

## ARREST BANDIT AS HE RETURNS HERE IN NIGHT

William Frederick, of 289 Middle Turnpike East, Confesses to Store Hold-Up on Wednesday Night.

The hold-up of Charles J. Woodhouse's East Center street store on Wednesday evening was solved by the Manchester police last night after William Frederick, 17 years old, of 289 Middle Turnpike East was arrested at the Center at midnight by Patrolman Rudolph Wirrala. Frederick confessed to the hold-up after a short grilling by Police Captain Herman Schenkel.

In police court here this morning Judge Raymond A. Johnson bound the young bandit over to the June term of the Superior court when Probation Officer Edward C. Elliott, Jr., representing the young man entered a plea of guilty. The charges were theft and carrying a concealed weapon. Bonds of \$1,500 on each charge were fixed and the young man will be taken to the Hartford county jail this afternoon after he has been "morgued."

**Had Aroused Suspicion**  
Frederick's apprehension is the result of clever piecing together of information which the police uncovered and is partly due to the young man's own actions. As soon as the hold-up had been reported to the police Wednesday night, Captain Herman Schenkel and Sergeant John Crockett investigated. Each patrolman who was notified and Officer Winfield S. Martin told Captain Schenkel he was suspicious of young Frederick. The patrolman had seen Frederick hanging around late at night for no apparent reason.

It was learned that young Frederick was not at home on Wednesday night and did not return home at all during the night. Following the hold-up the young fellow went to two north end stores where his nervousness caused some comment. In one of the stores he attempted to cash a check. Later he went to a dance at the Buckland school where it was said that he had displayed a revolver. This was later reported, however, it is known that he took the last trolley from Buckland for Hartford.

**Comes Back to Town**  
Last night Frederick returned from Hartford on the trolley car at the Center. Patrolman Wirrala knew the young fellow by sight and immediately arrested him. At the police station \$24 in bills, three checks and a .22 caliber revolver were found on him. Young Frederick said that he had gone to New York yesterday but decided to return home when he found he didn't have money enough to stay in the metropolis.

Charles J. Woodhouse is unable to tell exactly how much money young Frederick removed from his cash register. He believes that there was about \$87 in bills and enough in checks to total about \$150. The checks are saved to Mr. Woodhouse but he will lose about \$65 through the robbery. Frederick himself was unable to tell exactly how much money he had stolen.

**Appearance**  
Although young Frederick is but 17 years old he would pass for a fellow 19 or 20 years old. He has light hair, fair complexion and rugged in stature. Today police were trying to connect several other small breaks in town with Frederick and it is believed that in arresting him the solution of several misdemeanors has been found.

The young fellow's actions come as a severe blow to his family especially since his father has been in the hospital here for two weeks suffering with a broken rib which he received in a fall from an apple tree. None of the young man's family appeared in court this morning and no defense was offered. Frederick had nothing to say and appeared unmoved.

**AIRPLANES COLLIDE;  
FOUR MEN KILLED**  
Marine Flyers Meet Death in Fall When Their Machines Lock Wings.

San Diego, Calif., March 16.—Official inquiry into the air tragedy which cost the lives of four marine fliers yesterday, was launched here today.

The four aviators—Lieutenants Lawrence R. Dewine and Jay D. Swagwout, Corporal H. C. Chappell and Private H. C. Bailey, according to Captain H. D. Campbell, flight leader, locked wings with the ship in which Dewine and Bailey were flying, and the two craft fell to the ground.

**TREASURY BALANCE.**  
Washington, March 16.—Treasury balance March 14: \$35,470,860.96.

## NO MORE PARADES OF BATHING BEAUTIES

Atlantic City, N. J., March 16.—There will be no parade of beautiful young American girls in bathing suits along the boardwalk for the purpose of selecting a "Miss America." It has been decided such spectacles are not truly representative of young American girlhood but are largely a "congregation of girls seeking personal advertising and profit."

## PLAN BLUNDERS IN SCHOOL WILL COST BIG SUM

Original Defects in Hollister Street School to Take \$10,000 Aside From New Wing's Building.

The board of directors of the Eighth School and Utilities district met again last night with Isaac Allen, Jr., Hartford architect, and approved plans which he has submitted for a six-room addition to become the west wing of the Harding school on Hollister street.

In addition to the plans for the new wing, which are now almost complete, Mr. Allen has submitted plans for the correction of serious building mistakes in the present plant. It has been found by the board that the ventilating and heating systems of the school are radically wrong and that it will require a sum in the neighborhood of \$10,000 for their correction.

**To Exhibit Sketches**  
A colored sketch and a set of blueprints showing the appearance of the proposed addition after its completion will be ready in a few days and will be displayed in a window of Edward J. Murphy's drug store on Depot square.

No date has been set for the meeting of the voters, it was said today, pending the arrival of a telegram from William Foulds, a member of the board of directors, who is in Florida. If Mr. Foulds is able to get here reasonably soon the meeting will be held over until his arrival but if he is unable to get here for a considerable time a date will be set and the meeting held.

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## FOUR MEN KILLED IN POWDER BLAST

Sparks From Hammer Set Off Explosion, Third in Last Three Months.

Valley Falls, N. Y., March 16.—Four men were instantly killed, several were injured, and homes in nearby towns were damaged when three mills of the Hercules Powder Company, located on the state high way between this village and Schaghticoke, exploded shortly before nine o'clock this morning.

The dead: Joseph Mitchell, 63, millwright, John Hayner, 58, carpenter, Victor Shelley, 26, glazier, Harry White, 43, powder sorter. Officials at the plant estimated that upwards of 10,000 pounds of black powder had exploded.

**For Score of  
High School-Wilby  
Basketball Game in  
Yale Tourney  
Call 664 After 5:15 This  
Evening**

## World Aviators' Tribute to Lindy



The symbolic trophy to be presented to Colonel Lindbergh by the International League of Aviators for the best aerial performance of 1927 is pictured here in the Paris studio of its sculptor, Princess R. Mdiviani (right).

## One Legged Physician Aids Snowbound Village

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., March 15.—The snowbound village of Detroit was once more in touch with the outside world today after an isolation lasting more than two weeks.

Dr. John F. Deadman, driving a dog team to a sled laden with medicine and food munched quietly into the village early this morning. The tired huskies burrowed deeply into the snow for their well-earned rest. Dr. Deadman, weary with the strain of a two-day journey of sixty miles, sought the first available shelter.

## DORIS PALMER HAS ONE WEEK MORE TO LIVE

American Flapper-Bandit to Die on Gallows in Canada Next Friday; 'I'm Afraid' She Cries.

Montreal, Que., March 16.—Sobs wrecked the frail form of 20-year-old Doris Palmer, American flapper-bandit, as she sat in her cell today and contemplated the grim fact that next Friday she must die on the gallows at Valley Field prison.

"I'm so afraid," she moaned while the nuns, who are guarding her in the Fullum street jail, sought to comfort her.

Her tish hair, once carefully bobbed, fell in unkempt masses over her slim shoulders. Eight miles away, in Bordeaux prison, her partner in crime, George McDonald, who also must die one week from today, maintained an attitude of stoicism. He even remarked to a guard that it "won't be long now."

**TO RAISE SUNKEN SUB  
SUNDAY, ADMIRAL SAYS**  
Pontoons Already in Place; Eight Bodies Are Still Inside of Hull.

Boston, March 16.—The submarine S-4, sunk after collision with the Coast Guard destroyer Paulding off Cape Cod in December, will be brought to the surface on Sunday, according to plans made known by Navy officials at the Charleston Navy Yard today.

Only the sudden rise of a storm will delay the raising of the submarine, according to admiral Philip Andrews, commandant of the first naval district. "Northeast storm warnings were issued today by the weather bureau.

## DRY BLOCKADE LIKE WAR-TIME IN THE WORKS

Additional Cutters and Destroyers Will Protect All the Coasts of the United States Regularly.

Washington, March 15.—A wartime blockade will surround the United States as long as prohibition stays on the statute books.

Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Seymour Lowman, in charge of dry activities, announced today after an inspection of the situation in the south-east, and scanning reports from other districts, that Coast Guard and land forces would guard the seacoasts and international borders from now on.

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## DEMOCRATS WITHHELD CAMPAIGN LIST ALSO

Wordless Wooing Won Heart Of Miss Miller

Paris, March 16.—Tukojirao Holkar, Indian prince and former Maharajah of Indore, who is to marry Miss Nancy Ann Miller, of Seattle, Wash., in India tomorrow, won his bride-to-be through a strange courtship of silence. It was revealed today by European friends of the ex-ruler of Indore.

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Local Stocks

(Furnished by Putnam & Co.)

Table of local stock prices including Bank Stocks, Insurance Stocks, Public Utility Stocks, and Manufacturing Stocks.

N. Y. Stocks

Table of New York stock prices for various commodities and stocks.

Rockville

Battle of Music

There has been so much said pro and con as to the relative merits of the musical ability of Rockville and Manchester...

BIG CROWDS AS NEW ALLEYS ARE OPENED

All Six Lanes Are Rushed at Charter Oak Bowling Palace On Oak Street.

ATLANTIC FLYERS GIVEN UP AS LOST

Branswick and Maine were investigated and found baseless.

SAY IT WITH FLOWERS

Anderson Greenhouses Everything in Cut Flowers and Potted Plants

ROBITUARY

PNEUMONIA TAKES TWO IN 2 HOURS AT HOSPITAL

Charles F. Schiedge, Printer, and 4-Year-Old Richard Johnson the Victims.

WORDLESS WOING WON HEART OF MISS MILLER

Richard Bernard Johnson, four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bar...

WARNS AGAINST FLIGHT

Berlin, March 16.—Officials of Luftverkehrsgesellschaft...

TEXTILE MERGER

Middletown, Conn., March 16.—The second textile merger to be formed in the last week...

TWO BURN TO DEATH

Philadelphia, Pa., March 16.—Trapped in their bedrooms after their home in South Philadelphia...

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their freedom by acting as assistant hangmen have been selected and Hangman Ellis and the coroner...

FUNERAL OF MRS. CARMELA ALOISIO

The funeral of Mrs. Carmela Aloisio was held this morning at 8:30 at Holleran's parlors...

FUNERAL OF JOHN MITTENHOLZER

The funeral of John Mittenholzer was held on Wednesday afternoon at his home in Coventry...

ROUND WORLD FLYERS

San Francisco, March 16.—Continuing their earth-grinding voyage, the French aviators, Captain Dieudonne Costes and Lieut.-Comm. Joseph Le Brix...

BIG FIRE IN RIO

Rio De Janeiro, Brazil, March 16.—Fire which swept the head office and warehouse of the Companhia Costeira...

CONGRESS MAY ADOPT BRITISH CABINET PLAN

Secretary of Navy Wilbur Called Before House to Answer Questions.

Washington, March 16.—A campaign for adoption of the British system of having Cabinet officers go before Parliament was opened in Congress today...

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AUTO SHOW

At the Army All This Week Admission 25c

KIDDIES THEATER COUPON

THIS COUPON, WITH 5 CENTS, ENTITLES ANY CHILD TO ADMISSION TO THE "BARGAIN MATINEE" AT THE CIRCLE THEATER

CIRCLE

DOUBLE FEATURE BILL CRASHING, GRIPPING ACTION! YOU MUST SEE 'A FLAME IN THE SKY'

STATE

TODAY and TOMORROW 2—BIG FEATURES ON ONE BILL—2

AL JOLSON

The JAZZ SINGER with MAY MAYVOY WARNER OLAND

Starring GEORGE BANCROFT

THE SHOWDOWN

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SOFT LIVING

MADGE BELLAMY in "SOFT LIVING" A girl's dream of money—then matrimony and matrimony.

SILK STOCKINGS

with Laura La Plante

NEW STYLES FOR MEN IN SPRING SUITS--TOPCOATS

—by— Fashion Park and Charter House

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HOLLYWOOD NOW HAS THOUSANDS OF FILM FLOPS

Hollywood, Cal.—Shivering in the chill of dawn, the "extra" girls of Hollywood, pathetically brave in shaded-rouge and lipstick line, pass before the window of the casting director.

Noon comes, and with it sunshine and disillusionment. Choking back their tears, slender throats still proudly erect, trying to smile away their heartaches, the extra girls of Hollywood return to rooms where only beautiful furnishings are dreams.

A newsboy, in whose shrewd little head is knowledge of the value of a steady job, passes the studio gates, views the thinning throng and wanders on, cynically singing "Hollywood Rose."

The scene is repeated 365 days in the year, Sundays not excepted. And today Carl Bush, executive secretary of the Hollywood chamber of commerce, sounded once more a warning to movie-struck boys and girls not to come to this studio land of vague promises and bitter regrets.

Conditions Unchanged "Conditions are not different today," said Bush, "than they were two years ago, when we collaborated with prominent motion picture producers in efforts to check so-called 'screen discovery' contests and other propaganda tending to increase the numbers of these movie-made children."

"At that time careful check showed that out of the tens of thousands of extras who had at one time and another played small parts in motion pictures, only a few, not exceeding six, in fact, ever reached the point where they might be called featured players or stars—and most of these had benefited from previous theatrical training."

"We deplore strongly the 'on to Hollywood' propaganda which is a natural part of contests which offer a place in pictures as chief prize. The inevitable result of these contests is that those who fail to win frequently feel they are better fitted for picture success than the actual winner—and long after the contest is forgotten, these girls and boys are still drifting into Hollywood to inevitable disappointment."

Thousands Listed The central casting bureau, which is owned and operated by the larger producers and through which practically all minor actors are engaged, has so many thousands of players listed it is not possible to furnish more than one day's work per week for each player, Bush pointed out. The bureau is not taking any more registrations, but is devoting its entire energies to finding work for these thousands already signed.

"Hollywood, unfortunately, supports practically no industries other than the motion picture industry," the chamber of commerce authority continued. "These misguided boys and girls are frequently unable to find work of any kind, and countless tales of hardship and actual suffering reach us continually."

"Our advice to inexperienced girls invariably is to forget motion pictures as a stepping stone to fame or livelihood unless the girl has ample funds to support herself in Hollywood six months or a year and even under those conditions the chances of success are so limited as to be practically negligible."

C. E. DeMille, whose spectacular "mass" pictures have equalled him better than any other producer or director with the problem of picture extras, commented forcibly on the situation:

Many Are Vain "To a large percentage of those who flock here from all over the world have absolutely nothing to recommend them save their own vanity or the flattery of a few friends," he declared.

"The picture producers of Hollywood would be able to make pictures more cheaply and at less expense, were the group of minor players half the size—with that half twice the quality of the present."

"My advice to persons outside of Hollywood is to stay entirely until you can show months or years of genuine dramatic experience in some sort of professional theatrical vocation."

"Lacking this fundamental training, you will find yourself lost in the Hollywood maelstrom of thousands who have no more to offer than you—a good-looking face or some special physical characteristics."

Missing girls, movie-mad runaways from good homes, mysterious suicides, countless petty thefts due to hunger and want, crimes of a moral nature—these are only a few of the problems faced by the police because of the over-supply of picture "talent."

"We could close the police station," grunted a gray-haired desk sergeant, "if there were no more extras in Hollywood."

BRANDS HIS INITIALS ON GIRL'S FOREHEAD. Baltimore, Md., March 16.—Pedro Ganna, 22-year-old Lothario, cut his initials on the forehead of a 16-year-old girl he brought here from Atlantic City last February 15, and today he was sentenced to one year in the reformatory by Magistrate Paul Johanna.

The girl, Marie Thomas, with deep, sea-defining eyes, the well-cut letters "P. G." plainly seen, appeared in court against Pedro on another charge. Her story of the branding came out when the magistrate noticed the scars.

"Because he wanted to show his love," was the reason given by Ganna, who told the court the branding was done with her consent. The girl denied this.

HOLD MANICURIST IN \$10,000 ROBBERY

City Fireman and Son of "John the Barber" Are Also Under Arrest.

New York, March 16.—Accused of robbing the apartment of Richard L. Robinson, member of the banking firm of J. Pierpont Morgan, of \$10,000 in gems, travelers' checks and furnishings, a pretty manicurist, a city fireman and a son of "John the Barber," were locked up early today at police headquarters.

Yesterday Mrs. John Reiser, the wife of "John the Barber," startled authorities by announcing she had made an affidavit confessing to the murder of her sister, Miss Bertha Katz, six years ago. Another of her sons is in Sing Sing for the crime.

The prisoners at headquarters are Miss Gertrude Tipton, 28, Joseph McMahon, 33, a fireman, and George Lester, 25, a salesman.

The salesman is "John the Barber's" son, though the latter's name is John Reiser. The boy, it was said, received court permission to change his name after his father gained notoriety as a witness at the trial of Police Lieutenant Charles Becker, electrocuted for the slaying of the gambler, Herman Rosenthal.

Detective said \$4,800 of the loot had been recovered in McMahon's home.

"John the Barber" once managed Jack Dempsey, former heavyweight champion.

BRITAIN BUILT HALF OF SHIPS IN YEAR 1927

London.—Great Britain and Ireland built more than one half the world's total output of mercantile shipping during 1927.

This is the most arresting fact gleaned from a mass of shipbuilding statistics issued by Lloyd's for the year 1927, proving that, whatever she may be doing with regard to reducing her navy, Britain is determined to remain the commercial mistress of the seas.

Even Germany, her most formidable competitor now and before the World War, lags far behind, while the United States is a very poor third.

The Total Output The world's output of mercantile shipping during the year, it is stated, was 2,285,679 tons, an increase of 610,702 tons. Compared with 1913, when the world's record output was reached, the figures still show a decrease of more than a million tons.

The output of Great Britain and Ireland—371 merchant vessels aggregating 1,235,873 tons represented 53.6 per cent of the world's total and was over half a million tons in excess of her production for the previous year.

Eighty-six vessels of between 5,000 and 10,000 tons were launched in British shipyards during the year, the largest vessels launched being the Duchess of Atholl, 21,500 tons.

Other countries accounted for 421 vessels aggregating 1,059,000 tons according to the statistics, and increases of only 24,397 tons.

Principal Countries The output of the principal countries in order of production was: Germany, 289,822 tons; United States 179,218 tons; Holland 119,790 tons; Italy 101,076 tons; Denmark 72,038 tons; Sweden 67,361 tons; Japan 42,359 tons.

Of these Germany established the largest increase with 251,232 tons. Against this increase must be set considerable decrease in construction in Italy, the United States and France, however.

Russia, according to the statistics, is advancing slowly but surely. During the year she launched 18 vessels of 43,917 tons, an increase of 33,000 tons over previous years.

FLYING TO CANAL Tampico, Mexico, March 16.—F. Trubee Davison, secretary of war, in charge of aviation, of the United States, and Major-General James M. Fechet, chief of the United States Army Air Corps, today were expected to continue their flight by air from Washington to the Panama Canal.

The American officials arrived here in two planes yesterday at 5:12 p. m., after an uneventful flight from Galveston, Texas. Upon landing they were cordially greeted by local air and army officials.

RUM RUNNING PLOT Detroit, Mich., March 16.—A \$200,000 rum smuggling plot, alleged to have been operated in the Detroit river last year, was barred by the government today with the indictment of four former inspectors in the border patrol.

The four accused are James G. Nevins, Joseph Lantry, Ray Rankus and Willis Beal. With them Joseph Galbe and Joseph Rossen, reputed to be big downriver rummers, are named.

FOUR KILLED IN CRASH Titusville, Fla., March 16.—Four persons were killed today when passenger train No. 37 of the Florida East Coast was wrecked while rounding a curve on the outskirts of the city.

All the dead were Florida railroad men.

HIS ONE GAMBLE "I will not say that I have never gambled, I once bought a ticket in a raffle for my wife."

"So that's how you got her, is it?"—The Humorist.

Before Queen Mary of England became engaged to King George she was Princess Mary of Teck.

FIND NEW TYPE OF SUGAR CANE TO BOOST CROP

New Orleans, La.—How the planting of a new type of sugar cane in the fields of Louisiana has defied to some degree the flood waters and has placed the declining industry upon its feet, was revealed in statistics presented here by Arthur H. Rosenfeld, consulting technologist of the American Sugar Cane League.

Floods last year destroyed 33,000 acres of the old canes but the flood loss among the new canes was between 1,000 and 1,500 acres, due to the increased vitality of the P. J. O. type of cane.

A careful check from 1910 to 1914 of the Louisiana canes indicated declining yields due to unfavorable weather conditions and diseases. The history of the rejuvenation at the Tucuman, Argentina, Sugar Experiment Station, established in 1910, Louisiana engineers were sent to Argentina to study the situation. Among them were R. R. Blouin, then director of the Audubon Park Sugar Experimental Station, and Arthur Rosenfeld, who was appointed director.

Studied Native Canes They observed immediately that so-called native canes were in reality the old Louisiana Striped and Purple canes, decreasing annually due to degeneration caused by miasmic disease, the same scourge that had ruined Louisiana's crop.

The scientist finally found a variety which through its vigor and immunity to the scourge could replace "Creole" canes. It was from three of the six seedlings which came from the East Java Experiment Station (Proefstation Oost Java, hence the initials "P. J. O.") that the canes were obtained which brought about the revival of the industry in Tucuman and also Louisiana.

In judging the new cane over the old, Rosenfeld discovered five points of superiority: (1) Greater tonnage per acre; (2) juices containing a higher percentage of crystallized sugar; (3) greater resistance to attacks of mosaic and other diseases, as well as of insect ravages; (4) ability to stand considerably lower temperatures and (5) use furnishing of more and better fuel bagasse. To Louisiana with its Celotex industry the latter was considered highly important.

The P. J. O. 36, 213, and 234 canes were far superior to the old and stood up well under flood conditions.

Analysis of samples of the new canes showed sugar content as high as 12 per cent and a purity of 89 per cent.

After samples of the yield of several seasons had been analyzed and had proven to critics that advisability of continuing planting the new P. J. O. type, the agricultural bureau of the Association of Commerce of New Orleans found that vast fields awaited the cane grower with the sole deterrent, lack of sufficient money.

