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INDICATIONS ARE STANLEY WINNER

It will require the official count throughout the state to fully satisfy the minds of all the people as to who is really elected governor. The board of election commissioners will meet Friday at 10 o'clock in the court house in each of the counties of the state to canvass the returns of the election. In the meantime each party is claiming the election of their candidate and as a matter of news the Ledger publishes here with the latest information obtainable at this hour. The first statement following was sent out Thursday morning and the second one is the claims made by the respective parties and candidates Wednesday afternoon at a late hour. From reading these statements it will be seen that the election is a close one and may result in a contest before the legislature.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 3.—With every one of the 120 counties in Kentucky reported, practically all of them in full, A. O. Stanley, the democratic nominee for governor, has 190,334 as against 185,377 for Edwin P. Morrow, the Republican nominee, a majority of 4,957 for the Democrats. However, the Republican leaders have not yet conceded the election.

Claims of fraud were made by the Republicans this afternoon. Maurice L. Galvin, of Covington, chairman of the Republican campaign committee, said: "Morrow on the face of the returns has won by a safe majority notwithstanding the whole-sale frauds perpetrated by the Democrats in Louisville and Breckenridge and Owsley counties."

It was charged to-night by the Democrats that the Republican leaders had been sending out messages, purporting to be from Democratic headquarters, to the effect that the Stanley men had given up the fight. Messages were sent out to-night by the Democrats to all county chairmen renouncing such messages and counseling all of them to guard against fraud.

In the Eleventh district the county committee have been called to stand guard over the ballot boxes until the official count is made. Leaders of the Democratic party fear that their opponents might turn the tide by stuffing the ballot boxes. Prospects are that there may be a lively tussle between partisans in the Mountain section, but no reports of any trouble had reached Louisville to-night.

Returns from missing precincts filtered through all day without changing the final result. The missing mountain counties cut down the lead of Stanley to a large extent, but left him what Democratic leaders believe is a safe majority.

Returns from the State outside of Louisville in the Governor's race this morning are still not complete, but on the face of those figures received, Owsley, Stanley, Democratic nominee for Governor, has a majority of about 825. This, added to the majority of 4,214 for Stanley in the Fifth district, gives him a majority of about 5,039 on the face of the returns.

In the Tenth district there are a number of precincts missing in the various counties, the majority of over 6,000 for Morrow being made up from incomplete returns and likely to be increased.

In the Eleventh district prac-

tically all the counties have been heard from and these show a majority of over 17,000 for Morrow. In these counties, however, there are a number of missing precincts, and it is probable Morrow's majority in the district will run to 18,000 or over. This increase, with the Morrow majority in the Tenth district, will serve to wipe out the majority for Stanley in the State, outside of Louisville, as the missing Democratic majorities will make little difference in the Stanley vote, and make the race very close, with an advantage for Stanley of about 3,000 to 3,500.

The figures in the other races are too incomplete to make an effort at tabulation, but those received show that the other candidates ran generally about the same as the head of the tickets.

Election day passed in Calloway quietly. The Republicans cast within a few votes of their normal strength, while the democratic vote is several hundred short of the full strength. Stanley received a total vote in the county of 2,125 and Morrow a total of 845, thus giving Mr. Stanley a majority of only 1,281. Other candidates for state office on the two tickets polled practically the same vote as did the candidates for governor.

Aside from the interest taken in the stock law in four magisterial districts of the county, Liberty, Concord, Hazel and Swann, the county election can well be described as an exceedingly quiet affair. The result of this election as shown by the returns from the districts is as follows:

	Yes	No
North Concord	63	123
South Concord	78	147
South Liberty	111	147
North Liberty	77	130
South Swann	125	96
North Swann	38	180
Hazel	108	242
Fair	27	104

From the face of the returns as shown above it will be seen that the stock law carried in every precinct with the exception of Liberty. It is understood that the vote cast "yes" was a vote to permit stock to run at large, while the vote cast "no" was opposed to same.

Tucker Quits.

M. M. Tucker, for more than a year western division manager for the Planters' Protective association and who has been connected with that organization for several years, announced yesterday his retirement as an official of the association. Mr. Tucker is just back from Springfield, Tenn. While Mr. Tucker will have charge of the old crop of tobacco, part of which is now stored in the Planters' warehouse at Tenth and Broadway, he will have nothing to do with the new crop.

Mr. Tucker, who is one of the most prominent tobaccoists in Kentucky, will continue to follow the tobacco business but along other lines.—Paducah Sun.

You Had Better Take Warning.

The postal authorities at Washington, recognizing the ability of postmasters to make mistakes in getting letters in wrong boxes, have fixed a penalty of \$200 on persons taking mail out of an office other than their own, and not returning it immediately. This law also includes newspapers. The excuse that it is the postmaster's fault cuts no ice. If you have been getting other people's mail you had better take warning or you may get yourself into trouble.

WORKING MAN AND RAILROADS

There are approximately one and three-fourth million employees on the railroads of the United States, so it will be readily seen that the working man is considerably interested in the prosperity of the railroads—to say nothing of the six hundred thousand shareholders who own stock in the 250,000 miles of steam roads in this country.

To bring the matter closer: Last year the N. C. & St. L. Railway paid out for labor fifty-nine cents of every dollar it earned. This money went back into the various trade channels in the territory through which the road operates, as did also that proportion of the remaining forty-one cents which went for supplies, such as ballast, ties, lumber, etc.

The prosperity of the railroads affect not only the working man, but the business man as well, for when the railroads are busy, then all business is prosperous. The railroads are recognized as the real barometer of business, and when operations and revenues are curtailed practically all business suffers.

The close relation between the railroads and the people was brought out recently by President Wm. Sproule of the Southern Pacific Company in an address before the American Bankers' Association, when he said among other things: "It is time for the railroads and the people to take counsel together, for the uncertainty which touched the railroads first has reached to all the people. This nation needs prosperity more than it needs anything else. No business prospers by repression. The effect of influences of government should be stimulating or they are a failure. The American people prosper together. The pursuit of life, liberty and happiness has prosperity for its reward, the railroads and the people in conjunction and alike."

"The common sense of the people can be relied on to bring about the conditions that make prosperity. They are merely looking for light. When they find it we shall be enlightened prosperity, all the brighter for the dark uncertainties through which we have been passing. There is no room for pessimism; the country is alright and the people are alright. We are in their hands."

Bitten by Mad Cat.

Cadiz, Ky., Nov. 1.—Dr. W. H. Jefferson and little daughter, Marion, of this place, are both in Nashville being treated for rabies. Last week the house cat came into the child's bedroom in the night and, climbing upon her bed, bit the child on both elbows. The cat's actions being very strange, Dr. Jefferson undertook to catch her to confine her for a few days to see what the result was. The cat scratched him on the hand. It was then killed and its brains sent to Nashville to be examined, and it was ascertained that it had rabies.

Girl Dies of Mercury Dose.

May Sanders, 28 years old, an inmate of a resort who swallowed three tablets of bichloride of mercury twelve days ago died at Riverside hospital at 11:30 o'clock last night after physicians had worked in vain to save her life. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Mattingly, Efinger & Roth at Fifth and Monroe streets where the funeral

will be held at 10 o'clock Saturday morning. Burial will take place in Oak Grove cemetery.

In a fit of despondency said to have grown out of a love affair, the woman swallowed the deadly poison. She was taken to Riverside hospital but the poison had done its work and she lingered in anguish until last night when she finally lost consciousness. She lived at 1101 South Ninth street. She is said to have a father living at Hazel, Ky.—Paducah Sun.

Calloway County Singing Convention.

The Calloway County Singing Convention convened at Salem church, near Lynn Grove, last Sunday, and organized by electing Esq. J. B. Swann president, Chas. Williams vice-president, and John F. Key secretary.

The Vaughn quartette and several other quartettes of the county, as well as about 2,000 people, were present and made some splendid music. A great time was enjoyed and the only regret was the east side of the county was not represented, as this is intended for a county affair.

The next convention will be at South Pleasant Grove, on Friday and Saturday before the fourth Sunday in March, and all parties interested from all parts of the county are cordially invited to be present.

There is nothing more pleasant and inspiring than good music and we hope this organization may grow and spread to all parts of the country, and be a great help, not only to the churches and Sunday schools, but to all communities.—A member.

Plant Trees on Arbor Day.

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 27.—Arbor day in Kentucky will be November 12. Governor McCreary today designated the day in a proclamation saying in part:

"The attention of all the people and especially the teachers and pupils of all the colleges and schools is called to this proclamation, and the importance of planting trees. Every proper effort should be made for the renewal of our forests."

"Other states are giving much attention to Arbor day and there has been great development in the last decade along forestry lines. I call upon the people to give more attention to the observance of Arbor day in Kentucky than has been given heretofore. The students of all the colleges should take an active interest in the setting out of trees, and the pupils of every common school in the state can render great service by each of them setting out one or two trees on Arbor day."

School houses, home yards, public roads and pastures should be beautified with trees. Our natural forests are diminishing, and we must not only save what is left of the forests, but we must reforest the cut-over, the burnt-over and the unforested districts of the state."

Gloomy for Tobacco.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 2.—Congressman Joseph W. Byrns left Saturday for Washington to confer with Secretary of State Robert Lansing concerning the tobacco situation, particularly as it exists in this section, owing to the impossibility of shipping the product to Germany and Austria through neutral countries. The above named nations were heavy consumers of the dark tobacco type prior to the war, and the closing of these markets has seriously affected the price of the product. A portion of the 1913 crop is still in the warehouses, to which has been added the 1914 crop, and

the 1915 crop is now to be added as well. Representative Byrns had a conference with administration officials in July and again in September, with a view of finding some solution of the problem of securing an unhindered shipment of tobacco from this country to other neutral countries. During the past two weeks Mr. Byrns has been over practically all of the dark tobacco section and will bring to the secretary of state a detailed view of the entire situation.

Miss Carvell Unconscious.

