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Just Between
Ourselves

PRIVATE BANKS.

Rapid River people are wondering how much they are going to get back of the money they deposited in the Rapid River bank. When it was opened the promotor, Ostby, who lived in Iowa, showed the people how much financial responsibility was behind the bank. Probably at that time he told them the truth, but what Mr. Ostby was worth at that time and what he was going to be worth the next week or the next month, was a matter that neither he nor anyone else knew anything about.

The Government for years has been striving to assure safe banking. Many experiments excluding private banks were tried and discarded prior to 1864, when the present national banking system was organized.

In 1913 this was greatly strengthened by the organization of the Federal Reserve System, composed of all National banks and such State banks as choose to comply with the requirements of membership. Very many State banks, however, are not members.

This Federal Reserve System is a mighty reservoir of credit, on which any member bank can draw, therefore the members of this system are in a very strong financial position.

No private bank can belong to this system. The two unfortunate experiences with private banks in this country are only a repetition of hundreds of similar experiences of which history tells us.

It has been pretty well established in this county that private banking is not safe banking and that any group of men who engage in the banking business and solicit deposits of neighbors and friends, should comply with the definite rules and regulations which long experience has proven necessary.

The fact that a private bank declares itself worth a certain sum may not be the truth the day following the statement.

National banks are under strict Government inspection and must comply with the United States Banking law.

State banks are under strict State inspection and must comply with the law.

There are plenty of both kinds in this county. Then why in the name of common sense should people take chances with private banks when the National and State banks are as near as your mail box.

LIQUOR IN PAST TENSE.

Some critics think it strange that the newest edition of an American encyclopedia should refer to the liquor business and its appurtenances in the past tense. Why not? It is gone.

It might appeal to some persons as curious that the editors of the publication should say in connection with the wine industry, "We had in the Eastern state and in California all the opportunities for success" or that "the whisky upon which the reputation of Kentucky so largely depended was that kind of liquor known as sour mash." But a second's thought shows that the book-maker was quite up to his job and was guided by accuracy in stating the case.

Just why some persons think that the "old days" will return is not clear. Certainly the sentiment on the question, if changing at all, has not changed sufficiently to warrant any hope that the decree of the constitution will be upset. For one thing the mechanics of the thing are too difficult and more appropriately there is not sufficient public opinion to get the mechanics into motion.

The real question is not moderation of prohibition or its repeal, but its enforcement. There is a growing conviction that the job is not mountainous at all if real sincere judges, prosecutors, and investigators are on the job. The attack will not be on prohibition. It will be on those charged with its enforcement.

They are taking new styles from a tomb 3000 years old in Egypt because they know the women have nothing left from that date.

Man never realizes how frail and mortal he is until he comes home and finds everything in the throes of spring housecleaning.

Add agricultural statistics. America produces more "Dont's" to the acre than any other country in the world.

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JENNINGS LIES, SAYS WITNESS

Ludenorff Found Not Guilty of Treason

MUNICH LIKE AN ARMY CAMP AS CASE IS OPENED

Hetler and Others Get Prison Sentences and Are Also Fined.

Precautions Taken by the Government to Avoid Demonstrations That Were Threatened.

MUNICH, Bavaria, April 1.—General Ludendorff, former field marshal, was acquitted today on the charge of treason for his part in the unsuccessful revolt here last November.

Adolph Hetler and former Chief of Police Poschner were convicted and sentenced to five years in prison and fined \$90 gold marks.

Dr. Weier and Col. Krieger, accused of being Hetler's aids, received light sentences.

Dr. Frisch, former president of the Munich district, Capt. Roehm, Lieutenant Henry Burnet, who is Ludendorff's stepson, and Lieutenant Brudecker and Lieutenant Wagner were sentenced to fifteen months in prison and fined 100 marks each.

The main streets of Munich and all the approaches to the court house presented a picture of an army camp. Field-helmeted troops and heavy reinforcements of Bavarian police patrolled the streets to enforce an ordinance proclaimed last night which prohibited the gathering of mobs.

These precautions were taken to prevent the demonstration by the followers of the men on trial.

Hetler followers arranged to signal news of the verdict from the house tops by "wig wagging" as the police authorities prohibited public posting of the verdict.

He and Secretary Excused From New York Trial Because They Are Being Held by Senate.

NEW YORK, April 1.—Federal Judge Garvin today vacated the bench warrant issued yesterday for Gaston R. Means and his secretary when they failed to appear for trial, on the charge of conspiracy to violate the prohibition act by wholesale withdrawal of liquor from warehouses.

