of the Peace McFatter's court Saturday on a charge of unmercifully whipping a pupil.

The mother of the boy testified in court, claiming that the boy had black marks on his body as a result of the punishment. The boy also testified. He said he thought the teacher was a good instructor, but claimed he had administered too severe a punishment.

The trustees of the district were present at the trial, and two of them said the teacher was well liked in the neighborhood.

Several school children were examined. When asked if he had ever been in court before, a 12-year-old boy replied: "Yes, I was before the grand jury three years ago."

"Another boy who was whipped at the same time declared: "He didn't whip Russell as hard as he did me." Russell is the name of the boy about whom the dispute centered.

The teacher admitted that he had whipped the boy, using a piece of gas hose as an instrument of punishment. His testimony and that of pupils was to the effect that the boy was in the habit of bullying girls and smaller boys.

The misdemeanor carries a fine of from \$5 to \$25 in case of conviction. The jury was unable to agree on a verdict, and after an hour's deliberation announced that there was no hope of agreement. The case will be set for trial again.

### PERSONALS

Mrs. C. R. Steward of this city, has successfully undergone an operation for appendicitis. She is resting well and a rapid recovery is expected.

Walter Nance, vice president of the First National bank of Jachamou, was in this city Saturday on a business trip. He stated that new business houses are going up at Jachamou, in anticipation of regular train service April 1.

W. P. B. Tucker, head clerk of Jones-Cox and company, has gone to Aspermont, Texas, on a business trip.

T. J. Adams, a wealthy land owner of the LaCassa neighborhood, was in town Saturday on a business trip.

Josephine A. Brown, campaign director, southwestern field of the Young Woman's Christian association, who was in Ranger Saturday, went to Eastland Saturday afternoon. She will return to Dallas Sunday.

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The oldest zoological garden in the United States is at Fairmount Park, Philadelphia. It was established in 1859.

### DEFINES CIVIC AND MODERN SOCIAL THEFTS

International News Service.  
 COLUMBUS, Ohio.—Do you know what "modern social thefts" are? They are: Dishonest taxation returns, extravagant living, emphasis on expert publicity rather than the quality of goods sold, unjust distribution of wealth by employers, and taking pay for time not put in by employees.

At least, this is the judgment of Rev. Dr. Irving Maurer, pastor of the First Congregational church here.

Now, what are "civic thefts?"

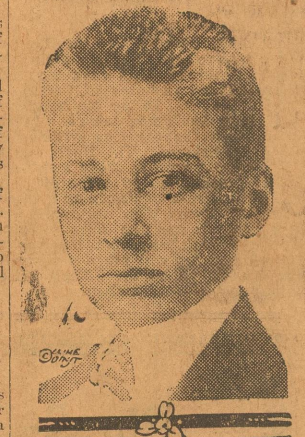
Again the Rev. Dr. Maurer sheds light by explaining that the spending of public money and equipment by wasteful employees is one of the worst of civic thefts.

"The profiteer, too, is a thief, because he goes on the theory that he has a right to whatever he can get away from you," said the clergyman.

"You can always tell by his use of an automobile whether the man driving it pays for the gas and tires," he said.

"Theiving from corporations has attained alarming proportions, according to Rev. Dr. Maurer.

### INHERITS TROPHIES OF ADMIRAL PEARY



Robert E. Peary, Jr., sixteen-year-old son of the late Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary, discoverer of the North Pole, inherits his father's medals, trophies, etc. He has also been given Eagle Island, near Harpswell, Maine, with a request that the property be kept in the possession of his descendants.

### MINE SWEEPERS PLACED IN RESERVE AT PORTSMOUTH

International News Service.  
 PORTSMOUTH, N. H.—Eight of the mine sweepers used in the North sea during the war have arrived at the Portsmouth navy yard and have been placed in reserve. A majority of the crews were enlisted for duration of the war and have been discharged.

### NEW PRESIDENT OF FRANCE A NOTED DANCER

International News Service.  
 PARIS.—The new president of France, Paul Deschanel, was the best dancer in Parisian society when he was a young man, according to one of the French magazines. He was particularly fond of the "Boston" and was seen frequently in the company of a young woman who was equally well known as a good dancer.

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### SHIP-BY-TRUCK GAINING HERE

By WILLIAM FROST.

Perhaps the greatest argument for the extension of the ship-by-truck movement in Ranger occurs with regularity once or twice each month when electric and steam railroads are compelled to establish freight and express embargoes until the congestion in their respective terminals is relieved.

This statement is not to be taken as an attack, or criticism of any railroad, nor is the program of the ship-by-truck bureau antagonistic to them. One of the basic principles on which the work of those interested in motor express is fixed is that there are two fields of transportation, the short haul and the long haul, or through freight, the first of which, it is maintained, belongs as much to the motor truck as does the trunk line operations of the freight car to the railroads.

It is estimated that approximately 35 per cent of the freight awaiting loading at the railway terminals during the embargoes is not intended for delivery at points more than 50 or 60 miles distant from Ranger. The vast bulk of that 35 per cent is capable of being delivered by motor truck.

The many advantages therefore of the extension of the ship-by-truck program as applied to Ranger alone are immediately apparent. Aside from the efficiency of delivery, the added service which the motor truck can render, the motor express if more widely used by shippers in Ranger would relieve a very real burden which, it is claimed, the old-established systems of transportation are laboring.

With the shortage of freight cars, which is particularly acute, the advantages of motor truck transportation are more evident than before.

The former director general of the United States railroad administration issued a statement urging shippers everywhere to utilize other means of transportation as much as possible until the roads are able to return to something of the pre-war service.

Railroad officials have appointed committees of investigation to determine the extent of assistance which motor trucks can be to them in the prosecution of their business. They are looking to the motor truck, not as a competitor in their business, but as claimed for it by our bureau, as an aid, an ally, a feeder for their lines already established. In certain instances trucks are taking the place of short lines, formerly built as feeders at a vast outlay of money.

One prominent railroad official has expressed the wish that the motor truck may be able to relieve his

line of "the cruse of the short haul." The general application of the ship-by-truck principle, it is believed, must await a more perfect understanding of the possibilities and capabilities of the motor truck on the part of producer and consumer alike. A campaign of education which the bureau has conducted throughout the country has performed wonders, but it is far from complete. An extension of the program awaits good roads legislation and good roads construction.

The fact that the state will spend approximately \$75,000,000 on highways within the next few years is a great impetus, but when it is considered that only approximately five per cent of the highways of the state are improved, the need for immediate action can not be urged too strongly.

**INSURANCE COMPANIES**  
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Agents representing fire insurance companies who are not licensed in the state of Texas are liable to imprisonment, is the gist of a letter received from Chas. V. Johnson, deputy fire commissioner at Austin.

The Chamber of Commerce sounds a warning to both agents and patrons on this matter. In case of a patron, according to Manager Peters of the Chamber of Commerce, if he is insured by one of these companies who operated without state license, and suffer loss, the fire insurance company must be sued, if necessary to sue, at their home office.

### MOTOR EVENTS FROM GRIST OF GASOLINE ROW

International exhibition of motor cars will be held at Antwerp from May 15 to June 13, under the patronage of the Syndical Chamber of the Automobile and the Royal Automobile club of Belgium. The exhibition will include seven classes. Complete motor cars and chassis, motor car carriage building and its elements, automobile trade, iron and steel works and foundries allied with the automobile industry.

From June 26 to July 25 an international exhibition of commercial and agricultural tractors, camions and motors will be held at Antwerp, and from August 7 to September 15, there will be an international exhibition of side cars, motorcycles and accessories.