Bankers, railroad men and business men of New Orleans and Louisiana realizing this condition, met with planters and formed the State Agricultural Credit Corporation, Inc., to finance the purchase of seed and cultivation.

The initial capital of \$325,000 was deposited in New Orleans and enabled the corporation to finance about one-fourth of the present Louisiana crop.

Rosenfeld from his statistics and from the work of the finance company, predicts the Louisiana Sugar Cane Industry will in a few seasons far surpass the production made during any of the prosperous seasons of the past.

RAPHAEL PICTURE FOUND BY STRASBOURG ARTIST

Strasbourg.—What is believed to be a masterpiece by the painter Raphael has just been discovered at Munster, by Professor Plenge of this city.

It represents the Madonna with the Holy Child and St. John in the background and the finder thinks the picture was done at a moment when he was at the height of his skill and had freed himself from the influence of Michel Angelo.

ENGLAND'S RAILROADS TO HAVE 3d CLASS SLEEPERS ON LONG NIGHT TRAINS

London.—A bill compelling railroad companies to provide "third class" sleeping accommodation on every long distance train at night will probably pass the House of Commons this session.

It provides that every train on which first-class sleeping accommodation is provided shall have at least 20 per cent of third-class compartments "fitted with lying-down accommodations" for not more than four persons in a compartment.

The Bill fixes the charge to be made to each person at five shillings, in addition to the ordinary fare.

MORE PILGRIMS ON WAY TO MECCA THIS SEASON THAN IN OTHER YEARS

Jerusalem.—The Moslem pilgrimage to Mecca and Medina promises this year to be record breaking, judging by figures published at Mecca showing an increase of more than 3,000 devotees arrived during one week at Arabian ports on the way to the Prophet's shrine.

In the first week of the season 17,422 pilgrims were registered as compared with 14,335 during the same period last year.

The first devotees to arrive were from the Far East mostly from Java. The pilgrimage from India begins later in the year.

Food should not be allowed to stand for even a short time in a galvanized iron bucket, as some of the zinc coating on the bucket may be dissolved and zinc poisoning result from eating the food.

"STOLEN" HUSBAND PRICED AT \$100,000

White Plains, N. Y., March 16.—Mary P. Whitmore, formerly of Mount Vernon and now of Bridgeport, Conn., applied today for dismissal of the \$100,000 alienation in statistics suit instituted against her by Henrietta M. Johnson, prominent social leader of Beechman road, Mt. Vernon.

Mrs. Whitmore claims that there has been no apparent desire on the part of the plaintiff to prosecute the suit, which was filed on January 11, 1928.

In her suit Mrs. Johnson charged that Mrs. Whitmore "stole" her husband, Charles R. Johnson, a former vice president of the Optical Company of America.

Johnson is now connected with a toy manufacturing concern in Bridgeport. Mrs. Whitmore is the divorced wife of D. Webb Whitmore, a butter and egg commission merchant in New York.

Supreme Court Justice William F. Bleakley, who heard arguments on the application for dismissal, reserved decision.

ENGLAND TRIES TO PICK DONOR OF GREAT GIFT

London.—Nation-wide speculation regarding the identity of the mysterious donor has resulted from the announcement that the British Government has been presented with \$2,500,000 to be held in trust for a number of years and eventually applied to the reduction of the National Debt.

Cash and securities to this amount have been handed to Barings Brothers, the well-known and old established banking house who will act as trustees. The heads of this bank, one or two members of the Government, and the lawyers who have acted as intermediaries are the only persons who have any knowledge of the donor.

Close Secret His identity and the conditions under which the trust will be administered are a closely guarded secret which no amount of questioning will induce Lord Revelstoke, chairman of the bank, to reveal.

In endeavoring to locate a man wealthy enough to make such a gift, the newspapers have narrowed the search down to fewer than a dozen names, which include Lord Revelstoke himself, Lord Howard de Walden, Bernhard Baron, the brothers Solly and Jack Joel, Lord Bearsted, the Marquis of Bute, Lord Vestey, Earl Cowdray, Lord Dewar and Lord Derby, with Lord Revelstoke as perhaps the best bet.

London's richest ground landlord Lord Howard de Walden is worth many millions. The value of his property can be judged from the fact that he recently sold a small portion of it for \$20,000,000. He is declared to be the kind of patriotic citizen who would be likely to make this form of gift.

Other Great Fortunes The Marquis of Bute is probably one of the three richest men in the country, with a reputed annual income of \$1,000,000 a year. He possesses property in the seaport city of Cardiff worth \$35,000,000 alone.

One of the nation's wealthiest men, whose name is famous for his philanthropic donations, is Bernhard Baron, the tobacco multi-millionaire. In recent years he has contributed to charities something like \$7,000,000.

The Joel brothers are both believed to be worth more than \$100,000,000, and the riches of the eighty-five year old Lord Ashton, who amassed a great fortune out of linoleum, are on the same scale.

Lord Derby is perhaps the most famous of English multi-millionaires. His fortune being in the neighborhood of \$30,000,000.

QUAKES RECORDED

Chicago, March 16.—One of the most severe earthquakes in history was recorded here today by the seismograph at the University of Chicago.

The direction of the earthquake was not indicated.

Santa Maria, Calif., March 16.—The second earthquake shock in two days was felt here this morning for five seconds. No damage was reported.

Washington, March 16.—An extremely severe earthquake disturbance was recorded today on the seismograph at Georgetown University here.

Father Tondorf, the observer, said it was one of the most severe disturbances ever recorded on his instruments.

RESULT IN AFGHANISTAN

London, March 16.—Disturbances have broken out in Afghanistan which may shorten the European visit of King Amanullah, according to the Daily Express today. The Afghan Foreign Minister Tarzi Khan, who accompanied the king to Europe, is returning hastily to Kabul.

KAISER'S SON ENGAGED

Berlin, March 16.—Prince Eitel Friedrich, second son of the former Kaiser, is engaged to marry Mme. Schwartz, widow of Joseph Schwartz, the Opera singer, the Neue Berliner Zeitung stated today. Eitel Friedrich is 45 years old.

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CHAPLAIN WINS SUIT.

New York, March 16.—Charles Chaplin, the film comedian was richer by \$75,100 today.

The amount was awarded him by a jury before Supreme Court Justice Louis A. Valentine, following his suit against the First National Exhibitors Circuit, Inc., and the First National Producers Co., for royalties on one of his pictures, "The Kid."

Chaplin, through his attorneys, brought a suit, claiming that from 1920 to 1925 the companies owed him \$50,000. With interest made on the picture in foreign countries. The jury returned a sealed verdict last night, which was opened this morning.

NOT THAT KIND

HUSBAND (in car): Heaven! The engine is terribly overheated. WIFE (calmly): Then why don't you turn off the radiator.—Life.

NEW FASCIST LAW

Rome, March 16.—The Chamber of Deputies today enacted the Parliament Reform Act under which candidates in the future will be selected by the Fascist Grand Council. There were no speeches, but a statement from former Premier Giolitti criticizing the measure was read. He voted against the bill on the ground it marked the end of Italy's constitutional regime.

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**KEITH FURNITURE CO.  
WORKERS SEE FACTORY**

Visit New Dworkin Plant at Poquonock Where Some of Their Goods Are Made.

On Wednesday afternoon the entire sales force of the Keith furniture Co. took advantage of their half holiday by visiting the new factory of Dworkin, Inc., manufacturers of upholstered furniture, which has recently been located at Poquonock. This is a line of goods which Keith's have handled for some time past, and which they have long known very favorably from a selling standpoint. The trip was arranged by the Dworkin people as a means of acquainting the local organization with their manufacturing methods and the splendid equipment they have available in their new plant.

It is probably news to the general public that a furniture factory of importance is located so nearby. However, this company has been operating for several years—developing from a small custom shop— and has now attained to very large proportions. Their product includes everything serviceable in the line of upholstered furniture, and they have the reputation and the facilities for making the finest quality of goods which can be produced in this line.

Several very interesting hours were spent by the visitors from Keith's in going through the processes of parlor suit construction from A to Z. Everything from cutting the lumber to driving the last tack is conducted very systematically, under the one roof—frames are cut from the raw lumber, assembled, carved and decorated. Then the spring construction built in, the covers cut and sewed and then passed along to the upholsterers where frame, filling and cover are united in the finished piece. There are many very interesting processes involved and the most efficient mechanical equipment is used where possible, though it is largely a hand operation, dependent on skilled tradesmen.

Keith's men were given some excellent instruction on the differences between first class and inferior work in the manufacture of parlor suites, and came away thoroughly impressed with the excellence of the line of goods they are dealing with or the sales floor every day. They also were invited to conduct any prospective customers through the plant at any time, for a personal inspection of the quality of goods offered or for a wider selection of style from the entire line that they are building there for some of the finest furniture stores in New York and other cities, which the Keith Furniture Co. handles exclusively in this section.

**NO SIRREEEE**

An old negro got up one night at a revival meeting and said: "Brudders and sisters, you knows an' I knows dat I ain't been what I oughter been. I see robbed hen-roosts an' stole hawgs, an' told lies an' got drunk, an' slashed folks with mah razor, an' cussed, and swore; but I thank heaven dere's one thing I ain't nebbor done—I ain't nebbor lost mah religion."—Tit-Bits.

**GET RICH, WISE,  
GOOD OR BAD BY  
USING DREAMS**

Cleveland, O.—Will dreams come true? They will, with the aid of the sub-conscious mind when put to work by a simple formula, as explained by Dr. Hilton I. Jones, of Wilmette, Ill., here before skeptical members of the Cleveland Advertisers Club, who later said they were convinced that Dr. Hilton's theory was possible if carried out with faith and earnestness.

Dr. Jones said he believed anyone might become rich, wise, good, bad or successful by the simple inexpensive expedient of putting "your sub-conscious mind to work while you sleep."

**Every Shining Hour**  
The Wilmette physician, has improved on the famous "day by day in every way," etc., method given to the world by the late famous French physician, Dr. Emile Coue, a few years ago, it was said, Dr. Jones said he learned the system from his mother, who in turn, learned it from the mother of Eugene Sandow, known years ago as the "strongest man in the world."

"Make proper use of the two most important periods of your day," Dr. Jones advised, "the time you are going to sleep and the time it takes you to wake up. There is no excuse for spending more than two minutes in going to sleep. It is a simple trick you can learn in a few minutes."

"Never get to sleep with worry, fear or unhappiness on your mind. Your last thoughts at night should be pleasant thoughts, faith thoughts, humorous thoughts. If your last thoughts are of fear, you will become timid. If disease is on your mind when you fall asleep you will be dragged down by your slumber, until you become fit for every disease in the calendar."

Thinking Courage  
"A timid man can become strong,

courageous and aggressive by thinking courageous thoughts in those few moments before sleep comes. Your sub-conscious mind begins to work where the conscious mind leaves off.

"I have taken out 19 patents, and every idea worth patenting came to me in the early morning after I fell asleep the night before thinking about it."

In conclusion Dr. Jones declared that life is a matter of chemistry and prophesied that in two or three years the farmers will be able to accelerate the growth of their livestock by purchasing at the drug store, a mixture made from the pituitary gland, which physicians say increases the growth of animals.

An honest man is one who has a clear conscience on March 16.

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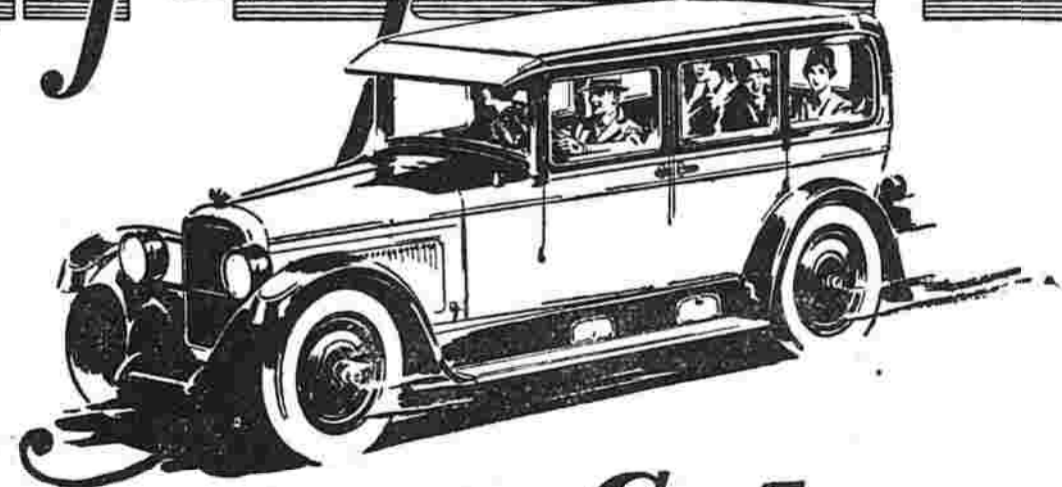
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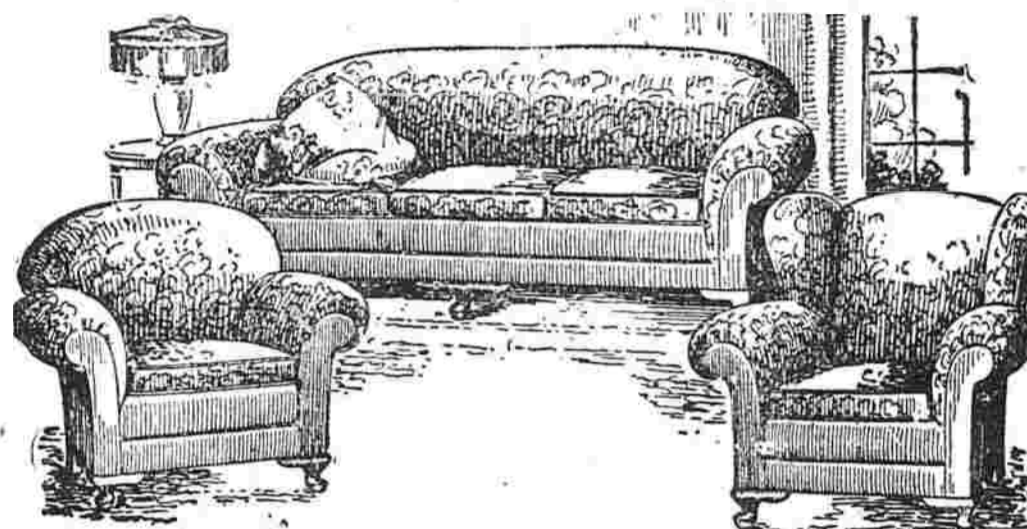
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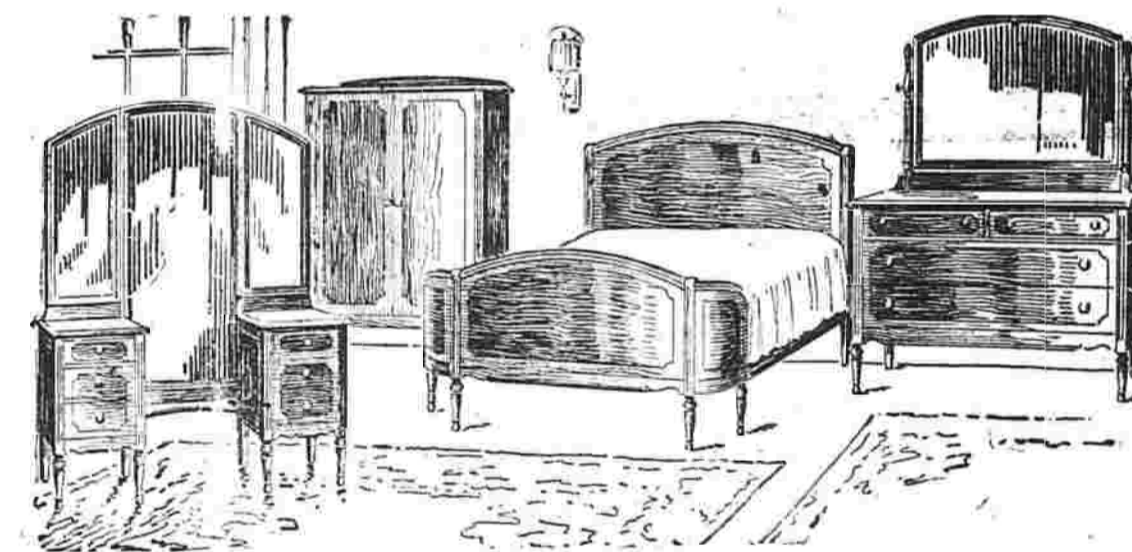


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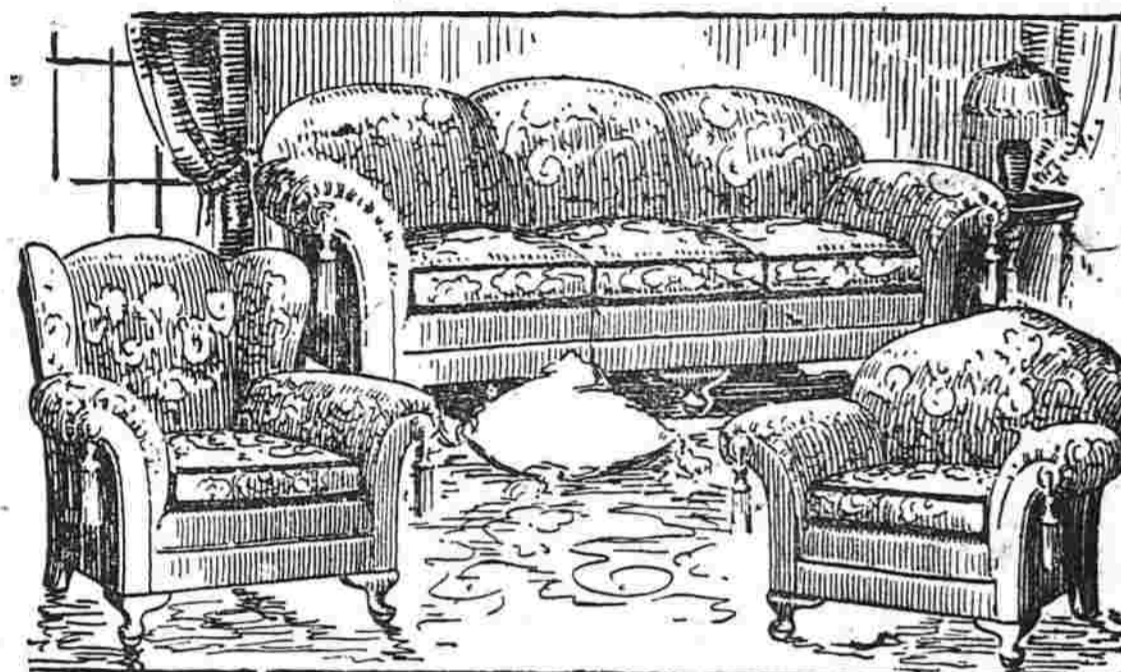
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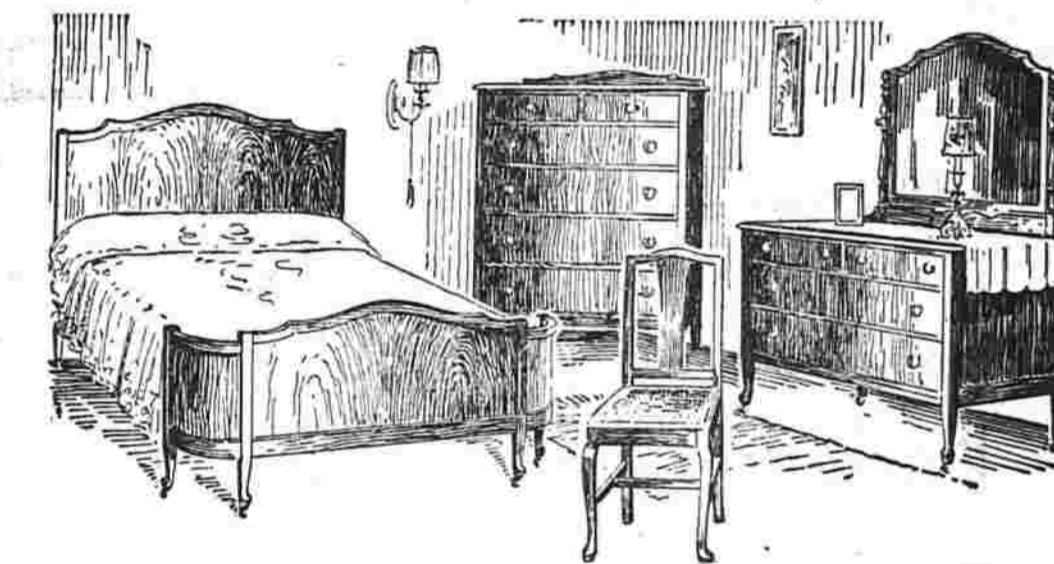


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## Largest Gas Plant In N. E. Now Ready At New Haven

New Haven, Conn., March 16.—New England's largest gas plant will be in operation by September 1, according to officials of the Koppers Erecting Company, which is building the plant on the Eastern Harbor shore here. A huge gas main which is to carry the product of the plant across the state to Hartford is today fifty per cent completed and will be ready for use on August 1, or a month before the gas plant is ready.

Building permits totaling, so far, about \$500,000, have been issued by the city for various portions of the plant, and many others will follow at intervals as the fifty-acre tract to form the site of the plant is finished. By July 1, it is expected, a large wharf now under construction will have been equipped with coal hoists and other structures to handle the large fleet of vessels that will bring coal here.

Professor Andreleff denies that death is so sure, after all. But then even science can't change March 15.

from a southern port to be used in making coke and gas. Meanwhile a survey is being made of the New Haven Gaslight Co., recently absorbed by the new gas corporation. The value of the property is estimated at over \$10,000,000. It is expected that the new gas plant and the coke plant of which it is to be an auxiliary, will be worth almost as much more.