According to a cable dispatch, Miss Carvell, the English nurse who was arrested in Brussels as a spy, was to have been shot by a firing party in a garden surrounded by a high wall. She was led in blindfolded from a house near by and walked bravely to meet her fate. Thirty yards from the rifle party, however, her strength gave out and she tottered and fell to the ground. The officer in charge of the firing party walked up to her as she lay motionless and, drawing his revolver, took aim from his knee and shot the woman through the head. The shooting shocked the whole Brussels community, who spoke of it as the bloodiest act of the war. Miss Carvell had been sent to Brussels by the English hospital authorities to take care of a school of nurses, nursing in Belgium at the time being in need of additional forces. Miss Carvell was a friend of the sister-in-law of Crown Prince Archduke Ferdinand of Austria, who was assassinated in Sarajevo.

Profitable Crop Rotation.

The most profitable crop rotation does not consist merely in changing the crops around from year to year, regardless of the relation of the crops to each other. The central aim in all crop-rotation systems should be to leave each field in a better state of cultivation, better physical condition, and reasonably free from pests at the end of each rotation cycle.

No hard and fast rotation system can be laid down for any community, but the most profitable system must be worked out for each farm and, indeed, for each field. There are certain general principles, however, that should be borne in mind in this connection in order to accomplish the most satisfactory results. For soil improvement there should be at least one leguminous crop in each rotation cycle. To this class of plants belong the clovers, alfalfa, peas, beans, etc. There should also be a sufficient quantity of live stock, especially milk cows, on each farm to utilize the roughage and to supply the desired quantity of stable manure, which, in addition to the green crops plowed under, will furnish the necessary amount of humus to the soil. The conditions resulting from this treatment, if the soil is properly handled, will make the succeeding crops more vigorous and capable of offsetting, in some measure at least, the effects of any pests that may appear. Again, the successive crops in any rotation should be so selected and arranged that no two up on which the same pest may thrive will grow in succession. The principles of disease control by means of crop rotation are based upon the fact that certain pests can thrive only on certain kinds of plants. Therefore, when the crops are changed and the food supply thereby cut off, the pests must perish or be greatly reduced in number.—U. S. Agricultural Department.

HOW 21 MEN MET DEATH ON THE F-4

Washington, D. C., Oct. 27.—A graphic story of the battle for life waged in vain 300 feet beneath the surface of the sea by the twenty-one men who perished in the navy's submarine F-4, last March, at Honolulu, is told in the final report on the loss of the vessel submitted by a board of inquiry, headed by Rear Admiral Busch, and made public today. Examination of the wrecked hull after it had been brought to the surface and placed in dry-dock convinced the board that the disaster was caused by a leak resulting from a corroded battery lining and the failure of the boat through poor diving qualities to respond promptly to the rudder change which should have returned her to the surface.

Discarding the theory once advanced that chlorine gas brought quick relief in death to the crew, the board from signs within the rusted and battered hull pieces out in its report a dramatic account of how the doomed men strove desperately to save themselves as their vessel sank to the bottom. Fifteen met death in the engine room where they sought refuge at the last; six died at their posts in the forward compartment.

All members of the ship's company are absolved from blame in this tribute:

"From the facts established, we find that the accident resulting in disaster to the U. S. S. submarine F-4, on March 25, 1915, was not due to carelessness, negligence, or inefficiency on the part of the officers or men of the vessel, and that, furthermore, the personnel remained at their respective stations until all effective means employed to avert the disaster impending had failed and thereafter sought refuge."

New Corn and Cholera.

Each year at about this time many men begin feeding their hogs new corn. The hogs, coming up from pastures that have become short through the long season, eat the corn greedily and call for more as is the habit of the average porker. The owner with his eye on the Christmas market and quick profits, throws the corn over the fence in increasing quantities. As a result the hogs frequently have indigestion, sometimes even getting off feed and feeling badly. Very frequently this is followed by an attack of hog cholera, and the owner putting two and two together immediately jumps at the conclusion that feeding green corn has given this to his hogs.

Although he imagines himself a close observer, he does not realize that overfeeding has weakened his hogs, and made them more susceptible to this disease. Had he realized that, he would have taken greater precautions and gotten his hogs on fall feed more slowly, possibly feeding them something besides new corn at the start and by increasing the feed of new corn gradually for the first few weeks.

Despite the fact that scientists have given a lifetime to the study of cholera, have determined definitely that it is caused by a germ and that a weakened condition or a close crowding of hogs around a feed lot, where heretofore they have ranged over the open pasture makes the disease spread more rapidly, many men will stoutly assert that new corn causes cholera. Perhaps when such men are willing to believe facts and not jump at conclusions, there will be less cholera.

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A salmon sandwich is a tempting article of food, and should be half mixed with chopped boiled egg and very thin slices of olives and pickles. The wise hostess will make two different kinds of sandwiches, some with the mixture moistened with vinegar or lemon juice, others without, for many persons cannot eat acids. Practically all meat sandwiches are extremely rich, and strong condiments are used in the filling, especially mustard and catchup. While white meat makes a delicate sandwich, darker meats mixed with mayonnaise and other relishes are more appetizing in every way. When hot sandwiches are served at a noon-day luncheon at a home, the contents of the sandwich should be placed between the layers of bread and fried, or the bread toasted and covered with a cooked meat filling, then covered with buttered toast and served hot.

ECONOMY IN THE LAUNDRY

Savings May Seem Small, but Amount to a Lot in the Course of a Year.

Soft water for use in laundry work, saves soap, clothing, time, energy and money. Buying soap by the box is more economical than buying it by the quarter's worth. Removing the soap from the box, and piling it in such a way that it will dry, causes it to wash away less rapidly, and therefore to last longer, than if not dried. Having a firm, substantial washbench, of a height suited to the worker, so constructed as to hold the tubs securely in position, saves time and energy. A good stationary wringer, or one which is so made as to be clamped securely to the tub, is a necessity. When through using the wringer, loosen the screws to relieve the pressure on the rubber rollers; wash clean, wipe dry and put it away where it will keep clean until needed. Occasionally cleaning the wringer with kerosene, and the washing with soap, rinsing and drying tends to keep it in good condition.

Unique Salad and Dessert.

Extra mayonnaise is served in a half lemon skin that has been relieved of the pulp and had a slice cut from the end so it stands upright. It may also be covered with a fluted paper cap. The jokes of hard-cooked eggs may have pepper, salt, olive oil, a dash of Worcestershire sauce added to them and mixed to a paste, then formed into small balls, roll them in powdered nuts and drop them into the salad, using the rings of white for the garnish on top.

For the simple home luncheon the ordinary pancake may do duty for dessert.

Delecto Fruit Salad.

Halve and seed one cupful of California white or red grapes and mix with one cupful of stoned cherries, two oranges cut in small pieces, one chopped tart apple, two diced bananas, one-half cupful of chopped celery and one cupful of chopped nuts. Chill thoroughly and serve on lettuce with the following dressing: Mix one cupful of sugar, one tablespoonful of flour, two tablespoonfuls of melted butter, one well-beaten egg, the strained juice of one lemon and two cupfuls of boiling water together. Stir over the fire until the mixture thickens, then cool.

Kitchen Hints.

If an ordinary white pin is held between the teeth while weeding onions it will do away with forced weeping. If you want only a little bread crumbs and are not a provident housekeeper with a jarful ready rub two stale bread crumbs together over a bowl until enough is rubbed off. This saves time and trouble of getting out board and rolling pin.

Corn Puffs—Luncheon Dish.

Mix one and one-half cupfuls canned corn with one cupful milk and yolks of two eggs beaten; stir one rounding teaspoonful baking powder into one and one-half cupfuls pastry flour and one-half teaspoonful salt. Fold in the beaten whites after the other ingredients are thoroughly mixed. Bake in gem pans 20 minutes in a moderately hot oven.

Fried Rice.

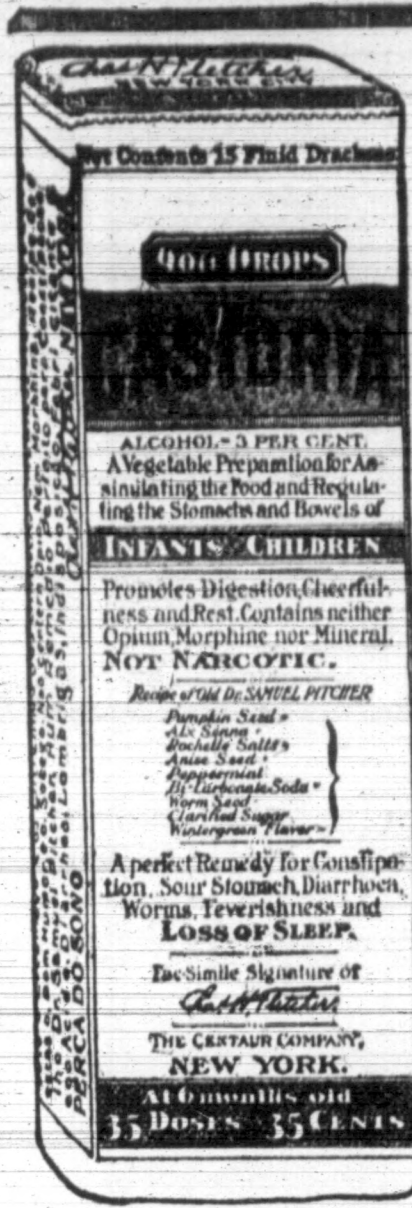
One cup of rice in three pints of boiling water. Add pinch of salt and boil rapidly for half an hour. Drain thoroughly in colander, then put the rice two inches thick into dish, put a weight on top and allow to become cold. Cut into slices and dip alternately into crumbs and eggs, and fry in deep hot lard. This is nice served with meat gravy or sirup.

When Food is Too Salty.

It is an easy matter to drop too much salt in the potatoes or peas. To remove the salt stretch a clean cloth over the vessel and sprinkle a tablespoonful or more of flour on the cloth and allow the contents to steam. In a short time the flour will have absorbed the salt.

Oyster Cocktail.

Select six small oysters, season with lemon juice, one teaspoonful of tabasco sauce and add salt sparingly; serve on icebergs.