Temporary free entry will be obtained from the Belgian customs for foreign exhibits, and every possible facility, it is announced, will be offered to foreign exhibitors.

**British Industrial Research.**

British government has created a fund of 1,000,000 pounds to be used for industrial research, according to a report to the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce. A plan has been developed whereby contributions toward the support of the work will be raised by voluntary associations of manufacturers organized for the purpose of research. In this way the systematic co-operation of science with industry will be under direct control of the industries themselves. These associations are to have four distinct services to render to their

members; members may ask the association technical questions; members may recommend specific subjects for research; the associations will have the right to the use of any patents or secret processes resulting from researches undertaken; a member company will have the right to request special investigations to be undertaken for its sole benefit at cost. The plan also calls for establishment of regular services of summarized technical information and for translation of industrial material published in foreign languages.

**Improved Outlook for Public Utilities**

Stone and Webster, public utility engineers and managers of public utility companies covering a large part of the country, have made an analysis of conditions in this field which presents the outlook as optimistic. They assert that operating costs reached their approximate high levels in 1919. More money was raised for public utilities last year than in any year since 1913. The following table shows what proportion of this financing has been done through the medium of bonds, notes and stocks in the past six years:

Bonds—1914, \$195,000,000; 1915, \$149,000,000; 1916, \$383,000; 1917, 148,498,200; 1918, 167,995,000; 1919, \$272,335,300.
Notes—1914, \$107,000,000; 1915, \$137,000,000; 1916, \$114,000,000; 1917, \$145,645,600; 1918, \$261,563,900; 1919, \$252,495,500.
Stocks—1914, \$43,500,000; 1915, \$38,000,000; 1916, \$45,000,000; 1917, \$69,069,470; 1918, 22,044,750; 1919, \$66,108,800.

The report says in part: "The prosperity of industry as a whole is not on a sound foundation unless and until the transportation telephone, electric light, power and gas companies share in that prosperity on a basis that will permit them to command the amounts of new capital continually needed. It has been estimated that the railroads in 1920 will require

not less than \$1,000,000,000 and public utilities \$700,000,000.

The earnings of electric light and power and gas companies since 1914 demonstrate beyond all question that the rates charged by these companies are sufficiently flexible to permit gradual readjustment of income to meet successfully all changes in conditions and all increases in costs of labor and materials. With street railways this problem has been more difficult. The five-cent fare has been thoroughly established in the past by custom and in many cases by agreements and even legislation. The education of the public to necessary flexibility and readjustment, but further time will be required to ring results as satisfactory as those already obtained by electric light and power properties. The advantages of water power developments have been emphasized to a still larger degree than the business of other central power stations. To water power companies have accrued the benefits of their relatively small use of labor and fuel; in addition, the rising cost of power produced by steam has increased the salable value of hydro-electric power.

The pre-war judgment of investors, therefore, that no business rests upon a more secure foundation than that of the electric light and power companies has been proved during the extraordinary stress of the last five years. The intrinsic soundness of the business of these companies should be fully realized and the difficulties encountered by street railways should not overshadow the whole utility field.

**Secretary Meredith Favors Continuation of Highway Work.**

Edwin T. Meredith, newly appointed secretary of agriculture, believes there should be active continuation of present federal and state co-operation in connecting state road systems with those of adjoining states, so that the working out of an adequate na-

tionwide highway program may proceed in a progressive manner. He also advocates continuance of work now going forward under the federal aid road act.

"As 1921 is the last year covered by the law," Mr. Meredith says. "It would be highly desirable in my opinion for congress to make provision as promptly as possible for the continuation of the work under the present system by an appropriation of at least \$100,000,000 for each of the four fiscal years beginning with 1922."

**ADVOCATES NEWSPAPER STYLE FOR PREACHERS**

International News Service.

BOSTON.—"When the minister learns to use newspaper style he will have learned to preach so that people can understand him. The minister should read the daily papers. The style they use will help him to speak to the people in a way that will demand their attention," declared Dr. Christian F. Reiser of New York, speaking before 200 students of the Boston University School of Theology.

"It is time for the church to get out and advertise. The time is past for ministers to wear a preacher's coat and preacher's face and manner. It is time for him to be human, to read the sporting pages and talk baseball."

**ODD FELLOWS HOLD SOCIAL MONDAY NIGHT**

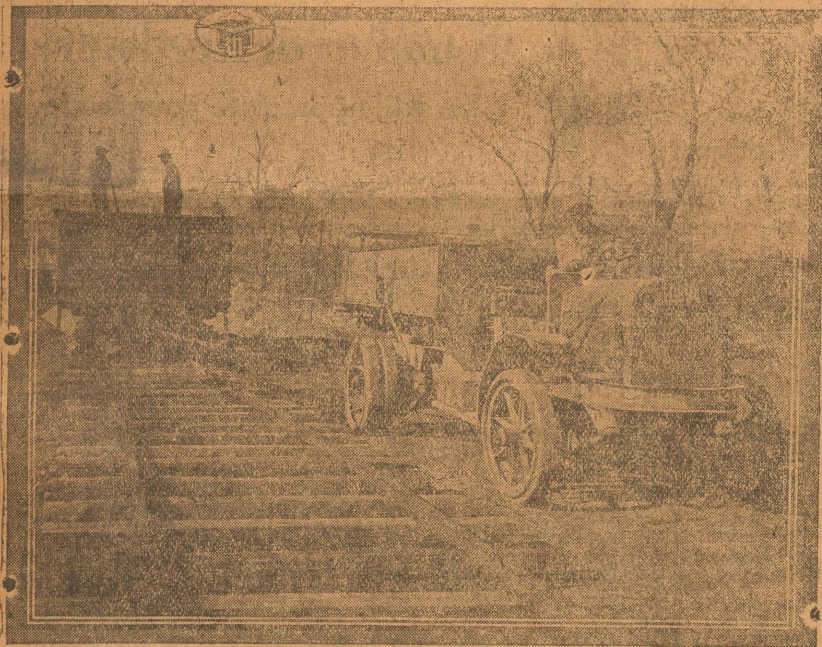
Odd Fellows, their families and visiting Odd Fellows are invited to attend a social to be held in Carpenter's hall Monday night. Refreshments will be served and a program rendered.

It is asked that all Odd Fellows be present.

Of the 10,246 army nurses who saw services overseas 286 died while on duty and three were injured in action.

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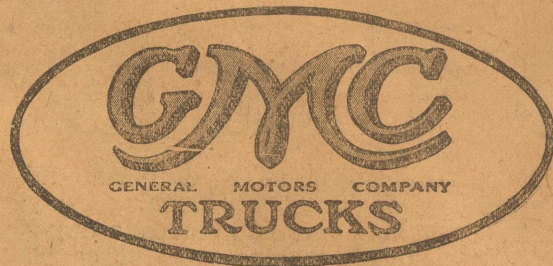
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### DOUBLE SHIFTS TRIANGLE RACE FOR BELL SAND

Special to The Times.

PECOS, March 27.—Double shifts are to work this week on the Bell-Reeves well, in the triangular race to be the first other well to reach the 650-foot level of the Bell well, in the Pecos valley field.

The Bell-Reeves people plan to work night and day in an effort to bring in the well that will prove the productive powers of the Pecos valley field. They spudded in Friday. The Citizens Oil and Gas company, spudded in Saturday, and the Grogan well has been drilling for one week.

One of these wells should reach the depth where the Bell well found oil, within 12 to 15 days working time. All three are believed to be situated on the structure under which the Bell well found oil. The Reeves well is on Section 12, a mile northeast of the Bell well, and the Grogan is three miles west and north in Section 15, and the Citizens is three miles west, along the apex of the anticline, in the triangular scrap section of block 2, H. & G. N. railway survey.