The court also remitted the \$15,000 bail which each of them had forfeited yesterday.

Fire Destroys Farm Home Near Randville

RANDVILLE, Mich.—The home of Robert Gestner, a farmer living near here, was completely destroyed by fire Sunday night. Gestner and his wife and four children escaped scantly clad. Losses will total several thousand dollars.

The funeral of the late Mr. Martinson was held this afternoon from the Swedish Mission church, of which Martinson was a member. Services were held in the church beginning at 2 o'clock, at the conclusion of which the body was escorted to the railroad station for shipment to Iron Mountain for burial.

Martinson was born in Negaunee September 25, 1862. He attended the grammar schools here until about five years ago, when he took service as an orderly in the Negaunee hospital. During the last five years he has continued his studies in the Negaunee high school on a part-time basis.

He was a member of the Swedish Mission church and an enthusiastic worker in all church activities.

Surviving him are a mother, Mrs. Charles Larson, a step-father, and three sisters, Irene, Edith and Edna, all of whom reside in Iron Mountain.

GREEN BAY.—The Finger school in the town of Preble will construct a \$10,000 school building to replace the structure burned several weeks ago. At a district school meeting, it was decided to try to have the new school ready next fall.

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FUNERAL OF THE NEGAUNEE HERO WAS HELD TODAY

Burned Telephone Wires Prevented Sending in Alarm at Once.

Finally an Alarm Had to Be Sent in From Residence Near Hospital; Building Inspected.

Belief that the fire which late Sunday evening destroyed the Negaunee hospital and caused the death of two patients and an attendant, may have burned the telephone wires and made it impossible for either the nurse or attendant on duty to turn in an alarm from hospital telephones, was expressed by fire department officials yesterday.

According to the story told Dr. J. H. Sheldon by Miss Ingelborg Persons, night nurse, who discovered the fire, both she and Axel Martinson the attendant, who later lost his life in an attempt to save two patients, tried six times to communicate with the fire station, but were unable to get a response from the exchange. Miss Persons told the physician that he first tried the telephone near her desk on the second floor, and getting no response made several unsuccessful attempts with one of two instruments on the main floor. Meanwhile Martinson rushed from the building to the home of Eugene Ehrler and asked Mrs. Ehrler to call the fire station. The fact that no difficulty was experienced in getting the necessary connection on the Ehrler telephone has led to the belief that the telephone line may have been burned. Miss Persons was removed to her home in Ishpeming yesterday morning in a nervous condition brought about through excitement and exposure and could not be reached.

Smiling bravely, despite the harrowing circumstances surrounding her miraculous escape from the burning hospital, Miss Ingrid Lahtinen, 19-year-old school girl, sole survivor of the trio of patients, who were asleep on the second floor of the building when the fire broke out related again the details of their escape.

Sprinkler Aroused by Woman Victim.

"I was awakened about 8:30," by Mrs. Sjohund," the girl began, "who told me she thought the building must be on fire. Seeing the clouds of smoke rolling into the room I got to my feet and walked unsteadily to the window overlooking the balcony over the front entrance and tried to break the glass out with my fist. Being too weak to smash the glass with my hands I returned to the room and got a book which I had been reading that afternoon. With this I broke the glass out, climbed to the balcony and began to cry for help. In a few moments Mr. and Mrs. Sawbridge and Louis Miller appeared with a ladder. About this time Mr. Disbora, the fire chief, arrived, and while the others held the ladder, he climbed up and carried me down and into the Saugatuck home adjoining the hospital.

I do not know how I ever got to the window. God must have given me strength, I guess."

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Detroit Pair Accused of Threatening Ford's Son and Family in \$1,000,000 Blackmail Plot



Maslow Simcock, 22 years old, and Mrs. Annie Haldick, 25, his landlady, were arrested in Detroit, Mich., and face indictment on charges of conspiracy to extort a million dollars from Edsel Ford, son of Henry Ford, the automobile manufacturer. The police say Simcock confessed that he mailed two letters in which he threatened the lives of Ford and members of his family. Simcock is alleged to have exacted the woman with compelling him to write the letters. Mrs. Haldick denies that she had any connection with the alleged conspiracy.

HERE'S BRIGHT IDEA AS WAY OF MAKING MONEY

SO LINE TO TRADE NOTES FOR W. C. RY.

Chicago Man Accused Will Pay the Wisconsin Central Stockholders \$43.25 Per Share.