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SCHOOL TOTS TREE A BEAR

Barking Like Dogs, Six Youngsters Frighten Bruin and Bring About His Death.

Six school children, the oldest of them aged nine, tried a bear at the Oak Run schoolhouse. During the afternoon recess while the tots were at play, bruin ambled into the school grounds. The children, barking like dogs, took after the bear, who, taking fright, climbed a tree to get out of danger.

Miss Vivian Brauer, the teacher, faintly when she saw what the children had done. She called the children into the schoolhouse, looked the door and, womanlike, pulled down the blinds. A few minutes later the bear climbed down the tree and ran into Amos Welch's field 50 yards farther up the creek. Welch shot and killed the bear.

There was a barbecue at the Oak Run schoolhouse Friday afternoon, bear meat being the important item on the menu.—Hedding Dispatch to San Francisco Chronicle.

Country's Output of Stone.

Production of stone in the United States in 1914 reached the enormous value of \$77,412,292. Figures made public recently by the geological survey show that the output was the largest of any year prior to 1912, and was only slightly less than that year. Pennsylvania produced more than 10 per cent of the total output. Vermont was second with a total output of over 8 per cent.

MOTHER'S "NOTIONS"

Good for Young People to Follow.

"My little grandson often comes up to show me how large the muscles of his arms are."
"He was a delicate child, but has developed into a strong, healthy boy and Postum has been the principal factor."

"I was induced to give him the Postum because of my own experience with it."

"I am sixty years old, and have been a victim of nervous dyspepsia for many years. Have tried all sorts of medicines and had treatment from many physicians, but no permanent relief came."

"I used to read the Postum advertisements in our paper. At first I gave but little attention to them, but finally something in one of the advertisements made me conclude to try Postum."

"I was very particular to have it prepared strictly according to directions, and used good, rich cream. It was very nice indeed, and about bedtime I said to the members of the family that I believed I felt better. One of them laughed and said, 'That's another of mother's notions,' but the notion has not left me yet."

"I continued to improve right along after leaving off coffee and taking Postum, and now after three years' use I feel so well that I am almost young again. I know Postum was the cause of the change in my health and I cannot say too much in its favor. I wish I could persuade all nervous people to use it."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.
Postum comes in two forms:
Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.
Instant Postum—a soluble powder—dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water, and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both kinds are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.
"There's a Reason" for Postum.
—Gladys Crocker.

The Man for the Job.

"He never complains at his luck. Just takes his misfortunes with a smile and keeps plugging along."

"Fine, he's just the man we're looking for. Let's make him chairman of the entertainment committee and give him the worst of it."—Detroit Free Press.

A SEVERE SICKNESS LEAVES THE KIDNEYS WEAK

After recovering from a severe spell of sickness some time ago, I was all run-down and suffering from poor blood. I would have pains in my back and hips and my kidneys bothered me all the time. I started taking Swamp-Root upon the recommendation of a friend and found it was just what I needed. My blood became all right and after taking a few bottles, I was surprised at the effect it had on my kidneys. They were entirely cured and I have much to be thankful for that your great remedy did for me.

Yours very truly,
W. O. BLACKMON,
Phoenix City, Ala.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 14th day of July, 1919.
W. J. BIRS, Justice of the Peace.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You
Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Poughkeepsie, N. Y., for a sample size bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention this paper. Regular fifty-cent and one dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.—Adv.

Beyond the Critical Stage.
Mrs. Howell—I understand your husband is ill. Is his condition critical?
Mrs. Growells—Critical, indeed! Why, he is positively abusive.

STOP THOSE SHARP SHOOTING PAINS
"Femina" is the wonder worker for all female disorders. Price \$1.00 and 50c. Adv.

Queen Elizabeth of Belgium holds a degree of doctor of medicine.

Craven Knight.

"Never speak to me again," exclaimed the fair maid, as with flashing eyes she handed back to the foot-ball hero the ring he had so proudly placed on her finger a few store days before. "I can never marry a coward."

"A coward?" he stammered.
"Yes, a coward. I saw you with my own eyes at the game this afternoon. You had the ball under your arm and ran with it the whole length of the field instead of facing the crowd and fighting like a man."

A NEGLECTED COLD
is often followed by pneumonia. Before it is too late take Laxative Quinine Tablets. Gives prompt relief in cases of Coughs, Colds, La Grippe and Headache. Price 25c.—Adv.

Brief but Pointed.
Henry—What is a fool-killer?
Parker—The gun he blows into.

Neither beauty, grace nor charm is absolutely essential. The dill pickle has many friends.

Treat Children's Colds Externally

Don't dose delicate little stomachs with harmful internal medicines. Vick's "Vapo-Rub" Salve, applied externally, relieves by inhalation as a vapor and by absorption through the skin. Vick's can be used freely with perfect safety on the youngest member of the family. 25c, 50c, or \$1.00.

THE GENUINE HAS THIS TRADE MARK.
"VAPORUB"

VICK'S CROUP AND SALVE

DROPSY TREATED usually gives quick relief. Sloan's Liniment removes swelling and short breath, often gives entire relief in 15 to 25 days. Trial treatment sent FREE. DR. THOMAS E. SLOAN, Successor to Dr. H. H. Green's Sons, Box A, Chatsworth, Ga.

W. N. U., MEMPHIS, NO. 45-1915.

War upon Pain!

Pain is a visitor to every home and usually it comes quite unexpectedly. But you are prepared for every emergency if you keep a small bottle of Sloan's Liniment handy. It is the greatest pain killer ever discovered.

Simply laid on the skin—no rubbing required—it drives the pain away instantly. It is really wonderful.

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for
**RHEUMATISM
SPRAINS
SORE MUSCLES**



FOR HALF A CENTURY

WOOD'S FEVER PILLS have stood the test as the best remedy for Chills and Fever and all Bilious and Malarial Diseases. Once tried always used. Sold by your druggist.
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The Losing Side of Mail Order Trading

Hans Gertus, a German farmer, of Iowa, has discovered that the benefits which appear on the surface as attaching to the mail order plan sometimes spell disaster and has written a very interesting story of his views on a certain farm paper. Here is a part of his story:

"We farmers need awakening to the fact that we have unmistakably reached the period where we must think and plan. I am one of the slow German farmers that had to be shown, and I am now giving my experience that others may profit, for knowledge is more expensive now than ten years ago.

"Twenty-nine years ago I began my farm career. I had an old team and \$50. Our furniture was mostly home-made chairs, cupboard and lounge made from dry goods boxes, neatly covered with ten-cent cretonne by my girl wife. We rented eighty acres. Being a boy of good habits, I got all needed machinery and groceries of our home merchants on credit, until fall crops were sold. The first year was a wet season and I did not make enough to pay creditors. I went to each on date of promise and explained conditions paying as much as possible and they all carried the balance over another year. They continued to accommodate me until I was able to buy a forty-acre piece of my own.

"As soon as I owned these forty acres the mail order houses began sending me catalogs, and

gradually I began sending my loose change to them, letting my accounts stand in my home town where I had gotten my accommodation when I needed it.

"We then had one of the thrickest little villages in the state—good line of business in all the branches, merchants who were willing to help an honest fellow over a bad year, and a town full of people who came twice a week to trade and visit. Our little country town supported a library, high school, band, ball team, and we had big celebrations every year.

"A farm near a live town soon doubles in value. I sold my forty acres at a big advance and bought an eighty, gradually adding to it until I had 200 acres of the best land in town. I then felt no need of asking favors, and found it easy to patronize the mail order agents that came almost weekly to our door. I regret to say that I was the first in the county to make up a neighborhood bill and send it to a mail order house. Though we got bit every once in a while, we got in the habit of sending away for stuff.

"Gradually our merchants lessened their stock of goods—for lack of patronage. Finally we began to realize that when we needed a bolt quickly for machinery or clothing for sickness or death, we had to wait and send away for it, which wasn't so pleasant. One by one our merchants moved to places where they were appreciated, and men of less energy moved in. Gradually our town has gone down;

our business houses are 'tacky' in appearance, a number are empty, our schools, churches and walks are going down, we have no band, no library nor ball team. There is no business done in the town, and, therefore, no taxes to keep things up. The hotel is closed for lack of travel. Go down to the depot when the train pulls in and you will see the sequel in mail order packages.

"Nine years ago my farm was worth \$195 an acre; today I'd have a hard matter to sell it at \$167 an acre. It is 'too far from a live town' so every farmer has said that wants to buy. He wants a place near schools and churches, where his children can have advantages. I have awakened to the fact that in helping to pull the town down, it has cost me \$5,600 in nine years."

Every Home Needs a Faithful Cough and Cold Remedy.

When seasons change and colds appear—when you first detect a cold after sitting next to one who has sneezed, then it is that a tried and tested remedy should be faithfully used. "I never wrote a testimonial before, but I know positively that for myself and family, Dr. King's New Discovery is the best cough remedy we ever used and we have tried them all." 50c and \$1.00.

Wild Onion.

The wild onion is the worst weed pest in a large part of the territory in the Atlantic coast region from Massachusetts to Georgia and as far inland as Missouri. It gives milk a disagreeable odor and flavor, and when the bulbs get in wheat the flour made from it has a pronounced garlicky odor and taste. Moreover, wheat infested with garlic bulbs ranges from 20 to 50 per cent lower in price than No. 2 red.

To kill wild onion the work

must be started in the fall so as to destroy the plants from the soft-shelled bulbs before they produce new bulbs.

The best time for preventive operations is when the new plants are 22 to 15 inches high, or during October and November in the south and November and December in the north. At this stage the land should be plowed fairly deep, turning under all the onion tops. The tops should be completely buried by the plowing, and for this reason a plow with a jointer attached to the beam will often be a great help. Discing the land previous to plowing will also aid in burying the tops.

