

MIDSEASON DAY DRESSES; LUXURIOUS MIDWINTER COATS

MID-WINTER brings its heavy coats, and heavy coats are worn over day-dresses, so that these are the days when stylists concern themselves with frocks for street, traveling, business and informal afternoon wear. The tunic and sheath styles find themselves rivaled by silhouettes in which plaits, side panels, flares and draperies indicate a movement toward less dominance of the straight line.

Besides this diversity in silhouettes, interest is added to new day frocks by variety of materials used and by the introduction of smartly tailored models. For these business, or traveling, and

to a certainty—and that is the insistence of the mode in the matter of the straightline. There is variety in style of sleeves, collars, fastenings but no departure from the straight and narrow way in the silhouette. In sports models mannish types form a distinct class—roomy and very smartly styled but still straight. To make up for uniformity of line fashion favors us with much variety in colors and fabrics, countless trimming ideas both in fabrics and furs.

Even inexpensive coats are rich in appearance. Nearly



Tailored Model of Hairline Twill.

utility frocks, the choice of designers falls upon wool fabrics—poret and other twills in plain or hairline stripes, plain and checked flannels and other wools—while dresses that are to serve for informal afternoon wear add to the plain wools a choice of crepe-satin, flat crepe, canton and novelty weaves in wool.

But the variety in fabrics is far less than that in designs, which are so much varied by little differences in decoration. These dresses are all long-sleeved, but sleeve finishes and neck treatments know no end to individual touches. Some idea of the diversity in designs can be gathered from the illustration, which emphasizes a tailored model of hairline twill. This

all of them have some touch of fur— if only a band on the full collars so made as to muffle up the neck when they are needed. The care with which furs and fabrics are matched up in color tones—using shades that blend or sharp contrasts that are attractive—is an outstanding feature in the styles.

The two coats pictured disclose the management of fur trimming successfully, either when it is lavishly or sparingly used. In the coat at the left scallops of the material are placed over an underlying strip of metallic braid. One can imagine it in gray or beige pile fabric trimmed with squirrel fur in natural color, or in brown with a brown fur or black with black fur.



Two Comfortable Models.

Dresses have sloping panels at the sides, round collar and hand cuffs. Black braid and little bone buttons in gray, effectively used with black or dark blue, striped in gray. Black silk braids and bone buttons are logical adornments, but good use has been made of little round gun-metal buttons on similar designs.

Many dresses in dark wool materials are made with front panels of silk crepe in bright colors, as dark blue with red, dark brown with red-orange, navy with henna, or black with any of these shades. When only touches of bright color are wanted, plings, collars and cuffs usually contribute it.

The handsome coat at the right of brown cloth, has a trimming of dyed muskrat resembling mink.

All the warm wool browns in coats look well with brown fur that shades from very dark to lighter tones. Cranberry and burgundy reds, with the rust and henna shades, combine beautifully with Hudson seal or with black furs. Natural red fox finds place on very dark and on light cloth. A new fad has appeared in fur bindings, in which furs in strong color contrasts are fashioned into plaid or striped designs, but the more conservative combinations of furs that tone in with the color of the cloth are handsomest.

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THE WORLD IN PARAGRAPHS

A BRIEF RECORD OF PASSING EVENTS IN THIS AND FOREIGN COUNTRIES

IN LATE DISPATCHES

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WESTERN

Four men were killed and three seriously injured as a result of an aviation accident at the entrance to San Diego bay, when a big navy seaplane fell into the ocean.

Explosion in San Pedro harbor aboard the water taxi La Moyne while the vessel was returning with a full load of passengers to the various ships of the battle fleet, claimed the lives of two navy sailors and caused severe burns to one officer, two civilians and sixteen sailors.

Mrs. Rosemary Carnavan Sparkman, 28 years old, wife of Colley F. Sparkman, assistant professor of modern languages at the University of Utah, at Salt Lake City, and their two children, Wilford, 9, and Lorna Doone, 7, were found dead in the gas-filled home of the Sparkmans.

Property owners of Big Pine, in Owens valley, California, have definitely rejected a proposal by the city of Los Angeles for the settlement of alleged damages done by the city in acquiring water rights in that section. Los Angeles proposed to supply irrigation water for 30,000 acres of valley land, 3,000 acres of which would be near Big Pine, as a solution of the contention in that section that the city's water rights policy is turning the land into a desert.

The Cheyenne State Bank failed to open for business last week. A statement posted on the door said that the bank was in the hands of the state examiner. Its capital stock is \$100,000 and its liabilities at the time of its last statement approximated \$1,000,000. Deposits at the time approximated \$700,000. The Torrington National Bank of Torrington, Wyo., the Commercial Bank of Guernsey, Neb., and the State Bank of Lingle, Wyo., owned by the same group, also did not open, it was announced.

WASHINGTON

Secretary Mellon recently advised the House judiciary committee that Robert J. Owens, federal prohibition agent who raided the residence of Hugo Gilbert de Fritsch in New York last August, had been dismissed from the service for "deliberately making a false affidavit to procure a search warrant on private residence."

The death of Vice Consul Harry A. Dayton, shot several days ago in Belgrade, has been reported to the State Department. Mr. Dayton was first reported to have been shot by a young woman who afterwards committed suicide. No details of the tragedy, however, have been reported by Consul Patton, in charge of the Belgrade post.

The death rate in the registration area of the United States increased to 12.3 per 1,000 of population in 1923, from 11.8 in 1922. Mortality figures last year, made public by the Department of Commerce, show that only seven states out of the total of forty-eight comprising the death registration area, had a lower rate than in 1922. These were Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, South Carolina, Utah and Washington.

The government is returning, or about to return, a portion of the income tax paid for 1923. The total amount involved is \$137,000,225. The names of the 192,252 lucky ones, together with the amounts paid each, accompanied Secretary Mellon's report. They filled some 8,000 pages. The average refund amounted to approximately \$718.

Diplomatic representatives in China of the United States, Great Britain, Japan, France, Belgium, Italy and the Netherlands advised the Peking provisional government that the powers they represented would give full support to the new Chinese government provided it fulfilled all treaty conventions and other engagements entered into by its predecessors.

Great Britain's notice to France that any settlement of the French debt to the United States must be accompanied by a similar and simultaneous settlement with Great Britain will have no effect in halting the present negotiations between Paris and Washington over the adjustment of the French debt to this government. It was stated in official quarters in Washington a few days ago.

The city of Philadelphia was given permission by President Coolidge to retain Brig. Gen. Smedley D. Butler of the United States marine corps as its director of public safety for another year, but was reminded that "local self-government cannot be furnished from the outside."

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FOREIGN

Appointment of Tsuneo Matsudaira as Japanese ambassador to the United States was officially announced in Tokio last week. Matsudaira succeeds former Ambassador Hanihara.

An alleged Egyptian plot to assassinate prominent members of the British government and destroy various public buildings in London is reported by the Daily Mail, which declares government quarters regard it seriously.

"I go back to England with increased confidence in the future of the League of Nations," was the valedictory declaration of Austen Chamberlain, British foreign minister, delivered at an impressive public session of the league's council in Rome.

Gov. Gen. Leonard Wood signed the general appropriation bill calling for expenditures of approximately \$25,000, but vetoed certain items in the measure, including a \$50,000 appropriation for carrying on the work of the Filipino Independence Commission.

The recent reports from the allied military control mission in Germany have caused considerable worry in allied quarters. The mission, it is stated, has found numerous secret stores of newly manufactured arms and some newly perfected weapons, including antitank guns.

Complete success in putting a stop to the Communist agitation toward revolution was claimed by the French government, and Minister of Interior Chautemps, supreme head of the French police, was able to express entire satisfaction with the manner in which his men "nipped the action in the bud."

King George opened parliament in state with a speech from the throne full of pronouncements on foreign and domestic affairs. The king said the government was unable to recommend preliminary consideration of the soviet treaties, but he desired that "normal intercourse between the two countries shall not be interrupted."

Gen. John J. Pershing, carrying the title of special ambassador extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to Peru, arrived in Lima at the head of the United States delegation to attend the centennial of the Battle of Ayacucho at Lima on Dec. 9. This event is celebrated as the anniversary of Peruvian independence.