The gas plant is expected to be consumers of gas what the plants of the Connecticut Light & Power Company are to users of electricity. The coke production here is expected to be one of the largest in the country. In preparing for the coke distribution, a conference on industrial gas and coke heat is to be held at Yale University on March 21 with nationally-known experts from the east and middle west as speakers. About 250 engineering executives are to attend the conference.

Jim Reed spoke out on the coast the other day about the danger of a foreign invasion. Jim's a good talker.

## CAMPS DRESSED UP FOR SENATE PROBE

### Reporter Tells of Real Conditions In Coal Fields Around Pittsburgh.

Washington, March 16.—The Pittsburgh Coal Company instructed its mine superintendents to "dress up" the non-union camps in preparation for the visit of the special Senate coal committee which investigated the mining camps, according to a memorandum presented to the Senate interstate commerce committee by Harry T. Brundidge, reporter for the St. Louis Star.

Brundidge said he paid an employee \$25 for the document, which was printed on company stationery. It follows, in part:

"The Senate investigating committee is now visiting the Pittsburgh district. Clean up all unsightly conditions. Keep our police in the background. Avoid all arrests. Instruct our men to keep out of trouble. If the committee desires to question any of our employees see to it that you present men you can trust and who can be depended upon to give the right kind of answers."

Brundidge described alleged immoral conditions at the Moon Run camp of the Pittsburgh Coal Company and Horning Number Four mine of the Pittsburgh Terminal Coal Corporation. He said he found "bootlegging, gambling and houses of prostitution" in camps he visited.

**Framed Testimony**  
Brundidge explained that he led the sub-committee to the home of Mrs. Charles Barr, who testified last week that her husband had been "fired" because she talked "too much" to the committee. Pittsburgh Coal Company officials had charged Mrs. Barr's testimony had been "framed" for the committee.

Strike breakers at the Coverdale Mine of the Pittsburgh Terminal Company are held virtual slaves in the camp, Brundidge declared.

Don Rose, counsel for the Pittsburgh Coal Co., asked Brundidge to furnish the addresses of the disorderly houses in the Moon Run camp "because I am sure the company doesn't want anything like that in the camp."

Rose said his company was doing everything possible to wipe out bootlegging and disorderly houses.

"The information given the committee is that liquor and women are being used to keep strike-breakers in the camps," interjected Senator Fess, Republican of Ohio.

"If that is true I think it is indefensible," said Rose, "but I think our evidence will convince you it isn't true so far as our company is concerned."

"I'll say we found plenty of evidence of bootlegging in the camps," said Senator Gooding, Republican of Idaho, chairman of the sub-committee.

In steamship terminology a gale blows 60 miles, a storm 70 miles and a hurricane 80 miles an hour.

## A THOUGHT

There is a lion in the way; a lion in the streets.—Prov. 20:18.

Fear is faithlessness.—George MacDonald.

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#### DEATHS IN STUNTS

Let us be honest about these tragedies of the air—the loss of transatlantic fliers in midocean, the killings of stunt fliers in nerve racking exhibition flights. Why should the public permit itself to be agonized by them? Why should the disappearances and the drownings and the burnings and falls to earth be allowed to cloud our serenity or dissipate our happiness, even momentarily?

If a human being places no value on his life why should other human beings, who never saw him and possesses no imaginable responsibility toward him, feel called on to place a value on it and mourn when it is lost? The person of lively and poignant sympathies might very well, if he did not deliberately control them, spend a very large part of his life in a state of profound depression over the long succession of utterly needless casualties among these adventurers of the air. We submit that he would be doing himself a serious injustice if he did so.

Frankly the fate of the individual who bets his life against some element of fame or gain for a mere thrill, in a desperately long-shot game like that of a transatlantic airplane flight, seems to us to be a very minor matter compared to that, say, of some father of a family who sticks to his job in mill or mine or at office desk when the doctor has warned him to quit or die.

#### NICARAGUA

Mr. Kellogg can try his teeth on the present situation in Nicaragua. It is a good tough nut.

President Diaz was author of the plan put into effect by the Stimson agreement, that both the Federal and Liberal armies should surrender their arms; that Diaz should serve out his term and that American marines should supervise the subsequent election, insuring a square deal at the polls.

That agreement was entered into by the Chamorrist party, for whom Diaz is a figurehead, under the conviction that so many Liberals would refuse to come in on the side of the wet that the result of the election would certainly be a Chamorrist victory.

But the apple cart is upset. The Liberals did come in, all but the handful under Sandino, and there are so many other Liberals in the country that it is now quite obvious that in a fair election the Chamorrist would be defeated. In consequence of this situation the Nicaragua Congress, dominated by Boss Chamorro, has unexpectedly refused to pass the bill agreed on, authorizing the United States forces to supervise the election. The Chamorrist want to run it themselves, with the outcome "in the bag."

Obviously, having gotten into the mess up to our neck, we must see it through. So, without any authority from the Nicaraguan government, it has been decided at Washington to keep right on and run the election—which is pretty sure to result in the restoration of the Liberals to power—a result that the Liberals would have attained by themselves a year or more ago if we had kept our fingers off.

The nut that Mr. Kellogg has to crack is how to fix this thing up so that the record of our intervention will not read like a page out of Joe Miller's Joke Book—with a black border around it in memory of certain dead Marines.

#### BIG CITIES

Representatives of New York apartment tenants have told a legislative committee that if the emergency rent law of 1920 is permitted to expire seven hundred thousand persons will be put out of their apartment homes in New York city on June 1. That would certainly be an unusual activity and one worth watching, if it were to come literally to pass. It is an intriguing speculation to imagine

almost three quarters of a million people evicted on the same day—put out on the sidewalks. One wonders what on earth would happen, not so much to the tenants, perhaps, as to the landlords and to the evicting officers.

The landlords insist that they are not getting enough income from their properties to make it possible to carry on proper repairs and that the housing of the city is consequently falling into ruin and will soon be unfit for human habitation. The tenants insist that they are paying more rent than they can afford and that, repairs or no repairs, they can pay no more.

The merits and the demerits of the claims of landlords and tenants are beyond the ken of outsiders. But once more the question suggests itself—Why these overblown, swollen great cities, where people are herded in such enormous masses, where every ordinary problem of existence is multiplied and where every solution is intricately complicated and baffled?

If there is any valid reason for the grouping together of any more than a single million people in one community in this country we have never heard of it.

#### MOTORING HOBOES

It has been solemnly announced that thirty million Americans will tour the country in automobiles this year. And on the head of that statement various writers have congratulated themselves and their fellow citizens on living in a country so gloriously free from all the inhibitions under which the human race has heretofore lived that a third of the men, women and children of the nation can afford the time and the money for such a luxury of extensive travel.

This is precisely the line of "prosperity" hokum which serious minded persons are beginning to understand to be dangerous—as dangerous as untrue. Of course there isn't the remotest possibility of anything like thirty million people "touring the country" by automobile or any other means of transportation. Doubtless thirty million persons will take motor rides, perhaps fairly long ones over weekends. Doubtless several millions will spend a vacation week or two on the roads. Likely enough several hundred thousand will go bumbling this year, as they have for a number of years past, coffee-potting over the various "trails," loafing in motor camps, leading the queer vagabond Gypsy existence of the irresponsible, half the time without knowing where next fall's coal and wood is coming from, or how they would get home if the fiver should be wrecked. But the very great majority—a majority many times larger than the foot-loose minority—will stay home on the job by far the greater part of the time this year, as they always have done. For if they didn't the country could be depended on to go the way of all loafer countries—straight down hill.

There was a time when Spain was distinguished for being the only civilized country in the world where homeless hobos rode grandly about the country on horseback. That was immediately subsequent to the time when Spain, because of her raiding of the world's gold supply, was the richest country in Europe. Such a thing as work came to be unworthy of a true Spaniard. He became a perpetual vacationer. Then his country went to pot and the vacationer, running out of the easy money, became a proud and lofty bum, riding a horse.

For some time, now, Spain has been on the upward trend. But it is because her people are doing more staying at home and more sticking to the job and far less gallivanting on horseback and swapping big talk over roadside campfires.

We have no idea that the United States is ever going to follow the footsteps in decline of Spain. But we can't help seeing more than a slight parallel between the Spanish beggar on horseback and the approaching state of some of the coffee-pot tourists who jack up their jobs to go motor-rambling every summer, unless they change their gait.

But after all they are only a handful. The evil of multiplying their numbers in reckless statements about motor touring lies in the liability of credulous persons to believe such tales and to feel that they are "out of it" unless they, too, go and do likewise.

A legitimate vacation trip by automobile is a glorious thing. The habit of going a-wandering, and trusting to luck to re-establish oneself and one's family at the end of a long, indefinite loafing spree, is about as bad as one can be imagined.

#### BORAH'S FUND

Senator Borah will probably be able to raise his fund of \$160,000 to reimburse Ollman Sinclair for his contribution toward the discharge of the Republican National Committee's 1920 deficit and thus enable the party to "reputulate"

### ABOUT FREE SPEECH

BY BRUCE CATTON

IT is easy enough to be in favor of free speech when nobody has anything exciting to say. It is quite another matter to be for it when someone insists on saying something you don't like.

Many a noble public official has quite cracked under this strain. It is a difficult situation. Our sympathy, accordingly, goes out to Mayor Gillespie, of Pittston, Pa., a town which is a focal point for much of Pennsylvania's coal field trouble. Three New Yorkers went to Pittston to make speeches about the way the strike was being handled. The authorities locked them up. The would-be speakers declared that free speech, as far as Pittston was concerned, was dead.

Mayor Gillespie denied it. "But it would be better, if it were dead," he said, "than to have dead bodies lying in the streets." Now it may well be that the mayor had inside information which told him that bloody rioting would surely follow any public criticism of Pennsylvania's coal barons. But, even so, he might have made his pronouncement a little less broad.

It happens that free speech, which is guaranteed in our constitution, is one of the fundamental parts of our democracy. And, in case Mayor Gillespie has forgotten, some one should tell him that in 1776 and thereafter there were not a few Americans who infinitely preferred having any number of dead bodies lying in the streets to seeing free speech slain. They were quite serious about it; in Virginia a young man named Patrick Henry declared openly that, while others might do as they wished, he himself would rather be dead than live without liberty.

Freedom—of speech, of conscience, of action—is a strange thing. It does not merely mean the right to talk and act as you wish when your words and actions are similar to everyone else's; it means the right to speak your mind, and live your life, when your views are diametrically opposed to those of the majority. There have been Americans who refused to be intimidated by the general used muskets on a group of colonists who wanted to speak their minds about oppression. The Boston massacre, which resulted, was one of the things that led to the Declaration of Independence.

It might be well for Pittston's mayor to borrow his son's school books and read a little American history. He might—It is barely possible—find it advisable to modify his statement just a little.

Mr. Sinclair's assistance. It may not, however, be as easy a job as he anticipates, and certain declarations on the part of Mr. Borah, which he has not made yet, might help to consolidate his position as the moral savior of his party and create general enthusiasm for his project.

It might help, for example, if Mr. Borah were to let it be known whether, in the years between 1920 and the 1924 Presidential campaign he himself was aware that the G. O. P. was in a financial hole and owed a large amount of money; and, if so, whether he himself contributed as much as a solitary nickel to help discharge that deficit or took any part in any movement looking to that end. Or whether he, one of the most conspicuous Republicans in the country, was entirely satisfied to leave the financial arrangements of the party in the hands of the foxy Will Hays.

Another thing that Mr. Borah possibly might do would be to allay any suspicion that in collecting his \$160,000 fund there might be accepted a donation from somebody representing the Russian Soviet Union, even so indirectly as being the vendors of Idaho sheep bought in that state by the Bolshevik government. It would be rather distressing to some people to be faced by the dilemma of having to choose between Sinclair money and Moscow money in rectifying the party's financial status—and we suspect that more than a few would prefer to keep Sinclair's.

Meantime, it would be interesting to know how much of his own money Mr. Borah proposes to chip in.

### This date in AMERICAN HISTORY

- MARCH 16—1680—First Provincial Assembly met at Portsmouth, N. H.
- 1751—James Madison, president of the United States, born.
- 1802—West Point Military Academy founded.
- 1861—Governor Houston of Texas refused allegiance to the Confederacy.

#### GREAT BUDDHA STATUE FOR LUNELY JAPANESE IS BUILT NEAR BEPPU

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#### FIND GREAT DEPOSITS OF COAL IN MADAGASCAR AFTER 28 YEARS SEARCH

Paris.—Huge deposits of soft coal have been discovered in Madagascar which heretofore has furnished France principally with farm produce and lumber.

The discovery is the climax of a search extending over twenty-three years one which geological experts were led by numerous evidences of coal like vegetation. The heavy veins have been found in the north part of the island, where coalfields cover an area approximately 550 miles long and 100 miles wide. It is estimated that several billion tons of coal will be obtained from Madagascar.

Over 600 guests, all over 70 were recently entertained at dinner in the town hall of Dover, England.

### WASHINGTON LETTER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER

Washington, March 16—Now that other candidates are in the field against Governor Al Smith, the forces opposed to Al appear to be considerably more confident of beating him than they were when he was the only aspirant in sight.

State conventions and primaries now imminent will provide light on whether this increased confidence in 1924 is not at all unlikely, for it must be remembered that Smith has a hard combination to beat. It includes militant dry organizations, anti-Catholic prejudice and organizations, anti-Tammany prejudice, anti-New York prejudice, rival candidates whose only chance lies in the stopping of Smith and numerous politicians who clamor for their state tickets if Smith is nominated.

So many tabulations have come out of New York purporting to show Smith progress to victory, it seems worth while to list just what the anti-Smith leaders claim to expect.

First, they see great hopes in Senator Tom Walsh's candidacy, following, as it did, that of Senator Jim Reed. Walsh is entered in California and Wisconsin primaries. It is just possible that he might win both.

The first kick at Smith's shins may come from California. It was McAdoo's tower of strength in 1924. Isador Dockweiler, the Smith leader and national committee man, was beaten in the last senatorial primary by a McAdoo man. McAdoo heads the Walsh delegate state. The primary will elect a solid delegation. The question now is whether Smith and Reed won't split the wet vote and let Walsh carry the state. Neither Smith nor Reed is in any position to withdraw.

One of the smartest and best-informed of the anti-Smith politicians recently told your correspondent, state by state, why he believed that Smith couldn't win. Some of his claims are open to doubt, not to say extravagant, but without further apologies here's what he said: "First, give us the solid south, except Louisiana. I include Texas, Tennessee and also Oklahoma, where the entire delegation in the House expects defeat if Smith is nominated.

"I don't believe Smith can get Arizona and New Mexico. "He can't get California, Washington, Montana or Utah. "Indiana Democrats will hold out against him to the end in order to save a state ticket which they think they can elect with a Protestant nominee.

"The Ohio delegation is for Pomerene, a Smith man, as a matter of camouflage. But Ohio will eventually be found behind Donahy, who is an active but secret candidate. The Democratic vote in Ohio and Indiana is dry and rural.

"Smith can't ever get Kentucky and Missouri and can't depend on Iowa. "Illinois and Pennsylvania will split—he may not get more than half the delegates in either. He ought to get Colorado, but may not. Recent reports indicate trouble for him in New Hampshire.

"He will get the rest of New England, New York, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, Louisiana, Wyoming, Idaho, probably Nevada and Oregon and perhaps Wisconsin, Michigan and Minnesota.

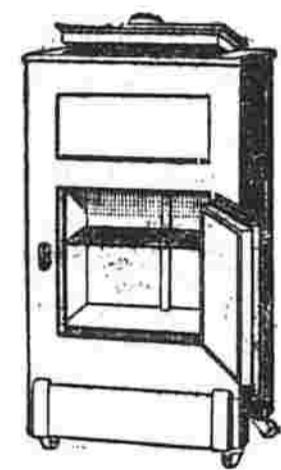
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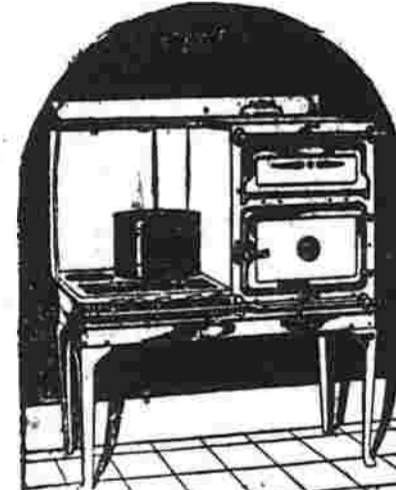
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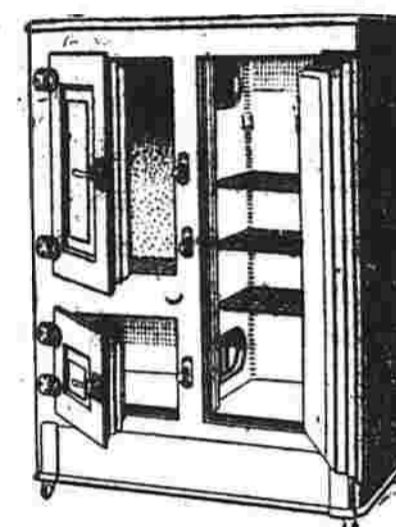
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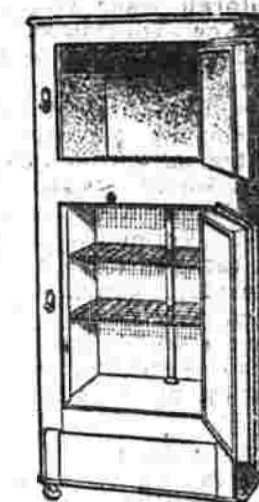
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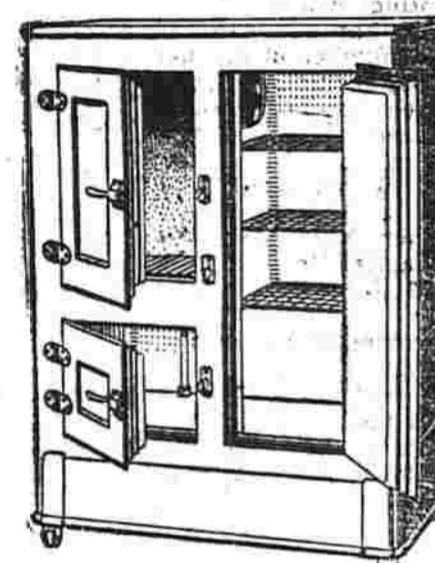
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### NEW ENGLAND'S PARKS ACREAGE IS 24,000 ACRES

Boston.—City and county parks in New England cover 23,966.82 acres, approximately one-tenth of the total of nearly a quarter million acres devoted to such spaces in the United States, according to a nation-wide study of parks recently completed by the Playground and Recreation Association of America.

The bulk of the New England park acreage is in Massachusetts, which reports 15,675.18 acres, stands fourth in this respect among the ten most populous states of the nation. California leads with 20,858.82 acres, New York is second with 19,414.12 and Texas third with 15,531.83.

Other New England states reported the following acreages in city and county parks—Connecticut, 6,445.66; Rhode Island, 1,274.18; New Hampshire, 757.9; Maine, 623.3; Vermont, 310; Rhode Island, the smallest state, has the Union provides almost one-twelfth as much park space as Texas, the largest state, though the area of Texas multiplies that of Rhode Island by more than two hundred.

**In Other Towns**

One hundred and eighty-two New England towns and cities have public parks. The largest is Boston, with 2,637 acres of park land, and the smallest is Jericho, Vermont, population 100, which has a park of four and a half acres. One hundred and twenty of these communities are in Massachusetts, twenty-three in Connecticut, thirteen in Rhode Island, nine each in New Hampshire and Maine and eight in Vermont.

Boston, with one acre of park land to every 284 inhabitants, is twice as well supplied with parks as New York or Chicago, the study points out. However, Boston's ratio is exceeded by other New England cities, particularly Meriden, where the ratio is 26; Lynn, 52; Springfield, 97; New Haven, 102; Hartford, 103; Portland, 123; Worcester, 149; Burlington, 151. Meriden's low ratio is due to its large Hubbard Park, containing 1,300 acres, and Lynn's to Lynn woods, 1,847, which is the ninth largest city park in the nation.

**Promoting Health**

Ratios of less than one hundred are shown by a number of smaller cities and towns, including Colchester, Mass., which has one acre of park land for every twenty-six persons; Norwich, Conn., 43; Wellesley, Mass., 46; Keene, N. H., 46; Barrington, R. I., 51; St. Albans, Vt., 66; Gardner, Mass., 68; Barton, Vt., 70; Calais, Me., 72; Plymouth, Mass., 89; Gloucester, Mass., 90.

Parks are promoting health and child safety and reducing juvenile delinquency, as well as adding to the beauty of communities, says L. H. Weir, director of the study. The use of city parks for active recreation has been the most significant trend in recent park development. Though more than a billion dollars have been spent in the United States to acquire and equip municipal and county parks, few cities as yet provide adequate park facilities and hundreds of small towns have reserved no park space. In urban communities, children's playgrounds and neighborhood recreation fields are the greatest lack.

### BRIGHT FUTURE FOR CHINA SEEN BY TEHYI HSIEH

Cleveland, O.—A brighter prospect is seen for China's future by Dr. Tehyi Hsieh, managing director of the Chinese Trade Bureau and internationally known as the "Teddy Roosevelt" of his country in discussing Chinese politics and the reported invasion of Bolshevism into the Orient.

Dr. Hsieh, on business here recently declared that China doesn't fear Russia. He said China is escaping Bolshevism the cloud of which now hovers over his country. This cloud, he added, did not come from Moscow, but had its initial source in France and travelled clear across Europe eastward, before it invaded his native land.

**No Fear of Communism**

"It is not the Communistic element in China that has migrated back from Russia which is to be feared," Dr. Hsieh explained, "but rather the group that has come back from France."