It has been found that if plowing is delayed until a late date in the fall and the land is planted to small grain, only a few onion plants will ripen their aerial bulbs by harvest time the following summer. As the plowing should be done at such a late date as to prevent the best development of fall-sown grains, it is preferable to plant spring grains. Where the sowing of fall grain is necessary, it should be done with full knowledge that the late planting will probably reduce the yield. Seeding a fall-grain crop after late plowing has the least harmful effect on yield in the southern part of the onion belt, where wheat may be planted as late as November or December. Every effort should be made to keep seed free from bulbs. This can be accomplished by thorough drying before cleaning, but the best way is to get seed from an outside source where no onion exists, or to produce seed grain on a separate patch kept absolutely free from the onion.

If grass lands are full of the onion, the easiest way of disposing of them is the cultivation method. In fields where there are only a few plants, the most feasible way is to dig the plants or clumps with a mat-

tock. Four thimblefuls of coal-tar creosote oil put on a plant will kill the ungerminated bulbs. Still, the mattock method is best, as one well-directed stroke when the soil is moist and soft will take out the entire clump by the roots. These should be carried off where they can give no further trouble. It is then a good plan to fill the hole with soil and sprinkle a little grass seed on the surface. Sheep eat the tops of the onion, and grazing for a few years is reported as an efficient remedy for the pest. Sheep apparently eat the onion most during the winter and early spring, when there is little other vegetation, or in poor pastures where there is little to eat but the onion. On the better pastures it may be necessary to salt the onns occasionally to give the sheep a taste for them sufficient to overcome their natural dislike.

Medicine or Food.

You have bought the bulky stock food and given to your stock as a medicine. Why not buy only the medicine and furnish your own food? The medicine will be much more certain. In fact, B. A. Thomas Stock Remedy is so certain to give the right results that we sell it on the money back plan. If it doesn't straighten up your horse or cow or sheep, we give your money back.—Sexton Bros.

On last Sunday afternoon, Esq. Ligon at his home, pronounced the ceremony that united Miss Matree Douglas and Mr. Elbert Craig in the holy bonds of wedlock. Miss Douglas is the accomplished daughter of the widow Douglas of near Mason's Chapel. Mr. Craig is a young farmer and the son of Fate Craig of the same neighborhood. Their many friends wish them a long and happy life. Hazel News.

Good music, best voices in town, at the opera house Nov. 9.

IT HAPPENED IN MURRAY

And Is Happening to Murray People Every Week.

The case told below is not an uncommon thing. The same occurs frequently and will continue to happen as long as folks have kidneys and overtax the kidneys. Mrs. S. J. Pool, Pool street, Murray, says: "I suffered from kidney trouble. I was unable to rest well, and in the morning I was all tired out. This made me nervous and caused me headaches. My sight blurred and I became dizzy. When I stooped I had sharp twinges in the small of my back. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they gave good results."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same Mrs. Pool had, Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Beware of Sitting Still.

About that "sit tight, don't rock the boat" stuff: Let us rather agree with the poet who sings:

Beware the deadly sitting habit. Or, if you sit, be like a rabbit Who keepeth ever on the jump. By springs concealed beneath his rump,

A little ginger 'neath the tail Will oft for lack of brains avail: Eschew the dull and slothful seat;

And move about with willing feet.

Man was not made to sit a-trance And press and press and press his pants;

But rather with an open mind, To circulate among his kind.

And so, my son, avoid the snare Which lurks within a cushioned chair:

To run like fury, it has been found,

Both feet must be upon the ground.

10 DAYS Big Fall Reduction Sale 10 DAYS

MURRAY FURNITURE and UNDERTAKING COMPANY

B. F. SCHROADER, Manager

BEGINNING ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 1.

For the next ten days, beginning Monday, Nov. 1st, we will offer for sale our Entire Line of House Furnishing Goods at prices unheard of before. Newly married people especially invited.

If in Need of a Heating Stove We Have a Complete Line from \$1.00 up

Cook Stoves, \$5.00 up.

Ranges, \$10.95 up.

Stove Pipe, 5c per joint. Elbows, 5c each.

DRESSERS for \$4.85 and up.

If You are Going to Buy

a Bed in a Year it will

Pay You to Buy Now

....LET US SHOW YOU OUR LINE....

Dining Tables and Dining Chairs.

ROCKERS, 95c and up.

Cane Bottom Chairs.

Knives and Forks.

Queensware.

Graniteware.

Glassware.

Everything will be marked in plain figures so that no one can be deceived. If you want to get the pick come early. BE SURE YOU GET IN THE RIGHT DOOR.

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LOCAL and PERSONAL

Come to the Princes' banquet, at the opera house Nov. 9.

A son was born the past week to Reuben H. Falwell and wife.

Dr. Walter Johnson has returned home from a prospecting trip through Arkansas.

I have in stock oval frames and convex glasses for enlarged pictures.—J. H. Churchill.

The eight graces, in pantomime with music, at the opera house Tuesday night Nov. 9.

Miss Robbie Farmer, of Fulton, is in the county the guest of relatives.

The scene in Fairyland will be talked. See it, at the opera house Nov. 9.

Mrs. Bettie Phillips has moved to her residence recently completed just south of the Bob Cutchin home.

Mrs. H. P. Atwood and Mrs. Julian Atwood, of Cadiz, were the guests of Mr. Gentry Wadlington and wife the past week.

A visit into the land of story-book and fairyland. The story of Cinderella told in rhyme and song, at the opera house Nov. 9.

Mrs. Geo. Overby was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Clyde Collier, in Luray, Tenn., the latter part of the past week.

For regular action of the bowels; easy, natural movements, relief of constipation, try Doan's Regulets. 25c at all stores.

John Ezell has moved to the Bray residence from Kirksey, where he has been residing the past two years.

Operetta, at the opera house Tuesday evening, Nov. 9, for the benefit of the Methodist church furnace fund.

Mrs. T. J. Wright, of Dalton, Ga., has been in the city the past week the guest of J. D. Sexton and family.

Itching, bleeding, protruding or blind piles have yielded to Doan's Ointment. 50c at all stores.

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Mrs. Joe Claxton and daughter, Mrs. J. E. Harris, of Murfreesboro, Ill., who is her guest, spent a few days in Murray this week with relatives.—Paris Parisian.

For Sale. Complete barber shop equipment, including chair, mirror, razors, clippers, etc., including shop, furniture and fixtures. See C. E. Hill, Pottertown, Ky.

Fred Holland returned home from Chicago the first of the week where he has been taking an expert's course in the Gregg school of shorthand.

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Miss Cordie Lamb, of near Hazel, and Mr. Novy Lamb, of near Providence, were married Sunday morning at the home of Esq. Ligon; Esq. Ligon officiating. The bride is the daughter of Giles Lamb and the groom is a son of Geo. Lamb. Both are popular young people. —Hazel News.

Cure Hog Cholera.

The word "cure" is seldom used in connection with hog cholera. Why? Because of the frequent failures. But we use the word "cure" and guarantee that B. A. Thomas Hog Powder will cure 90 hogs out of 100. The record today is a little over 95 out of every 100, so we guarantee 90.

We don't care what others may think or say. We know what we are doing and will sell you B. A. Thomas Hog Powder, guaranteeing that it will save 9 out of ten hogs. It is medicine—straight medicine. It is because it's straight medicine that it cures 95 times in 100. —Sexton Bros.

A very unusual occurrence came under our observation Friday of last week when a valuable cow belonging to Jno. M. Perkins, Jr., directed her tongue, in quest of provender, through a small opening in the stock barn and suffered the member to be bitten entirely off by a mule which was feasting at the manger. C. W. Sutherland, the veterinarian, was called and, realizing that the bovine's life would be of short and painful duration, ordered it killed. —Mayfield Messenger.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

At his home a few miles southeast of Hazel, Esq. Jim Scott passed away last Saturday night at about 9:30 o'clock. The cause of his death was paralysis. His remains were laid away in the Mt. Pleasant cemetery on Sunday afternoon. Services were held by Rev. T. D. Spaulding, of Paris. He is survived by a wife and eight children and was 77 years of age at the time of his death. —Hazel News.

A WORD FOR MOTHERS

It is a grave mistake for mothers to neglect their aches and pains and suffer in silence—this only leads to chronic sickness and often shortens life.

If your work is tiring; if your nerves are excitable; if you feel languid, weary or depressed, you should know that Scott's Emulsion overcomes just such conditions.

It possesses in concentrated form the very elements to invigorate the blood, strengthen the tissues, nourish the nerves and build strength.

Scott's is strengthening thousands of mothers—and will help you. No alcohol. Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

Taxes and Penalty.

The taxes of Calloway county have been due since March 1st. The penalty goes on all unpaid taxes after December 1st.

We have to settle with the county and state and must and will collect your taxes under the law. Please pay and save costs without further notice. After December the 1st, we will have to levy and collect all unpaid taxes. We cannot carry your tax receipt. W. A. Patterson, Sheriff Calloway county.

Woman Cures Horse Colic.

The men were away as usual. The horse was bad. A lone woman could not "drench" in the old way. She called up a neighbor and her men were away—but: "We have Farris Colic Remedy that you drop on the horse's tongue," says Mrs. Neighbor. So she came over and dropped Farris Remedy on the horse's tongue and the horse was well when the men came home. Moral: Get Farris Colic Remedy so the women can cure horse colic. We sell it at 50c a bottle on the Money Back Plan. —Sexton Bros.

Walter Brooks, senior highway engineer and his assistant, Mr. R. M. Barker, arrived in the county the past week to make a survey and estimate of cost for the construction of the Pine Bluff road recently selected by the fiscal court to be improved under the state aid plan. Mr. Brooks returned to Paducah after spending a few days in the county and the work is being done by Mr. Barker. The survey was commenced at the river and will be extended toward Murray approximately five miles, or a short distance west of Brandon Mill. The work will be completed as rapidly as possible and the estimate submitted to the fiscal court for its acceptance or rejection. The citizens of that section of the county are evidencing a keen interest in the matter.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned petitioners will petition the Calloway County Court, to open and establish a public road 30 feet wide, leading from and through lands belonging to J. E. Owen, North about two miles to the Murray and Pine Bluff road, passing over the lands of J. M. Thurman, L. A. Caldwell, T. H. Daniel, John Elliott and A. B. Beale, near Tom Daniels, said petition will be before the court at its December term 1915, for action. This November 3, 1915.