Baron Ago von Maltzan was officially appointed as German ambassador to the United States to succeed Dr. Otto Welfeld after it was learned that he had been declared acceptable by the Washington government. Baron von Maltzan is 47 years old and a native of Mecklenburg. He entered the foreign office as an attache in 1903.

He served as secretary of legation at Rio Janeiro, Christiania and St. Petersburg, and in 1912 became counselor of legation at Peking, where he remained until China entered the war against Germany. He has been an undersecretary in the foreign office for the last three years.

GENERAL

Eddie Collins, second baseman of the Chicago American League club, has been appointed manager of the White Sox for the 1925 season, succeeding Johnny Evers.

The Grand Trunk elevator at Port Huron, Mich., containing 600,000 bushels of grain, was destroyed and the barge Alexander Maitland, with a cargo of barley, was burned almost to the water's edge by fire of undetermined origin. Early estimates placed the loss at more than \$500,000.

Eastern Kentucky Tuesday suffered from one of the most disastrous floods in history as rain fell in torrents for forty-six hours. Creeks and streams, including Kentucky river, overflowed their channels and entire communities were inundated. Electric light and power lines in many districts were made inoperative and many sections were in darkness. Mines were forced to cease operations.

The twenty-fifth International Live-stock exposition at Chicago closed with a brilliant horse show and a final review of some of the prize winning stock from other departments. In the eight days of the show more than one quarter million persons visited the historic Dexter pavilion to view the selected specimens of the country's finest agricultural produce.

Losses to the jewelry trade throughout the country in robberies this far this year have exceeded last year's total by approximately \$1,000,000, according to the Jewelers' Security Alliance, which made public statistics on thefts recently in New York. Burglars and thieves have been very active in the last three months and heavy losses have continued, the statement says.

The board of health of New York has placed an embargo against the shipment of live chickens to New York City from North Dakota, South Dakota, Missouri, Kansas, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa and Nebraska. The embargo was ordered after it was found that a mysterious disease had affected chickens in New York in the last few weeks. The embargo does not affect the shipment of other kinds of poultry.

Federal Judge John C. Knox of New York City directed a jury to return a verdict of not guilty in the trial of the federal indictment against the New York Tribune Company, Inc., for publication of income tax returns. United States Attorney William Hayward announced that he would immediately take an appeal to the Supreme Court.

Gene Stratton Porter, novelist and short-story writer, died in Los Angeles from injuries suffered when her automobile collided with a street car. Her chauffeur, James Cowdy, also incurred serious injuries.

BRIEF ARIZONA ITEMS

Material is on the ground for the new telephone line, Hollbrook to Winslow.

The cotton crop for Yuma project is estimated at 21,000 bales, one bale per acre.

Yuma is in a high state of excitement as the result of two recent fires causing \$15,000 damage, both of which are believed to have been started by firebugs.

Patagonia district mines enjoy revival of prosperity. Several properties are now shipping ore to El Paso smelters. Strike of \$200 ore reported in Old Soldier mine.

Three children of Mr. and Mrs. Severino Diaz, Dolores, age 2, and Victoria and Magdalena, twins one month old, were burned to death in their home at the Kenilworth corral, seven miles west of Florence.

Plans for boosting the Gila county fair in all counties of the state were perfected at a meeting of the county fair commission held in Miami. Committees were appointed to make arrangements in connection with the fair and to complete publicity and advertising campaigns.

Covering the amount of the alleged shortage of the late city treasurer, F. E. Cole, a check for \$3,043.52 was received a few days ago by the city of Nogales from the American Security Company of New York. Cole died suddenly last summer about the time city auditors began making an audit on his books.

Cattle conditions on the Tonto National forest were described as the worst in years by T. T. Swift, forestry supervisor, who returned to Phoenix after an inspection of the district. He stated the drought condition was playing havoc with herds and that the lack of fodder was causing much hardship among grazers.

A company has been formed in Yuma to dredge for gold along the Gila river. The ground there has produced much gold to placer miners, but old methods have been too slow and costly to make it a paying proposition at the present time. Dredging can be done at a cost of 2 1/2 cents a yard and it is claimed that the operation will be profitable.

John Quinn, cashier of the recently closed Merchants and Miners' Bank of Ray, was placed in the county jail at Florence for alleged defalcations in connection with funds of the closed institution. Details of the complaint against Quinn were lacking, officials declining to discuss the case or the charge. The alleged defalcations, it was said, amount to approximately \$5,000.

Construction of the Fossil Creek road, connecting Gila and Yavapai counties, will cost approximately \$8,000 more than the original estimate of \$117,000. It was stated by the board of supervisors at Globe. The additional expense will necessarily be incurred, according to County Engineer James Parker, due to the fact that the formation believed to be solid rock had proved soft underneath.

The Spanish Springs irrigation project, the fight over which stopped all business in the Senate last June, was eliminated from the Interior Department appropriation bill as presented to the House. Against a budget estimate of \$500,000 for the project the committee decided to cut off the entire amount for which Senator Pittman, Democrat, Nevada, has fought stubbornly and which led him to conduct the filibuster which resulted at the last session in the failure of several appropriation bills.

F. S. Wheeler, chief engineer of the United States department of public roads, announced recently in Phoenix that the 72-mile stretch of forest reserve highway between Clifton and Springerville had been completed. This project cost \$665,000 and has been under construction for four years. The road later will be constructed seven to ten miles further to the Greenlee county line, according to Wheeler.

The Interior Department appropriation bill as reported to the House of Representatives carries \$450,000 to be immediately available for commencement of construction of the Coolidge dam across the canyon of the Gila river near San Carlos. This amount is \$50,000 less than the budget estimate, but that sum has been added to the appropriation for continuing construction of the main canal and laterals from the Florence diversion dam, making the total available for equal work \$2,000,000 instead of \$1,950,000 as estimated in the budget. Officials of the Indian bureau have approved this shift of \$50,000 in the appropriations and say that \$450,000 is sufficient for preliminary work on the Coolidge dam during the next fiscal year.

The Republican state central committee spent \$21,401 in the recent general election campaign, according to sworn statements filed in Phoenix with Secretary James R. Kerby. The statement shows that \$14,584.25 was contributed by the national Republican committee.

The Humboldt smelter will reopen soon after the first of the year if copper continues to hold its present price, according to an announcement made in Prescott by George M. Colvocoresses, general manager of the southwest company.

DEATH CLAIMS SAM GOMPERS

VETERAN LABOR CHIEF DIES AT SAN ANTONIO AFTER TRIP FROM MEXICO

LABOR IN MOURNING

FALLEN PRESIDENT ENDS FORTY-THREE YEARS' RULE OF UNION FEDERATION

San Antonio, Texas.—Samuel Gompers, who for more than forty years directed the destinies of the American Federation of Labor, died here Saturday morning, after realizing his last hope—that the end come on American soil.

The labor chieftain died surrounded by his comrades, many of whom had fought beside him shoulder to shoulder for a generation in behalf of the economic principles he expounded.

The end came in a local hotel eleven hours after his arrival from Mexico City, where he had been stricken earlier in the week. His last words were spoken to his nurse about an hour before he died. Realizing that he was losing the battle so stubbornly fought, he turned to her and whispered:

"Nurse, this is the end. God bless our American institutions. May they grow better day by day."

Shortly before he lapsed into the unconsciousness which presaged the end, Mr. Gompers gave a few single strokes of his hand and made a few life-long friends' farewell.

The body of the labor chieftain, sleeping in a massive bronze casket similar to that in which President Harding was laid to rest, was started on its long journey to the nation's capital, accompanied by his friends and associates. There were no services at the mortuary where the body reposed here.

New York.—Funeral services for Samuel Gompers, aged president of the American Federation of Labor, who died Saturday in San Antonio, Texas, was held at the rooms of the Elks' lodge, on West Forty-third street here, Thursday, at 9 a. m. Hugh Frazer had charge of funeral arrangements. The religious services were conducted by Rabbi Stephen A. Wise and the eulogy was delivered by James Duggan, first vice-president of the American Federation of Labor.

Washington.—Election of a successor to Samuel Gompers as president of the American Federation of Labor will cause one of the bitterest internal fights in the history of the organization, it was generally predicted here.