Speaking of the civil strife now raging, he disclosed plans of three Chinese leaders now conferring in Moscow, which if successful will cause the downfall of the reign of the famous northern leader, Chang Tso-Lin and his forces.

Michael Borodin, adviser to the Southern Chinese government, and believed responsible for the Chinese uprising; Eugene Chen and Madam Sun Yet-Sen, widow of the Samuel Adams of China, are in Moscow planning to stir up the Siberian Mongols to attack Chang Tso-Lin from the northeast.

**To Trap Leader**

"With Chiang Kai-shek, Nationalist, attacking from the south and Feng Yu-shiang pressing him from the northwest, the new Siberian movement will completely trip Lin," Dr. Hsieh emphasized.

In conclusion the Chinese "Teddy" criticized American newspapers for making a "mountain out of a mole hill" in connection with Chinese internal affairs. "Five hostile newspapers are more dangerous than 500,000 bayonets," he believes.

John Maqs, White House valet, says all chins look alike to him and he'll shave the next president. That lets Hughes out.

### DENVER WOMEN VOTE "NO" ON JURY DUTY AFTER CLUB DEBATE

Denver.—Members of the South Side Women's Club of Denver recently held a debate on the subject "Shall Women be allowed to serve on juries?" The negative side triumphed by a vote of 69 to 53.

Colorado, one of the first states to have woman's suffrage, is not counted among the 24 states that call upon women for jury service. If the outcome of this debate is any criterion, the centennial state will remain in its present status for some time.

Among the arguments presented by the winning side were:

"Women can do more good by educating their children so that the need of injuries is lessened, than by going into the courtrooms themselves."

"The woman's place is at home, not in the jury box."

"It is terrible to think of women in such a place. They would be forced to listen to shady testimony and sit among men who would smoke and tell obscene stories. They would be long hours away from home with household duties neglected and children without maternal care. Besides, we do not understand how women who shudder at the thought of killing a chicken could weigh the life of a human being."

Among the losing argument presented were the following statements:

"Why is the mother and housewife any better than her sister stenographer who sits in the court room, and not only hears volumes of filth, but is obliged to write it out."

"Serving on juries is rather an interesting form of recreation."

"There is no physical hardship attached to jury service. It opens the way to many new vistas for women. Besides, it is easier for women to appear in such a capacity. Business men are often hurt by their decision in the jury box. Women could avoid that set-back."

### TOO MUCH PROPHECY

Preacher (who has fun discussing the prophets for 90 minutes): And now we come to Habakkuk. Where shall we put him?

Parishioner (waking up from a snooze): Let him have his seat—I am going home to dinner.—17k. Berlin.

### BEGGAR HORDES IN SOFIA CURBED UNDER NEW LAW

Sofia.—With the recent enactment of an Anti-Beggars' Ordinance, Sofia has become the only city in southeastern Europe where the visitor is not pestered by a horde of beggars.

The Balkan beggar, always furtive and insistent whether he be asking for alms or not, has long been a thorn in the side of the Sofia Municipality, his filthy habits and general dirty appearance scaring away many visitors to the city.

Now, with the passing of the Ordinance, he has disappeared from the streets and large public buildings before which he formerly stood.

**Must Find Jobs**

The ordinance gave the beggars several weeks' grace in which to find employment with the option of being cared for by the State should they not be able to work through incapacity, but strangely enough very few beggars have reported to the Podumarsky Monastery Farm for free lodging and food under the ordinance.

Police who were ordered to see that the ordinance was properly carried out have reported that the large majority of the beggars were in fact able-bodied men and women who have been imposing upon a charitable-minded public. Most of them have found employment, although a few continue to circumvent the ordinance by varying the old procedure.

**Getting Around Law**

Thus one beggar was seen shortly after passing of the Ordinance sitting before a phonograph in one of the public squares. Over his phonograph was fixed a card on which was written: "I play to you for nothing." It is said this clever scoundrel makes more money this way than when he was a professional beggar, as hardly a person who stops to listen to his music fails to drop a penny in his pocket.

### FAMILY STUFF

Husband: I often wonder when I am in heaven how I shall get my coat on over my wings.

Wife: You need not worry about that. Your difficulty will be getting on your trousers over your tail.—Tit-Bits.

### SPIRIT OF ST. LOUIS IS NAME OF NEW POST

St. Louis, Mo.—Many honors have been heaped on Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh since he made his memorable flight across the Atlantic and now an American Legion post has adopted the name of his historic plane, The Spirit of St. Louis. The post was recently organized with a charter membership of 37 at a meeting of ex-

service men and Legionnaires at the U. S. Veterans' Hospital, No. 92, Jefferson Barracks.

Application for the charter was approved by the St. Louis County executive committee of the Legion which voted to present every charter member an official American Legion button. The adjutant of the Spirit of St. Louis Post is Miss Mary McCartney, the first woman to hold such office in a Legion post either in St. Louis or St. Louis County.

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## THE "CANARY" MURDER CASE

By S. S. VAN DINE AUTHOR OF THE BENSON MURDER CASE

**CHARACTERS**  
PHILO VANCE  
JOHN F. X. MARKHAM, District Attorney of New York County  
MARGARET ODELL (THE "CANARY")  
CHARLES CLEAVER, a manufacturer  
KENNETH SPOTSWOOD, a manufacturer  
LOUIS MANNIX, an importer  
DR. AMBROSE LINDQUIST, a fashionable neurologist  
TONY SKEEL, a professional burglar  
WILLIAM ELMER JESSUP, telephone operator  
HARRY SWEELY, telephone operator  
HEATH, Sergeant of the Homicide Bureau

**CHAPTER LIII**  
"SOCIETY unfortunately isn't ready for your philistine philosophy just yet," said Markham. "And during the intervening transition human life must be protected." He rose resolutely, and going to the telephone, called up Heath. "Sergeant," he ordered, "get a John-Doe warrant and meet me immediately at the Stuyvesant Club. Bring a man with you—there's an arrest to be made."

"At last the law has evidence after its own heart," Vance said as he lazily donned his top-coat and picked up his hat and stick. "What a grotesque affair your legal procedure is, Markham! Scientific knowledge—the facts of psychology—mean nothing to you learned Solons. But a phonograph record—all there, now, yet something convincing, irrefragable, final, what?"

On our way out Markham beckoned to the officer on guard. "Under no conditions," he said, "is any one to enter this apartment until I return—not even with a signed permit."

When we had entered the taxi-cab, he directed the chauffeur to the club. "So the newspapers want action, do they? Well, they're going to get it. . . . You've helped me out of a nasty hole, old man."

As he spoke, his eyes turned to Vance. And that look conveyed a profounder gratitude than any words could have expressed. (Tuesday, September 1; \$300 p. m.) It was exactly half past three when we entered the rotunda of the Stuyvesant Club. Markham at once sent for the manager, and held a few words of private conversation with him. The manager then hastened away, and was gone about five minutes.

"Mr. Spotswoode is in his rooms," he informed Markham, on returning. "I sent the electrician up to test the light bulbs. He reports that the gentleman is alone, writing at his desk."

"And the room number?"  
"Three forty-one." The manager appeared perturbed. "There won't be any fuss, will there, Mr. Markham?"  
"I don't look for any," Markham's tone was chilly. "However, the present matter is considerably more important than your club."

"What an exaggerated point of view!" sighed Vance when the manager had left us. "The arrest of Spotswoode, I'd say, was the acme of futility. The man isn't a criminal, don't you know. He's what one might term a philosophic behaviorist."

Markham granted but did not answer. He began pacing up and down agitatedly, keeping his eyes expectantly on the main entrance.

Vance sought a comfortable chair, and settled himself in it with placid unconcern. Ten minutes later Heath and Shtikn arrived. Markham at once led them into an alcove and briefly explained his reason for summoning them. "Spotswoode's up stairs now," he said. "I want the arrest made as quietly as possible."

"Spotswoode!" Heath repeated the name in astonishment. "I don't see—" "You don't have to see—yet," Markham cut in sharply. "I'm taking all responsibility for the arrest. And you're getting the credit—if you want it. That suit you?"

Heath shrugged his shoulders. "I'm all right with me. . . . anything you say, sir." He shook his head uncomprehendingly. "But what about Jessup?"  
"We'll keep him locked up. Material witness."

We ascended in the elevator and emerged at the third floor. Spotswoode's rooms were at the end of the hall, facing the Square. Markham, his face set grimly, led the way.

In answer to his knock Spotswoode opened the door and, greeting us all right with me. . . . anything you say, sir. He shook his head uncomprehendingly. "But what about Jessup?"  
"We'll keep him locked up. Material witness."

"What can I do for you, sir?" His voice was calm and without the faintest quaver. "You can accompany these officers, Mr. Spotswoode," Markham told him quietly, with a slight inclination of his head toward the two imperturbable figures at his side. "I arrest you for the murder of Margaret Odell."

"Ah!" Spotswoode's eyebrows lifted mildly. "Then you have discovered something?"  
"The Beethoven *Andante*." Not a muscle of Spotswoode's face moved; but after a short pause he made a barely perceptible gesture of resignation. "I can't say that it was wholly unexpected," he said evenly, with the tragic suggestion of a smile; "especially as you thwarted every effort of mine to secure the record. But you . . . the fortunes of the game are always uncertain."

His smile faded, and his manner became grave. "You have acted generously toward me, Mr. Markham, in shielding me from the *canaille*; and because I appreciate that courtesy I should like you to know that I am glad to play you one in which I had no alternative. "Your motive, however powerful," said Markham, "cannot exonerate your crime."

"Do you think I seek extenuation?" Spotswoode dismissed the imputation with a contemptuous gesture. "I'm not a schoolboy. I calculated the consequences of my course of action, and after weighing the various factors involved, decided to risk it."

"It was a gamble, to be sure; but it's not my habit to complain about the misfortunes of a deliberately chosen risk. I'm not a schoolboy. I calculated the consequences of my course of action, and after weighing the various factors involved, decided to risk it."

"His face grew bitter. "This woman, Mr. Markham, had demanded the respect of me. Not content with bleeding me financially, she demanded legal protection, position, social prestige—such things as only my name could give her."

"I'm not a schoolboy. I calculated the consequences of my course of action, and after weighing the various factors involved, decided to risk it."

## WOMAN'S DAY

By ALLENE SUMNER

France has closed its divorce mill, we are told. Those who know say that if even an internationally known figure such as Bainbridge Colby doesn't win a divorce as a national courtesy, there is little hope for "lesser fry." As usual, we have brought it on ourselves with plain "mouthing." America has a bad case of the "gabs." Whenever we get hold of something good, instead of taking it with a simple "thank you" we tell the whole world, Jack Hornerwise, "what a fine boy am I, and how I put it all over somebody."

"Gee, I'm Good!" It was that way with foreign prices. A year or so ago any American of a fairly humble degree could afford to go abroad and so profit by the rate of exchange that he could almost pay his transportation with what he saved in living. But he boasted and shouted and gloated over how he did it till foreign prices whizzed skyward. The same thing happened to the Parisian divorce mill. And again we have only ourselves to blame and thank.

**Mary's Clothes**  
How do you buy your clothes? Just any old time you feel like it, or do you have a systematic buying plan at the beginning of each season, carefully plan your wardrobe and go after just the colors, materials and garment items that you need? The latter is the plan of Mary Roberts Rhinehart, the author. She tells how just before fall and just before spring she takes an inventory of her wardrobe, de-

termining what can be worn, and listing new things needed in proper colors to harmonize with what is retained of the old.

**Grandpa's Boy**  
Will Grandpa Joseph Boyer "cast off" his little supposed grandson for whom he had arranged a trust fund of \$5,000,000, now that he learns that 3-year-old Joseph Andrew Boyer isn't his grandchild at all but a child whom his daughter-in-law "bought" and palmed off on her husband, millionaire Grandpa Boyer's son, as her own?

**What Does It Matter?**  
Probably Grandpa will do that very thing and call his "trust fund." For to most men being of one's own blood is all that endears a child to them. The fact that Grandpa and little Joseph played horse together many times will mean nothing now that Grandpa knows that Joseph is not of his own lineage. Or am I all wrong? Hope so. Whether repudiated by his father and grandfather or not, however, the boy's foster mother who perpetrated the fake, will stick by the boy. It's the child, and not his blood that holds her.

**Life's Niceties**  
HINTS ON ETIQUET

1. Should a woman inquire the identity of a stranger who has rendered her a service?  
2. Is it necessary for a woman to talk to a man who gives her his seat on a train or renders other little services?  
3. What should she do?

**The Answers**  
1. Not unless it was so valuable a service she wishes to send a reward.  
2. No.  
3. Just nod her thanks or say a formal "Thank You."

**TWEED BAGS**  
New tweed ensembles have flat envelope bags fashioned of the same material. Leather binds the seams and fashions the fastenings.

**AUTUMN MOTIF**  
On an oyster white background, gay autumn leaves liven an afternoon frock with tight bodice and full circular skirt.

**Fashion Plaque**  
Flowered patterns are much to the taste of Spring, and are presented in medium sized and small designs for daytime frocks. This one-piece frock has a bolero front simulating a coat effect, and skirt made of a tan and beige printed crepe. The bolero is plain beige and closes at the center front under a flat pleat. Four inch-wide tucks make an interesting back, and the tight-fitting sleeves are finished with tailored cuffs of beige. No. 3027 is designed for misses in sizes 14, 16, 18, 20 years. Size 16 requires 3 1/2 yards 36-inch printed material; 1/2 yard contrasting. Price of pattern, 1 cent. Send 15 cents additional for our New Book of Spring Fashions.

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## Home Page Editorial

### Business-Women Wives

By Olive Roberts Barton

Alice Foote McDougall, the woman who established and owns five of the most picturesque coffee houses in New York City, recently signed a twenty year lease representing a rental of a million dollars.

She has written her own story of struggle, discouragement, bad luck, poor health, a dependent family and no capital, except an indomitable spirit and unusual ingenuity. It has been a hard, slow climb and those girls or women who contemplate business careers would do well to read it. For this, as any other of life's ventures that is worth while, is no primrose path.

We wonder if it isn't a good thing perhaps for both men and women, that women are making the plunge into the business world on their own account. It will, without doubt, establish a spirit of understanding between them, that only experience can give. For women are discovering some of the things men are up against in business, the struggle, the discouragement, and all the things that Mrs. McDougall sets forth.

Of course it is true that women are handicapped at this stage of the game because they are women. But after all, business ethics are the same, generally speaking, for men and women alike. Indeed in many cases, Mrs. Dougall admits that landlords and others "would have been twice as sharp with a man."

She adds, "In business everyone is out to grab, to fight to win. You are either the under dog or the top dog. It is up to you to be on top."

A woman who has had business experience of the type Mrs. McDougall speaks of, cannot help but understand the problems her husband has to contend with, if she marries. She will understand why he is silent at the dinner table, why he sits at the desk in the corner of the living-room and adds up figures on "stupid papers." Why he looks worried when household bills come in or when someone takes sick.

He will be more likely to tell her about his affairs, the struggle he has to keep the intake over the output at the store, in order to keep the house going until he gets a good start, and all the rest of his problems, if he thinks she understands.

We wonder if women with business training and business experience are not going to make the best wives after all in more respects than one.

## MARYE and MOM

### Their Letters

BY RUTH DEWEY GROVES

Dear Mom:  
No, I wasn't hurt because a few loving friends panned me, but the injustice of blaming me for what Norman does gives me the rankles. The rankles, in case you don't know, are ingrown heebie-jeebies.

But I tried following your advice and told Billy he mustn't see me and I mustn't see him any more but see, Mom, he took it like a dose of castor oil. I hadn't the heart to stick to it. Like taking candy out of a baby's mouth. So I've decided to be a Good Influence to him. I was tempted to use that old line you girls used to pull about being a sister to the poor wretch but remembering some of the bodice are always correct. Plain black taffeta makes many delightful dinner dresses.

All the old foulard designs are seen in crepe satin and crepe de chine. Yellow georgette is put under a coat of banana-colored cloth. All the banana shades are popular. Turquoise-blue is combined with banana-yellow. Emerald green is only seen in tulle for a picture dress.

Molyneux has an innovation this year in the form of a bridal gown in yellow tulle with a pink veil.

**WHITE FLECKS**  
New tweeds in black, grays, blue and brown have tiny fleckings of white that give a softening cast to the colors.

**CAPE SUIT**  
A tan tweed suit with a hip-length cape, has all of its edges scalloped. The hat that tops it has a scalloped trim.

**GEOMETRIC DESIGNS**  
Costume jewelry in new geometric designs are using squarely cut small stones to preserve the clean-cut modernistic effects.

### Daily Health Service

HINTS ON HOW TO KEEP WELL  
by World Famed Authority

**EATING BAD POTATOES MAY CAUSE POISONING**  
BY DR. MORRIS FISHBEN  
Editor Journal of the American Medical Association and of Hygiene, the Health Magazine  
Among the most widely used of human foods is the potato. Few people realize, however, that under some circumstances poisonous products may develop in the potato and cause severe symptoms in persons who eat them.  
In one series of cases mentioned by Dr. Samuel R. Damon in a recent consideration of food infections and poisons, four members of a family of seven were attacked. In an outbreak reported in 1889, 101 soldiers in a garrison were affected and in a series of outbreaks occurring in Germany, 716 soldiers distributed among four garrisons were poisoned by eating bad potatoes.  
**Potato Spots Appear**  
In most instances the cases do not result fatally, but some deaths are reported due to the fact that the retching and vomiting were so severe that secondary symptoms caused death. Poisoning from the potato will appear within a few hours after the meal and is likely to affect a considerable number of persons who may have partaken of the food.  
The potato belongs botanically to a series of plants which contain a substance known as solanin. The plant known as the "deadly nightshade" is of the same family.  
In certain cases the method of growth of the potato in relationship to the light seems to increase

### Bridge Me Another

BY W. W. WENTWORTH  
(Abbreviations: A—ace; K—king; Q—queen; J—jack; X—any card lower than 10.)

1—What is the quick trick value of K Q 10 X?  
2—When you hold a defensive major suit bid, should you bid it sitting at the left of an original no-trump bidder, if you are weak in the other major suit?  
3—How many probable tricks in K X held by you in support of your partner's bid?  
**The Answers**  
1—One and one-quarter quick tricks.  
2—As a general rule, no.  
3—One.  
**POLISHED SHOES**  
Calf skin and kid shoes should be shined before wearing to prevent scuffing. Especially is this true of children's footwear.  
**CLEANING HATS**  
If you are cleaning a felt hat at home, place it over a stew pan or bowl while scrubbing it, and you can keep it in shape perfectly.  
**BLACK MOIRE**  
One of the season's loveliest frocks is of black moire, made with a yoke and bodice insets of ecru lace. It has a bustle bow in the rear.  
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## FACTS ABOUT CONNECTICUT

Compiled by the CONNECTICUT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

(92) Plumbers' Supplies; Fertilizer; Cordage. Three per cent of the plumbers' supplies (not including pipe or marble and porcelain sanitary ware) made in the United States during 1925 was manufactured in Connecticut plants. The value of this 3% was \$5,069,763—or eleven times the 1900 production value of \$452,348. Connecticut ranked 9th in value of product. An average of 1,061 wage earners was engaged in this industry during 1925 in Connecticut. Their wages totaled \$1,395,372. Materials cost \$2,585,321.

Connecticut, where several million dollars worth of fertilizer is used annually, produced \$2,024,469 worth of fertilizer during 1925—or nearly eight times the 1900 production value of \$390,805. In 1925, Connecticut produced 1.4% of the total for all states and in 1900, .8% of the total. Materials cost \$1,932,210 in 1925.

Thirteen Connecticut factories produced 2% of the cordage and twine manufactured in the United States during 1925. In production value, Connecticut ranked eighth. During 1900, Connecticut's output was .7% of the total. The cordage and twine turned out in 1925 was valued at \$2,038,997—or eight times the value of \$284,713. An average of 325 wage earners was employed in Connecticut plants during 1925. Their pay amounted to \$228,565. Materials cost \$1,354,244.

Connecticut, ranking seventh among all states in production value of textile machinery and parts, turned out \$1,972,607 worth of goods during 1925. This was 1.8% of the total for the United States. Rhode Island, Massachusetts and New Hampshire exceeded Connecticut in the value of product in this industry. Approximately 420 wage earners were employed in Connecticut, their wages totaling \$346,404. Materials cost \$612,088.

Tomorrow—State Forest Acreage Increasing.

### Willimantic Wednesday.

George B. Milne, chief of the Rockville Fire department was one of the many guests of the Tolland Fire department at their Family Party given last Friday evening. The officers and members of the department appreciate the acceptance of their invitation by Chief Milne and their other friends to be

guests that evening, especially so in face of such a stormy night as Friday evening proved to be. The friends here of Miss Althea Newman, granddaughter of Mr. Newman, and Mrs. Frank A. Newman were pleased to hear that she held the lucky ticket which drew the \$5.00 gold piece given by the Rockville Athletic Association.

### MUSCLE SHOALS BILL

Washington, March 16.—The Norris resolution for government operation of the \$100,000,000 Muscle Shoals project was taken up by the House military affairs committee today with indications that a definite Congressional policy would soon be evolved. The Norris plan, adopted by the

Senate, made the third proposal for development of the great power and nitrate project before the House. The government probably will be required to spend \$100,000,000 more on the project under any scheme of development.

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### SOCIAL WORKERS MEET IN STAMFORD, APRIL 22

#### Connecticut Conference to Hold Finest Meeting Since Its Organization.

The Connecticut Conference of Social Work which is to be held in Stamford from April 22 to the 25 promises to be one of the finest meetings of its kind in the whole history of the organization. The executive committee have given careful consideration to the program and will bring to the conference many of the outstanding leaders in the field of social work in the United States. Prominent among the speakers will be Dean Charles Reynolds Brown of Yale Divinity School, who will deliver an address on Tuesday evening, April 24. On the same program will be Henry M. Baker, director of disaster relief service of the American Red Cross, Washington, D. C.