A pipeline to carry soft water to the Pecos valley oil fields for use in the boilers of derrick engines is proposed by local capitalists. The plans call for a three-inch pipeline from the Black Mountain reservoir, near Carlsbad, a distance of about eight miles. The gypsum water obtained from the artesian wells in Pecos contains much sediment that coats the interiors of the boilers. The men back of the project, which was proposed by Mayor W. E. Bell of the Bell interests are all interested in drilling contracts in the territory north of Pecos.

Scouts from the Humble Oil and Refining company, the Standard subsidiary, the Tidewater Oil company of New York, the Gulf Refining company, a subsidiary of the Mellon in-

terests of Pittsburg, and from Benedict & Trees are to come into the Pecos valley field this week as a result of the visit of Ira J. Bell, head of the Dixieland Syndicate, owners of the Bell well, to New York. Mr. Bell made the announcement of his return. W. E. Pratt, geologist of the Humble company, is now in the local field.

The Sunshine Oil corporation has announced that they will make a deep test to be known as Laura No. 3, but have not yet announced its location.

### NOW FOR CATERPILLAR TREAD TIRES—RANGER GARAGE TRIES 'EM ON TRUCKS

The Caterpillar tire with which the Ranger Garage company has been equipping so many trucks in this city has been attracting a great deal of attention. This is an innovation in truck tires and has many advantages for truck users.

The Caterpillar tire has notches or side vents which have caused much comment among truck owners as it is not always understood just why they are put there.

They are not there merely to make the tire distinctive, but to allow each segment of rubber to expand and contract as it comes under load pressure, thus absorbing road shocks at the point of contact and diminishing vibration. The traction which plays havoc with the ordinary solid tire, is taken up by the notches before it has a chance to do any damage. The chance of skidding is greatly decreased and the traction qualities enormously increased. So pronounced are the traction qualities of this sensational tire that chains are necessary only under the most exceptional conditions. This shows how wear and tear is saved for the engine and chassis, also how they save gas and give increased power. If you jack up your truck and use your engine merely for transmitting power it would last indefinitely. It is not the running of the engine that lays up your truck, but the pounding the engine and chassis receive from road shocks. These are all eliminated by the action of the notches and have made this tire the most talked of and most sensational tire which has ever been produced.

### U. S. MUST GUARD AGAINST BUBONIC PLAGUE, HE SAYS



Dr. Hugh S. Cumming

Dr. Hugh S. Cumming, new surgeon general of the U. S. public health service, recently returned from a two-year study of disease and health conditions in Asia and Europe to take up his new duties in Washington. He says that typhus fever and the bubonic plague will invade Europe from Asia and may possibly spread to the U. S. unless proper precautions are taken.

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### Sacred Cattle Win Ribbons for First Time

FORT WORTH, March 27.—The great sacred cattle of India have come to home pastures with blue ribbons for the first time from the Fort Worth fat stock show, setting a new era in the industry in the southwest.

The Brahmas came from the great Pierce ranches in Wharton county, and surpassed in public interest at the exhibit this year the Herefords, the Poll Angus, Jerseys and other breeds. Fifteen of the sacred cattle were brought to the show.

What attracted most interest about the "sacred cattle" is the fact that they are tick-proof and drouth-resisting. Originally pure-bloods, these giant, gaunt cattle have been crossed with Texas stock until they have dropped some of the physical characteristics of their kind. But they still retain the hump and their natural wildness has been intensified by the admixture with the Texas stock.

They are tall and almost gaunt and can run like deer but their meat is tender and strengthening. Breeding of these sacred cattle has never progressed into an industry in Texas, yet this year's exhibit has strengthened interest in the crossing of the breeds, especially in west Texas because of the drouth resisting qualities.

In periods of drouth, the ordinary steer cannot wander far from a water hole in search of grass with the result that all of the vegetation around the particular water hole is soon eaten up and the cattle begin to suffer. But the Brahmas will go far afield in quest of food, not depending upon the proximity of the water.

While most of Texas is rapidly "cleaning up" as far as the tick is concerned, yet the fact that the tick will not molest the sacred cattle also has drawn attention to them.

In the beginning of the crossed breed, south Texas cattlemen imported a few of the Brahmas from India and they crossed them with the local cattle, like in the Panhandle of Texas, Charles Goodnight has successfully crossed the buffalo with the cattle.

### RED CROSS GIFT STARTS SPOKEN REBUILDING FUND

CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex., March 27.—The initial gift for the rebuilding of the Spohn sanitarium, home and hospital of the Sisters of the Incarnate Word, which was destroyed by the tropical hurricane here last September, has been made by the American Red Cross. The amount is for \$2,500.

Mrs. H. M. King of Kingsville has given the sisters a five-acre tract of ground on the bluff in the south portion of the city, and a \$100,000 campaign for funds to erect a building on this site will be started soon.

### PERRY'S DAUGHTER TO CHRISTEN SHIP NAMED AFTER HER



Mrs. Edward Stafford

Mrs. Edward Stafford, daughter of the late Admiral Robert E. Peary, was chosen to christen the ship, just completed, which was named after her father. The ship, built at Philadelphia, is a destroyer.

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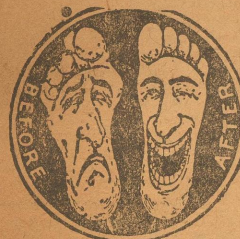
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# PUBLIC SPIRITEDNESS SOLVES RANGER EDUCATIONAL PROBLEMS IN FACE OF FINANCIAL STORMS

By ERNEST SPARKS

In 1917 only one tower light gleamed and twinkled through the night from the hill—a glimmer that was a beacon of hope to the handful of people that lived in the nesting town in the valley. A hope that oil, an agency more potent than gold, would flow forth and relieve them all from the fight against a drought-ridden soil.

It came. A gusher roared forth. Ranger became a magic city in a magic land. Derrieks sprang up, until the night seemed alive with tower lights that were a garland of low swung stars.

With the derrieks came folk—and children.

Children that clamored at the gates of the schools for admittance. Oh, how they came. To those in charge of the schools it seemed a never ending avalanche that would bury them beneath their numbers.

The figures tell the story of their coming: 1917, 276; 1918, 496; 1919, 2,200; 1920, a possible 3,300. Congestion. Half-day sessions, an avenue that would give momentary relief. The school board, men who were having fortune thrust upon them, neglected their ever increasing business to give the school problem their gravest attention. Counsel was taken with other men and a bond issue of \$300,000 was ordered in the summer of 1919. It was unapproved.

The fall term was approaching. Something had to be done. Buildings had to be erected, teachers employed. Twenty-two hundred children had to be provided for with the facilities for 276. No funds were available.

In the world war four million soldiers became the charge of the United States almost in a day. The government borrowed money on credit and built castronets in which the soldiers might be housed. Five men in Ranger, the school board, pledged their credit and built temporary school buildings. Teachers were hired from the same source of revenue, teachers that received salaries that attracted those who knew their professions. None had less than a first grade teaching certificate, and 75 per cent were graduates of colleges and universities.

P. E. Macdonald, with fifteen years of experience behind him, one time dean of the North Texas State normal, was appointed superintendent. Forty teachers were here, against eight the preceding year. Laboratory equipment and domestic science material were needed and added. A school that began classed as 1-A with partial affiliation with the state university.

Five temporary structures were built along the lines approved by the state board of education as to light and ventilation. The cost was \$90,000. A dormitory was built and put into operation that housed and fed the faculty on a cost plan, which added \$18,000 to the bill.