Literally there are scores of candidates for the post of the executive council in a theoretical candidate and it is safe to say that nearly all the presidents of the large unions have their hats in the ring. Narrowed down to the most likely selection there are six men whose chances for election seem to be brightest. They are Matthew Wolf, vice president of the Photo Engravers' Union; Wm. Green, vice president of the Mine Workers' Union; James Duggan, former leader of the Granite Cutters; John L. Lewis, international president of the Mine Workers' Union; John Fitzpatrick, president of the Chicago Federation of Labor; and Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, and William H. Johnston, president of the American Machinists Association, also is a possibility.

Washington.—The body of Samuel Gompers was taken to the headquarters of the American Federation of Labor immediately upon its arrival here and lie in state from 4 until 10:30 p. m. Tuesday.

Chilian Military Takes Over State

Santiago, Chile.—The military committee representing the army, navy, police and carabinieri has decided to declare that the present government had lost the confidence of its military forces. The decision of the committee followed the removal of Colonel Eyzaguirre from his position as commander of the Garibayeros, military police, and the refusal of the government to reconsider its action.

New Asks Higher Postal Rates

Washington.—Advances in postal rates, designed to yield very close to the proposed 68 million dollar year increase in the pay of postal employees, were suggested to Congress by Postmaster General New. They would affect virtually all classes of mail except letter mail.

Former New York Governor Dies

Albany, N. Y.—Former Gov. Martin H. Glynn dies in his home here Sunday. Death was probably of apoplexy, heart trouble, probably an outcome of spinal disease. Mr. Glynn for years was editor of the Times-Union, a local newspaper. Although known in his home state as editor, lawyer, compiler, bondholder, governor and mayor, Mr. Glynn's greatest services were his efforts in behalf of Ireland. Mr. Glynn was born in Kinderhook, southeast of Albany, Sept. 27, 1831.

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Elevator on Airplane

An airplane fitted with an elevator is being constructed for the French army. This will be used by the gunner in charge of two batteries of machine guns, one at the top and the other at the bottom of the fuselage. The machine is a giant bomber. Should an attack come from above, the gunner simply lifts himself by means of the elevator and gets in position to aim the top guns. When an attack comes from below he can lower himself the same way.

Willing Target

Jimmy and Donald had their fill of candy, and when more was offered said:
"Throw it in the waste basket."
"Throw it at me!" exclaimed little Jean, three years old.

Sounds Inconsistent

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SURVEYS IN COLORADO BASIN.

One of the largest and most hazardous projects undertaken by the department of the interior, through the geological survey has been that of mapping the Colorado river and its tributaries. From time to time since 1869, when Maj. J. W. Powell, afterward director of the geological survey, first explored the Grand Canyon of the Colorado, topographers, engineers, and geologists of the survey have been making surveys in parts of the 241,000 square miles drained by the river. Systematic surveys for a series of large scale maps of the river and the adjacent areas were begun in 1909, and the field work required for these maps is now practically completed. Much of this field work was hazardous and the surveying parties at times suffered great hardships.

When Major Powell made his historic first trip vast stretches of the basin of the Colorado were still unexplored, and the great canyon itself was practically unknown except as a theme for fantastic tales by the Indians. Today the maps prepared and the information collected by the geological survey furnish an accurate knowledge of nearly 2000 miles of the watercourse in this basin, showing every turn of every stream, the location and the fall of all the rapids, the topography and geology of the canyon walls, and the location and cross sections of the more feasible dam sites.

Some sections are now witnessing a three-cornered feud between prohibition officers, bootleggers and highjackers. The highjacker holds up and robs the bootlegger and the enforcement officers are after both. Several innocent citizens have been shot recently by being mistaken for one or the other. All of them are entirely too handy with their guns.

What the World Is Doing

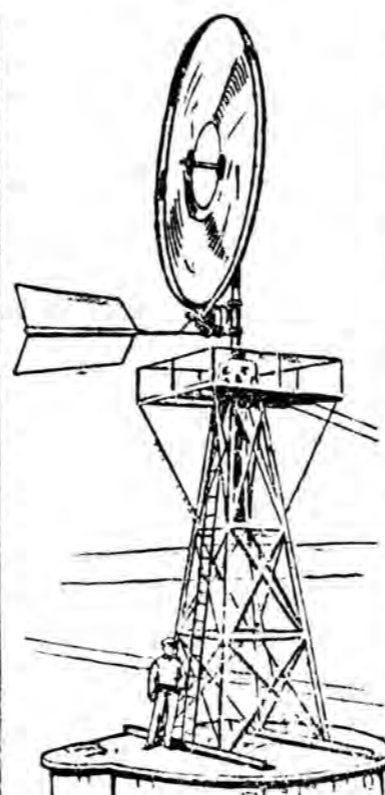
As Seen by Popular Mechanics Magazine

Growing Importance of Tin Can Is Proved by Figures

In the light of its utility, the lowly tin can is considered one of the most important articles in modern commerce. Largely because of its efficiency, the canning industry with its millions of invested capital is possible and the United States is able to export products to all parts of the world. The value of canned foodstuffs that passed through parts of continental America in 1923 exceeded \$100,000,000, nearly four times that of the year before, while the total output for local consumption was more than a billion dollars. Canned peaches from the United States are now shipped to 100 different countries, salmon to eighty-five and beef to eighty. At the beginning of the manufacturing business, the work was done by hand and sixty were considered a good day's work for one man. Now, a large factory can turn out 9,000,000 a week.

A Balloon Aerial

It is a well-known fact that a high aerial adds to the volume of reception on any radio set. Towers and high masts are too expensive for an amateur to build so it is usually impossible to have an aerial higher than a few feet above the roof. However, by using a rubber balloon now on the market which is inflated with hydrogen, an aerial can be raised vertically as shown in the drawing. This method of hoisting an aerial, it is said, improves reception considerably. The balloons for this purpose are made in different sizes and the hydrogen can be obtained in tanks or it can be generated from iron and sulphuric acid. Common illuminating gas can also be used for inflating the balloon but this gas does not possess so much lifting power as hydrogen.



Windmill Built on Site Generates Power and Light for Farm

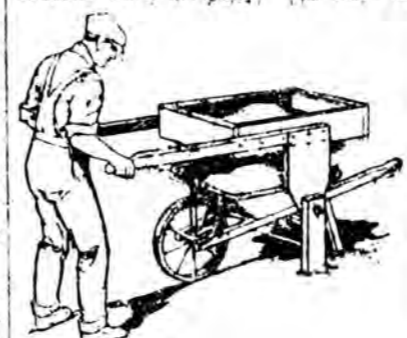
Mounted upon a short steel tower on top of a fifty-five foot silo, a specially designed windmill owned by a Minnesota farmer generates sufficient electricity for lighting his house and barn and for running some of the farm implements and household appliances such as the washing machine, drier and vacuum cleaner. The current is stored in a large battery in the basement of the house and the main switchboard is conveniently placed in the kitchen. The top of the wheel is eighty feet above ground where it catches almost every breath of wind, and just below is a platform, eight feet square, for

use in oiling and in inspecting or repairing the generator. Firmly anchored to the concrete, the wheel has withstood severe windstorms. This is partly due to the fact that the blades are pivoted off center, in such a way that when a strong blast strikes them before the wind is up to speed, they open up and the wind passes through, relieving the pressure.

Tilting Shaker for Sand Screen

Screwing of sand for use in concrete on small jobs is usually accomplished with a small screen held and shaken by hand. This process is slow and laborious, and a more expeditious and less troublesome method is to use a fixture of the kind shown in the illustration.

Either a round or square screen is adapted for the fixture, which is made simply by attaching two long handles to one end, and two legs, which are pivoted to two pieces of 2 by 4-in. stock driven into the ground. Two bolts from the pivots and make the screen readily detachable when necessary. The device is



operated by tilting, which slides the sand from one end to the other while dropping it into a narrow trough underneath.

When adjusting a connecting-rod bearing (with the engine in the car), the simplest way to determine when the bearing is just tight enough is as follows: Remove shims or file the cap until the rod is just too tight to be moved lengthwise by hand, but not too tight to be shifted slightly by tapping with the hammer.

Americans have won unprecedented fame this year in international contests requiring supreme endurance, skill and courage. Their great victories in the Olympic games, in tennis, polo and practically every department of outdoor sport have demonstrated American superiority as never before. The crowning glory of their achievements was the successful completion of the flight of army airmen around the world which has given their fellow citizens an intense thrill of pride and has won the admiration of all the nations of the earth.