The conference will be divided into sections dealing with the general subjects: Children, Community Life, Family, Delinquency and Prevention, Health and Mental Hygiene. On the program dealing with Community Life will be such speakers as Frederic M. Thrasher, assistant professor of Educational Sociology, New York University, who will speak on "Boys' Leisure and Gang Activities;" Mrs. Chester G. Marsh, director of the Westchester County Recreation Commission who will speak on "Developing Recreation in Small Communities;" and Mrs. Frank W. Barber, director of the Connecticut Junior Achievement, Inc., Middletown, who will have as her subject "Junior Achievement Work." The program dealing with Social Hygiene will be under the direction of Dr. Daniel E. Shea, and the speakers and their subjects will be: Dr. Walter M. Brunet, of the American Social Hygiene Association, New York, "The Part of the Social Worker in Venereal Disease Control Measure;" Mrs. Margaret Wells Wood, of the American Association of New York, "Some Sex Education Problems Which the Social Hygiene Worker can Help Solve;" Dr. Irene Boardman, school physician of New Haven, "How a Large City May Prevent Diphtheria;" and Dr. R. D. Lockwood, health officer of Meriden, "How a Small City May Prevent Diphtheria." The discussion will be opened by Dr. Willard Knowlton, of the Bureau of Communicable Diseases, state department of health, Hartford, and Miss Betsy Mitchell, psychiatric social worker of the Norwich Neuropsychiatric Clinic, will also have a part in the discussions. An exhibit will be presented in connection with the consideration of Mental Hygiene and the Public Schools.

making arrangements to provide adequate entertainment for the guests who will come for the conference.

### TOLLAND

Miss Lucile Agard has returned from a short visit with friends in Hartford. Mrs. Mary Jewell Baldwin and daughter Marjorie returned Tuesday from a month's vacation in Hartford, New Jersey and New York. Mrs. Frank Babcock was taken to the Johnson Memorial hospital in Stafford Springs last Tuesday where she will be attended by Dr. Wright B. Bean. Everett Smith of Bridgeport, Conn., was called home Wednesday on account of the serious illness of his mother Mrs. Carrie Smith who is at the home of her daughter Mrs. Rufus Reed in Coventry. Mrs. John H. Steele attended the meeting of the Sabra Trumbull chapter, D. A. R., held at the home of Mrs. George Talcott in Rockville Wednesday. Charles Harbut, Rupert West, Lathrop West, Fritz Weingarten, Abiel Metcalf, Joseph Metcalf and George Metcalf attended the County Fire Warden's meeting held in

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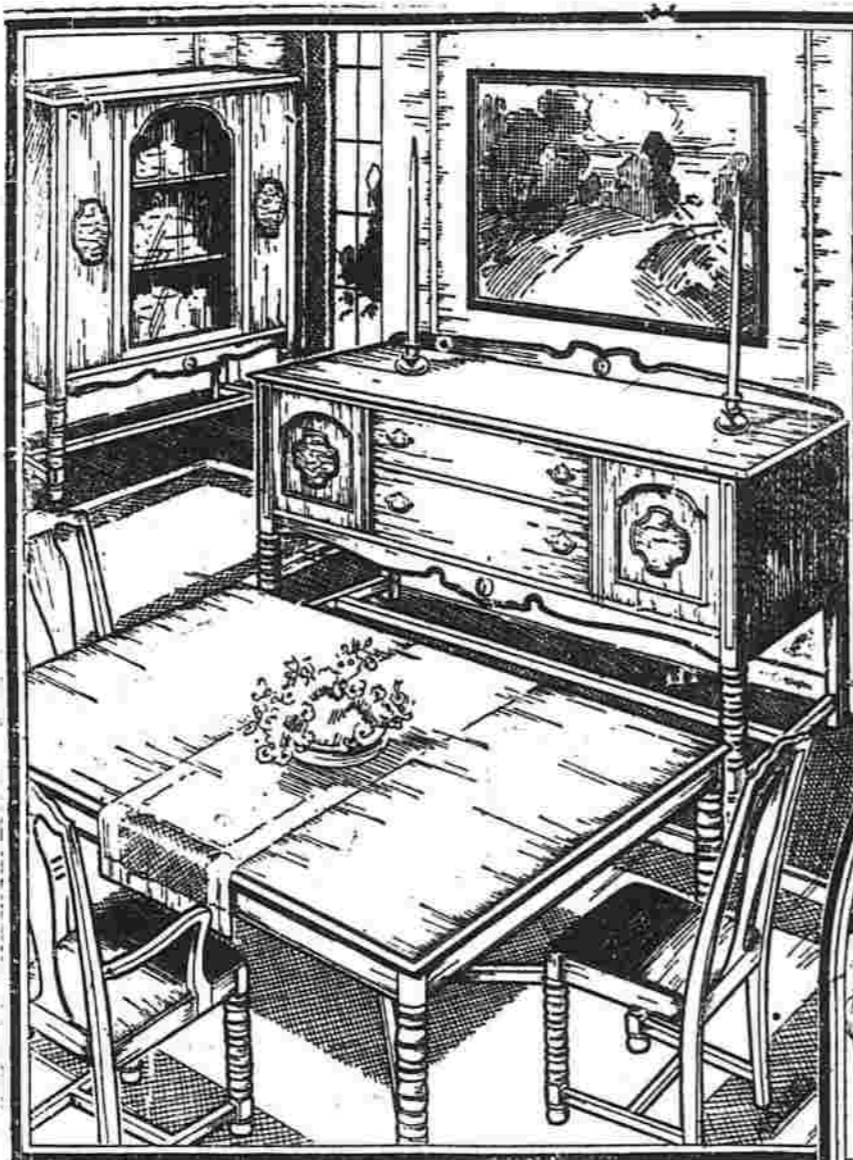
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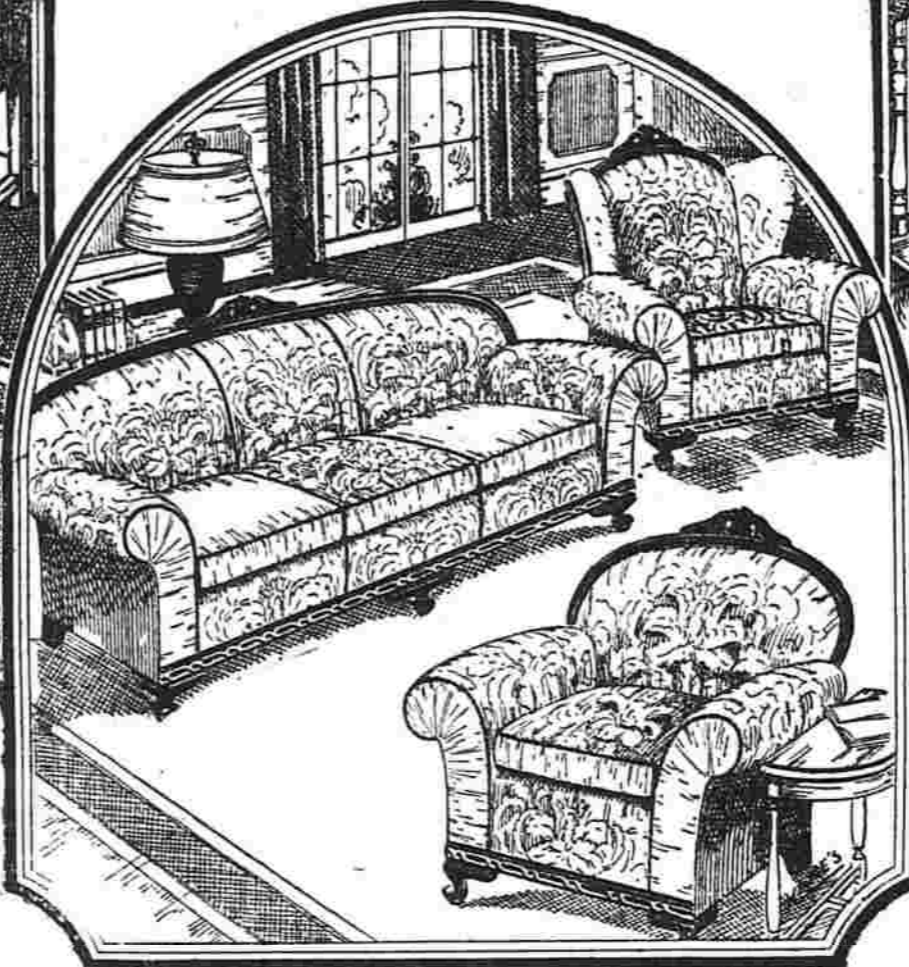
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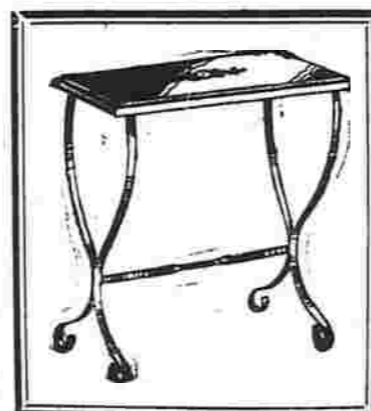
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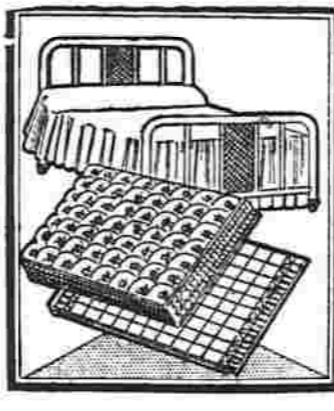
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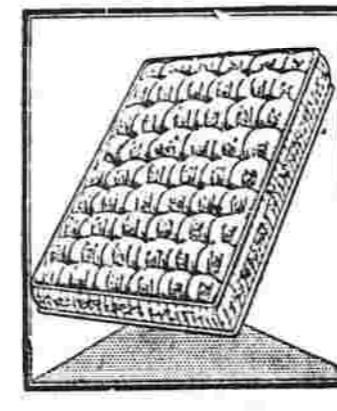
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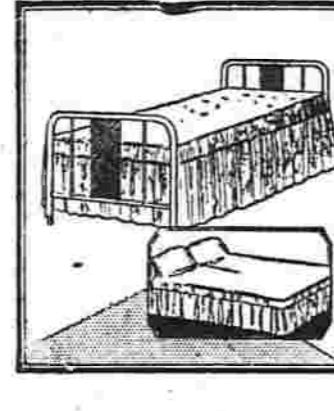
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# Aetna Proves It Richly Deserves State Championship

## Cubs Cut Masons' Lead To 4 Points, Rolling Scores Totaling 1607

Beat Cloverleaves Badly; Highland Park Out of Cellar; Center Church Slows Masons.

### LEAGUE STANDING

Team	W.	L.	P.
Masons	32	15	53
Cubs	39	18	54
W. S. Rec	36	21	49
K. of C.	33	24	45
Cloverleaves	33	24	42
Bon Ami	32	25	42
Center Church	30	27	41
Brit. Amer.	19	38	32
Beethovens	25	32	30
Highland Park	18	39	23
St. Bridget's	16	32	21
K. of P.	18	39	21

The Cubs gained a point on the Masons and Highland Park pulled up out of last place in the Herald bowling league last night. The Masons now lead by four points above last place which is held jointly by the Knights of Pythias and St. Bridget's.

In gaining a point, the Cubs rolled what is believed to be the highest team score of the league to date. The scores of 525, 537 and 545 totaled 1,607 and naturally trimmed the Cloverleaves all four points. Ernie Wilkie was high with 130, 103 and 132. The Cloverleaves hit 525 in the second game but it availed them nothing except to boost their individual averages. The Cubs meet the Masons the final night and if they should happen to duplicate the league standing and making a playoff necessary are very good. However, either one may falter before that time.

The Knights of Columbus jumped back into fourth place by winning four from the Beethovens while the Cloverleaves were losing everything. The Center church, although losing three points and dropping back to seventh place, had the distinction of reducing the Masons' lead. The Masons won the first and last games by wide margins but lost the second the same way. Sam McAdams had a good night. The Bon Ami passed the Center church by beating the Knights of Pythias all four points. The scores had not been turned in at this writing. The West Side Rec won four from the St. Bridget's hitting well over 500 twice.

By breaking even with the British-Americans the Highland Park team pulled up out of the triple tie for last place. The boys from the hilltop won the first and last games but lost the second by enough points to lose the total pinfall point.



Irving Jaffee, the American won the 10,000-meter Olympic skating championship at St. Moritz, Switzerland, making the best time. Then the ice got soft and all the gentlemen entered couldn't do their stuff. The race was called off.

We knew the ice melted sometimes even in Switzerland, but this is the first time we heard of American officials getting soft.

For the summer Olympic games, it would be a fine idea to take over one or two athletic and GSO diplomas.

Maybe America won't win the pole vault, either. After Sabiu Carr vaults 14 feet, the air may get too foggy for those European gymnasts.

Any boy in America can try to make the Olympic team. Then, after he makes it, let him TRY to win.

Not much use trying to cop the penmanship, decathlon or what have you. After running a mile in 1:36, the Yank athletes will find that it doesn't count because he mangled the tracks all up.

WE HAVE EXCELLENT WEIGHT MEN, BUT THEY WON'T STAND MUCH CHANGE IN AMSTERDAM THIS SUMMER. AFTER ONE OF THE YANKEE ATHLETES TOSSES THE 56 POUNDS OF IRON THROUGH A DYKE OR WINDMILL OR UP INTO MABEL'S ROOM, THE OFFICIALS WILL DECIDE THAT THE EVENT WAS UNCONSTITUTIONAL — IT WAS ALL SHOT.

What the Olympic committee from this country needs is a few officials who can heave the hammer themselves.

### The Scores

MASON'S (8)		
Stevenson	100	82 87
Wickham	94	96 107
McAdams	111	105 107
Cole	110	96 81
Murphy	95	104 104
Totals	510	483 486

CENTER CHURCH (11)		
Nelson	88	100 89
Hayes	83	98 90
Haugh	84	92 104
Thomson	107	103 95
Thomson	93	113 84
Totals	463	510 462

CUBS (4)		
Suhie	103	126 107
Sad	95	108 104
Nelson	106	85 89
Anderson	117	113 113
Wilkie	130	103 132
Totals	525	537 545

CLOVERLEAVES (6)		
McLagan	94	94 76
Lippincott	81	96 79
Kaminsky	96	120 82
Conran	96	94 115
Brennan	101	121 94
Totals	468	525 446

BRITISH AMERICANS (2)		
Fleming	92	96
Kane	95	95
Stevenson	89	99 78
Taggart	90	87 99
Chappell	97	102 105
Wilson	109	115 103
Totals	480	495 481

HIGHLAND PARK (2)		
Donnelly	107	85 97
Todd	90	94 99
Anderson	105	97 96
Hussey	89	101 94
Nichols	90	89 103
Totals	481	466 489

WEST SIDE REC (4)		
Schubert	105	95 103
Bidwell	87	84 118
Metcalfe	84	123 104
Metcalfe	88	99 95
Canade	110	118 102
Totals	474	519 522

ST. BRIDGET'S (6)		
Katavak	98	102 102
Varrick	84	96 108
Charlier	89	102 92
La Chapelle	91	111 82
Webert	107	98 82
Totals	469	509 466

BON AMI (4)		
Smith	80	110 83
Brainard	89	93 88
Allen	82	95 102
Brennan	102	95 107
Brozowski	119	117 107
Davidson	79	—
Totals	472	484 479

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS (6)		
H. Magnuson	94	85 93
Alley	81	101 89
Derrick	88	106 91
A. Magnuson	93	90 89
Dummy	80	79 82
Totals	436	461 444

BEETHOVEN		
C. Gustafson	89	86 82
H. Bolin	100	82 82
H. Gustafson	99	82 82
C. Hanson	101	100 112
E. Johnson	82	83 97
Dummy	82	—
Totals	471	434 466

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS		
Leary	105	100 90
Sheridan	99	99 90
Reggatt	94	81 105
Taylor	82	94 95
Cervini	116	96 126
Totals	487	470 506

## Night Hawks Roll Mighty Big Scores

Murphy's Night Hawks and Art's Five from New Britain will meet tonight in a five-man bowling match at Murphy's alleys. The teams met the other night and Manchester won 1,659 to 1,593.

MANCHESTER (1659)		
Saidella	92	91 106
Wilkie	91	114 147
Canade	125	108 108
Cole	108	121 107
Murphy	111	131 98
Totals	528	565 566

NEW BRITAIN (1600)		
Niski	99	86 103
Phillips	132	98 91
Schur	104	114 110
Jervolds	113	103 115
Peters	119	101 112
Totals	567	502 581

## 'Tis Ladies' Day

Pretty Wives of Athletics Stars Display Skill in Training Camp.



Not all the good ball players at Fort Myers, Fla., where the Athletics are training, are the men under contract to Connie Mack. Joe Hauser and Jack Quinn brought their good-looking wives along to camp and NEA Photographer Frank Merta on a recent visit caught them indulging in spring practice with all the finesse their husbands use. Mrs. Hauser is shown spearing a sizzler like her hubby, while Mrs. Quinn, inset, is winding up to whip over a fast one.



## DEATH CALLS LAVIGNE

The recent death of Kid Lavigne, who ruled as the world's lightweight champion from 1893 to 1899 and who was recognized as one of the greatest titleholders of the class, recalls an amusing story of how Lavigne came into possession of the championship belt.

After he had become recognized as the world's lightweight champion, McLaughlin became a bosom pal and companion of John L. Sullivan and the original Jack Dempsey. They made tours of the country billed as "The Three American Jacks," taking all comers. The extremists to which they had to go to dispose of some of the comers make great stories but are not pertinent to this yarn.

After Sullivan and Dempsey had been defeated, McLaughlin decided it was time for him to get out of the business. He had several narrow escapes from defeat and was shrewd enough to realize that he might capitalize his reputation if he retired before he had been beaten. So he announced his intention of resigning from the championship.

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## Reds Just A Ball Club, Expert Walsh's Opinion

Editor's Note: This is the tenth of a series of articles by Davis J. Walsh dealing with developments in the various Major League training camps. A final article of the series will follow.

By DAVIS J. WALSH  
Orlando, Fla., March 16.—You probably haven't heard the one about the legless runner being beaten to a standstill, because I just made it up all by myself. Well, the Cincinnati Reds have been standing pretty still in the matter of changes in an ageing personnel these several years but managerial optimism ever is rampant in the spring and so John Charles Hendricks informed me today, just before hauling off and going to Tampa with his Reds, that if the club looked any better it might begin to get scared of itself or something.

It made no particular difference that his outfield is not what it was, good infield on the right side; just fair on the left. And the infield substitutes are much the same. Wally Pipp again is available as utility first baseman but he hasn't long to go, I gather. Clark Pittenger, the ineptible substitute, again is ready for more.

John's Comments  
"You can bet all your pocket money that the Pirates won't be as good as they were, regardless of the trade for Adams," quoth John. "As for the Giants, they can't be as good after getting rid of Hornsby and Grimes. It's a cinch that Alldridge, even if he signs, won't win as many games as Grimes did. The Cubs hurt their infield by trading Adams and, from all I hear, the Cardinals are shot so you can't keep the Reds out of the pennant race with that kind of opposition."

And, if you naturally inquire, just why will the Reds be an improvement, Mr. Hendricks will be glad to enlighten you. It seems for instance, that last year Hughie Critz, star second baseman, held out so long that he never really got started. That Carl Mays was useless after June 1, owing to an operation; that Eppa Rixey injured his wrist and was out for 30 days, and that Horace Ford, shortstop, was unavailable in forty ball games. This latter, according to some versions might be regarded as quite a break.

Anyhow, Hendricks says that none of these incidents are due for a repetition, although he does admit that Pete Donohue is a hold-out and he does forget to mention that Peter had an unimpressive season in 1924.

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## Defeats Community Girls 19 To 9 In Great Battle

two points itself. Manchester made its only real bid for victory in the first three minutes of the third quarter.

During the first quarter, the local team had been unable to find itself with the result that the Aetna ran up a 7 to 1 lead in the first quarter. This advantage proved the main reason why the Aetna team was victorious. The remaining three periods were practically even. Halftime ends 9 to 2.

At the very start of the second half, Ethel Richmond threw the large crowd of Manchester fans into a cheering mood when she picked up a loose ball at midcourt and dribbled to the basket for a score. The crowd went wild with delight when one of Ann Scranton's long heaves dropped into the net without touching the rim. Miriam Welles chipped in a foul goal and the score stood 9 to 7.

It looked at this stage as if the Community Girls had found themselves and that anything was likely to happen, but the Hartford aggression steadied itself a bit. Two field goals and a foul by Doris Kraemer in succession gave the Aetna an eight point lead.

During the remainder of the game, Manchester fought gamely in hopes of overcoming the lead, but another rally was not forthcoming. Mary Drew and Catherine Connaughton, rival centers, were ejected from the game in the last few minutes on an overdose of personal fouls. Neither has been able to score. Both had chances but missed.

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# Rec Five Has Tough Job Ahead Of It Tonight

## BUNION DERBYISTS PLOUGHING THROUGH SNOW ON LONG TREK

Payne, Real Dark Horse, Is Challenging the Leaders; Newton Still Ahead By Over Seven Hours.

Seltzman, Ariz., March 16—Claremore, Okla., became permanently affixed on the world's map through the wisecracking of its favorite son, Will Rogers, and now another boy from that town, Andrew Payne, focuses attention there today. Payne, husky and 21, through consistent performance in the first twelve days of C. C. Pyle's coast-to-coast Union Derby and winning the Peach Springs-Seligman trek of 83.8 miles, today loomed as the real dark horse of the trans-continental event as the field of runners swept on 42 miles to Williams, perched up above sea level. Payne's time for the 42.7 miles from Los Angeles is 74:46:12. Arthur Newton, the Rhodanian rambler and leader in the race with a total time of 67:10:30, was loud in his tribute to Payne. He said: "I doubt if any will be able to head him off before he reaches New York." Newton's lead over Payne is seven hours 35 minutes 42 seconds, while Dr. Arne Soumain, Detroit medic, retains his hold on third place. Reports from Williams today said there was four inches or more of snow there. As a result, heavy woolen socks, fleecy trunks and shirts were the costume of the day. The Suez Canal is 103 miles in length; its average depth is 36 feet, and its greatest width 350 feet.