Came October of the same year another bond election was held to vote the \$430,000 worth of bonds. It carried with a light vote and was disapproved. A contract was let for three ward schools to cost \$150,000. Those buildings are under construction. Out of a mass of detail time was found to add Tiffin to the Ranger independent school district, bringing in with it nine additional square miles of territory and an added tax of \$4,000,000.

In February, 1920, bonds were voted a third time and stood approved.

During it all there has existed some congestion. The primary grades were attending half-day sessions. While necessity forced this action on the Ranger school, many educators of wide reputation advocate this practice among the smaller children. But even with the half-day sessions, no time was lost. The morning session runs from 8:30 o'clock until 12:30. The afternoon from 12:30 to 4:30. Teachers of the afternoon relieving those of the morning.

In September, when the fall term of school opens, Ranger will have as efficient and the richest school system in the state.

Every debt will have been liquidated, by the sale of the bonds. Collections

have amounted to \$51,000 school tax on a \$10,281,205 valuation, guaranteeing ample funds to carry on the work. Three new steel buildings, in which will be organized a junior high school, will be ready for occupancy. These buildings are modern throughout. They will be steam heated, with sewer connections and sanitary drinking fountains on each floor.

Full affiliation with the state university will have been received. Fifty-five instructors of long known reputation will be employed. There will be no congestion. Every child who attends will be cared for adequately.

Many cities facing such a school problem as Ranger has faced and solved would have thrown up their hands in discouragement. Waiting would have been their watchword. Waiting for a slow moving state government to approve their bonds so they could go ahead. No houses would have been built. Nothing would have been done and on the shoulders of children would have fallen the burden. Not so Ranger. Public spirit solved her problem, and that same public spirit will place her in the eyes of the state as a leader in education.

## Midland Money in the Pecos Field Shows Confidence

MIDLAND, March 27.—Already more than \$150,000 of Midland money has gone into the Pecos oil field in investments in leases, and more will no doubt be invested as matters develop. Among the heavier investors are Spencer Jowell and Claude Cowden, and many others have gone in to the extent of many thousands, and enthusiastically believe in a great future for that whole region. Of course, there are a great many pessimistic predictions, but none such from sources of authority. On the other hand, the vast majority of predictions are to the effect that it is to develop into a field of startling production and of very wide range, and preparations for development are going forward in great hurry.

N. F. Chapman of N. F. Chapman & Co., trustee of the Mississippi syndicate, who was here between trains Wednesday, believes that the Pecos field is due to eclipse any field in Texas and possibly even the Homer field. Mr. Chapman's activities in all these fields lends much weight to his opinion, for which he advances the following reasons: The geologic reasons for the existence of a tremendous oil pool along the Pecos river are unanswerable, and because they are thus far proven in every particular, they are extremely likely ("absolutely certain," Mr. Chapman puts it) to be verified in every particular.

"The reasons for the Bell well," said Mr. Chapman, "are the same reasons we are banking on for another Tampico production when any one of the

big structures at the foot of the basin is penetrated to a depth of from 2,200 to 4,000 feet. Unless we are to discard everything men has learned about oil in sixty years, this is true. The two great reasons for a gigantic production here—the slope collection from the mountain upheaval to the west and the anticline collections along the foot of the basin, where this oil would naturally gravitate—are not to be found to such a marked degree anywhere else in the world. Will they hold good? Well, if the geologists were able to forecast almost the exact depth and capacity of the sand the Bell well hit two weeks ago, do you know any reasons why they should not be right about the rest of it?"

## COMES FAR TO FIND HEIRESS



Ben Mahomet, an Arabian shiek and brother of the Amir of Hedjaz, has been rewarded after a long search for seventeen-year-old Sari, one of the richest of Turkish heiresses. She disappeared more than a year ago. Finally a clue led him to America and he found her a few days ago in New York's East Side.

## BETA MU CHAPTER INSTALLED, AUSTIN

AUSTIN, March 27.—Beta Mu chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity was installed at the University of Texas on Saturday, March 20, by G. B. Marsh of San Marcos, district princeps, with twenty-five of the fraternity alumni present.

Pi Kappa Alpha is a national fraternity for men, founded at University of Virginia on March 1, 1868. Other chapters in the state are at Southwestern university, Georgetown, and Southern Methodist university, Dallas. Members comprising the new chapter are transfers from other institutions. They are: H. C. Buchly of Roswell, N. M., a transfer from the University of New Mexico; J. L. McCollough of New Orleans, La., a transfer from Tulane; H. Bascom Thomas of Dallas, a transfer from S. M. U.; and B. W. Gray of Cherokee, Bertram Hediek of Austin, C. R. Hooton of Mineral Wells, Frank H. Lancaster of Canada and W. W. Meeks of San Diego, all transfers from Southwestern university.

Besides these, Dr. L. W. Payne from Alabama Polytechnic Institute, and L. Theodore Belmont from the University of Tennessee, of the Texas university faculty, are members of the fraternity, as are J. U. Clabaugh and J. I. McAteer, business men of Austin.

Britain's land girls are still undemobilized and the more than 8,000 of them are asking that they be granted little farms of their own, because of the independence it gives.

## FROCK OF TAFFETA FOR THE DANSANT



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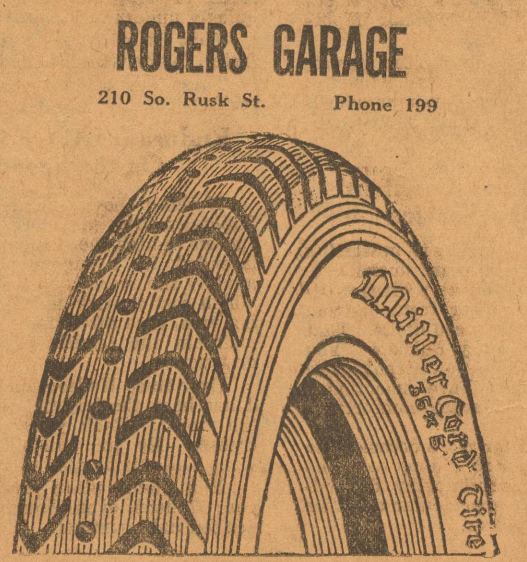
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# THE TIMES' DAILY SHORT STORY

## WHITE GOODS AND PEGGY

By Ray Lewis

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In the intervals of stock taking, Peggy, wistful-eyed, piled up in neat stacks the snowy pillowcases and sheets and towels. Brown & Co., on whose weekly payroll Peggy's salary appeared as a very small item, was having its annual white goods sale, and it always stirred in Peggy's domestic heart longings for a home of her own. Her dreams of a home were liberally illustrated with pictures of well-stocked linen closets, exquisitely appointed dining tables and buffet drawers filled with finely laundered napkins and scarves and doilies. All the harder to bear were the dingy talecloths and none too seldom changed towels of her boarding house.

The way to make good these dreams was to marry. And all Peggy had to do to be married was to say, "Yes, Henry." But she hadn't been able to bring herself to the point of saying "Yes, Henry," because she wanted to say, "Yes, Jim." Yet how could one say yes to a question one had never been asked?

Henry was an assistant floorwalker and very popular with the girls on account of his clothes, his repartee and his willingness to show them a good time. All of which characteristics Peggy admitted were excellent, but after all not the only ones essential for a good husband.

For instance, Jim at times dressed shabbily, was far from quick with his tongue and hadn't even shown her what the other girls would have considered much of a time at all. But whenever Peggy thought of Jim, she thought of him as a person who would "wear well," and what finer quality could the man have with whom you expected to pass from youth to old age?

But she had not seen Jim for several months—in fact, she had heard indefinitely that he had gone south.