Miss Helen Schultz, aged 23, of Mason City, Ia., has built up a motor bus business representing an investment of \$150,000 for vehicles, starting with one bus which she drove herself two years ago.

Could You Identify Your Stolen Car?

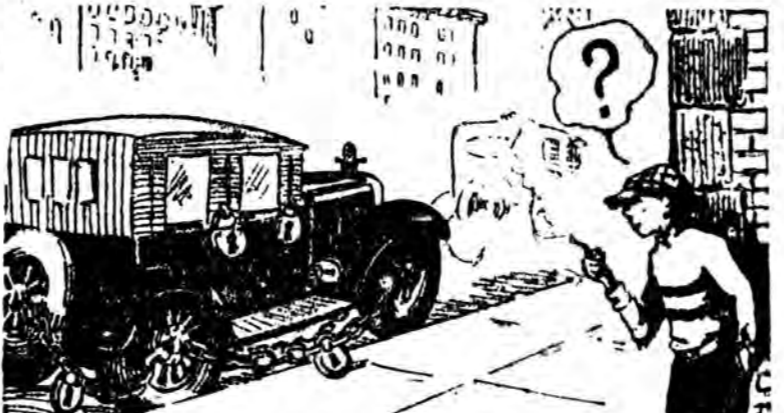
By ERWIN GREEB
(President Greer College of Automotive Engineering)

You wouldn't leave a bag of twenty-dollar gold pieces parked at the curb even though they were stamped "In God We Trust." In fact, the person who did so would immediately be sent to the insane asylum. But nine out of every ten motor car owners, according to statistics, are fully as careless with their machines, which often represent a bag of gold pieces far too heavy to carry.

You think nothing of leaving your car for long periods without locking it. And if you are fortunate enough to still have it, why, it is nothing less than sheer luck. It is little wonder that automobile

is the thief's property until proved otherwise. Without some real proof you cannot, of course, claim your property. With the engine numbers and frame identification removed you cannot possibly tell your car from another, especially on account of the fact that there are so many standard models.

It is a simple matter to put secret identification marks on your machine. Inside the hub caps and on the frame are excellent places. Or you might loosen some part of the upholstery and insert your business card. In this event you would catch the thief redhanded. Suppose that these identification



thieves live off the fat of the land and find such a profitable field for their work.

Thieves usually work in pairs, and when they see an unlocked car at the curb, they drive another machine alongside of the unlocked one. It is an easy matter to step from one into the other, in case they are discovered in the actual theft, the other car is the means of getting away. As a rule they take the one that offers the least resistance for an easy get-away.

Suppose your car is one of those stolen. Could you identify it with a new paint job or other disguising features? Remember that the car

places were discovered and removed—surely there are other means that will suggest themselves to you from an observation of your own particular car. And a thief isn't superhuman; he cannot locate all the identification places.

But do it right NOW. Don't wait until the car is gone.

It only takes a few seconds to lock your car. And, as a rule, the thief shadows his prospect several days before he steals it. If he sees that you are careful it is a ten to one shot that he'll pass your machine up for one that is easier to steal.

So don't put temptation in his way.

VOLCANO THAT NEVER ERUPTED

An incipient volcanic eruption that came near being a live volcano in the remote past is described in a geologic folio on the Apishapa region, Colorado, a publication of the department of the interior, geological survey. The region is part of the semi-arid plains and mesas that lie at the east foot of the Rocky mountains near Pueblo. The rocks at the surface are largely soft shales and thin limestones that give rise to flat topped mesas and "bad lands." In the center of the area, thick resistant sandstones rise in a low dome, into which Apishapa and Huerfano rivers and their tributaries have cut deep, vertical-walled canyons. Small vertical dikes of ancient lava cut these rocks at many places and point toward the towering Spanish Peaks, to the southwest, once a great center of volcanic activity.

In the sharp dome in the midst of the nearly flat strata of the area some of the lower rocks of the region are exposed, and it is believed that this doming of the strata was caused by an injection of lava beneath the rocks now exposed, which, if it could have burst through this cover, would have formed a volcano. Similar domes not far

eroded deeply enough to expose the intrusive lava. These "volcanoes" that never reached the erupting stage are common in many portions of the west.

Mrs. Mary Langley, an English woman, by heroic efforts supported a heavy beam for half an hour until help came, thus preventing her two children from being crushed when their home collapsed.

Mrs. Grace Porterfield Park has organized the grandmothers of Miami, Fla., into a club, which now has 25 members. To be eligible, one must be a grandmother and at least 70 years old.

The "Home Weekly"—The Patagonian

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they've read;
One person who paid homage to my
hands
For deeds accomplished, rather than
their shape;
In short, a super-being who'd understand
He's not among the trees and still an ape;
If in the world one man has had the grace
To say that only mental things elate
him,
I must admit I've never seen his face.
But if I did, ye gods, how I would
hate him. —Judge.

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there'll be hellmomy to pay.

VAMP-ING BULL AND MERIT

Chances
to
Get
Ahead
On
Merit
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About
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But
Merit
Success is
Real Success

worker. I just can't get ahead because I haven't got influence—which means a man, whether he's my father or my brother or my husband or my angel. I suppose I'll be a chorus girl all my life, getting shabbier and shabbier, getting older and harder and bitterer. I don't do anything else, I don't know anything else.

Actors' Equity is doing what it can, but if you'll put the spotlight on some of the things we girls are up against, it will help a lot more.

"Yours truly,
E. M. H."

PATHS TO SUCCESS FROM CHORUS

WHAT chance has a chorus girl to reach higher honors unless she has influence? In an unsigned article appearing in the December issue of *Smart Set* a chorus girl herself answers this question and exposes some of the hard, cold facts about chorus life. The article is prefaced by a letter of appeal to the magazine editor, which says in part:

"I've been in the chorus six years. That's three hundred and twelve weeks. I've drawn salary for just exactly eighty-six weeks of that three hundred and twelve. And do you know why? Because I'm good. Oh, no, I don't mean that all chorus girls that get ahead are bad or that all managers are bad. Not by a long shot. But it's so damned easy to be bad and so helpful, maybe. I don't think you've got a chance without a pull.

"Can't you do something to make people look up to the chorus girl instead of down on her? Can't you help to expose some of these rotters, just as you'd expose a railroad president that underpaid his stenographers and fired them if they wouldn't go out to dinner with him, and all that?

"If you look me up, you'll find I am known as a good singer, a fair singer and a hard worker. I haven't got influence—which means a man, whether he's my father or my brother or my husband or my angel. I suppose I'll be a chorus girl all my life, getting shabbier and shabbier, getting older and harder and bitterer. I don't do anything else, I don't know anything else.

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Fifth Ave. More Dangerous Than Gobi Desert

Ray Chapman Andrews, the noted explorer, says that he would rather cross the Gobi than Fifth Avenue. In an article appearing in the December issue of *Cosmopolitan*, Andrews comments on the fact that in our great American cities, accidents and murders and robberies are so frequent that they have become common-places. Chapman has never felt that his life was in any particular danger during expeditions in Asia or during voy-

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Baby's Christmas



BABY'S appreciation of any gift is spontaneous and sincere but it must be remembered that rattle and spoons and things of that sort are much more fitting gifts for one of his tender months than are rings and bracelets.

A fascinating gift for the wee son of the house this Christmas season is a pair of adorable small military brushes, silver-backed, in pattern just like Daddy's. And they will last until he is quite a big boy. Also there are rattles and pins and studs for his every need.

Mugs of silver, warranted to withstand ecstatic pounding, sets of small knife, fork and spoon adorned with long-eared bunnies or other friendly beasts or, if preferred, in pattern to match the grown-up things that Mother uses, pushers to help small fingers manage other implements, silver clasps to keep mealtime bibs in place beneath wee pink chins, porringers, plain or embellished with pictured tales engraved about them—appropriate gifts for the baby, gifts that will last, are legion at this holiday season.

Jewelry For Junior



THE average high school boy scorns anything that he considers to have the slightest feminine tinge, including jewelry as a whole. But as school dances come along and he begins to realize that girls are people his ideas do change even though he may not admit it.