## KNOW YOUR SPORTS

Has any batter ever scored three men on a single in a world series game? Has anyone ever established a time for walking from one coast to the other? Has four hits and a base on balls been given one team in one inning without that team scoring a run? Is such a feat possible? Yes. Bob Meusel, with the Yankees in the 1923 classic, singled with the bases filled and all three scored. John Ennis walked from Coney Island in New York to San Francisco in May, 1910. He took 80 days and five hours to cover the 4,000 miles. He did not walk on Sundays. Not only possible, but it has happened. Brooklyn at Boston, in 1912, held the Braves scoreless in such a case. The first man up went out and the second batter singled, only to be caught off first. The next two men singled and the following batter walked, filling the bases. Houser then hit toward Daubert, and the man on first, in attempting to harass Dauber in fielding the ball, was struck by the ball and called out. Houser received credit for a hit on this play. When two parts of the famous Moffit tunnel met in the heart of the Continental Divide, they exactly fitted, so accurate were the calculations, although they started over six miles apart.

## Big Track Meet Tomorrow Night

More than 200 athletes—nationally known track stars among them—have filed entries for the first annual track meet at the Hartford State armory on the evening of St. Patrick's Day, tomorrow. This meet means the revival of track in Hartford, after a lapse of some years, and if it scores the success expected, will become an annual fixture on the sports calendar in the Capitol City. Among the famous track stars who will compete are Roland Locke of Nebraska, known as the "Fastest Human" now that Charles Faddock is losing some of his fleetness; Falt Elkins, noted Indian athlete and decathlon champion; Jackson Scholz, great New York C. C. sprinter, who won the 200 metres at the last Olympic games; Francis Hussey, noted sprinter; George Leness and Ed Swinburne, both national champions and the latter captain of the Georgetown relay team which set a world's record in 1925; Johnny Holden and Ed Milde, who is making a great name running in the colors of Worcester Tech. Several relays will mark the program. Fordham Yale and the great New York University relay team will run in one college relay and Wesleyan and Springfield College in another. In scholastic relays, Hartford High, Crosby of Waterbury and West of Springfield will compete while a prep school special will find Kingswood pitted against Loomis. Wesleyan, Yale, Fordham, Trinity, Agies, Springfield College, New York University, Worcester Tech are among the colleges who have entered relay teams or individual stars, or, in some cases, both. The medley sprints, 50, 60 and 70 yards, has a fine entry list with Scholz, Elkins, Locke and Hussey the outstanding entrants. And the 880-yard open handicap

## The NUT CRACKER by JOE WILLIAMS

Gene Tunney has bought a \$35,000 home in the east. Professional! A CALIFORNIA COACH ADVANCES A NEW BASEBALL PLAN WHEREBY RIGHT-HANDED BATTLERS WOULD RUN TO THIRD, INSTEAD OF TO FIRST, THUS OFFSETTING THE ADVANTAGE LEFT-HANDED BATTERS HAVE. IT SEEMS THE FOOTBALL RULES HAVE BEEN CHANGED ALL THEY CAN STAND, AND A LITTLE MORE, AND NOW THE GAME OF BASEBALL OUGHT TO BE REVISED. It would be a fine rule though, and should be applied in football, too. Let the man carrying the ball make for the nearest goal. Man Mountain Mann has been working with the Princeton eleven. Tunney will lecture on Shakespeare at Yale. We suggest Harvard hire Scarface Al Capone. O'Goody has lost all inspiration. He had no reply for us today when we informed him that one of the Giants' pitching recruits was named Boney. A dry convention was held next door to the Yankees' Florida training quarters, and the dry songs woke up the players early every morning. Besides, there will be plenty of dry talk by Mr. Miller Huggins. race will see a great field getting the starter's gun. Among the stars in this race are Ed Swinburne national champion in 1927 George Leness and Johnny Holden. The armory will be gayly decorated for the event and Tassilo's Band will give a concert before the meet and selections between events.

## Newsy Notes From The Training Camps

St. Petersburg, Fla., March 16.—Waite Hoyt is no longer a hold-out. The star pitcher of the world's champion Yankees has signed a two-year contract at a reported salary of \$16,500 per season. The Yanks played like sand-lotters in losing to the Braves again yesterday, 6 to 0, making seven errors and running the bases like wooden men. They will take on the St. Louis Cardinals today. Augusta, Ga., March 16.—The New York Giants began a five-game series with the Athletics today. Manager McGraw, whose instep was injured by a batted ball, has been ordered to take a ten-day rest and will be unable to go to Florida with the team next week. The Giants swamped the Georgia University nine yesterday, 11 to 1. Clearwater, Fla., March 16.—Smartering under a three to two defeat inflicted by the Washington Senators, the Brooklyn Robins journeyed to Bradenton, Fla., today to cross bats with the Boston Red Sox. Sailer's three doubles beat the Robins yesterday. Los Angeles, March 16.—The Cubs were back in Los Angeles today for their week-end exercise against the Angels of the Coast League. Exhibition games are scheduled here today and tomorrow. Yesterday, at Santa Ana, the Braves fought the Athletics. Ernie Johnson's Portland club, 6 to 3. Fort Worth, Texas, March 16.—The Chicago White Sox were here today to open a three-game stand against Jackie Atz's Fort Worth Cats. Ted Lyons is slated to get the open shot at the Cats. Winter Haven, Fla., March 16.—The Phillies tackle the Baltimore team of the International League here today. Yesterday Bert Chotton's squad lost the first game of the spring series to the St. Louis Browns by a score of nine to five. Augusta, Ga., March 16.—The Athletics will arrive here today for a series of games with the Giants but may lose Al Simmons for a few days. Simmons has been complaining of severe pains in his side and back. Tampa, Fla., March 16.—After downing the Dodgers yesterday, three to two, the Senators were to take on the Reds today in another exhibition game. "Red" Barrage, the "Nationals" young outfielder from the University of Alabama, delivered the winning clout against the Dodgers.

## Rookie Hurler Will Not Train Away From Wife

Council Bluffs, Ia., March 16.—Harold MacKain, 19-year-old rookie hurler with the Cleveland Indians, won't train at New Orleans unless he is permitted to have his wife in the Crescent City with him. It's an unusual sort of holdout, but such it is. Cleveland officials are steadfast in their decision—no wives at spring training camp. At the time MacKain reported, he said Mrs. MacKain was to join him in a few days. Secretary Walter McNichols said nothing doing. MacKain insisted. He threatened to leave. McNichols was not to be moved. So the rookie hurler packed his bags, left the camp, and returned to his wife. "I'm wild about baseball, but I'm not going back to training camp without the wife," said MacKain. He is only 19 years old and last year won 20 out of 28 games in the Mississippi Valley League. They have been married only a few months. Perhaps MacKain will relent in his determination, as he is one of the best pitching prospects unearthed in the provinces last summer. Perhaps Cleveland, will, as they need all the good players they can get. But until one does—well, the couple are continuing their honeymoon here now. Paso Robles, Calif., March 16.—The Pittsburgh Pirates today went to Monterey to play their first exhibition game of the spring training series against the San Francisco Seals. The squad was reported in excellent fettle.

## Colored Giants To Draw Record Growds To Rec

Rec Five Not Expected to Win But Should Furnish Good Opposition; Visitors Have Won 43 Out of 53.

All the roads lead to the School Street Rec tonight where the Rec Five meets the Philadelphia Colored Giants in what promises to be one of the most colorful basketball encounters of the fast fading season. The game will start at 8:45. Herb Smith will be the referee and he will also work in the preliminary game between the Rec Five and the Stanley Rule and Level team of New Britain starting at 7:45. The Quaker City team is the biggest attraction of its kind that has struck Manchester in many years and the expectations are that the largest crowd of the season will be present. The Giants have won something like 43 out of 53 games and are counting on Manchester as another victim. The Rec Five of course is not expected to win but it should be able to offer the visitors stubborn opposition. Bill Yancey's Giants have broken even with Plainfield this season and according to the local members of the Plainfield team, have a very strong combination; one that is not very easy to bet, or even

### FOXY PHANN

Joe Shaute may be a good tenor, but Cleveland will try him out at first base



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come close to when it is going right. Manchester will start with its strongest team and so will the Giants. Those who expect seats should come early. Benjamin Franklin was one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence for the State of Pennsylvania.

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## KNOCKOUTS GALORE IN AMATEUR BOUTS

Seven of Them Last Night; Sanborn Beats Howard; Cilento a Winner. Seven knockouts and a series of slugging matches, kept the boxing fans on their feet throughout the showing of the card at Foot Guard hall, Hartford last night. It was as good a bill as the Mass. club has put on in months. The only thing that might be criticized is that the down state battlers were no match for the Holyoke and Springfield entries; hence the knockouts. Joe Cilento and Brownie Tucker, a colored lad, were the stars of the evening with Cilento winning the fight when in a knockdown the colored boy's head hit the floor and put him out. In the main bout Ray Sanborn got the decision over Joe Howard, newspapermen were of the opinion that Howard won easily. The judges evidently were swayed by a rally in the last few seconds made by Sanborn. Previous to that, Howard had all the better of the exchanges. Following are the results of the bouts: 135 pound class: Gerald Emard, Holyoke, won the decision over Ray Taylor, Hartford; 150 pound class: Frank Nichols, Windsor Locks, knocked out Oscar Knight, Hartford, in the second round; 165 pound class: Jack Kelly, Windsor Locks, won the decision over Gene Jones, Hartford; 180 pound class: Joe Truex, Holyoke, knocked out Jack O'Dowd, Terryville, in the second round; 190 pound class: Joe Cilento, Hartford, knocked out Brownie Tucker, Hartford, in the second round. Heavyweight class: Vic Carlson, Terryville, knocked out Al Stearns, Bridgeport, in the first round; 150 pound class: Bill Lieberman, Springfield, won on a technical knockout in the first round over Frank Dorso, Bridgeport; 138 pound class: Frank Colombo, Windsor Locks, won the decision over Sammy Kraft, Bridgeport; 170 pound class: Lou Carmel, Holyoke, knocked out Charlie Jackson, Hartford, in the second round; heavyweight class: Lou Sherman, Bridgeport, knocked out Joe Taggart, Hartford, in the first round; 165 pound class: Ray Sanborn, Hartford, won the decision over Joe Howard, Hartford.



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ANNE AUSTIN AUTHOR OF "SAINT AND SINNER"

**THIS HAS HAPPENED**  
SALLY FORD, 16, lives in the state orphanage, the only home Sally has known since she was found. It is rumored that the matron, Mrs. Stone, has secretly fostered several proposed adoptions of Sally, wanting to keep her there where her understanding and sympathy with the small children make her a valuable helper.



Clem Carson's big-knuckled hands fastened on her arm.

**NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY**  
**CHAPTER II**  
WHEN Sally Ford opened the door of the office of the orphan asylum, radiance was wiped in stantly from her delicate face, as if she had been stricken with sudden illness.

"Sally!" Mrs. Stone, seated at the big roll-top desk, called sharply. "Say 'How do you do?' to the gentleman. . . . The girls are taught the finest of manners here, Mr. Carson, but they are always a little shy with strangers."

me, nagging me for money for her money. But you know how girls are, mum. Now, seeing as how my wife's near crazy with work, what with the field hands to feed and all, and my daughter laid up with a cold, I'd like to take this girl here along with me. You know me, mum. Reckon I don't have to wait to be investigated no more."

"Yes, mum, that's the girl, all right. Seen her when I was here last June. Wouldn't let me have her then, mum, you may recollect."

these years, unquenchable, even under the sou-stifling, damp blanket of charity. She knew dimly that it was pride—a fierce, arrogant pride, that told her that Sally Ford, by birth, was entitled to the best that life had to offer.

from the farm, only to be caught by the police and sent to the reformatory, the particular hell with which every orphan was threatened if she dared disobey even a minor rule of the Home. Delicate, sweet little Ruby in the reformatory—that evil place where "incorrigibles" poisoned the minds of good girls like Ruby Presser, made criminals of them, too.

Sally, remembering, as she covered against the door of the orphanage office, was suddenly fiercely glad that Ruby had thrown herself from a fifth-floor window of the reformatory. Ruby, dead, was safe now from queer, warped, ugly girls who whispered terrible things as they huddled on the cofts of their cells.

"Oh, Sally, dear, what is the matter?" A soft, sighing voice broke in on Sally's grief and fear, a bony hand was laid comfortingly on Sally's dark head.

"Miss Pond," Sally pleaded, "won't you please, please tell me something about myself before I go away? I know you're not allowed to, but oh, Miss Pond, please! It's so cruel not to know anything, please, Miss Pond! You've always been so sweet to me."

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## EXPENSIVE SCENERY IN "JAZZ SINGER"

### Jolson's Effort, at State on Sunday, Costs Lots of Money

The most expensive scene ever filmed for a motion picture is one in Warner Bros. production showing Al Jolson in "The Jazz Singer," which comes on Sunday to the State theater. No one on seeing this particular scene, however, would suspect that any extraordinary cost was attached to it.

## NAZARENE EVANGELIST HOLDS REVIVAL HERE

### Revival services at the Church of the Nazarene this week have been well attended and interest has been manifested in the meetings.

Revival services at the Church of the Nazarene this week have been well attended and interest has been manifested in the meetings. Rev. George B. Kulp of Battle Creek, Michigan, Nazarene evangelist who has conducted the services the last three evenings is a most remarkable and forceful speaker.

This is the first visit to the local church of this venerable evangelist and he has made a profound impression. There is not a dull moment from the time he begins his addresses until their close. The topic of his sermon tonight will be "The Second Death." The meeting will begin at 7:30. Mrs. Mabel Manning, visiting soloist and song leader will take part and there will be other special music.

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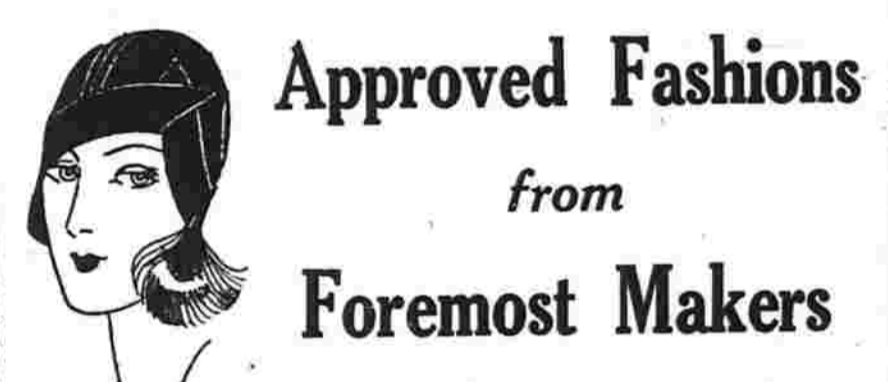
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## FALL PUTS OUT SHOULDER, HATTIN STAYS ON JOB

Don C. Hattin, foreman of the State Highway department repair gang in Manchester, suffered a dislocated shoulder yesterday in a fall on the Bolton road. He was standing beside one of the department trucks when he slipped and fell, his arm was wrenched and the bones of his shoulder dislocated. The dislocation was reduced and Mr. Hattin is able to go on with his work.



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## DOUBLE FEATURES AT THE RIALTO TONIGHT

Jane Novak and "Tex" Lyons Share Honors—"Silk Stockings" Here Sunday.

To complete a week of splendid entertainment the management of the Rialto theater is presenting a week-end program of exceptionally fine photoplay attractions. Two big features, a serial and a comedy will be shown, making it, without doubt one of the biggest and best bills ever offered to Rialto patrons.

The second feature again brings to you the daring prowess and clever person of Tex Lyons, the new western star, who will be seen in his new whirlwind Western, "Sheik of the Mohave."

## THRILLS AND MYSTERY ARE TO BE FOUND THROUGHOUT

An Our Gang Comedy, which always proves to be "exceedingly" funny, will round out the program.

## ANDOVER

William Jones of New York City is spending a two week's vacation with his mother, Mrs. Ellen E. Jones.

## FAIR WARNING

"My husband told me I was the eighth wonder of the world."

## WAPPING

The Pioneers of the Junior Y. M. C. A. basketball team defeated the Hartford Front street basketball team at the parish house, last Tuesday evening, the score being 22 to 17.

At the meeting of the Friendly Indians last Tuesday afternoon the following boys joined, Otis Hill, Edwin Hyson, Aleck Marowski and Waldo Hyson. Their meeting was held at the parish house at 8:30 o'clock.

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LADIES AID HOLDS ITS ANNUAL MEETING

North End Church Workers Transact Business and Enjoy Entertainment.

Thursday afternoon the North Methodist Ladies Aid society held its annual business meeting...

The officers elected were Mrs. Cyrus Tyler, vice president, Mrs. Thomas Smith, secretary and Mrs. W. E. Hibbard, treasurer.

After the business session a pleasing number was given by children from the Hollister street school...

GOT NO PAY

Boston, Mass., March 16.—Homer Loring accepted no compensation from the Boston & Maine railroad...

COLLEGIATE BOXING

Philadelphia, Pa., March 16.—The strong New York University team is expected to make the best showing at the annual intercollegiate boxing championships...

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Rev. and Mrs. Wain, Clayton Hunt, Mrs. Howard Rice and Harle Field went to Willimantic Monday evening to attend the meeting of the School of Religious Education.

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PLAN LARGE MERGER OF WATER COMPANIES

Greenwich, Conn., March 16.—A vast combination of water companies extending through much of Westchester county, New York, and to the Stamford town line in Connecticut, was announced here today by E. F. Putnam, president of the Greenwich Water & Gas Company.

The combination is effected by uniting the Greenwich corporation with the New Rochelle Water Company.

Communities to be served by the combination will be East Chester, Bronxville, Pelham Manor, North Pelham, Tuckahoe, Scarsdale, Ardsley, Dobbs Ferry, Hastings, Port Chester, Rye and New Rochelle, N. Y., and Greenwich.

The Greenwich Water & Gas Company, a holding concern, owns the Greenwich Water Co., the Port Chester and the Rye, New York, companies, besides gas companies in St. Albans, Springfield, Barre, and St. Johnsbury, Vermont, and operates gas companies in North Attleboro and Ware, Mass.

Mr. Putnam, in announcing the combination, said the purpose was to develop water supplies for "the finest suburban district in the world" and that plans for development have been worked out "for years ahead."

The combination, he said, would enable the development to be done at a lower cost than if separate concerns operated through the entire territory.

Reeves J. Newson is president of the New Rochelle Company. Operation of the entire system will be handled from Greenwich. P. W. Chapman, a Greenwich resident who is president of the P. W. Chapman & Company, New York brokers, is to handle the financing.

TO END LEPROSY IN DECADE NOW SCIENCE'S PLAN

London.—Leprosy is about to be conquered, and will be completely wiped out within the next decade. This prediction is made in the annual report of the British Empire Leprosy Relief Association, where the announcement is made that British scientists, after ten years' investigation, have found that hydnocarpus oil—the dried fruit of the hydnocarpus tree—is a "certain cure."

Stations for treatment will be opened almost immediately over all parts of the British Empire where leprosy exists. Throughout the world it is estimated there are 4,000,000 sufferers from the dreadful scourge, and 416,000 of these are situated in the districts where treatment work will immediately be started.

Encouraging Results "So encouraging have been the results since discovering the cure keep up the supply of the oil," Sir Leonard Rogers, secretary of the Association, told International News Service. "In the last three months, 100,000 doses have been sent out by the association, and we hope to increase the quantity this year to 250,000. We are supplying sixty medical men with the cure in Africa alone."

The approximate cost of manufacture, according to Sir Leonard Rogers, works out approximately 10 cents per person for a year's supply, but a new process for extracting the oil has been discovered which will reduce the cost to one-twentieth of that amount.

"It has been established beyond doubt," said Sir Leonard, "that nearly every case of leprosy can be cleared up from going on to the infective stage by proper treatment. In any country with good education and civilization we can reduce leprosy enormously within the next few years. In places like Africa, where leprosy is appalling, it will take longer."

Careful Examinations "Directly a new case is found in any country we examine everyone in the house every six months for five years. This enables to clear up 80 per cent of infective cases before they reach an acute stage. In ten years very few cases should remain."

FRENCH SENATE VETOS PLAN TO DRAFT WOMEN DURING TIME OF WAR Paris.—French women will not have to fight in the next war. The Senate has just voted No to the Army Reorganization Bill which was approved by the Chamber of Deputies, providing for the requisition in time of war, of women.

One Senator emphasized the fact that if France commandeered the services of women, any army invading France could do likewise. The Minister of War did not insist. The item was struck from the Bill.

But if they can't shoulder a gun, other opportunities are now to be seen in other fields. Posts in the Foreign Office are to be open to them in limited numbers and this is expected to lead to many diplomatic appointments.

IRISH HEIRS TO BLAKE MILLIONS ASK COURT AID

Dublin.—A sensational application is to be made to the High Courts of the Irish Free State in the near future for a rule that the government of the Free State shall apply to the British Treasury for the famous Blake millions to be handed over to the Irish courts for the claims to the huge fortune to be legally decided.

A romantic story lies behind the new move to settle the future of this tremendous fortune which, when left, was only three million pounds sterling, but has since grown to fifteen million pounds.

Nellie Sheridan, born in West Meath County, Ireland, was one of a large family. Her great beauty and charm as she grew up so appealed to a wealthy Scottish officer, a Captain Blake, residing in Ireland in the British Army, and who met her on many occasions, that he took an intimate interest in her welfare and sent her away to a high-class school for young ladies.