As the short January day drew to a close and the lights twinkled throughout the store for the benefit of the hurrying shoppers, Peggy rested a headachy brow on her hand and tried to bring herself to a decision. She knew that Henry would be waiting outside and that some time during the walk home he would probably put his frequent question: "Well, old girl, when are you and me going to tie up?"

After the bell rang and Peggy had made up her books she went to the dressing room and took down her coat and hat and walked slowly out into the chilly night. Henry was waiting at the corner.

"Some weather, all right," said Henry. "You ought to be wearing a regular fur coat, girlie. Well, one of these days—" and he winked significantly. Then, "Anything on for tonight?" he asked.

Peggy hesitated. "No-o-o," she said at last.

"Well, I'll be around about 8, and we'll talk a few things over. Got to leave you here to see a man." He lifted his hat with elaborate courtesy and turned down a side street.

Peggy felt a sense of respite, but after all, she reflected, it was only for a couple of hours. Then she was going to say, "Yes, Henry."

Eight o'clock brought Henry, his sleek hair brushed to a line, a carnation in his buttonhole.

And he didn't waste any time in preliminaries. "Ready to set the day, Peggy?" he asked the moment he had established himself in the least uncomfortable armchair the boarding house parlor afforded.

"I don't know," hesitated Peggy. "Cause I want to get married some day and have a home."

"Sure you do," said Henry, "and here's the man that will get one for you—a couple of furnished rooms as a starter, and some day a regular swell apartment."

Peggy involuntarily burst forth. "Oh, Henry, not furnished! Couldn't we do that ourselves?"

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### ARE MENTIONED FOR HIGH PLACES IN REORGANIZED GERMAN CABINET



Eugene Schiffer (left) and Dr. Cuno.

According to recent dispatches from Berlin, Eugene Schiffer and Dr. Cuno are slated for important posts in the reorganized German cabinet. Schiffer has been acting as minister of finance in the Ebert government. Dr. Cuno is director of the Hamburg-American line.

Nix on that, girl. Us for the furnished rooms and our meals out."

Peggy saw her reasons for marrying Henry gradually disappearing. But she reminded herself that it wasn't possible she would be willing to marry him just for a home.

"Come now, be a good girl and say you'll marry me!" pleaded Henry. Peggy looked very desirable as she sat opposite him, her hands folded, her eyes the color of velvet pansies, her lips tremulous.

Peggy sighed. Perhaps any old home was better than no home at all. Bravely she prepared to say the words which she knew would bring Henry's arms about her. "Well," she began slowly.

The doorbell rang violently. Peggy hurried up to open the door, not sorry for the interruption. On the step stood a tall, broad shouldered person who smiled with evident pleasure as he looked into Peggy's astonished face. It was Jim.

She brought him in and introduced him to Henry, whose face assumed the aspect of a very black thunder shower.

Henry endeavored to keep the ball of conversation tossing lightly about, but it always fell with a dull thud when thrown to Henry. In desperation Peggy said the first thing which came into her head. "What do you think of furnished rooms instead of a regular little home?"

Jim just stared. "That's funny you hit on that. I just went to look at a little bungalow today,

big enough for two. I'm sick of furnished rooms."

"Are you going to be married?" asked Peggy.

"I want to be, but I don't know about the girl," said Jim gloomily.

"Same here," growled Henry. "Bungalows are lovely," said Peggy, hastily. It was bad enough having the two evidently trying to sit each other out, without becoming involved in personalities.

But presently Jim arose and held out his hand. "Wish me luck about the girl," he said. "I've got to go." "Every bit of luck in the world, Jim," said Peggy, and if Jim wondered why the hand she gave him was cold or why her lips trembled as she spoke he gave no sign.

After he had gone, Peggy resolutely turned to Henry. "I'm sorry, Henry, but I can't marry you. It wouldn't be fair to do it just for a home."

Henry looked amazed, then disgusted, then angry. This little shoppig to throw him over! He had wanted her, but now that she refused him he decided there were other fish in the matrimonial sea, and after a few short words, departed.

Peggy closed the door on Henry and stood a minute in the darkness of the hall. Jim hadn't made any attempt to plan to see her again. Probably he never would.

Someone ran up the steps. "Henry must have forgotten something," she thought. But as she opened the door it was Jim who faced her.

"Peggy," he said, managing to secure both her hands. "I knew the only way to get rid of that fellow was for me to beat it first. I've been holding down the side steps of this house waiting for him to go. Peggy, darling, I have been trying to make good just to be able to say to you, 'Will you marry me? I think I am solidly on my feet now. I love you to pieces, dear. Will you marry me?'"

Peggy didn't need to think. She had been ready for years. "Yes, Jim," she whispered.

And the very first thing Peggy bought with her meager savings for her wedding outfit was a damask tablecloth.

Vitrimount is the first town in France to be entirely reconstructed by Americans.

Miss Margaret Cody, the first woman journalist in the press gallery of the British house of commons, has many athletic records to her credit. She swims, boxes, rows, plays hockey and tennis, practices judo and enjoys flying. Five years ago she swam across Belfast lough, a distance of six miles.

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# STATES MAY QUARANTINE TEXAS AND LOUISIANA AS PRECAUTION AGAINST PEST; HEARING APRIL 6

WASHINGTON, March 27.—The discovery of the occurrence of the pink bollworm in Louisiana and its reappearance in Texas has led the secretary of agriculture to issue a notice of public hearing to consider the advisability of quarantining these states on account of this insect. This hearing is called for 10 o'clock, April 6, at the department, Washington.

The determination early in February of this year of the establishment of the pink bollworm in southwestern Louisiana in the parishes of Cameron, Calcasieu and Jeff Davis, under circumstances which indicate that this insect has been present there for at least two years, and the distribution of cotton seed and cotton from this district during these years to various points in Louisiana and also in Texas, together with the reappearance of this insect in the old Trinity bay district in Texas, have added very much to the seriousness of the pink bollworm situation.

While the notice of hearing is drawn to cover the states of Texas and Louisiana as a whole, it is hoped that it will be possible, through the co-operation of the state concerned and particularly the establishment by these states of quarantines prohibiting the growth of cotton in the areas actually known to be infested, to limit the restrictions imposed under the federal quarantine to the areas actually determined as infested.

It is recognized that the extermination of this insect in Texas and also now in Louisiana is absolutely contingent on the prohibition of the growth of cotton in infested areas. The growth of cotton under restriction or other methods of control simply means the perhaps slower, but no less certain, ultimate spread of this insect. Extermination is possible only when the infestation is just beginning and when the insect is scanty in numbers and limited in distribution. Any postponement or limitation, therefore, of the effort at this time means practically the loss of the opportunity of extermination and

an acceptance of the ultimate spread of this pest throughout the south. Success in this effort at extermination necessarily requires absolute co-operation of the states concerned in the measures outlined.

Promptly following the discovery of the infestation by the pink bollworm in the southwestern part of the state of Louisiana, the authorities of that state established a drastic quarantine prohibiting the growth of cotton in the infested parishes, and at a recent convention held at New Orleans, steps were taken to secure a large state fund for the purpose of aiding in control work and, particularly, for the reimbursement of planters in the quarantined districts for net losses due to the prohibition of the growth of cotton.

It is hoped that the state of Texas will take measures promptly to continue the co-operation which it has hitherto given and, particularly, to provide for the prohibition of the growth of cotton in the infested areas and for the reimbursement of planters, as in the case of Louisiana. The secretary of agriculture has laid the situation before the governor of Texas and requested that appropriate action along these lines be taken immediately so as to insure the effective continuation of the eradication campaign in that state. The governor has advised the secretary that, in co-

operation with the state officials, he is working out such a plan, which will be submitted in the course of the next few days.