A. B. Beale, T. Daniel, L. A. Caldwell, John Elliott and J. M. Thurman.

The Civic League.

The Civic League was organized at the school house Friday afternoon with one hundred and fifteen members. The officers are: Mrs. O. J. Jennings, pres.; Mrs. Z. G. Conner, first vice pres.; Mrs. J. P. Holt, second vice pres.; Dr. P. A. Hart, third vice pres.; Miss Wadie Miller, sec.; Mrs. J. D. Sexton, treas.

Two meetings will be held each month. The business meeting on the second Friday of the month at 2:30 with the president presiding. The first Friday evening of each month a mass meeting will be held at the court house to discuss "A Better Murray." Mrs. Conner will preside at the mass meetings.

Every man, woman and child who really desires a better Murray is urged to attend and seriously think and be willing to discuss the issue.

Friday of this week the doctors will discuss the subject from a sanitary point of view. Those who have signified willingness to take part are: Drs. P. A. Hart, Will Mason, C. O. Gingles, A. V. McRee and B. B. Keys.

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Simply laid on the skin—no rubbing required—it drives the pain away instantly. It is really wonderful.

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Thomas Brooks Fletcher.

of his lecture is "The Tragedy of the Unprepared." This subject should arouse a keen interest aside from the reputation of the speaker, and preparations are being made for the largest attendance during the winter course. Murray will greet Mr. Fletcher with a splendid audience and will be delightedly entertained and instructed by him. Further announcement of the lecture and the place will be given next week.

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"Gets-It" is sold by all druggists. It's a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

Sold in Murray and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by H. P. Wear.

VILLA READY TO HIT AGUA PRIETA

REBEL LEADER SAYS HE WILL ATTACK REGARDLESS OF UNCLE SAM.

U. S. TROOPS INTRENCHED

Chieftain Gets Mad Because Re-inforcements For Carranza Troops Were Allowed to Pass Through the States.

Douglas, Ariz., Gen. Francisco Villa has begun moving his troops into position for an attack on Agua Prieta, Sonora, opposite here, regardless, he personally declared, of any consequences or effects from the United States. Advance cavalry of the invaders halted late three and one-half miles east of Agua Prieta.

The main body of Villa's soldiers formed a junction with their advance troops at the Gallardo ranch, 18 miles southeast of Agua Prieta. The attacking army then started forward for the final advance on the Carranza defenses.

Brig. Gen. Thomas F. Davis, commanding United States troops intrenched near the Mexican line, made a careful inspection of his men. He also kept a close watch of the Mexican military movements, plainly to be seen from the American side of the border.

Thousands of spectators witnessed the first firing incident to the expected attack. A horseman believed to have been a Carranza spy suddenly broke away from the Villa column and raced for his life from a shower of bullets for the beleaguered Mexican town.

"If necessary, I will fight the United States army assembled along the border," Villa asserted after hearing for the first time that the American government had given permission for Carranza to transport troops from Eagle Pass, Texas, to reinforce the garrison at Agua Prieta.

STILL BATTLE FOR RIGA

Russians Are Holding Well With Apparent Sufficient Ammunition Supply—Fight in Galicia.

London.—In the east a battle is still raging from Riga to Dvinsk, which for nearly two months Field Marshal von Hindenburg has been endeavoring to reach. For a week the Germans have poured a rain of shells on the Russian positions along a front of 150 miles, from the mouth of the Dvina to the south of Dvinsk, but although the Russians are falling back a little in the north, they have generally held firm and returned shot for shot, which is taken here to indicate that their supply of ammunition is now satisfactory. Through the lake district, between Dvinsk and Sventsyany, the Russians are steadily advancing and are approaching the Vinnitsa-Dvinsk Railway. In the south they also continue harrying the Austro-Germans by frequent thrusts. Emperor Nicholas and his son are visiting Gen. Ivanoff in this region.

As the Germans are reported to have sent a part of Gen. von Linsingen's army from this region to the Roumanian frontier to guard against a Roumanian attack on Field Marshal von Mackensen's forces in Serbia, important events are looked for along the Stry and in Galicia.

Gen. Joffre, the French commander-in-chief, has arrived in England. He had a long conference with Earl Kitchener and also visited the other ministers.

BLANCHE WALSH IS DEAD

Famous Actress a Martyr to the Stage. Insisted on Appearing Too Soon After Operation.

Cleveland, Ohio.—Blanche Walsh, the famous actress, died at Lakeside Hospital here Oct. 20, a martyr to her profession.

At the close of an engagement at the Hippodrome here recently, Miss Walsh was operated on for appendicitis. Before she had entirely recovered she insisted on going to Youngstown to fulfill an engagement. She collapsed there and was brought back here. Since then she has been extremely low. Miss Walsh first became ill of a complication of ailments while playing in Toledo about five weeks ago.

Blanche Walsh was born in New York City Jan. 4, 1873. Her father was the late Thomas Power Walsh, Tammy leader and one time warden of the Tombs prison. She graduated from public school No. 50 in 1896. Miss Walsh married H. W. Travers in 1906. There are no children. Her home is "The Lilacs," Great Neck, L. I.

King George Is Hurt

London.—An accident to the king happened when he was thrown from his horse and severely bruised during a review of troops. It is understood that the accident was not serious, although no details have been given.

Russia Buys Cloth

London.—Contracts have been signed by William M. Wood, president of the American Woolen Company, for the delivery of 5,000,000 yards of uniform cloth to the Russian government.

F-4 CREW BATTLED TO LAST

Inquiry Board Finds Evidence of Terrific Struggle in Sunken Submarine.—Leak Started the Disaster.

Washington.—A graphic story of the battle for life waged in vain 300 feet beneath the surface of the sea by the 21 men who perished in the navy's submarine F-4 last March at Honolulu is told in the final report of the loss of the vessel submitted by a board of inquiry headed by Rear Admiral Busch which has been made public. Examination of the wrecked hull after it had been brought to the surface and placed in drydock convinced the board that the disaster was caused by a leak resulting from a corroded battery lining and the failure of the boat through poor diving qualities to respond promptly to the rudder changes which should have returned her to the surface.

Discarding the theory once advanced that chlorine gas brought quick relief in death to the crew, the board, from signs within the rusted and battered hull, pieces out in its report a dramatic account of how the doomed men strove desperately to save themselves as their vessel sank to the bottom. Fifteen met death in the engine room, where they sought refuge at the last; six died at their posts in the flooded forward compartment.

All members of the ship's company are absolved from blame in this tribute.

"From the facts established we find that the accident resulting in disaster to the U. S. S. submarine F-4 on March 25, 1916, was not due to carelessness, negligence or inefficiency on the part of the officers or men of the vessel, and that, furthermore, the personnel remained at their respective stations until all effective means employed to avert the disaster impending had failed and thereafter sought refuge."

20 CHILDREN DIE IN FIRE

Panic Seized Children When the Fire Alarm Sounded in Parish School at Peabody, Mass.

Peabody, Mass. Twenty children, most of them girls 7 to 17 years old, lost their lives in a fire that destroyed St. John's Parochial School at this place Oct. 28. Another girl probably will die; several were severely hurt.

The 600 children had entered their classrooms for the morning session when the fire was discovered, and although most of them were guided to safety by sisters of the Order of Notre Dame, who were their teachers, panic seized many as they neared the front door, and in their rush to escape they lost their footing and their bodies blocked the exit. It was in the front vestibule that nearly all the bodies were found.

Of the 19 bodies at an undertaking shop 10 had been identified. They were Mabel Beauchamp, Nellie Burns, Florence Bourke, Elizabeth Comen, Helen Bresnahan, Annie Bolecky, Ida Eselambre, Mildred Egan, Helen H. Keefe and Annie M. O'Brien.

All of the children were seriously burned.

How the fire started may never be known. The first word of the blaze, it is believed, came from a tardy pupil who smelled smoke and reported it to the mother superior. The children had just finished morning prayer when the gong sounded for fire drill.

SAYS ACT IS UNNEUTRAL

Austria Opposes Large Exports of Munitions to Allies in Late Note to United States.

Washington.—Austria has flatly denied the right of the United States to export munitions to the allies in a diplomatic note received at the State Department. The communication contends that the old rules of international law cannot be applied of the extraordinary conditions of the present.

While not assailing the abstract right of the United States to furnish munitions to belligerents, the note declares for a new and more liberal construction of the code existing between nations.

Officials who discussed the note declared that by more than indirectness Austria has sustained the activities in the United States of Ambassador Duménil, who, at the request of the president, has ceased to represent Austria in this country. There is in the note, however, no reference to the charge made by the United States that Dr. Duménil was seeking to interfere with the munitions plants themselves and also with an internal policy of this country.

Another Garibaldi Wounded.

Udine, Italy.—Sante Garibaldi, another son of Gen. Ricciotti Garibaldi, has been wounded by a bullet in the hand. The condition of his brother, Ezio, who was seriously wounded while near Coularca, is slowly improving.

Believe Higher-Ups Responsible.

New York.—Federal authorities do not believe that those most responsible for the alleged conspiracy to destroy trans-Atlantic ships laden with munitions of war have yet been found, according to a statement by United States Attorney H. Snowden Marshall.

"No more warrants have been issued and no more arrests have been contemplated for the present," Mr. Marshall added, "yet there may be further arrests later."

KEY TO NISH IN BULGAR'S HANDS

PIROT, STRONG SERB FORTRESS, GUARDING CAPITAL, FALLS TO INVADERS.

TEUTONS ALSO ATTACKING

Central Powers Would Surround Serb Army and Capture Their Arsenal.

Montenegro Heavily Engaged With Austrians.

London.—The Serbian fortress of Pirot, described as the key to Nish, is in the hands of the Bulgarians, while the Austro-Germans from the north are endeavoring to form a ring around Kraguyevatz, where the Serbian arsenal is situated. Thus, besides endangering both the Serbian war capital and the town where the Serbian munitions are manufactured, the invaders are narrowing the gap through which the Serbian army in the north-east can escape.