Fell In Love With Her From the first he was in love with this pretty colleen, and declared that when she was older and had finished her special training he would marry her. This he did.

About 1850 this officer died, leaving a valuable estate, which was eventually valued at £15,000,000. He left this estate to "his wife and her heirs and successors". But there were no children of the marriage, and Mrs. Blake died in 1875 intestate.

All Irish claimants, members of various branches of the family of Nellie Sheridan, have now combined to apply to the Irish Courts to have the custody of the millions transferred to the Free State Treasury under the bond of the government and for a rule that the questions of claims shall be decided by the Irish Courts.

300 Claimants Some 300 claimants are combined for this new move. In their appeal they declare they can prove that Captain Blake quarrelled with his own family over his marriage to the Irish girl and that he expressly stated in his will none of his relations should be allowed to claim any of his money. They argue from this that the only other possible heirs are his wife's relatives.

The matter is to be raised in the Dail as well as in the Irish Free State Law Courts at an early date.

WYOMING WOMAN IN COURT FIGHT AGAINST HUSBAND'S ODD WILL

Buffalo, Wyo.—Mrs. Helen Metcalf and her three children have filed suit in district court here to break the unusual will of her late husband, E. D. Metcalf, wealthy Wyoming pioneer.

When the will was filed for probate recently, it was revealed that Metcalf had left half of his \$300,000 fortune to the American Genealogy Association, providing an income of only \$2,500 annually for his widow. The will also named sums ranging from \$5,000 to \$10,000 to be paid each of his three children, at intervals until they reached the age of forty years.

Metcalf declared in the will that he did not want the money which he had accumulated during a lifetime of economy "spent in luxurious living."

For many years prior to his death Metcalf had taken a keen interest in children, genetics and eugenics. Because of fear for his own reproductive powers, he underwent an operation, at the age of 59, which for a time threatened his life.

In the brief filed in district court, Mrs. Metcalf contends that her husband was brought under "undue influence" by the American Genealogy Association, resulting in his unusual interest in children and in his making a will leaving the large sum to the association.

Under the Wyoming law, Mrs. Metcalf would automatically obtain one-half the estate. She is attempting to break it, however, to protect her children's interest.

JEWELRY STORE DUST NETS \$20,000 FORTUNE IN GOLD AND PLATINUM. Chicago, Ill.—A gold and platinum "mine" in the heart of the Chicago loop has been discovered, it became known here and will yield between \$18,000 and \$20,000 to its finder, William F. Juergens, Sr.

Juergens and Anderson company, manufacturing jewelers, moved from an office building on north State street, to the Pittsfield building.

Before they moved, the jewelers tore up the wooden floor which they had installed years before in their old quarters. Under the old floor they found a thirty year accumulation of gold and platinum dust.

The precious metals were moved with the dust and dirt that had gathered beneath the floor. Juergens and Anderson gathered up the dust in the "mine" and sent it to be refined and reclaimed.

The Little Bear revolves around the Pole Star.

SULTAN OF NIJAZ, 65 DEFIES SOVIET POWER; NOW HAS 30 WIVES

Samarkand, Turkestan.—The 65-year-old "Sultan" of Nijaz, who claims to have inherited the right to rule a province of Turkestan from ancestors whom Genghis Khan, the Mogol war lord, put in power more than 700 years ago, has bought himself a beautiful 17-year-old girl wife as an addition to his harem which is said to number 30 women. He paid her father, a poor shepherd, 1,500 rubles (\$750).

The "Sultan" has successfully defied all Soviet laws against polygamy, partly on technicalities and partly because the vast majority of the inhabitants of his "kingdom" are Mohammedans. His trump card has been the motto, "You can't put whole populations in jail."

And the Soviet reaction to their customs and manners can't be regulated by law, has contented itself with letting him alone. He holds his throne only in name and exercises no executive powers whatsoever.

On the heels of the "Sultan's" ceremonious marriage came the news that Shainov, a shepherd living in an adjacent village, had abducted his sister from her husband and sold her to the son of a wealthy merchant for 150 rubles and two yards of cotton cloth.

A Mohammedan priest performed the forced marriage and received 50 rubles for his services in "nullifying" the sister's Soviet marriage to the man she loved and uniting her with a Mohammedan whom she had never met.

In this case also the Turkestan Soviet took no action. It is probable, however, that since report of

both cases reached Moscow, the Central Executive committee will order an investigation.

30 BRUNETTES DIE IN RIGA ASSASSIN'S EXTERMINATION PLAN

Riga.—Police here recently arrested a Russian assassin who prefers brunettes and acknowledges that he was determined to exterminate all dark women. Men had nothing to fear from him.

"I killed her because she was a brunette," he declared when caught with his last victim. "My end and aim in life is to get rid of all women unlucky enough to have been born with a dusky tint. I plunged my knife into this woman's heart and when she awoke and cried out, I stuck it in again. She wasn't dead then so I strangled her."

"Just then someone knocked at the door, so I kissed my victim, saying, 'All is finished, my darling, it's all over now, then I announced through the keyhole that I was having a little dispute with my sweetheart.'"

The assassin refused to reveal his identity, merely stating that he had killed at least thirty women, all of them brunettes.

MACHINE GUN BANDIT

New York, March 16.—Chicago hold-up methods were borrowed by two New York gunmen today when they held up the office of Peter Clark, manufacturer of stage equipment, with a portable machine gun and revolvers, and escaped with a \$4,400 payroll delivered 15 minutes earlier by an armored truck.

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BAKERY NEWS Mocha Layer Cakes, each 35c Coconut Cream Pies, each 35c Apple Pies, each 30c Coffee Nut Rolls, Pecan Rolls, Raised Doughnuts, Home Made Salads and Baked Chickens.

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GROCERY SPECIALS Fancy Assorted cookies, reg. 35c, special 27c lb. Milkem Fig Newtons, special 25c lb. Maxwell House Coffee 48c lb. Cloverleaf Pineapple, sliced 23c can 6 cans Spic and Span Cleanser 25c 6 cans Kirkman's Cleanser 25c Wedgewood, Cloverbloom, Brookfield Butter, Your choice 53c lb. 2 lbs. Pure Lard 25c Our Boy Tender Sweet Peas 21c can

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## REBEKAHS GIVE BIG BENEFIT ON MONDAY

Sunset Rebekah Lodge, as is its custom each year at this time, is to give an entertainment for the benefit of the Odd Fellow's infirmary at Groton. Committees appointed for the coming program to be given Monday evening in Odd Fellows hall promises a variety of numbers as the following list would indicate:

Solo ..... Mrs. Arthur Jobert.  
Accompanist, Miss Helen Crawford.  
Dance, Edith Taggart, Bernice Taggart, Helen Adamson.  
Accompanist, Miss Mary McLean.  
Reading "Her First Marketing", Miss Clarissa Wood.  
Dance ..... Miss Robinson.  
Accompanist, Mrs. Steehr.  
Reading ..... William Davis.  
Play: "Henry Where Are You?"  
Uncle Henry, Ward Kerr.  
Mrs. Maria Pratt, his sister, Lilian Reardon.  
Frances Fenton, his niece, Dorothy Norris.  
Mary Moore, his niece, Dorothy Russell.  
Anne Moberly, his niece, Helen Crawford.  
Mrs. Lepage, widow, Agatha Wright.  
Maid, Evaline Pentland.  
Director, Mrs. Ethel Davis.  
Reading ..... Arthur Davis.

## SIX TIED IN HANDICAP TO SHOOT OFF TRAP TIE

Six men who tied last week for first place in the Manchester Rod and Gun club shoot at the Rainbow range will "shoot it out" at the traps tomorrow afternoon and the first prize will be awarded.

Most of the men had handicaps, all different, but the total scores and the handicaps showed that they were even. Two former winners of the shoot, R. O. Cheney, Jr., and Ray Barrett, both tied for first place, will not take part in the shoot tomorrow. Each has won the prize twice.

## "STEEPLE TOM" HERE ON HIS ANNUAL VISIT

Fitzpatrick Will Furbish Up Some High Spots, Then Go to Boston Job.

"Steeple Tom," otherwise known as Tom Fitzpatrick, has arrived in Manchester again to do some work on the churches and flagpoles here, and is the only steeplejack who makes this town one of his regular stops.

In past years he has worked on several of the local flagpoles in the parks and at the schools and has also done work on the steeples of some of the Manchester churches.

When he leaves Manchester he will go to Boston to repair the steeple of the famous Park Street Congregational church opposite Boston Common.

## REV. MR. COOPER TO SAY FAREWELL ON MARCH 25

Good-by Address of South M. E. Pastor to Be Delivered a Week From Sunday.

Because Rev. Joseph Cooper will make his farewell address to the South Methodist church and to Manchester in general on Sunday, March 25, the musical which is usually given in that church on the third Sunday in each month has been postponed until the last day of Mr. Cooper's pastorate here.

Officials of the church are planning for a capacity congregation on that evening. Archibald Sessions, choirmaster and organist, has arranged a varied program of ancient and modern church canticles, taking in the different periods of church music.

It is understood that the Manchester lodge of Masons will attend the service in a body. Rev. Cooper has been chaplain of the lodge for a number of years and will relinquish those duties in the lodge when he leaves Manchester for another church.

## NEW ENGLAND NEEDS GROWING INDUSTRIES

Head of Council Says New Companies Are Needed to Take Care of Workers.

Providence, R. I., March 16.—Urging that New England manufacturers increase their participation in new and growing industries so as to insure New England's capacity to provide employment for workers released from other industries, John S. Lawrence, president of the New England Council opened the tenth quarterly meeting of that body here today. New England needs further industrial diversification, stated Mr. Lawrence.

Commenting upon the development activities of New England railroad, E. L. Taylor, a council committee chairman and assistant to the vice-president of the New York, New Haven & Hartford, told the delegates that "in general, the industrial development activities of the roads are divided between attracting new industries to the territory served and assisting in the development of existing industrial shippers."

## FIREMEN TALK FIELD DAY

Both north end hose companies are enthusiastic over the proposition to hold a firemen's field day in Manchester this summer. At the meeting of Hose Co., No. 1 Monday night a committee was named to confer with all the other hose companies in town with this end in view. Last night at the meeting of Hose Co., No. 2, a committee was appointed to take the matter up. Last Monday night at the meeting of Hose Co., No. 2 at the Center a similar committee was named and much enthusiasm was demonstrated in favor of a field day. It is expected that all the south end firemen will discuss the matter at the meetings take place. The committee of No. 2, of the north end will include John F. Limerick, Harlow Willis and William McGonigal.

In all probability a meeting of the representatives of each of the fire companies in town will be called to formulate the plans for the big event.

## HOP-OFF FROM ICE

St. Albans, Vt., March 16.—After making a perfect take-off from the smooth ice of the bay here in the plane that Commander Richard E. Byrd will use on his trip to the Antarctic, Floyd Bennett today was heading for Miller Field, Staten Island, New York.

The plane left here shortly before ten o'clock with Bennett at the controls. In the cockpit with Bennett were his assistants, Balchen, Wetherly and Mulroy.

## YALE RECORDS QUAKE

New Haven, Conn., March 16.—Earthquake tremors so severe they knocked the seismograph recording needle off the paper in Peabody Museum, Yale University, were reported here today. The first tremors were recorded at one a. m., and others occurred at intervals for an hour. Because of the action of the needle no accurate estimate of the location of the quake could be made.

## BIRCH STREET MARKET

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### Specials for Saturday

Best Cut Round Steak ..... 35c lb.  
Best Cut Sirloin Steak, lb. .... 43c  
Shoulder Steak ..... 25c lb.  
Nice Lean Fresh Pork Roast ..... 20c lb.  
Nice Lean Fresh Shoulder ..... 17c lb.  
Nice Fresh Spareribs ..... 18c lb.  
Veal Cutlet ..... 45c lb.  
Veal Chops ..... 25c, 35c lb.  
Veal Stew ..... 18c lb.  
Nice Fresh Ground Hamburg ..... 25c lb.  
Nice Fresh Liver ..... 20c lb.  
Live Chickens ..... 35c lb.  
For roasting or fricasse.

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Lobster, Crabmeat and Finnan Haddie in glass.  
Caviar, Anchovy, Shrimp and Bloater Pastes.  
Russian Sardines, Pickled Herring, Boneless Dried Herring, Smoked Salmon  
Knorr's Soups and Bouillions, Clam Bouillon  
Swedish, Scotch and Holland Salt Herring  
Sandwich Spreads, Peanut Butter, Potato Chips  
Sauer Kraut, Pickled Pigs' Feet, Pickled Lamb's Tongue  
Pickles, Olives, Onions and Relishes

Large assortment of imported and domestic Cheese.  
Large assortment of imported and domestic Jams and Jellies.  
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## WHOLESALE RESCUES

Chelsea, Mass., March 16.—Firemen today rescued thirty children and eight men and women, trapped in a burning three-story house here. Firemen made short work of the fire.

## At C.H. Tryon's Sanitary Market

Tel 441 Tel 442  
FOR SATURDAY

Strictly Fresh Eggs, From Pomeroy Farm, 38c doz.  
Occident Flour, 1-8 bbl. sack, \$1.39.  
Pure Lard, 12 1-2c lb.  
3 lbs. Rice for 25c.  
Not-a-Seal Raisins, 9c package.  
5 Packages Scott Tissue Toilet Paper, 50c.  
Fancy Peas, 18c can.  
Steak Salmon, 25c.  
Crab Meat, 25c.  
1 lb. Box Codfish, 28c.  
Royal Scarlet Peaches, 21c can.  
Chase and Sanborn Coffee, 49c lb.  
Fancy Mixed Cookies, 18c lb.  
Dromedary Dates, 19c package.  
Table Raisins, 33c package.  
Large Ivory Soap, 11c.

## MEATS

Native Fowls, 5 lbs. each, 42c lb.  
Pork to Roast, 20c lb.  
Legs of Lamb, 38c lb.  
Rib Roast Beef, 35c lb.  
Pot Roast, 30c lb.  
Beef Liver, 25c lb.  
Home Made Sausage Meat, 25c lb.  
Daisy Hams, 43c lb.  
Honey Comb Tripe, 22c lb.  
Oysters, 40c pint.

## FRUIT

Bananas, 10c lb.  
Cal. Oranges, 69c doz.  
Grapefruit, 2 for 25c.  
Apples, Baldwin, 3 lbs. for 27c.  
Cranberries, 33c qt.

## VEGETABLES

Spinach, 22c lb.  
Iceberg Lettuce, 15c.  
Celery, 20c.  
New Carrots, 3 for 25c.  
New Cabbage, 8c lb.  
Rock Turnip, 3c lb.  
Parsnip, 4 lbs. for 25c.  
Parsley, 10c.  
Soup Lunch, 10c.  
Cauliflower, 20c each.  
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### WEEK END SPECIALS

NATIVE EGGS ..... 35c Dozen  
2 lbs. Lard ..... 25c | 3 cans Evaporated Milk 29c

### MEAT DEPARTMENT

Legs Lamb ..... 38c	Fresh Fowl ..... 42c
Roast Pork ..... 20c	Roast Veal ..... 35c
Lamb Stew ..... 15c	Sausage Meat ..... 29c
Ham Ends ..... 20c-25c	Bacon ..... 25c

Strip or half strip.

### GROCERY DEPARTMENT

Sauer Kraut, 4 lbs. .... 25c	Native Potatoes 49c peck
Large Cans Peaches .. 25c	1 lb. Crisco ..... 25c
Virginia Sweet Pancake	And Save-all pie plate.
Flour ..... 10c	Walnut Meats ..... 73c lb.

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"GOOD THINGS TO EAT"  
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Strictly Fresh Local Eggs  
39c doz.

Crisp Fresh Spinach  
23c peck

Cloverbloom Butter  
quarters 51c lb. 2 lbs. 99c

Strips of Sinclair Pork  
20c lb.

5 lbs. Rib End Pork Roast  
5 lbs. \$1.00

Meat Department  
We will have some dandy lean Shoulders of Lamb to bone and roll, any size you wish try a shoulder of lamb with baked brown potatoes and brown gravy.

Pinehurst  
Hamburg 25c lb.  
We will grind pork with it, if you wish.

Boneless Veal Roast is nice for a change.  
We have a good bacon at 27c lb. in the piece, or the same bacon sliced with the rind off at 29c.  
How about a couple of pounds of fresh Pinehurst Sausage Meat at 25c lb. The low price on pork makes sausage cost less, so it is a good time to buy it. This sausage meat will be ground from fresh pork to-night, and we guarantee it to give satisfaction.

POULTRY  
5 lb. Milk Fed Roasting Chickens  
3-4 lbs. Frying Chickens  
Tender Fowl for fricasse.  
Fresh Shoulders.  
Legs of Lamb. Pot Roasts  
Tender Rib Roasts

The fresh cut Shank ends of slicing hams that we will sell at 12 1/2c, 15c and 18c lb. tomorrow will be good values. One glass Shaker free with each one lb. can of Toddy. 1/4 lb. can of Beechnut Coffee free with each one lb. purchase.  
10 lbs. of Granulated Sugar 63c.

Pinehurst Round Ground ..... 45c lb.  
Fresh Oysters and Fresh Fillets of Cod and Haddock.

Fresh Green Peas will be 19c qt., 3 qts. 50c. and they are tender young peas too.  
How would you like two or three bunches of fresh Beets, 3 bunches 29c.  
Spinach is low at 23c peck and the quality is excellent.  
Pure Lard, 2 lbs. 25c  
Try a few Temple Oranges. We will have good medium Tangerines and some thin skinned Indian River Marsh Seedless Grapefruit.

New Maid Bread  
..... 8c loaf  
Honey Butter...it sells for 28c and 45c.  
I guess my little boy isn't the only child that likes this tasty Honey Butter. For again last week we had to write Mr. Latham in Norwichtown and ask him to rush in another shipment as our stock was completely sold. We also have Comb Honey and Strained honey.  
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## HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Next Tuesday evening at the meeting of the H-Y a discussion will be held on the subject "are athletics helpful to life." The discussion will be led by Wesley Waranoek and Leslie Buckland. Members are invited to bring anyone who would be interested in the subject.

Tomorrow in Bridgeport will be held the annual commercial contest. The bookkeeping representatives will be under the supervision of Mr. Lee of the faculty and consist of in the elementary department, N. Bogzini, J. Johnston, R. Miller, F. Strickland and B. Lauffer; in the senior department, P. Miller, R. Warren, F. Kreski, W. Harrison. The shorthand representatives, who will be under the supervision of Miss Nuzum are Anna Downing, Elizabeth Dzaidus and Edith Johnson.

Today marked the end of the fourth marking period. Inasmuch as pupils will soon have to be deciding their course of study for next year, outlines of the different courses were given out to the pupils of the three lower classes yesterday and their use in filling out the elective cards was explained by Principal Quimby.

The freshman social hour was held this afternoon. There was entertainment and dancing, the music being furnished by Helm's Serenaders.

Because of the date conflicting with the Yale tournament it may be deemed necessary to indefinitely postpone the year hop. In any event the tickets that have been issued will be redeemable whether the event is set ahead or not.

Yesterday at the assembly Bill Dowd and Nino Bogzini both talked of the coming Yale tournament. Dowd showed that past records mean nothing in a tournament and he said that the team was confident that it would bring home the bacon. Nino told the pupils that this year Manchester had locker number 76 instead of 13, as last year, when the number of points scored by Bristol and Manchester coincided with the number of their locker.

Another Royal Bridge in the series under the auspices of Chapman Court. Order of Amaranth, was given last evening at the home of Mrs. Albert Todd of Autumn street. This was one of the parties at which the Queens entertained the Jacks. Mrs. Todd was assisted in making the arrangements by Mrs. Marjory Richmond Morrison and Mrs. James Nichols. The prize winners were Miss Elva McCormick and Mrs. Frank Spencer. Recently at Mrs. Lucius Foster's on Academy street a Queen-Jack party in the Royal Bridge series was held.

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 GOLD DUST 1ge pkg 23c

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**Kraft Cheese PIMENTO 41c** AMERICAN **39c** LB

**PANCAKE FLOURS SYRUPS**  
 AUNT JEMIMA pkg 14c SULTANA 1ge jug 25c  
 PILLSBURY'S pkg 13c VERMONT MAID jug 23c  
 VIRGINIA SWEET 2 pkgs 25c A & P MAPLE jug 27c

ENCORE. The Queen of Salad Dressings!  
**Mayonnaise 3 1/2 OZ 9c** 8 1/2 OZ **22c** JAR

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- Shoulder of Lamb ..... 28c
- Breast of Lamb ..... 25c
- Veal Cutlet ..... 50c
- Veal Chops ..... 35c
- Fresh Shoulders ..... 18c
- Roasting Pork ..... 19-22c
- Smoked Shoulders ..... 16c
- Fresh Ham, half or whole, lb. .... 28c
- Sausage Meat, lb. .... 25c
- Sirloin Steak ..... 45c

### GROCERIES

- Campbell Beans, 2 cans. .... 15c
- Sunrise Peas, reg. 18c, 6 cans ..... 94c
- Can Peaches ..... 23c
- Toilet Tissue, 3 for ..... 25c
- Ivanhoe Salad Dressing, qts. .... 79c
- Palm Olive Soap, 4 cakes ..... 25c
- Beechnut Macaroni ..... 25c
- Spaghetti Noodles, 2 for ..... 25c
- Pure Lard, 2 lbs. .... 25c

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<p style="text-align: center;">FOR BREAKFAST TOMORROW! Hale's Famous Morning Luxury</p> <p><b>COFFEE lb. 41c</b></p> <p><small>It's better now than it ever was before. Roasted and blended especially for the Self-Serve Grocery.</small></p>	<p><b>CIGARETTES carton \$1.19</b></p> <p><small>(10 packages. Camels, Lucky Strike, Chesterfield and Old Gold.)</small></p>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Soap Specials</b></p> <p>RINSO, large pkg. .... 19c              LUX, large pkg. .... 21c              LUX TOILET SOAP, 3 bars ..... 19c              LIFEBOUY HEALTH SOAP, 3 bars ..... 17c              SEAFRESH FRESH FROSTED FISH in HANDY 1 LB. CARTONS.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Lenten Specials</b></p> <p>SALTED CODFISH, lb. .... 20c  <small>(This is absolutely boneless, very clean codfish.)</small>              REPUBLIC TUNA FISH ..... can 19c, 3 cans 55c              FANCY ALSAKA RED SALMON, tall can ..... 29c              SHRIMP ..... can 19c, 3 cans 55c</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;">Gold Medal and Pillsbury's</p> <p><b>FLOUR bag \$1.15</b></p> <p><small>The flour market has taken quite an advance recently. It looks as if flour might be considerably higher. It would be well to buy a supply now.</small></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">COOKIE DEPARTMENT 66 Varieties. S. B. C.</p> <p><b>MILKEENS lb. 36c</b></p> <p>Premium Flakes, 2 lb. box ..... 35c  <small>Almost like a saltine.</small></p>
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<p><b>Pure LARD 2 lbs. 25c</b></p> <p>Puritan Star and First Prize  <b>Sugar Cured BACON lb. 33c</b>  <small>(Strip or half strip.)                  Less than half strip, lb. .... 37c</small></p>	<p>Strictly Fresh  <b>Native EGGS dozen 35c</b></p> <p>Jack Frost Confectionery or Powdered  <b>SUGAR 2 pkgs. 15c</b></p>
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<p>Fresh Tender                  TELEPHONE PEAS, 2 qts. .... 27c</p> <p>Fancy Large                  CELERY, bunch ..... 15c</p>	<p>ICEBERG LETTUCE, large head ..... 8c</p> <p>Fresh Green                  TENDER GREEN SPINACH, peck ..... 18c</p>
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CALIFORNIA SUNKIST ORANGES ..... dozen 59c  
Large size.