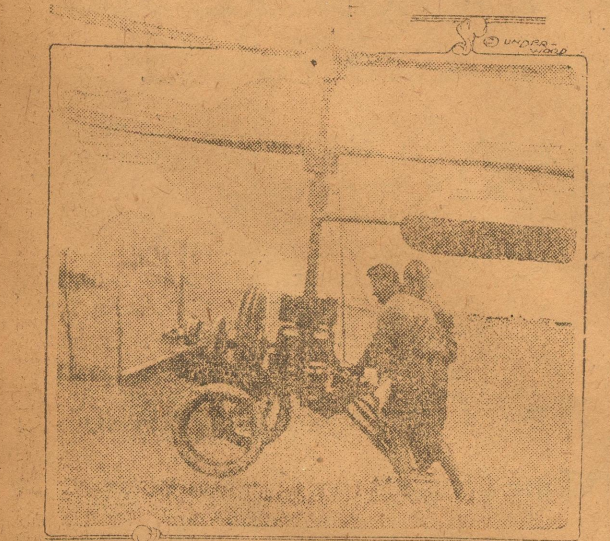
It may be noted that the quarantine action proposed in this notice of hearing has been urged in a series of resolutions adopted at a conference of the southern state entomologists and quarantine officials held at Vicksburg, Miss., March 3, 1920, and further, that several of these southern states have already issued, or are now considering the establishment of state quarantines against Texas and Louisiana with respect to this insect.

Mrs. G. T. Borden, of Rosselle, N. J., in a recent rifle shooting match held at Pinehurst, N. C., established a new record for women shooters by scoring a target of 143 points out of a possible 150.

Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, wife of the president, has accepted the honorary presidency of the George Washington Memorial association, which has for its object the raising of \$10,000,000 for a National Victory Memorial building in commemoration of the achievements of the armed forces and civilians of the United States in the world war.

Hitherto, this insect was known to occur only in certain restricted areas in Texas, and with the aid of federal funds and state co-operation, both in quarantine measures and in clean-up and general control work, the insect

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DR. E. C. ROSENOW, Mayo Foundation, says: "The opportunity to prevent and cure disease presents itself as never before, to the dental and medical professions."

"The intensive efforts of the dental profession to save infected teeth without regard to the general health of their patients, have resulted in much harm."

"The circumstances involved call for a closer affiliation of the dental and medical professions."

Moreover, it seems to me, these results call for a public health propaganda so that the people may be fully informed of the dangers to their continued health that may arise from infected teeth, and how to avoid them.

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## PRETTY CO-ED HAS POWER TO READ PERSON'S MIND

International News Service. MADISON, Wis., March 27.—If Marian I. Hill, pretty co-ed at the University of Wisconsin, ever acquires a husband, he'd better be careful what he tells her when he returns home after a night out. For Marian possesses the strange power of being able to tell whether a person is lying or telling the truth just by placing the tips of her fingers on the subject's muscles, or, for that matter, she can very nearly tell what the person is thinking about.

"She is a muscle reader," it was explained by Professor F. C. Sharp, of the university. "She acquired her power through long practice."

An organization of baseball leagues is being formed in each of the seven Philadelphia districts of the American Legion in Pennsylvania.

An extension of 30 days has been granted all veterans of the world war in filing their income tax returns in New York state.

Of the 4831 members of the A. E. F., who married abroad, 1060 were officers and 3,771 enlisted men.

## Broncho Riders Meet for \$2,000 at Mineral Wells

Special to The Times.

MINERAL WELLS, March 27.—Two thousand dollars for riding ten bucking horses is the amount that either Hugh Strickland of Fort Worth or Bryan Roach of Chickasha, Okla., will draw down at the close of a unique contest to be staged in the ball park here next Thursday and Friday afternoons.

Roach and Strickland, who are known as two of the greatest broncho busters in the United States, have become such keen rivals at the various rodeos and through the bantering of friends have been induced to enter a contest in which each will ride ten of the famous Cheyenne Wyo., bucking horses for a purse of two thousand dollars.

On account of the prominence of the principals the match is attracting widespread attention and Tom L. Burnett of Wichita Falls will head a large delegation of plains sportsmen who will journey from the oil city to see the contest while two special cars are being chartered by Bob Tadlock, rodeo manager of the Fort Worth fat stock show, and his associates and friends for the journey

from the stockyards city to the scene of the big match.

Both principals have won first prizes in the riding events at Cheyenne, Wyo., Pendleton, Ore., and other western bronc events at Cheyenne, Wyo., Pendleton, Ore., and other western bronc riding contests, but this is the first time in fifteen years that two riders have been pitted against each other in the riding of such a great number of bad horses. Tommy Kirman of El Paso, Texas, Chester Byers of Mulhall, Okla., and Leonard Stroud of Rocky Ford, Col., have been chosen to judge the riding.

## MEAN BREEZE AND SUN PART FRANK FROM FLASK

International News Service. LOS ANGELES, March 27.—The wint of sunlight on glass was the direct cause of an unpleasant time in the police station for Frank Cannan.

Cannan was stepping blithely down the main thoroughfare when a vernal breeze lifted his coat tails. An ever-watchful minion of the law espied the sunlight—and what it struck. Someone read the eighteenth amendment to the constitution of the United States and Frank admitted that he had heard about the thing.

## MINERS IN CONVENTION, PLAN CONTRACT WITH OPERATORS

International News Service. MUSKOGEE, March 27.—A new contract with the coal operators of Oklahoma, Texas and Arkansas will probably be negotiated as a result of the annual convention of District 21, United Mine Workers of America, which begins here today. One hundred and fifty miners from these three states are here for the meeting. John Wilkinson is president of the district.

The big army educational and vocational university now operating at Camp Dix, New Jersey, has over 1,000 students.

Michigan will have a woman candidate for a seat in the United States congress in the person of Mrs. Helen C. Statler, who will make her contest on the republican ticket.

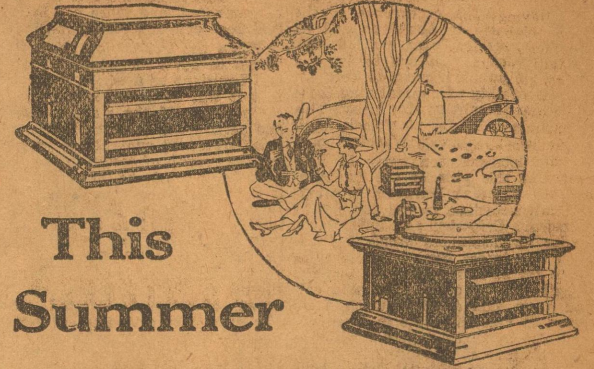
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Having heard vivid descriptions of the elaborate carving process to which captives were subjected by Haiti rebels, M. E. Jones of Detroit frankly admits that he felt no particular curiosity to witness demonstrations of their skill and perhaps participate in them, when a band of the rebels attacked Port Au Prince while he was in that city recently. Mr. Jones, who has just returned from a nine months' tour through Mexico, Central America, part of South America and the West Indies for Dodge Bros., motor car manufac-

## SOMETHING UNIQUE FOR SWIMMING DAYS



It is a bit early to think of swimming days, but the new fashions for the coming season are being shown in some of the exclusive shops. Here is one of the most unusual models shown. It is a cherry colored jersey with gray jersey overdress embroidered in cherry color. Note the tight little trunks and the pointed over-skirt.

turers, says he was in his hotel when the attack began and inasmuch as the hotel was on one side of the city and the battle on the other, he stayed there.