Simultaneously the Austrians are attacking Montenegro to remove, if possible, the danger of an enemy army on their flank. Apparently the fighting between the Austrians and Montenegrins along the Drina river is of a most sanguinary character, as it took the Austrians with far superior equipment more than a week to force a crossing of the river at one point alone, that of Visehrad.

The Anglo-French troops are firmly establishing themselves along the southern end of the Nish railway and, crossing into Bulgaria, have occupied the hills surrounding Strumitsa, although the capture of that town, which has been reported, is not officially confirmed.

The allied fleets, too, have again bombarded the Bulgarian towns on the Aegean Sea. While these efforts take some of the strain off heavily tried Serbia, there is no reliable information as to the movements of the greater or lesser forces which it is hoped, will save her. Reports continue to circulate, chiefly from German sources, of a Russian army which is to march across Slavia to the rescue. But of the British and French reinforcements, no news has been received. It is possible that in addition to direct assistance, the allies will try indirect means whereby the Austro-Germans may be prevented from sending reinforcements to Serbia.

VIVIANI MINISTRY RESIGNS

Change in French Government Comes as a Surprise—Briand, Former Premier, to Head Cabinet.

Paris.—The French cabinet of which Rene Viviani was head, has resigned and Aristide Briand has been called upon to form a new cabinet.

The subject of M. Viviani's retirement from the premiership and the reorganization of the cabinet was discussed at length by the political leaders, but as no definite arrangement could be reached, the chamber of deputies, which was awaiting the appearance of the ministry in the house, adjourned on Oct. 25 without any formal announcement having been made.

There had been rumors since the resignation of Theophile Delcasse, the foreign minister, of important changes in the cabinet, but the withdrawal of M. Viviani was in the nature of a surprise, as his ministry received a vote of confidence in the chamber recently by a very large majority. One explanation offered is that Premier Viviani has overtaxed his strength in his official position by his strenuous services in connection with the war.

Aristide Briand, who held the office of minister of justice in the cabinet and who was premier in 1915, in a statement respecting the changes in the cabinet, said he had received no official mandate, as there was no ministerial crisis. Throughout the day he conferred with the political leaders of all shades of opinion with the purpose of reorganizing the ministry so as to include the best available men in the country. It is believed M. Briand will be officially invested with the mission of forming a new cabinet as soon as his selections for the various portfolios are made.

Dutch Steamer a Prize.

Halifax, N. S.—The Dutch steamer Hambrun, from New York, and the steamer Hocking, from New York for Norfolk, have been brought into port here by prize crews from a British warship. The Hocking was formerly the Danish steamer Gronland, but was recently changed to American registry and was flying the American flag when overhauled by the warship.

Hooked Up Money.

Baltimore.—By the use of a device resembling a fountain pen, an unidentified man hooked up a package of \$1,800 and a check for \$22,000 from the National Exchange Bank, while three confederates engaged the bank teller in conversation. The men made off before the teller realized what had occurred.

Sink Four More German Ships.

Petrograd.—British submarines have sunk four more German steamers in the Baltic.

WAY OPENED TO TURKEY

Teutons and Bulgars Open Up Road Through Serbia—Conspiracy Against Bulgaria's King.

London.—The German army which crossed the Danube at Orsova has joined the Bulgarians who invaded Serbia near Prashovo, and the central power now have an open road through Northeastern Serbia and Bulgaria to the Aegean Sea and Constantinople.

The Germans thus are in a position to send guns and munitions by river and railway to their Bulgarian and Turkish allies.

The invasion of the northern portions of Serbia by the Austro-Germans continues, while Bulgaria is putting forth a strong effort to get control of more of the Belgrade-Saloniki railway.

So far as the north is concerned, Serbia, her allies fear, is doomed, but in the south, re-enforced by the British and French, Serbia is using all her strength to throw the Bulgarians back. After the French victory at Krivolak, the Serbians, according to Athens, reoccupied Veles, an important junction point south of Uskup, where a big battle is still in progress.

It is argued here that if the Bulgarians can be held in the south until Anglo-French re-enforcements now on the way arrive, Bulgaria may yet be robbed of Macedonia, on which she has set her heart. But the allies also will have to make an attempt to block the German road to Turkey, and their big attack may be directed elsewhere.

The internal situation in Bulgaria, which is reported serious, may have some effect on the campaign. A military conspiracy against King Ferdinand, Athens dispatches say, has been unearthed and the leaders have been shot. Many inhabitants of Bulgaria are said to be still loyal to Russia and are showing disinclination to join the colors.

The Roumanians, too, are displaying some uneasiness as to the ineffectiveness of their government, and an agitation in favor of the allies, according to unofficial reports, is being carried on by influential leaders.

VILLA PREPARES TO STRIKE

Solid Column Three Miles in Length Moving Against Gen. Carranza's Troops At Agua Prieta.

Douglas, Ariz.—Moving in a solid column three miles long, the invading army of Gen. Francisco Villa has been discovered marching up the Bergardino River Valley, 15 miles south of San Bernardino and 22 miles east of Agua Prieta, Sonora.

At the rate the army was marching it will arrive within striking distance of the Carranza stronghold in time to make dispositions for an early attack upon the forces of Gen. P. Elias Calles.

The discovery was made by scouts almost simultaneously with an engagement between Carranza troops and a detachment of Villa's left flank at Cabullona, 15 miles south of Agua Prieta. Gen. Calles had sent 800 infantry and cavalry to Cabullona, which was held by apparently 400 Villa troops. In a brief fight the Calles troops were overwhelmed the Villa party, after killing and capturing a number.

The infantry detachment returned to Agua Prieta with the prisoners taken, leaving the cavalry to hold Cabullona. One troop of Calles soldiers also attacked a Yaqui detachment near Anavacachi Pass, 12 miles west of Agua Prieta. According to reports from the headquarters of Calles, the Yaquis were defeated.

Gen. Urbulejo, the Yaqui leader, however, still holds Anavacachi Pass. Carranza officials explaining that the fight did not occur in the pass.

Two battalions of the Seventh and Twentieth United States Infantry have arrived at Douglas, increasing the American army forces here by approximately 800 men. Mexican troops reported on the way from Eagle Pass, inbound, were not heard from by rail road officials.

U. S. ISSUES WHITE BOOK

Diplomatic Disputes With Belligerents Are Revealed in Document of State Department.

Washington.—A second installment of what has come to be popularly known as the United States government White Book has been issued by the State Department. It gives the text of important diplomatic correspondence since its publication of the first installment last May.

Besides constituting a public record of the position of the United States as precedent for the future, the volume reveals to the public a series of charges and counter-charges by the belligerents that reflect the difficulties constantly encountered in the delicate task of observing neutrality.

Much of the correspondence never before has been made public in text, although press dispatches have covered most of it in substance.

Death Duel in Air.

Cleveland.—A horrified crowd saw a death duel 60 feet in the air on an arch of the new high level bridge over the Cuyahoga River, in which Frank Wright, storekeeper for the bridge contractors, was killed by a fellow workman with an iron bar. The killing was witnessed by Wright's wife. The two men wrestled back and forth on the arch, and both came near to falling into the river several times. After killing Wright his slayer jumped from the platform to platform until he reached the ground.

MR. MANN IN ERROR

Congressman Not Preaching Republican Doctrine.

His Admission That the Country May Exist, Though Under Democratic Control, Not Like the Old G. O. P. Arguments.

Though the clouds of fatuous Democratic politics may gather thick and black, though despair may fill the air, though destruction may threaten farm and factory interests, milder and magisterial, the permanent sources of the country will remain. The sun will continue to shed its light and heat. The rich fertility of the soil will still be there. The rains and the dews will not stop.—Congressman James R. Mann.

This is little less than treason to the fundamental Republican doctrine of a special partnership with the Almighty which forbids the sun to shine and the rain and dews to fall and the soil to give forth its increase when the Democrats are in power and the sacred schedules are being touched with profane hands. Mr. Mann talks like a quitter, whom God Almighty hates, as Sam Fessenden said of Joe Manley. Why not say that the big crops are a Democratic invention and do not in fact exist?—New York World.

Mr. Sheehan Wrong. Mr. Wickersham says that the apportionment of 1894 was ratified by a majority of the voters in the state and city. This is true; but, as I pointed out to the convention, Democracy in 1894 was not a name to conjure with. The passage of the Wilson tariff law in 1893 was followed by a long period of commercial and industrial depression.—William F. Sheehan in a Letter to the New York Sun.

Mr. Sheehan has his political history slightly twisted. The Wilson tariff was not passed in 1893. It did not become a law until August 27, 1894, and then without the approval of President Cleveland. The commercial and industrial depression to which Mr. Sheehan refers began before President Cleveland was elected, reached its height before the Wilson tariff was enacted, and ended while the Wilson tariff was still in force.

"Momentous"

Senator Weeks of Massachusetts, who is a prospective candidate for the Republican nomination for president, knows what he is talking about when he calls the tariff a "momentous" issue. Without the tariff, how are the Republicans going to get a campaign fund in 1916? The business of fat-frying has been sadly crippled of late. The railroads, the banks, the insurance companies and the big industrial corporations are all protected by law, and admonished by law. To try to light a fire under them is a waste of matches. But the beneficiaries of tariff extortion are ready to contribute. They are always willing to pay handsomely for the privilege of getting their feet back into the trough and hogging everything. So the Republican organization leaders turn instinctively to the tariff monopolists.

History Likely to Repeat.

Senator Borah's idea of the political situation merits attention. There would be no difficulty in defeating the Democratic party itself next year, he says, were it not for the personal popularity and strength of President Wilson. Conditions like these confronted the Democrats in 1872, when they held the Republican party in supreme contempt but had doubts of their ability to "beat Old Grant," which were justified by events.

Country's Business in Good Shape.

Agricultural interests, manufacturing interests, mining interests, commercial interests are in far better condition, one and all, than at any previous period of our national history and the financial interests of the country were never before in position to do their part so fully, so wisely, so efficiently, so safely and so reasonably, so far as rates of interest are concerned, as at this very time.

Borah's Fears Well Grounded.