Class jewelry, ring or pin, of course he must have. That does not count as jewelry, he thinks. As college days approach and his first dinner coat dawns upon the scene he is sure to welcome, at Christmas or any other time, one of those charming gray mother of pearl "Tuck" sets of studs and links which come in an attractive case. They are sufficiently "grown up" to have the right appeal.

For his watch—again, that does not count as jewelry with him—there are good-looking safety belt chains for daytime wear, one end of which is securely clasped over the belt, the other being far enough away to permit the watch to slide easily into the chosen pocket. That, as well as a properly monogrammed silver belt buckle he will be sure to welcome.

HOME IMPROVEMENT WORK TEACHES USEFUL CRAFTS

An idea of what is expected of a girl who undertakes room improvement in connection with her home demonstration club work may be obtained from the following statement of the requirements in Virginia. In this state four units of work are outlined, which may be undertaken by both women and girls with instruction and guidance from the home demonstration agents. Home improvement and beautification work differs in detail in the various states, according to plans agreed upon by the state home demonstration agent and the county workers, but in the main essentials most state plans reported to the U. S. department of agriculture.

Home improvement work is divided into four units—the bedroom, living room, dining room, and any one of the following: Bathroom, porch, den, hall, kitchen, or breakfast room. The first three units may be selected by the woman or girl in any order she and her home demonstration agent may decide upon.

Demonstrators are expected to re-finish walls, woodwork, and floors as may be necessary; to polish, remodel, make, or buy furniture; to make for bedroom 2 sheets, 2 pillowcases or a bolster cover, counterpane, curtains, scarfs, rag rugs; for living room, table runner, curtains, cushions; for dining room, luncheon sets, runners, curtains. The specific work is to be planned to suit the different types of rooms. The member will write a story of her work, including an itemized statement of the cost of the room.

In great many states recently kitchen improvement has been a leading activity among housekeepers who are home demonstration club members. The 4-H club girls who enroll for room-improvement work usually begin with their own bedrooms and take a great deal of interest in making them more attractive. The changes made for the better in one room by one member of the family often lead others in the household to want to improve additional rooms, so that—as a result many homes have been partially or completely done over. Living room improvement is at present prominent in Virginia.

The state clothing specialists prepare helpful suggestions for the women and girls to use in connection with the sewing incidental to beautifying and freshening different rooms in their homes. Each demonstrator is expected to exhibit at a fair such articles as she has made for this purpose.

Cherry Creams

Make up your fondant, and roll it out 1/8 inch thick. Shape it with a round cookie cutter 1 1/2 in. diameter, and roll a cherry up in it, leaving a glimpse of the cherry showing. These may be wrapped in little squares of tissue, or laid in little paper cups. Vanilla, coffee and pistachio fondants look particularly well with the cherries.

Cautious Kitty

Emulate the cat. The cat has nine lives and yet takes no chances.—Louisville Courier Journal.

BOOKKEEPING ON THE FARM

No modern business man would think of conducting a store or factory year after year without keeping records to show whether he is making or losing money. Yet many farmers try to get along with no records at all, or keep records so incomplete and haphazard as to be of little value.

Many progressive farmers do keep books in a practical way and these are usually the ones who make a success of farming. They realize that they are business men, engaged in the greatest business in the world, and they adopt business methods accordingly.

Not only should a farmer's books show the total amounts of his receipts and expenditures, but they should show a separate account for each crop and for each other activity, such as live-stock, poultry, fruits, vegetables, etc.

In this way he may discover what pays and what does not. Without such records he is working in the dark, often suffering losses where he least suspects them.

Bookkeeping on the farm will not turn losses into profits, but it will serve to point out the mistakes of a given year and be a great help in avoiding them in future years. No farm should be conducted without a complete and accurate system of bookkeeping.

W. G. Horns, of Birmingham, Ala., who secured a marriage license without the family consent, was arrested and jailed when he tried to force her to enter an automobile and elope with him.

Edwin Denby, former secretary of the navy, has been made a 33d degree Mason in recognition of distinguished services to the order.

L. I. McMahon, a Canadian delegate to the recent tax convention in St. Louis, advised "abolish prohibition and you'll find a way to build roads."

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, December 4, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that Byri A. Parish, of Tubac, Arizona, who, on October 22, 1920, made additional stock raising homestead entry, No. 048876, for Lots 6, 7, NE 1/4 SW 1/4, NW 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 6, Township 21S, Range 13E, G. & S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. A. O'Connor, U. S. Commissioner, at Nogales, Arizona, on the 15th day of January, 1925.

Claimant names as witnesses: William Lewis, Raymond Barrack, William Rosenburg, and James T. Garrett, all of Tubac, Arizona.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, November 15, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that Anna H. Fortune, formerly Anna Pugh, of Patagonia, Arizona, who, on September 25, 1919, made additional stock raising homestead entry, No. 035449, for E 1/2 SE 1/4, Sec. 5, E 1/2 SW 1/4, S 1/2 SE 1/4, Sec. 8, SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 9, Township 22S, Range 19E, G. & S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. A. O'Connor, U. S. Commissioner, at Nogales, Arizona, on the 30th day of December, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses: Harry B. Riggs, Frank Sietold, Val Valenzuela, and Edward E. Bethel, all of Patagonia, Arizona.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, November 19, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that Myra Babbie, widow of Tiburcio Sodade, deceased, of Patagonia, Arizona, who, on April 22, 1920, made forest home stead entry (List 3-4322), No. 045609, for H. E. S. No. 614 a tract of land described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at Corner No. 1, identical with the corner of Secs. 7, 12, 13, 18, T. 23S., R. 18E., G. & S. R. M., thence East, 60.90 chains to Corner No. 2, thence S. 0 deg., 51 min., W., 100.8 chains to Corner No. 3, thence S. 89 deg., 57 min., W., 9.90 chains to Corner No. 4, thence South 19.90 chains to Corner No. 5, thence West, 49.97 chains to Corner No. 6, thence N. 0 deg., 01 min., W., 30.90 chains to Corner No. 1, the place of beginning, containing 159.91 acres in Sec. 18, unsurveyed, T. 23S., R. 18E., G. & S. R. M., Coronado National Forest, Arizona, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. A. O'Connor, U. S. Commissioner, at Nogales, Arizona, on the 31st day of December, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses: William D. Parker and George W. Parker, of Nogales, Arizona, Grace Van Osadale and Howard Keener, of Patagonia, Arizona.

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The AMERICAN LEGION

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ON "THREE-IN-ONE" MEMBERSHIP PLAN

"The membership machine of the American Legion is all oiled up for 1925," is the way Frank Samuel, director of organization and membership at national headquarters of the Legion, characterized the unprecedented pre-January activity and spirit of rivalry between units in the 1925 membership race.

The fundamental plan for getting members from now on will be based on a "three-in-one" combine, according to Mr. Samuel. The American Legion, auxiliary and 40-and-8, playground society of the Legion, working as a single interlocking, interworking and intercontending "three-in-one" membership machine, will seek out, ferret out and run down members wherever and whenever there are persons eligible for membership in the Legion. Details for handling the "three-in-one" membership contests will vary in different communities, but the idea will be the same always; that is, of creating a lively spirit of conquest among the Legion and auxiliary and the 40-and-8 in signing up members for the Legion. The "three-in-one" contests are formed with military units, baseball teams, driftable races or any other units where the element of competition is present.

With "three-in-one" voice the national leaders of the Legion, auxiliary and 40-and-8 have issued the call to arms to their respective Legions. Jim Drain, national commander of the Legion, thundered, "The least you can do and still rate a Legionnaire with character 'excellent' is your renewal and one new member. It is your duty. Do it now!" Mrs. O. D. Oliphant, national president of the auxiliary, determined, "The most practical way in which the auxiliary can justify its existence as a powerful supplementary force of the Legion is by getting out in the field and getting new members. We will do it!" George Dobson, chief de chemin de fer of the 40-and-8, commanded, "Get back of the Legion membership drive with the personal touch the 40-and-8 can supply and each Voyageur sign up a squad of members for the Legion. Every man in the 40-and-8 is hereby made a corporal with the objective of taking seven members into the Legion to fill out the squad. Go get 'em!"