"I was told later," said Mr. Jones, "that the rebels got almost to the heart of the city before they were repulsed by the American marines. Although we have only a small force there—probably 2,000 in the entire country—our men were reported to have killed about 200 in driving them back. Manufacturers and other prominent men are pleading for better protection. By the provisions of our treaty with Haiti we are to preserve peace there for twenty years. Natives tell us we are not effectually doing it. As evidence they show us that frequent outrages are committed by the rebels and that they are never decisively beaten. I am told that the rebels delight in hideous tortures. First they cut off a prisoner's hands, then his feet, after which they slash his arms and legs and finally remove his head. Little wonder the law-abiding people are frightened. We had one scare after another while I was in Haiti. This country has had one king, two emperors and 24 presidents and only two of them have ever completed their term of office.

"I saw some of the wounded rebels after the chief attack. Their fortitude is remarkable. Their religion—aboriginal African 'voodooism'—permits no complaint or grumbling. They certainly live up to it, even when they are almost cut to pieces."

Mr. Jones said that coffee and cotton grow wild in Haiti and that the soil is unusually rich, though little cultivated.

The Detroit man brought back details of the great aluminum discoveries that have caused such widespread excitement in the British and Dutch Guianas. The natives were using a peculiar clay-like mineral for street paving purposes when an American Aluminum company representative discovered that the "clay" was in reality bauxite, from which aluminum is derived. He promptly acquired large concessions and his company is now ready to make shipments as soon as proper arrangements may be made. Latter is said to be reluctant to tolerate foreign exploitation, but at the same time concedes the legality of the American firm's operations. The aluminum ore deposits are said to be almost unlimited.

Prosperity generally abounds in the countries visited by Mr. Jones and the opportunity for profitable trade relations never was better he said.

## BOYS REVERT TO "CAVE" LIFE

SALINA, Kan., March 27.—Are Salina boys reverting to "cave men?" At any rate, police officers here have discovered a system of caves on the banks of the Smoky Hill river, in which gangs of boys are said to spend much of their time, some of them sleeping in the caves.

Officers declare moving picture shows are responsible for the digging of the caves. It is planned to destroy the boys' hangouts immediately.

# NED OIL CO. UNDER WAY ON DIBRELL TRACT

COLEMAN, March 27.—The Jim Ned Oil company, operating on the Dibrell ranch, has concluded a deal with the Garner Oil company of Garner, Iowa. The contracting parties agree to carry on the drilling of the present well to a depth of 2,300 feet if necessary, or drill a new well to said depth, on a fifty-fifty basis. They further acquire a forty-acre tract, offsetting the present well on a basis of one-fourth royalty and a 200-acre tract on a royalty basis. It is the purpose of the company to drill a series of wells on the tract if production justifies.

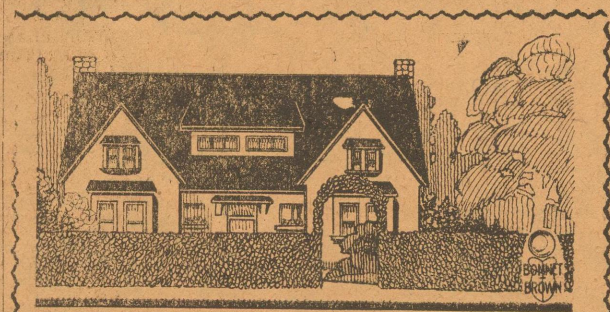
The Jim Ned company has had a series of mishaps in the drilling of its well. The well had a very fine show of oil at about 2,600 feet and gushed periodically over the derrick. The derrick was burned and the tools, together with the baffle, were lost in the hole. For the last six months it has had a fishing job and has been unsuccessful in cleaning the hole.

**Gladys Belle Deep Test.**  
The Gladys Belle Oil company is moving a standard oil rig on the J. T. Pope tract, Santa Anna field, for the purpose of making a deep test. It has four prospectors on the Pope around 1,550.  
**Drilling Notes.**  
Roth et al. Overall, drilling around 1,000.  
Doddwell & Teatsworth, Candler, shut down for water at 2,000.  
Gulf States company, Babington, rig, Mitchell company, Dibrell, rig, location on survey 498, 1,200 feet east of Jim Ned well.  
Mitchell company, Gray 7, location.  
Mitchell company, Morris 2, fishing for bit.  
Magnolia, Morris 9, underreaming, depth 2,612.  
Magnolia, Morris 8, abandoned, 3,600.  
Magnolia-Robertson, Woodward, drilling, 800.  
Texas-Arizona, Adams, fishing for bit, depth 2,500.  
Seamans company, fishing for bit, depth 1,150.  
Jim Ned company, Dibrell, fishing.  
Simms company, Dibrell, drilling, 1,150.  
Prairie company, Miller, sweating to open collapsed 12 1/2-inch casing, depth around 1,500.  
Texas company, Love, abandoned at 2,005 feet.  
Texas company, Rice, pulling casing to abandon at 1,900.  
Robertson & Son, Pittman, rigging up.

Naomi company, Vaughn 2, shut down, changing contractors.  
Pippin company, Burk, shut down for boiler at 1,600.  
Gladys Belle, making location for Garrett 5.  
Gladys Belle, Pope 5, building rig.

**SAYS WOMEN ARE BECOMING  
"MASCULINE" IN MEXICO**  
MEXICO, March 27.—Women are becoming more masculine in their methods as a result of being forced to push their way through rush-hour crowds in order to obtain a seat in elevated trains, according to Col. A. W. Foreman, an assistant chief of staff at army headquarters, who has recently arrived in Boston.

He finds this characteristic much more marked in Boston women than in those of other sections of the country.  
"We ought to share with women the opportunity of keeping them feminine in their methods," he says, "but this pushing and knocking one another about in crowds rushing for a seat in the car is enough to remind one that we are living in a new age."



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# "Great Reconciler" Says Kisses Best Foe of Divorce Microbe and Broomstraws Are Their Aides

By Judge Thomas F. Graham, San Francisco divorce judge, known as the "Great Reconciler," and "America's Leading Heart Specialist."  
(Written for the International News)  
SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—Excepting the germs of Bolshevism, there is no "bug" more menacing to our general happiness and welfare today than the "divorcist" maggot.

This disease, in the treatment of which I have specialized to a greater or less degree during the past ten years, may easily become an epidemic. It attacks thousands of married folk in a hundred different ways—but each particular route leads to a court room, leaving a wrecked home behind it.

That is the almost invariable result unless the specialist in "divorcitis" usually the superior court judges to whom the afflicted wife or husband, tells the story—uses the palliatives of common sense and the milk of human kindness.

The divorce plague is comparatively modern.

Just now America seems to be a particularly fertile ground for it, to our tremendous national detriment.

With the growth of America's sense of justice, unfortunately showing itself by making divorces easier and easier, thousands of husbands and wives are rushing into the courts with fancied or magnified grievances and demanding a freedom and all of us in the end.

Meeting this situation taxes the ingenuity and patience of those having authority to unite marital knots, but who would far rather discover just why the knots were slipping and apply some remedies.

Kisses—not those fluffy confections you buy at the bakery, but the soul-exhilarating touch of lips—are the natural enemies of "divorcitis."

Given and received in moderate quantities, and with a degree of regularity based only upon one's hours of work and play, kisses will usually vanquish whatever divorce germs may be peevish through the system of husband and wife, and re-establish a state of marital health.

For instance: You and your mate may have quarreled over some comparatively trivial matter the night before. You have argued yourself off to sleep and, in the mind of one or the other of you, the maggot of "divorcitis" has begun to propagate.