On the one hand, remarks Senator Borah, we have President Wilson with a solid Democracy and a growing general popularity; on the other, we have the Republicans getting ready for an internal shindy. He did not openly predict a quarrelsome division; but the prediction was implicit in his fear that the Republican party would not "do the wise thing" and adopt a liberal platform.

Favors Expenditures.

With an expenditure of \$430,000,000 a year for the army and navy, the United States as a peaceable nation will be paying a fair rate of insurance against war and devastation on its wealth of \$150,000,000,000 or thereabouts.—New York Herald.

Senatorial Activity.

The senate in the near future is going to afford increased opportunities for usefulness and distinction. It is going to be the scene of some strenuous activities. More than ever, it is going to be the refuge of the minority. True, there is talk of cloture, and some men predict that cloture is coming, and almost at hand. But even in that event while the senate, it will never be possible to control or interfere there as completely as it is controlled in the house.

THE CHARM OF MOTHERHOOD

Enhanced By Perfect Physical Health.

The experience of Motherhood is trying one to most women and marks distinctly an epoch in their lives. Not one woman in a hundred is prepared or understands how to properly care for herself. Of course nearly every woman nowadays has medical treatment at such times, but many approach the experience with an organism unfitted for the trial of strength, and when it is over her system has received a shock from which it is hard to recover. Following right upon this comes the nervous strain of caring for the child, and a distinct change in the mother results.

There is nothing more charming than a happy and healthy mother of children, and indeed child-birth under the right conditions need be no hazard to health or beauty. The unexplainable thing is that, with all the evidence of shattered nerves and broken health resulting from an unprepared condition, and with ample time in which to prepare, women will persist in going blindly to the trial.

Every woman at this time should rely upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a most valuable tonic and invigorator of the female organism.

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Had Experience.

"So," said the old general, "you think you would make a good valet for an old wreck like me, do you? I have a glass eye, a weak leg and a wax arm that need looking after, not to mention false teeth, and so forth." "Oh, that's all right, general," replied the applicant, enthusiastically: "I've had lots of experience. I worked six years in the assembling department of a big motor car factory."—Tit-Bits.

DEATH LURKS IN A WEAK HEART.

So on first symptoms use "Renovine" and be cured. Delay and pay the awful penalty. "Renovine" is the heart's remedy. Price \$1.00 and 50c.—ADV.

The Right of Way.

"Where was it the students of this college had such a broil last year?" "I guess it was on the gridiron."

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Can't Do the Work

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HIS LOVE STORY

MARIE VAN VORST

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SYNOPSIS.

The Count de Sabron, captain of French cavalry, takes to his quarters to raise by hand a motherless Irish terrier pup, and names it Fitchbone. He lives with the Marquise d'Esclagnac and her daughter, Julia Redmond, American heiress, who shares for him an English bulldog that she calls "the dog." Sabron is ordered to Algeria, but is not allowed to take his dog. The Marquise d'Esclagnac, who is a devoted servant of dogs, takes care of the dog during his master's absence, but Fitchbone, homesick for his master, runs away from her. The Marquise plans to marry Julia to the Duc de Tremont, but Julia, who is in love with Sabron, writes him that Fitchbone has run away from her. He writes Julia of Fitchbone. The Duc de Tremont finds the American heiress suspicious. A newspaper report that Sabron is coming the morning after an engagement with the Marquise d'Esclagnac falls into the dry bed of a river, and is watched over by Fitchbone. After a horrible night and day Fitchbone saves him. Julia goes in search of Sabron, reported missing. Tremont takes Julia and the Marquise to Algeria in his yacht, not knowing their errand.

CHAPTER XVI—Continued.

With his godmother he was entirely at ease. Ever since he had paid his trifling debts when he was a young man, he had adored her. Tremont, always discreet and almost in love with his godmother, kept her in a state of great good humor always, and when she had suggested to him this little party he had been delighted. In speaking over the telephone the Marquise d'Esclagnac had said very firmly:

"My dear Robert, you understand that this excursion engages you to nothing."

"Oh, of course, marraine."

"We both need a change, and between ourselves, Julia has a little mission on foot."

Tremont would be delighted to help Miss Redmond carry it out. Whom else should he ask?

"By all means, any one you like," said his godmother diplomatically. "We want to sail the day after tomorrow. She felt safe knowing that no worldly people would accept an invitation on twenty-four hours' notice."

"So," the Duc de Tremont reflected, as he hung up the receiver, "Miss Redmond has a scheme, a mission! Young girls do not have schemes and missions in good French society."

"Mademoiselle," he said to her, as they walked up and down on the deck in the pale sunset, in front of the chair of the Marquise d'Esclagnac, "I never saw an ornament more becoming to a woman than the one you wear."

"The ornament, Monsieur?"

"On your sleeve. It is so beautiful. A string of pearls would not be more beautiful, although your pearls are lovely, too. Are all American girls Red Cross members?"

"But of course not, Monsieur. Are all girls anywhere one thing?"

"Yes," said the Duc de Tremont, "they are all charming, but there are gradations."

"Do you think that we shall reach Algiers tomorrow, Monsieur?"

"I hope not, Mademoiselle."

Miss Redmond turned her fine eyes on him.

"You hope not?"

"I should like this voyage to last forever, Mademoiselle."

"How ridiculous!"

Her look was so frank that he laughed in spite of himself, and instead of following up the politeness, he asked:

"Why do you think of Algiers as a field for nursing the sick, Mademoiselle?"

"There has been quite a deputation of the Red Cross women lately going from Paris to the East."

"But," said the young man, "there are poor in Tarragon, and sick, too. There is a great deal of poverty in Nice, and Paris is the nearest of all."

"The American girls are very imaginative," said Julia Redmond. "We must have some romance in all we do."

"I find the American girls very charming," said Tremont.

"Do you know many, Monsieur?"

"Only one," he said serenely.

Miss Redmond changed the subject quickly and cleverly, and before he knew it, Tremont was telling her stories about his own military service, which had been made in Africa. He talked well and entertained them both, and Julia Redmond listened when he told her of the desert, of its charm and its desolation, and of its dangers. An hour passed. The Marquise d'Esclagnac took an antepandrial stroll, Mimi miming at her heels.

"Ce pauvre Sabron!" said Tremont. "He has disappeared off the face of the earth. What a horrible thing it was, Mademoiselle! I knew him in Paris; I remember meeting him again the night before he left the Midi. He was a fine fellow with a career before him, his friends say."

"What do you think has become of Monsieur de Sabron?"

Miss Redmond, so far, had only been able to ask this question of her aunt and of the stars. None of them

had been able to tell her. Tremont shrugged his shoulders thoughtfully.

"He may have dragged himself away to die in some ambush that they have not discovered, or likely he has been taken captive, le pauvre diable!"

"France will do all it can, Monsieur."

"They will do all they can, which is to wait. An extraordinary measure, if taken just now, would probably result in Sabron being put to death by his captors. He may be found tomorrow—he may never be found."

A slight murmur from the young girl beside him made Tremont look at her. He saw that her hands were clasped and that her face was quite white, her eyes staring fixedly before her, out toward Africa. Tremont said:

"You are compassion itself, Mademoiselle; you have a tender heart. No wonder you wear the Red Cross. I am a soldier, Mademoiselle. I thank you for all soldiers. I thank you for Sabron—but we must not talk of such things."

He thought her very charming, both romantic and idealistic. She would make a delightful friend. Would she not be too intense for a wife? However, many women of fashion joined the Red Cross. Tremont was a commonplace man, conventional in his heart and in his tastes.

"My children," said the marquise, coming up to them with Mimi in her arms, "you are as serious as though we were on a boat bound for the North Pole and expected to live on tinned things and salt fish. Aren't you hungry, Julia? Robert, take Mimi to my maid, will you? Julia, said her aunt as Tremont went away with the little dog, "you look dramatic, my dear; you're pale as death in spite of this divine air and this enchanting sea."

She linked her arm through her niece's. "Take a brisk walk with me for five minutes and whip up your blood. I believe you were on the point of making Tremont some unwise confession."

"I assure you no, ma tante."

"Isn't Bob a darling, Julia?"

"Awfully," returned her niece absent-mindedly.

"He's the most eligible young man in Paris, Julia, and the most difficult to please."

"Ma tante," said the girl in a low tone, "he tells me that France at present can do practically nothing

appeal to her. You will have to make love to her, Robert. Can you do it?"

"But, marraine, I might as well make love to a sister of charity."

"There was la Belle Heloise, and no woman is immune."

"I think she is engaged to some American cowboy who will come and claim her, marraine."

"Rubbish!" she said. "She is engaged to no one, Bob. She is an idealist, a Rosalind, but that will not prevent her from making an excellent wife."

"She is certainly very beautiful," said the Duc de Tremont, and he told Julia so.

"You are very beautiful," said the Duc de Tremont to Miss Redmond, as she leaned on the balcony of the villa. The bougainvillea leaned against her breast.

"When you stood in the hospital under the window and sang to the poor devils, you looked like an angel."

"Poor things!" said Julia Redmond. "Do you think that they liked it?"

"Liked it?" exclaimed the young man enthusiastically. "Couldn't you see by their faces? One poor devil said to me: 'One can do better now, Monsieur.' There was no hope for him, it seems."

Tremont and Marquise d'Esclagnac had decidedly gone with Julia Redmond every day at a certain hour to the different hospitals, where Julia, after rendering some slight services to the nurses—for she was not needed—sang for the sick, standing in the outer hallway of the building open on every side. She knew that Sabron was not among these sick. Where he was or what sounds his ears might hear, she could not know; but she sang for him, and the fact put a sweetness in her voice that touched the ears of the suffering and uplifted those who were too far down to be uplifted, and as for the dying, it helped them, as the soldier said, to die.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Tabloid Aeroplanes.

The British reason, quite logically, that the smaller the aeroplane and the faster it can fly the less danger of its being hit by shots fired from earth.