With such co-operation between the three great bodies of the Legion the membership machine has been "bitting on all four" throughout the width and breadth of the land. Departments and posts are going to have more members signed up for 1925 in a short time than they had for the whole year of 1924 if reports reaching national headquarters are any criterion. "Last year at this time we had no 1924 membership cards; today we have more than 2,500 cards paid up and received from 114 posts," was the bulletin from the department of Illinois reaching headquarters by November 15. Again, "At this date (November 10) a year ago we had just 21 members for 1924 paid up; we now have the first thousand members for 1925 paid up," from Michigan. So it goes throughout the Legion, helligerent and bristling with membership competition—the gist of bulletins these days read: "We beg to advise that we have just passed our 1924 membership and are herewith applying for a citation from national headquarters."

Kansas Auxiliary Aids Hospitalized Nurses

Here on the fringe of civilization, Fort Bayard, N. M., far from the glittering marts of cities and the delicacies and refinements of life that make the average American woman's existence a pleasing luxury, a group of disabled ex-service nurses of the World War awake one morning recently to gaze enraptured upon a kaleidoscopic array of silks, satins, laces and filigrees. All the accommodations, in fact, of dainty womanhood were there in great abundance. The American Legion Auxiliary of the department of Kansas, with keen womanly conception, said: "It takes more than merely 'looking' to make a woman happy—what she wants is 'clothes'—here's a difference." They forthwith raised what they called a "Face and Liberty" fund through popular subscription and bought the elegancies which made the ex-service nurses hospitalized at Fort Bayard happier than any occurrence since the armistice.

Cumberland Post Wants Boat Named for City

Fort Cumberland post of the Legion, Cumberland, Md., will ask the mayor of the city (should he request the Navy Department) to name a light cruiser or gunboat for the city of Cumberland. It is pointed out that there has not been a ship in the navy for years named Cumberland. During the Civil War the wooden frigate Cumberland was sunk by the ironclad Virginia. The wooden Cumberland put up a good fight against its armored opponent. This led to the clash between the Monitor and the Merrimack which revolutionized warfare at sea.

CHRISTMAS

BY W. D. PENNYPACKER

IN HUMAN experience there is no page more replete with joyous association. The first Christmas we remember only as described in sacred story, and we visualize its influence through the spirit exemplified in the lives of our fellows.

The next Christmas we cannot recall. We may have lain in trundle-bed or cuddled in a mother's arms. That was a hallowed Christmas!

Then followed anniversaries teeming with visions of sleighs, Santa Claus, candy and toys, when the veriest romance of Yuletide was so real! We never forget those days.

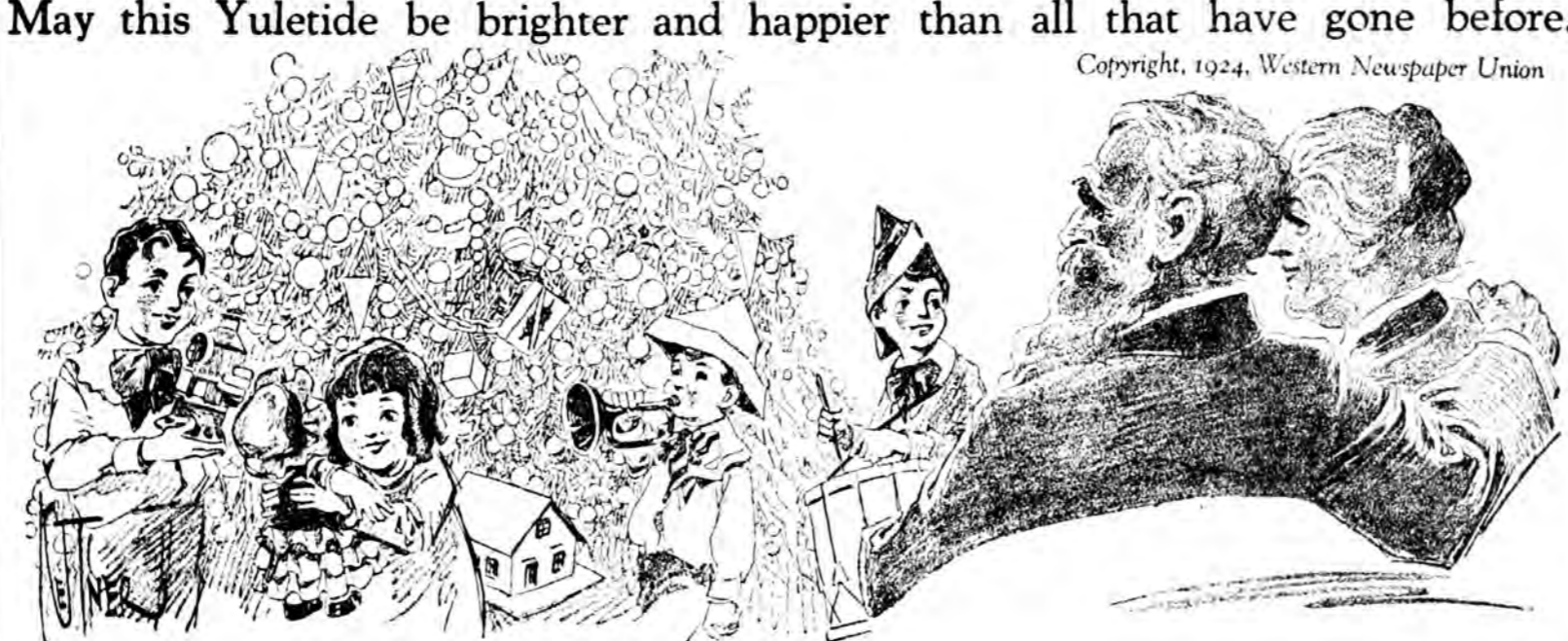
But how mystically they merge into another epoch. With the diminishing vision of Santa we become aware of a better Christmas in the conscious love and loyalty of others. And then—

In years that follow, the Christmas season becomes richer and more beautiful. It has lost the confusion of toys and confections. But in all these years there has been growing a tree that is ever green—upon it a thousand glittering spangles—hallowed memories of those who played with us around our earliest Christmas trees, or shared the season's festivities in later years.

Refreshing are the recollections that flood upon us as a newer generation takes our place in the pleasures and happy illusions of Christmas.

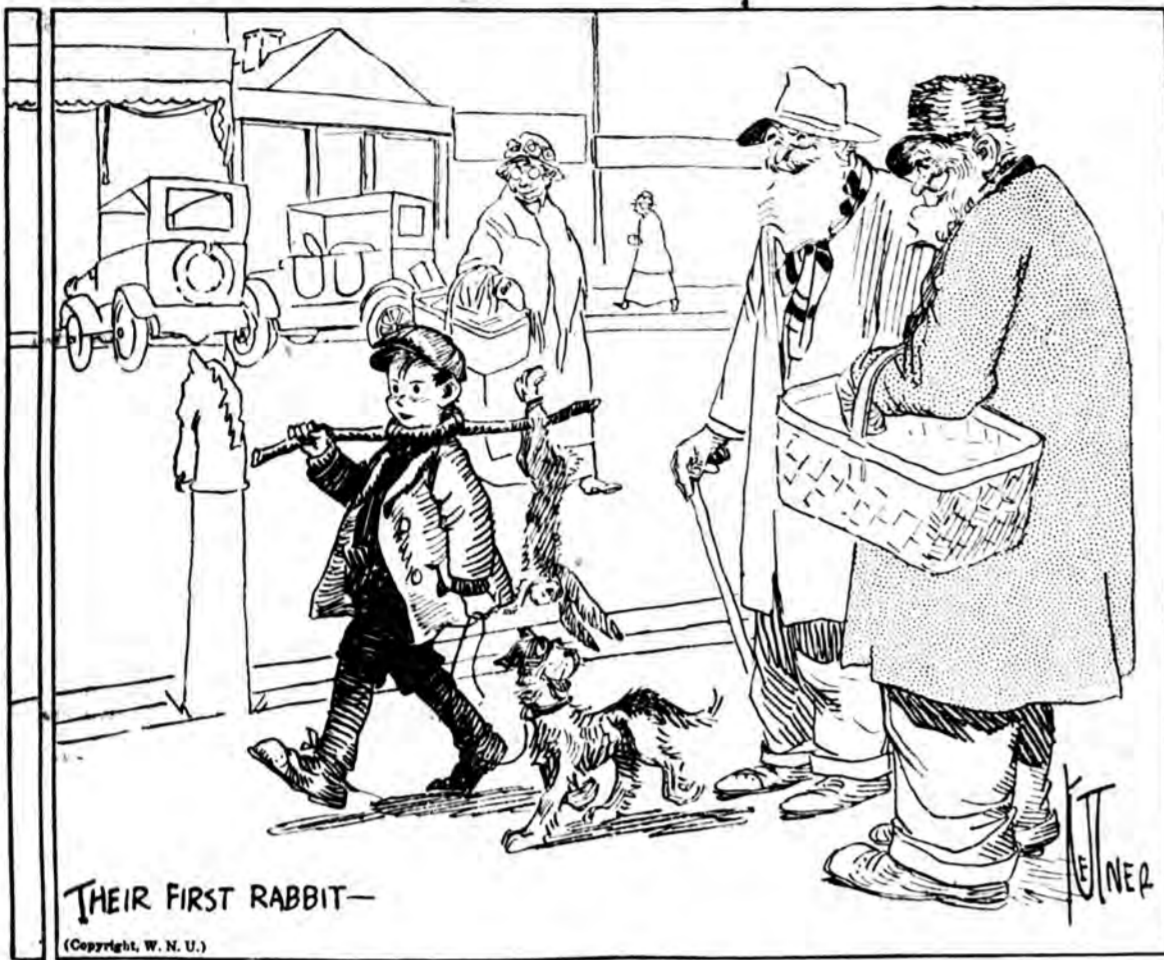
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Events in the Lives of Little Men