You awake in the morning, slightly ashamed of yourselves for "rowing" but too proud or stubborn to admit it. Breakfast is a grim affair.

Now! Just before leaving for work, what if you slipped over to where your wife was wearily "riding" the table, or your husband silently clambering into his coat, and relieved the strain with a kiss? Not just a perfunctory peck, you understand—but a real, honest-to-goodness

kiss, preferably accompanying it with your arm around her waist or his shoulder.

Poof! The life of that nasty little divorce-bug which will surely cause you untold suffering and misery if it is allowed to endure will be extinguished in a flash.

Explanations, apologies and complete misunderstanding will follow. Husband, finally, will go down the street whistling on his way to work and wife, with a new resolve in her heart, will whisk the dishes into the kitchen to the lilt of a song.

No convalescence is more rapid nor restorative than that following such cleansing of the soul.

I once wrote a little jingle singing the praises of that "morning kiss" which was printed somewhat widely throughout the United States. I received many letters thanking me for the suggestion. I also received a few which poo-pooed the idea. "A Married Woman Who Knows" sent me the following query:

When Henry comes home at half past ten (Henry, my darling hubby.)  
Smelling of garlic and cloves again  
"My, but his beard is stubby!"  
And says he was out to see a sick friend who would surely miss him;  
That stall is as old as arithmetic—  
What should I do, judge—kiss him?

When Henry comes home at half past two (Henry, my darling hubby.)  
After spending the night with cards and "biew"  
Down at his cozy clubby—  
When he trips with a thump over seven chairs  
(Never been known to miss 'em)  
What should I do when he gets upstairs?  
Fall on his neck and kiss him?

I'll admit that is somewhat of a stumper. Osculations, possibly might not be in order that night. Quietly getting the "old man" to bed and applying a few cold cloths to his aching brow would probably be much more efficacious, although prohibition has pretty well solved that problem.

But the morning kiss is going to do much more good than a tongue-lashing. "Henry," if he is worth having at all, is already so overwhelmed with remorse for his conduct that a tongue-lashing only makes him additionally unhappy or positively rebellious.

Kiss him, scrubby beard and all, and let him see that you still have faith in him and love him. Later on, talk to him sincerely about his actions. Take my word for it, he will appreciate your self-restraint, and there will be no case of "divorcitis" following his misstep.

Morning kisses will cut the work of the divorce courts in half and double your portion of wedded bliss. Try them!

The divorce "bug" is like all other disease germs in this respect; it is rooted by cleanliness.

Absence of filth and untidiness—mental, physical or otherwise—spells death to the germ. On the other hand, a slovenly state of mind, body or environment makes it wax and grow fat.

Broomstraws are the bayonets of cleanliness. They not only clean the floor, but sweep the dark, pestiferous corners of the mind.

Have you a family divorce bug in your home? If so, by all means get your broom and get busy! Maybe that's all you need to put your house in order.

I recently had a case before me—a young couple who had been married scarcely a year—in which the husband alleged that his house was "a regular rat hole," and that his love for his wife could find no room for expression in such surroundings.

I sent for her and we had a talk. Result: She went home and gave that apartment such a scrubbing and tidying up as it hadn't had since the couple moved in. Broomstraws, aided by soap and water and the dust rag, fairly ran those divorce germs off their legs.

From latest reports they are still on the run.

On another occasion it was the personal slovenliness of the husband which brought a disgusted wife into court. The couple were in good, middle-class circumstances and the man of the house was a steady, faithful workman, but he began to neglect his personal appearance.

There are thousands of such cases.

Clean linen, or cotton increases your own self-respect and the pride your spouse has in you. So do clean shoes and well brushed clothes (no matter how threadbare) and stockings without holes.

A clean shave or a trimmed beard are also important—every husband owes that to his wife and himself. Every wife's pride should tell her that ten minutes spent in arranging her hair each day is a duty.

You cannot afford to ignore the call of the shoe brush, the clothes brush, the toothbrush, the hair brush or the wash-bowl any more than you can ignore the call of the stomach for food or the lungs for air.

But it may be that both your home and your body is clean and the divorce bug is still present. In that case probe your mind before rushing to a lawyer. Is your brain house in order? Have you applied a broom to your think factory, or used any sort of psychological sapollo on your idea shop?

Your mind is just as much a structure as your body or your home, and stands in just the same need of an occasional house-cleaning.

This is especially true when you begin to think of divorce. Take yourself out into a patch of mental sunshine and give your brain a good scrubbing. Then go back, throw open the windows of your soul and think it over!

If there are any divorce bugs left when you've cleaned up your home, and mind, and body—consult a lawyer. But only then!

We now come to one of the most difficult problems of the divorce courts—the pay envelope! In practically every suit I have heard during the past decade—and I'd hate to tell you how many there

were—Hubby's income and what he did with it figured more or less prominently. It doesn't always appear in the complaint, answer or testimony—but one will usually find upon close investigation, that money is the root of the divorce evil.

"Not Sufficient Funds." All too frequently have those three words sounded the death knell of a romance.

For the husband to carouse and gamble with at the same time trying to keep his family going at the rate his normal income would permit and deceiving the wife as to the actual state of finances? For the wife to buy expensive millinery, wearing apparel and "pretties" to which her husband's earnings in no way entitle her?

For husband, again, to "lend" indiscreetly and never get it back, or to "invest" in wildcat enterprises and watch it disappear?

For wife, once more to waste at the butcher's and baker's and grocery store by extravagant purchases of table delicacies or miscalculations and misconceptions of her household?

For husband and wife, oftentimes, to dissipate in a vain endeavor to buy social prestige, or business success, by keeping pace with a "set" or "gang" who have dollars where they have dimes?

To fritter away, in other words, with no thought save that of "having a good time," or "being a good fellow," or "putting up a front?"

Are those, in your household, some of the things for which there are "not sufficient funds?"

If so I cannot advise you too urgently to quit! Either quit the foolish expenditures or quit the marriage game—dissolve the partnership—go your separate ways.

You are never going to make a go of it if you play it with that kind of cards! You are not even going to give your children, or your friends or the world a square deal.

Don't you see what a fearful mistake you are making?

In this world you simply get "so much for so much"—and the only way to get more is to earn more and save more.

Who is going to think better of you, friend husband, because you gamble away your income and stay out late at night? Nobody but the "good fellows" who live on the proceeds of your folly.

Who is going to admire you, friend wife, when you are decked out in finery which every one knows—oh, yes, they do!—that you cannot afford? Nobody—not even the merchants who sold them to you, if you don't pay your bills promptly.

Who is going to thank you, friend husband, for those "loans" and "investments" you made so impetuously—the men who profited by your rashness? Poof! They will merely laugh at you and brand you as a "sucker"—an "easy mark."

Does the butcher, or the baker, or the grocer "respect" you, friend wife, when you overbuy, or spend your surplus on "specials"? Not they! Their respect is reserved for the woman who chooses her menus to fit her purse—who knows what she can afford and doesn't even flirt with anything more expensive.

As for this joint idea of "keeping up with Lizzie"—the sooner you drop that, the better. Let your friends know just

how far you can go and still remain solvent—and sane. If they are real friends they will respect your limitations and your courage and frankness in announcing them.

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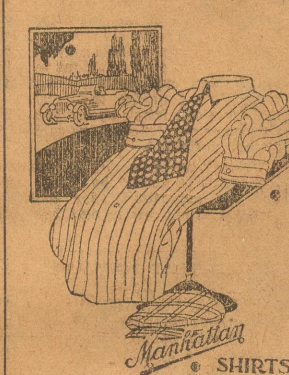


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