So the British airman favors an unusually small machine, which they call the "tabloid." A very light frame is fitted with an 80-horsepower motor, which will drive the frail machine through the air at the rate of 100 miles an hour. The engine is covered with armor. The aviator seeking to drop a bomb on the enemy approaches his target at a height of 5,000 feet. When straight above it, he turns the nose of his machine straight down and drops at terrific speed. When within 500 feet of the target he drops his bombs as quickly as possible and then shoots skyward at a tremendous pace—American Boy.

Hopeful Mission.

If even one of those 300 commercial travelers who have gone to South America succeeds in making a South American see a United States joke their toll will not have been in vain.—Cleveland Leader.

CHAPTER XVII.

Out of the Desert.

From a dreamy little villa, where the walls were streaming with bougainvillea, Miss Redmond looked over Algiers, over the tumult and hum of it to the sea. Tremont, by her side, looked at her. From head to foot the girl was in white. On one side the bougainvillea laid its scarlet flowers against the stainless linen of her dress, and on her other arm was the Red Cross.

The American girl and the Frenchman had become the best of friends. She considered him a sincere companion and an unconscious confederate. He had not yet decided what he thought of her, or how. His promise to remain on the yacht had been broken and he paid his godmother and Miss Redmond constant visits at their villa, which the marquise rented for the season.

There were times when Tremont thought Miss Redmond's exile a fantastic one, but he always found her fascinating and a lovely woman, and he wondered what it was that kept him from laying his title and his fortune at her feet. It had been understood between the godmother and himself that he was to court Miss Redmond à l'américaine.

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Folk We Touch In Passing

By Julia Chandler Mary

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"I Want to Work With You; to Be Your True Companion."

THE GULF

When The Man and The Woman were married she was willing enough to bear her share of the world's work. In fact it was her idea that those who love and marry should pull together in double harness, accomplishing success through combined energy, and when they made the path of life some what smoother through their common labor, grow old together.

But The Man's conception of marriage was quite another matter.

"Why," said he to his bride, "what is a man's love for if not to protect the woman he loves? Besides, I value your loveliness too much to run the risk of losing it. Hardship and work make one old and ugly early in life. I shall protect your beauty—your wonderful, wonderful beauty."

Whereupon The Woman's laughter rippled like a sweet song in his ears even while she told him that she had rather be a true helpmate to him than a dressed-up doll to adorn his home, and The Man kissed her rapturously, insisting that his was the right to bear the greater share of all the burdens marriage entailed.

During the first few years of their life together, The Woman often protested to The Man that he was working too hard, and more often complained that she would prefer fewer servants and less costly frocks to his constant absence from home.

"I want you, dear," she told him tenderly. "I want our marriage to mean something deeper than show. I want to work with you; to be your true companion."

Whereupon The Man took her soft hands within his own and kissed each rose-tinted finger, telling her how proud he was of her beauty, of the admiration in which his friends all held her, and insisted that she had no business in the world of work and usefulness.

"But," protested The Woman, "aside from the fact that I am of no service in your scheme of living, I am lonely. Of what good is my beauty to you when you are never at home to see it?"

"That will not be for always," laughed The Man. "I am coming on splendidly. Before many years have gone by I hope to have my business in such shape that it will take little of my time. Then, dear one, we will enjoy life together. In the meantime amuse yourself as you please—only see that you keep your youth."

The Woman obeyed the wish of The Man. She knew the art of keeping her youth and beauty and pursued it with a diligence worthy a better cause.

As the years went by The Man worked like a slave. He was seldom with The Woman, and long since she learned the futility of protests and complaints. His business interests grew bigger and bigger, and absorbed more of his time as they grew. He did not have much leisure in which

to look at The Woman, but when he did it was always with supreme pleasure and satisfaction, and if ever he had stopped in his mad pursuit of financial power to thank the good God for anything it would have been for the success of his work which had enabled him to protect his wife from every hardship—from every ugly thing in life that helps to bring the lines of fret and worry to a woman's face and the stoop of age to her shoulders.

The Woman, from the high pedestal upon which The Man had set her, looked out over the valley in which he worked. She saw him giving of his might to the achievement of wealth. At first she was proud of his success, although it never ceased to hurt her that she had no share in the work which brought it, but when she voiced the hurt to The Man he told her that she was the very foundation of his success, his inspiration, his incentive, and The Woman learned eventually to be silent while she watched The Man grow fagged and old and ugly as the battle he fought took its toll of his strength.

The time came when a gulf stretched between The Man and The Woman that neither the one nor the other could bridge. The Man who had forged all the links of their united life, alone and unassisted, found himself stooped with care before his time, while The Woman, because she had not borne her share of the burden, was younger than her years in both appearance and experience. Finally the space between them became so wide that The Woman made no effort to call across it, and The Man was so absorbed in making dollars that he did not notice what was happening until one day it was borne in upon him that he had become an old man—wrinkled and stooped and unsteady.

Whereupon he turned his face toward The Woman, but all he saw was the great gulf of seething waters which stretched between them, and all he heard was her laughter across the distance as younger men told her how wonderful a thing was the youth and beauty which she had managed to keep.

Windmill Signals.

The English are a practical people who know the consequences of spying. At Lemnos there are a number of mills, five or six in a group. The owners of these mills are not permitted to run them altogether to their liking. The English admiral requires that they shall have his authorization. A proprietor came one day to ask the admiral permission to run four mills for two hours. The officer responded:

"No, you may run two mills four hours." The reason for this has been stated that certain millers had an outside acquaintance with the sea where the wings of their mills would carry signals and reveal to the German submarines prowling about the island the movements of the boats of the allies. —Le Cri de Paris.



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FEW CHURCHES DIE THAT WAY

Colored Preacher Unlikely to Be Called Upon to Fulfill Vow That He Had Made.

The following story comes to us from old Virginia:

A devout colored preacher, whose heart was aglow with missionary zeal, gave notice to his congregation that in the evening an offering would be taken for missions and asked for liberal gifts. A selfish, well-to-do man in the congregation said to him before the service: "Yer gwine to kill dis church ef yer goes sayin' 'give! No church can stan' it. Yer gwine ter kill it!"

After the sermon the colored minister said to the people: "Brother Jones told me I was gwine to kill this church if I kep' a-sakin' 'er to give; but, my brethren, churches doesn't die dat way. Ef anybody knows of a church that died 'cause it's bean givin' too much to de Lord, I'll be very much obliged ef my brother will tell me what church is, for I'm gwine to visit it, and I'll climb on de walls of dat church, under de light of de moon and cry: 'Blessed am de dead dat die in de Lord.'"—Cleveland Intelligencer.

He Lived There.

James E. Ferguson, governor of Texas, smiled the other evening when the conversation turned to the subject of bad breaks. He said he was reminded of how Smith sadly fozzled.

Some time ago Smith was taken to an entertainment in an unfamiliar town by a friend, and being somewhat bored toward the end of the show he looked around the room for a sympathetic soul.

"You look just the way I feel about it," he remarked to a sad-looking citizen. "These receptions are the most tiresome things on the face of the earth."

"Yes," admitted the sad-faced one, with something akin to a sigh. "They are rather tiresome."

"Bore you to beat the band," returned Smith, and then suggested, "Why don't you go home?"

"I am home," was the startling rejoinder of the other. "I live in the bloomin' place."

Hard to Tell.

"What is our national dish?"

"Well, I'm undecided between spaghetti à la Boston and goulash à la Maryland style."

Sounds Same.

"Did that actress really swoon?"

"No, child, that was only a feint."—Baltimore American.

AT SHOPS FOR TEN YEARS.

Tobacco Still Inactive.

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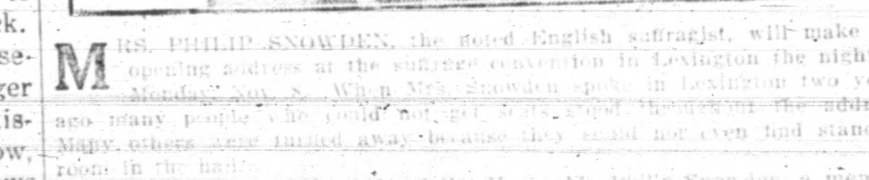
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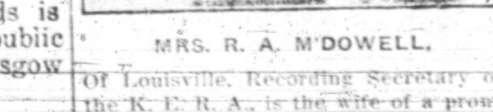
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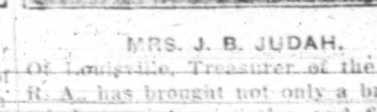
PETITIONS TO LEGISLATURE.
If you are willing to circulate a petition for the submission of woman suffrage to the voters to be presented to the next Legislature, apply to E. R. A. headquarters, 726 McClellan Building, Lexington, and petition will be furnished.



Mrs. Snowden is the wife of the Honorable J. H. Snowden, who has been appointed of the House of Commons, and at present one of the members of the cabinet. Her son, John George, to control the sale of some of the munitions area. Snowden's eldest daughter, Mrs. George, has been appointed a judge since her husband was returned to Parliament in 1907. In the last eight years she averaged two hundred public addresses a year, delivered in England, in country, and in Australia. Mrs. Snowden is now giving a month's campaigning in a New York State. She is the author of a book on "The Feminist Movement."



inent Louisville attorney, who is President of the Kentucky Men's League for Woman Suffrage. Mr. McDowell, as Chairman of the suffragent at the recent State Fair, secured over 1,500 signatures of men and



thusiasm to the suffrage cause,
most valuable experience as
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and the national Jewish Council
Women.

Foreign Speakers. Business Meetings and Social Events.

The twenty-sixth convention of the Kentucky Equal Rights Association will be held in Lexington Nov. 8-10. Features of the meeting will be addresses by Mrs. Philip Snowden of England, and by Madeline Ross Schwimmer of Hungary; a banquet at the Phoenix Hotel on Tuesday evening, with short toasts from the principal speakers of the convention, from the "writing women" of the state and distinguished Kentuckians; an automobile ride ending with a reception at Ashland, the home of Henry Clay; given Monday afternoon to the delegates and distinguished visitors of the convention; and a round-table discussion of the "Federal Union Can Afford the Woman Suffrage Movement," led by Mrs. Morris Bayne, first vice-president of the Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs, discussion and reports of press work and of current suffrage activity.