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MAKING GOOD IN A SMALL TOWN

Real Stories About Real Girls

By MRS. HARLAND H. ALLEN

KNITTING NETS NEAT SUMS

ALL THE nation needs knit-wear. That's why home knitting is more than the nice, but more or less unnecessary, occupation which the uninitiated consider it. The big factories, it is sometimes presumed, can take care of all the knitting that is necessary.

"But they don't," insists one woman who started a big knitting business in a small way, "for the home knitter not only exists, but she is an important factor in the business."

It's true that she doesn't always knit by hand now-a-days, she adds; if she has gone into the business seriously, she has probably procured for herself a knitting machine.

This young woman, living in a small Michigan town, started a "knitting factory" in her own kitchen. She "peddled" her wares from door to door, knowing that every person in town was a possible customer. Her idea "direct from mill to home" made a hit, and she soon found it necessary to install two knitting machines, and to employ girls to run them. From that small start has grown an organization running six hundred knitting machines, and employing eight thousand workers.

The small town girl who wants to take up knitting as a profession should start in on a small scale, knitting by hand, or buying only one machine.

Even before the present vogue for knitted underwear, the need for knitted stockings and underwear kept knitting needles—and machines—busy. Formerly, objections to a complete costume of knit goods were that it was too "stretchy," that it lost its shape almost before the buyer could get it home, and that it was not becoming to anyone weighing over one hundred and twenty pounds. Recent manufacturing methods have, in part, overcome these objections, and recent dressmaking methods have done the rest. Knit wear is fashionable; and the small town girl knitter should keep up on the fashions. She will then know just what knitted novelties are saleable. If she is expert, she will be able to make, herself, the scarves, gloves and caps sportswomen are asking for; but for complete garments, she will, in all probability, need an expert tailor's aid.

Right now, when women are demanding complete knitted costumes, with all knitted accessories, is the time for the girl with the knitting needles—or machine—to "make good."

BOARDING, WITHOUT BORING, THE SUMMER GUEST

VARIETY, not satiety, is the objective of the summer boarder. He wants "eggs with the cackle attached," and he'd like to sample every vegetable in the garden—but not all at the same meal. That's the conclusion of a girl who has seen several summers at "taking in boarders. Her town is something of a resort; her "paying guests" are tired-out and more or less critical entities.

"They want fruit from the tree and not from the can; they want country cream that has never seen the inside of a chemist's laboratory," she declares. "They want what they can't get in the city. What they do not want is a poor imitation of metropolitan fare—and they don't want to see the table unattractively overloaded with coarse country foods, either."

The professional summer hostess should, then, provide the vacationist with simple foods, daintily and attractively served. Two green vegetables, besides potatoes, are enough for that type of food. She should always have some fresh wild flowers on the table; and she can garnish the dishes with a lettuce leaf or a bit of parsley.

She may increase her margin of profit by continuous replanting of her kitchen garden, thus assuring an abundance of fresh vegetables all through the season. Small fruits from her own bushes and vines; plenty of milk, butter and cream; all are cheap and good. A few hives of bees to supply honey are an excellent investment. The poultry plant should be enlarged to provide fried chicken as a regular thing, not just for "Sunday dinner." The rabbit pen is good for an occasional rabbit pie or fricassee; a pigeon loft is easily managed—and, the hostess should remember, broiled squab is a luxury that comes high in city hotels.

She may economize heartily on her laundry bills, too, by discarding the heavy cover all tablecloth in favor of dollies and runners, or the new luncheon sets of decorated oilcloth, which are both practical and artistic.

But she cannot afford to confine her activities to the dining room. The entire house must be clean and well-kept, beds comfortable, furniture simple, pictures appropriate. She may decide to solve the problem of room scarcity by "renting tents"—which in many cases will be more popular than the rooms. The hostess may provide a tennis court, and a playground for children at little cost. If there is water, diving boards, fishing tackle and canoes are easy to furnish.

She must "put her house in order" both in-doors and out.

Famous Forts in U. S. History

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON

World's Greatest Civil War Began Here

On the morning of April 12, 1861, Edmund Ruffin, an aged Virginian, pulled the lanyard of a cannon and made history. For the shot which went screaming across the water of Charleston harbor and struck the walls of Fort Sumter set 2,000,000 armed Americans at each other's throats in the greatest civil war in history.

Fort Sumter, named for Gen. Thomas Sumter, the famous partisan leader of the Revolution, was built in 1828 and was a casemated brickwork of five faces, mounting two tiers of guns. It was situated on a little island between Morris and Sullivan islands in the mouth of the harbor of Charleston, S. C. At the opening of the Civil war it was commanded by Maj. Robert Anderson, who had evacuated Fort Moultrie in December, 1860, and occupied Fort Sumter when he saw that South Carolina was preparing to seize the forts in the harbor. In January, 1861, the steamer Star of the West had been fired upon when it tried to bring supplies to Anderson, but no further hostile move against the fort was made until April 11 when Gen. P. T. Beauregard, the Confederate commander, demanded that Anderson surrender.

When Anderson refused, Beauregard the next day ordered his batteries to open fire on Sumter. After three hours Anderson returned the fire and for the next 34 hours 19 batteries rained shot and shell against the fort. Three times the fortification was set on fire but the brave defenders kept up the fight until their ammunition was almost exhausted. Then Anderson sorrowfully lowered the Stars and Stripes and on April 14, after he had evacuated the fort, the Stars and Bars of the Confederacy were hoisted in their place.

Twice during the war the Union forces tried to recapture Fort Sumter. On April 7, 1863, Admiral Dupont tried to reduce it with a naval bombardment but failed. That summer Admiral Dahlgren reduced the fort to an earthwork, but could not take it.

So the men in gray held this fort until February 17, 1865, when they were forced to evacuate Charleston and the next day the Union flag was raised over it by Major General Hennessy. The last chapter in the stirring history of this fort was written on April 14, 1865. On that day Robert Anderson, now a general, led a force of boys in blue into Fort Sumter and over its ruined walls he hoisted the same shot-torn flag which he had been forced to lower from the fort's flagstaff four years before.

"Hold the Fort for We Are Coming!"

It was only a small fortification built high up in Allatoona Pass in the mountains of northern Georgia and history does not even dignify it with a name of its own. But it once was a post of the greatest strategic value in an important Civil War campaign and it also furnished the inspiration for a famous hymn, "Hold the Fort for We Are Coming."

Late in 1861, just before General Sherman began his famous march to the sea, Confederate General Hood slipped around his right flank and began capturing the small garrisons, which Sherman had left along the line of his march. One of the most important of these posts was located in Allatoona pass where a million and a half rations were stored, a rich prize if Hood should capture it.