Also a fresh supply of navel oranges, tangerines, eating pears, fresh coconuts, grapes, fancy eating apples, hot house and iceberg lettuce, fresh peas, fresh beets, string beans, mushrooms, onions, rock turnips, leeks, parsnips, parsley, soup bunches, French and Italian endive.

## HALE'S HEALTH MARKET

## Tender Cuts of Meat At Our Usual Saturday Savings

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>POULTRY</b></p> <p>Fresh Long Island Ducks, lb. .... 40c              Fresh Milk Fed Capons, lb. .... 54c  <small>(7 to 8 pounds)</small>              Large Roasting Chicken, lb. .... 43c  <small>(4 to 6 lbs.)</small>              Milk Fed Roasting Chicken, lb. .... 39c  <small>(8 to 3 1/2 pounds)</small>              Milk Fed Fowl to Fricassee, lb. .... 38c</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>PORK</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Tender Fresh  <b>ROAST PORK 18c lb.</b></p> <p>Sugar Cured Bacon, lb. .... 28c              Lean Fresh Pork Shoulders, lb. .... 16c              Fresh Spare Ribs, lb. .... 16c              Pure Pork Sausage Meat, lb. .... 17c              Fresh Link Sausages, lb. .... 26c              Small Lean Fresh Ham, lb. .... 25c              Imported Canadian Bacon, lb. .... 55c              Lean Daisy Ham, lb. .... 37c</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>BEEF</b></p> <p>Tender and Juicy Boneless Roast Beef, lb. .... 34c              Lean Tender Pot Roast, lb. .... 25c, 28c, 30c              Fresh Lean Ribs of Beef, lb. .... 14c              Fresh Beef Tongue, lb. .... 30c</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>LAMB</b></p> <p>Small Tender Legs of Lamb, lb. .... 38c  <small>(4 1/2 to 6 lbs.)</small>              Tender Lamb Roast, lb. .... 35c  <small>(boned and rolled)</small>              Lean Lamb Stew, lb. .... 15c</p>		
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>VEAL</b></p> <p>Boneless Veal Roast, lb. .... 35c              Lean Veal Stew, lb. .... 20c              Loin Veal Chops, lb. .... 36c</p>		

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Apartment—Flats—Tenements for Rent 63. FOR RENT—DESIRABLE tenement, six rooms, all improvements, garage, 26 Walker street, good location, rent reasonable. George Murdock, 30 Walker.

ABOUT TOWN. Albert Gibeau who has been spending ten days with his cousin, Clifford Charter of North Main street, has returned to his home in Bridgeport.

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Dr. William E. Smith of Waterbury was the guest yesterday of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Jessie May Smith of the Park building.

Index of Classifications. Evening Herald Want Ads are now grouped according to classifications below and for handy reference.

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GAS BUGGIES Explain Yourself. THE STRAIN OF KEEPING ONE EYE ON THE BAG WITH THE CROWN JEWELS, AND THE OTHER ON THE CHUMMY STRANGER, WHOM THEY SUSPECT OF DOING THE SAME THING, FINALLY TAKES ITS TOLL.

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THE BOOK OF KNOWLEDGE (238) Saving Land Sketches by Bessey; Synopsis by Braucher. Here is a view of the Arrowrock dam in Idaho, about 350 feet high, said to be the highest in the world.



FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



Divorce courts are where they play off matrimonial ties.

VETER GOLF

A great many times nowadays a HIKE ends up as a TOUR and that is exactly what today's puzzle does.

Word puzzle grid with the words 'HIKE' and 'TOUR' filled in.

1—The idea of letter golf is to change one word to another and do it in par, a given number of strokes.

Angry Wife: "What does this powder on your coat mean?"

SENSE and NONSENSE

One of the boys in the Aircraft factory was listening to the flying lessons being broadcasted over KOA.

Jones: "So you bought a radio set, hoping it would keep your children home in the evening?"

Only one dial to turn and no battery to lug down to the charging depot—radio is becoming too easy!

Strange, but the wireless won't work without wires.

One On the Radio "I can get anything on my radio that you can on your phonograph, and more, too."

Static is no respecter of personages.

Speaking Of Miracles It may be wrong to say it—To broadcast such complaints—But can't a "modern" preacher raise Cain among the saints?

First Girl—He claims to be one of the best dancers in the country.

One flapper was telling about the ducks her dad got while hunting.

Worried Telephone Subscriber: "My phone hasn't been working for a month and you've paid no attention to my complaint."

The Democrats will meet in Houston; and that's as good a place as any to spend the summer.

Before you invest, investigate.

A large per cent of the people are getting ready to co-operate in church work by attending the dinners and eating a dollar feed for 50c.

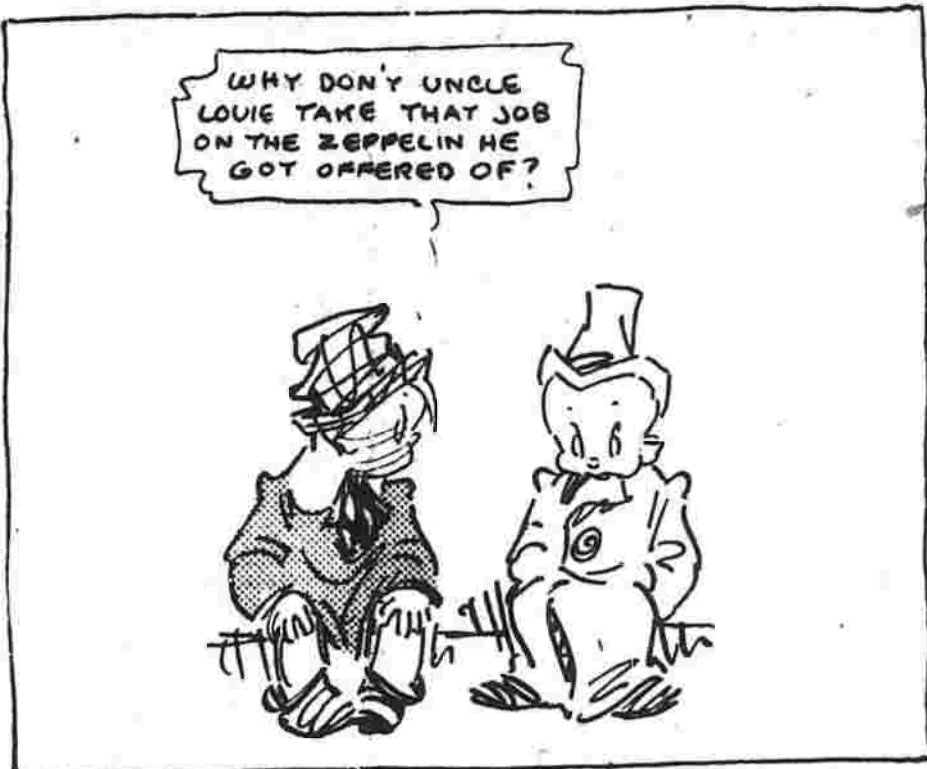
It's fine to be unselfish if you can keep quiet about it.

These may be the days of truth in advertising but an editor certainly finds it hard to believe that there are really such things as \$10 shirts.

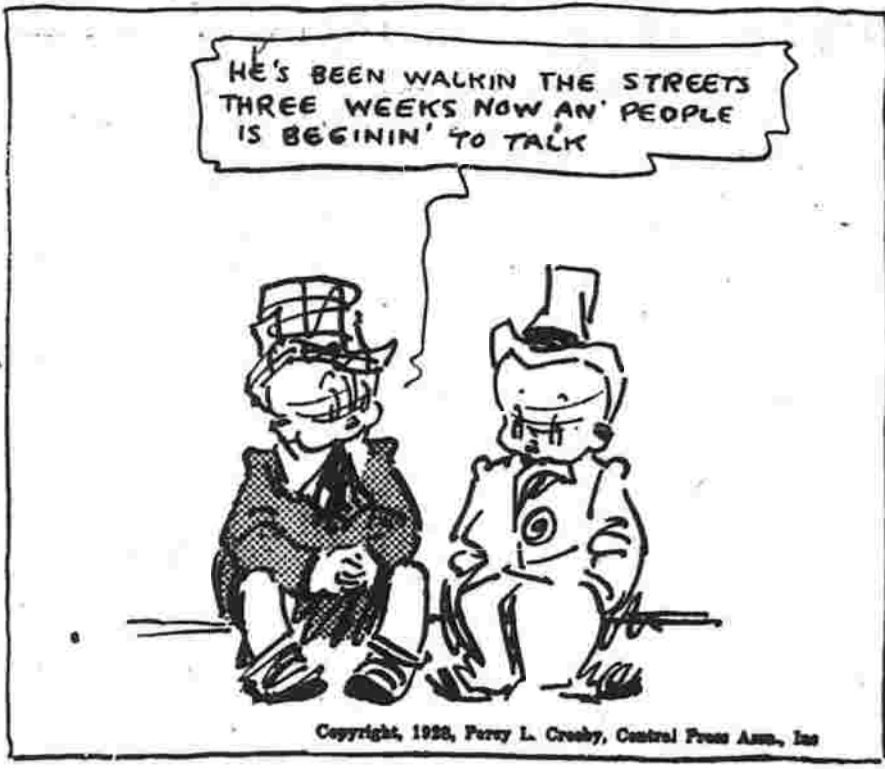
Pat called on the priest one day and said: "Fawther, can I ask a question?"

"Sure, Pat," said the priest. "Well, Fawther," said Pat. "I know all about Shrove Tuesday and Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, but phwat the devil is Nut Sunday?"

SKIPPY



Mickey (Himself) McGuire



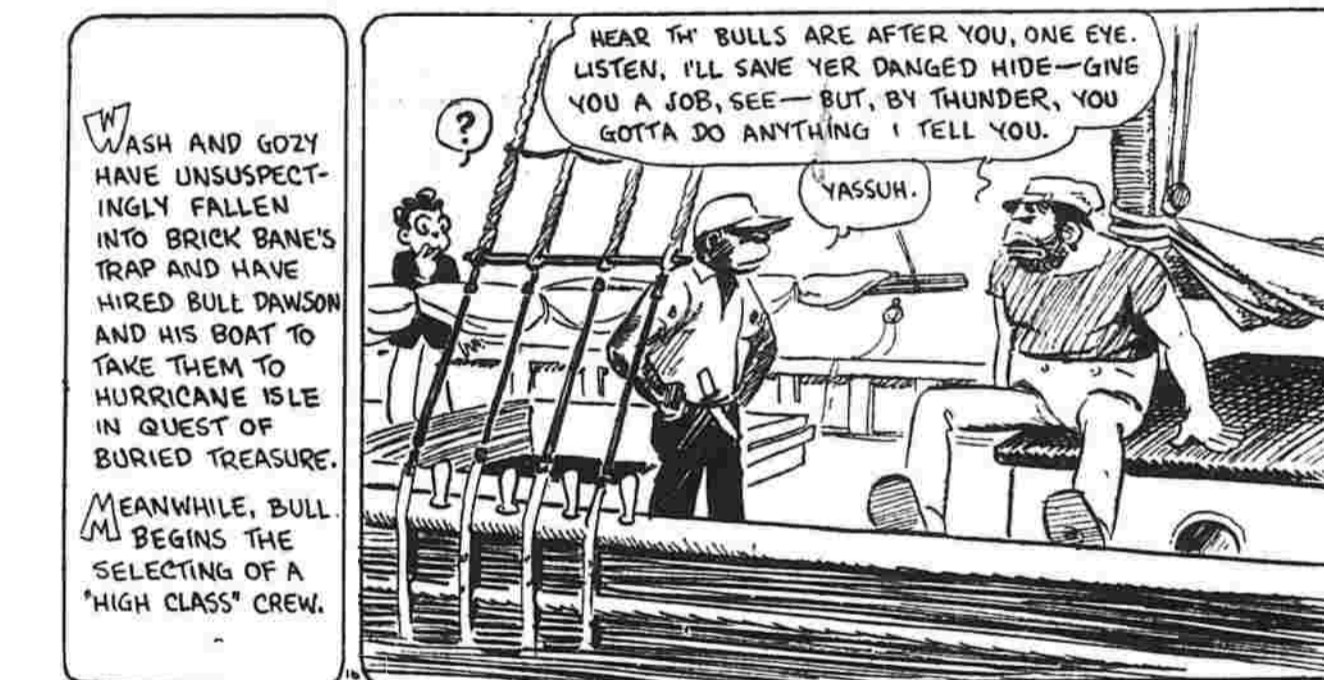
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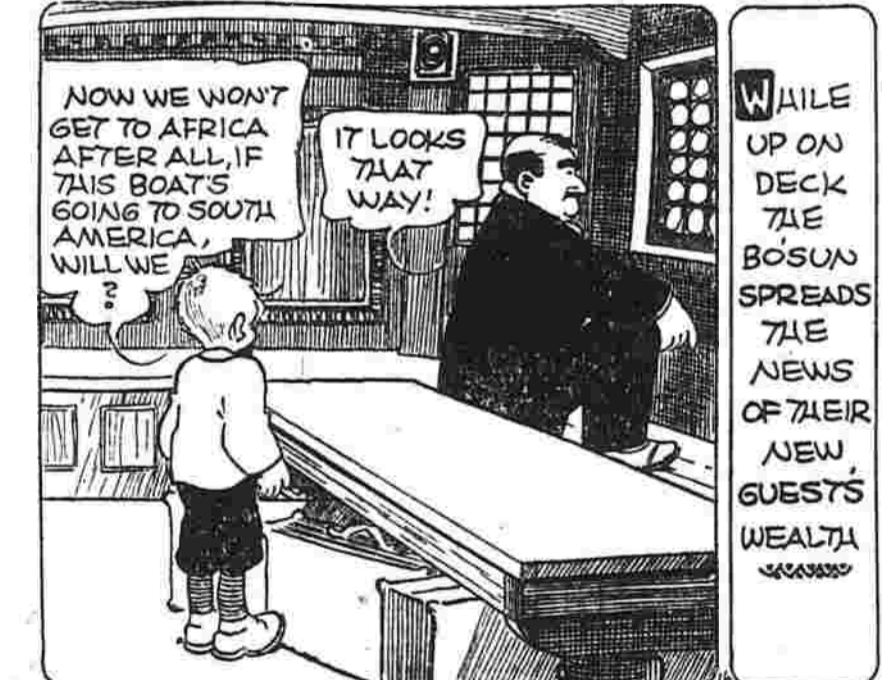
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WASHINGTON TUBBS II



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 Orch.—Ray's Melody Boys.  
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 at  
**City View Dance Hall**  
 Keneey Street  
**Saturday Eve. March 17th.**

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 Manchester Div. No. 1, A. O. H.  
**K. OF C. HALL**  
**Saturday Evening, March 17**

**DANCE**  
**MANCHESTER GREEN**  
**SAT. EVE. MARCH 17**  
 Behrend's Orchestra  
 Beebe, Prompter.  
 Admission 50c.

Tuesday afternoon at Odd Fellows hall the Memorial hospital auxiliary will give a large card party for the linen fund, and while many of the women who meet to sew regularly for the hospital are filling tables for the social, it is in no sense an invitation party. All who enjoy playing progressive whist and bridge or pivot bridge will be welcome, and will have the satisfaction of aiding in a good cause. The games will begin at 2 o'clock; two prizes will be given in each section and light refreshments served by the committee in charge, which is headed by Mrs. Robert Dougan of Highland Park.

Modern-Old Fashioned Dancing  
 Kabrick's Orchestra  
 Prof. Foley, Prompter  
 Admission 50 cents.

**ABOUT TOWN**

The regular meeting of the Manchester Green Community club will be held tonight at the school assembly hall and a good attendance of the members is hoped for.

Epworth Leaguers of the North Methodist church are making plans for a "dollar" social to be held in the vestry Monday evening. Merle Tyler is the presiding officer. A large number of the members are planning to attend the last session of the Winter Institute at the South Methodist church this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Snow of 827 Center street gave a party at their home in honor of the third birthday of their little daughter Isabel. Fifteen little ones and still more grownups were present. The table decorations were roses and ferns and a large birthday cake bore three pink tapers. The little girl was generously remembered with dainty gifts and everybody enjoyed her party.

Louis F. Leibold, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Leibold, of 259 Fern street, a member of the senior class of Worcester Polytechnic Institute, has been made a member of the Skull, the senior honorary society, composed of students who have been most active in the furtherance of class activities and the betterment of the college.

Miss Amanda Jarvis of Parkersville has resigned her position at the Aetna Insurance Co., where she has been employed for the past five years, and accepted a position with Cheney Brothers.

The Home League of the Salvation Army will hold a food sale tomorrow in the vacant store at 449 Main street, formerly occupied by Benson's furniture company.

At the meeting of Hose Company No. 2 held in the north end fire house last night, the firemen named a committee to plan the annual banquet of the company to be held next month. Following the business session last night refreshments were enjoyed.

**NUTMEG TRAIL MEETS HERE THIS EVENING**

Young People's Institute in Closing Session at South Methodist Church.

The Young People's Institute which has been in progress six weeks under the auspices of the Nutmeg Trail Circuit of the Epworth League will hold its closing session at the South Methodist Episcopal church, this evening. The institute has comprised groups of young people from eight chapters of the league, viz.: Burnside, East Hartford, Hockanum, Manchester, South Manchester, Quarryville, Rockville and Vernon, and the enrollment has numbered over one hundred. While the leaguers find the social features of the program particularly attractive, the supper hour and the recreation period which is skillfully directed by Edna Reynolds of Rockville—the institute has a large inspirational and educational value. Classes have been conducted in New Testament by Rev. Truman H. Woodward of Wapping, and in Church School methods by Mrs. Lettie Evelyn Pike of Hartford, and each session has also brought some speaker or other feature of a specially interesting character.

For the closing session tonight much interest will naturally attach to the awarding the certificates to those who have attended five or more periods in any one class. These credits are treasured by Epworth Leaguers because of their value in relation to an Epworth League diploma which is granted when fifteen credits have been secured; subsequent winter institutes and the summer institute at Williamantic afford other opportunities of adding to the credits earned. The certificates will be presented by Rev. J. Garfield Sallis, dean of the Institute in the course of the concluding devotional service which will occupy the hour from nine till ten o'clock. The entire program for this evening is as follows: 6:30, supper; 7:10 study classes; 8:00 recreation; 9:00 closing devotional service with address by the dean. While the program is naturally of most interest to Epworth Leaguers it should be noted that members and friends of the local churches generally will be welcome to the closing devotional service.

**A. O. H. ST. PATRICK'S DAY DANCE OLD INSTITUTION**

The annual St. Patrick's Day social and dance of Manchester division No. 1, A. O. H., will be held in K. of C. hall tomorrow night. Dancing, both old fashion and modern, will be enjoyed with music by Kabrick's seven-piece orchestra and Cornelius Foley as prompter. This affair has been annual with the local Hibernian lodge for more than 50 years and it has never failed to attract a large crowd. This year, the ticket committee says, the sale of tickets has been very good, especially in Hartford, Rockville and Williamantic.

Committees have been hard at work on arrangements for the dance for the past several weeks. The decorating committee has chosen green and white for the decorations in the hall and expect it to have a pleasing appearance.

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The latest Paris creations can be found here... tight fitting feather turbans... printed hats with matching scarfs... felt cloche hats... smart straw models. In the newest colors. Priced—  
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Printed Dimities  
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**RAINY WINTER HARD ON ROADS HEREABOUTS**  
 Unusual Amount of Repair Work Planned by State Highway Crew.  
 The State Highway Department

workmen here are making preparations for oiling and sanding the State roads in this section, according to Don C. Hattin, foreman of the gang. A lot of repair work needs to be done.  
 Mr. Hattin said today that the roads are in worse shape after this winter than they have been for a number of years because of the unusual amount of rain. The wet

condition of the area under the surface of the road had caused the pavement to "roll" and crack in

many places and in some instances great holes have appeared. The local gang has charge of the roads from the East Hartford line

to the Williamantic and Rockville town lines.  
 A hyena laughs when it is hungry or annoyed.