This post, surrounded by earthworks hastily thrown up, was commanded by Gen. J. S. Corse of Illinois with a force of about 1,500 Minnesota and Illinois troops. Hood detailed General French with 6,000 men to drive Corse out of the pass. It was soon surrounded and a demand for its surrender made. Corse refused and in a little while a hot battle was in progress. Although many of his men were killed, Corse still held out and retired to the little fort at the top, which he prepared to defend to the last.

In the meantime Sherman had started north from Atlanta in hot haste to save the pass from being captured. Just as Corse was beginning to despair of holding out against the attack of the gray-jackets, an officer called his attention to a white flag that was being frantically waved from the summit of Kenesaw mountain 25 miles away. This signal was answered and then the heartening message was waved from mountain to mountain: "Hold the fort! I am coming! W. T. Sherman."

A wild cheer went up from the beleaguered men and with renewed courage they kept up the fight. By this time more than half of the men in the little fort were either killed or wounded. General Corse was shot through the head three times, but undismayed by the fall of their leader the men of Minnesota and Illinois fought on for three hours more until Sherman came to their relief.

No sooner had Philip Paul Bliss, a writer of hymns and later a partner of the famous evangelist, Dwight L. Moody, heard of this incident than he sat down and wrote the thrilling old hymn which has been sung wherever the English language is spoken.

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"What makes you think so?"

"Well, I hinted about it last night, and she said if I bring any more dogs home for her to feed and fall over she'd burn the house and leave me for good."—Kansas City Star

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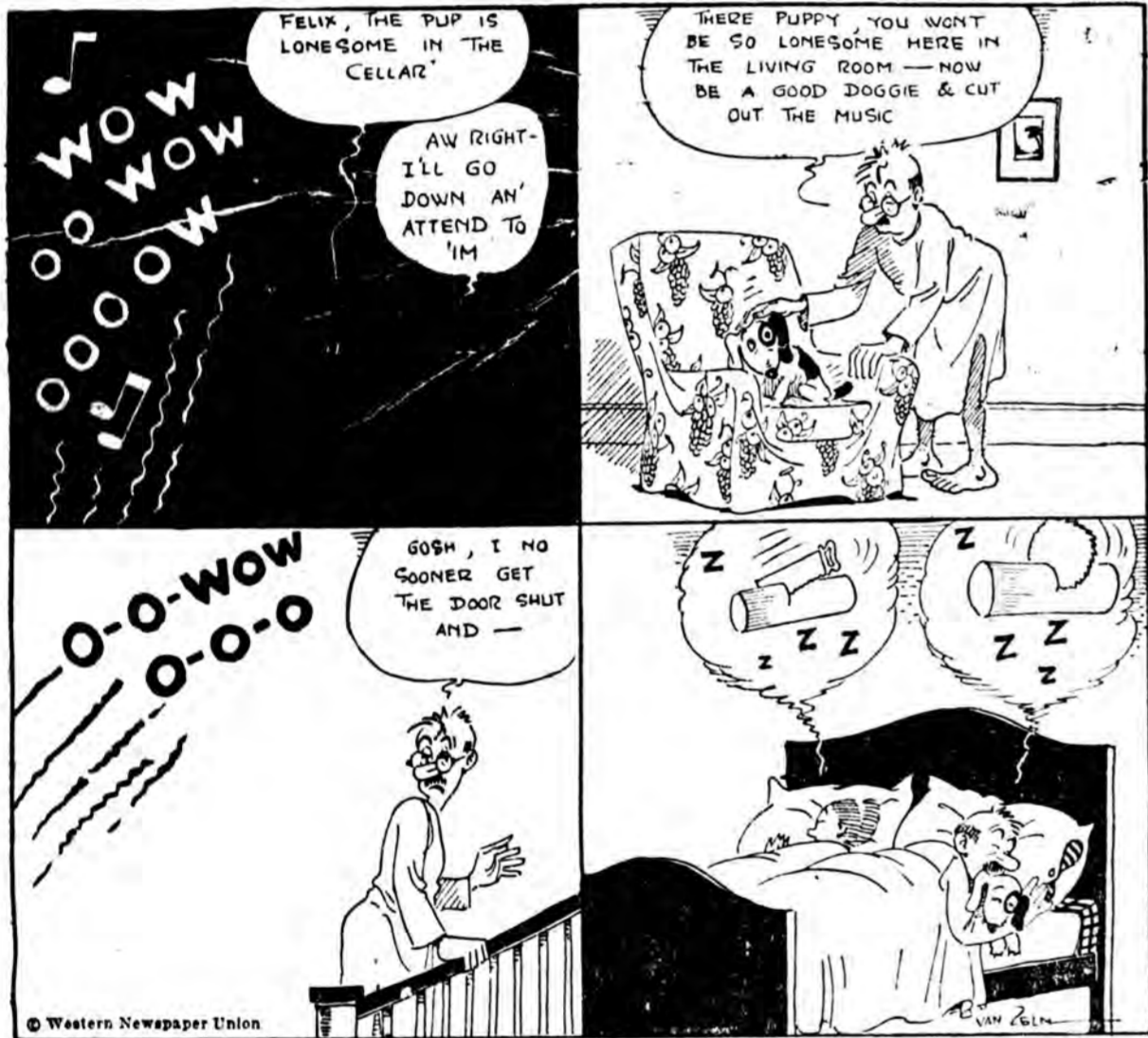
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FARM FLOCK SUGGESTIONS

By L. C. Boggs, Extension Poultryman

Internal Parasites
A great deal more damage is being done to the poultry in this State by infestations of intestinal worms than the poultrymen realize. Poultrymen on new land seem to think there is no danger of worms bothering their birds for some time to come. This last spring and summer, two cases were found where young stock brooded and reared on soil that had never before been used for poultry, were badly infested before they were half developed. Pigeons, sparrows, crows and buzzards, or dogs and cats going from farm to farm start new infestations.

Symptoms
Birds badly infested lose flesh, face and comb turn pale; laying hens stop producing and growing chicks are stunted. On killing an infested bird and opening the intestines, the round worms or tape worms can easily be seen. If they are found in one bird it stands to reason that a great many more birds in the flock are being troubled by the same cause.

Treatment
Keep all feed away from the hens during the forenoon. In the afternoon give them one pound of finely ground tobacco to each 100 birds in a moist mash that they will clean up in one half hour. Spread this mash out in enough troughs or on boards so that all the birds will have an equal chance to get their share of the mash. Follow this up the next morning with one pound of epsom salts to 100 birds, either in a moist mash or in the drinking water.

Prevention
One of the best sanitary measures used in any poultry house is to tack wire netting to the under side of the roosts to keep the birds off of the droppings. This will keep the birds from working over the droppings and will very materially help in preventing the spread of worms or any intestinal disease. Feed the mash in mash hoppers and use water fountains that are easily kept clean. Give the hens a dose of epsom salts at least once a month, one pound to 100 birds.

QUERY AND ANSWERS

Q.—When did Owen Moran fight Attell, and how many rounds? Also what was their nationality and their native country?

A.—The Attell-Moran fight occurred on September 7, 1908, and resulted in a draw after 23 rounds. Moran was an Irishman, but lived in London, and was the champion pugilist in the featherweight class in the British Isles. Attell was a Jew, a native of California and champion featherweight pugilist of the world.

Q.—Does the editor of the Query and Answer column believe in dreams?

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Q.—Did John Brown hold a oom mission in the Civil War?

A.—No. John Brown was captured and hanged in 1859. This was before war was declared.

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A.—June 17, 1775, was on Saturday.

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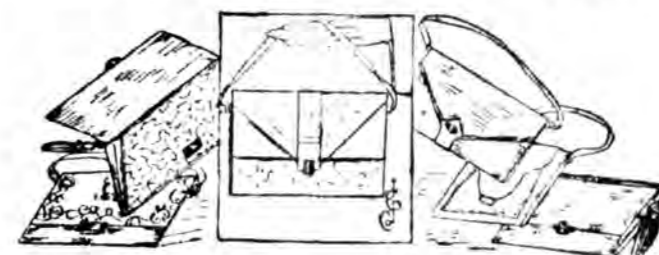
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