The Payment Will Be Made in Soo Line Low Interest Notes; Redeemed Within Twenty Years.

CHICAGO, April 1.—Harry Lawrence, of Minneapolis, St. Paul & Soo Line Railroad company to acquire common stock of the Wisconsin Central Railway in exchange for its 5% per cent notes, were declared operative today.

Wisconsin Central stockholders will receive the equivalent of \$843.25 a share for their stock, which the Soo Line has agreed to start buying after five years and retire within twenty years.

WISCONSIN CENTRAL STOCKHOLDERS

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FRENCH PREPARE FOR EARLY ELECTION; RADICALS TO MAY PLAY TO GAIN CONTROL

Millerand Is Weary, It Is Said, of Responsibilities of Office.

MUCH Speculation in France as to What Policy Radicals Would Assume Towards Russia and Germany.

By JOHN DE GANIER

(United Press Staff Correspondent) PARIS, April 1 (United Press)—The coming elections of French Deputies scheduled for the early part of May, unless the Government decides to advance them to April, will be a fight between the bloc of the parties of the Left with the support of the Socialists, and the party of the champions of order and liberty, whose program has been outlined by President Millerand in various speeches.

This was announced by Deputy Georges Mandel in the Chamber when he developed his interpretation of the general domestic policies of the Poincaré government. Mandel did not go so far as predicting who would win, but, looking back and still being Clemenceau's right-hand man, his statements reflect the old Tiers' views on the subject, and there are indications that Clemenceau, at least from beyond the Rhine, will play his part in the coming elections.

While the Left are trying to form a strong front, rallying the Bloc National, do nothing except lead France into a general mess, supporting governments whose policy sent the franc down and the cost of living much higher than it ever was during the war, their opponents are poor to do their best to show they are not to be held responsible, but that the radicals have done everything they could do to sabotage the work of the Right, make the Right's occupation fail and create a favorable environment for their partisans for the return of Railliet and Malvy to power.

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turn Malvy will be a candidate; there is nothing to prevent him from running for deputy, since he served his exile. For Collaix, any amnesty would be necessary, but his friends say he would refuse it because that would be tantamount to admission he was guilty, while they insist he was not.

The Radicals' Plan.

The radicals' plan is that if they win at the elections and a socialist government "to the left" is formed, one of the first projects introduced in the new Chamber will be for the revision of the Collaix trial, and possibly the acquittal of the ex-Premier, who would then soon become again a member of the French national before entering another cabinet.

Of course, this is speculation, but among the logical factors that should the "Blocs à Gauche" succeed in the coming elections and bring the life of the Poincaré government to an end.

Regarding foreign domestic policies, what would a French radical parliament and cabinet do? First, negotiate the evacuation of the Ruhr; abolish the system of increases which the present Chamber voted; modify the increased taxation; get together with England, the United States and Germany for the settlement of the reparations and international debts questions; recognize the Soviet government in its last campaign for League of Nations; and the French British rearmament in initiated by Railliet, Macdonald and Poincaré would have hardly had time to complete.

Also, the new French government, whether headed by Aristide Briand, Edward Herriot or Léon Blum, would be forced to adopt a series of measures to improve the condition of the labor class. It is noticeable every day that Herriot, as leader very strong for the priesthood, which he was to try to make the Right's occupation fail and create a favorable environment for their partisans for the return of Railliet and Malvy to power.

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Prince of Wales, Just Recovered from Broken Collar-Bone, Thrown Again by Horse and Kicked



This photograph shows the Prince of Wales being assisted by his mount, Little Favorite, in the air just before he had been thrown and his collar bone was broken. The prince tried to clear himself when he fell but he was kicked in the face. He was not seriously injured.

DONOHUE AND RIXEY, STAR TWIRLERS FOR CINCINNATI, AND JOE AULBACH, REDS' PROMISING RECRUIT



These photographs were made while the Reds' veterans were warming up and the rookies were warming up at Orlando. At the left is the Red's star twirler, Pete Donohue, a left-handed pitcher, who was one of Cincinnati's own two stars, and in the middle Joe Aulbach, this recruit has done so well at Orlando that he is expected to take his regular place in the starting line-up.

Popular Economics Series "The American Ways"

ARTICLE FOUR A "GOLDEN AGE" OF PROGRESS

IT IS like to solve their own problems—men cannot have the answers worked out for them by some autocrat.

The first half-century of American national history was founded in 1776. The people at that time were widely scattered. Lacking adequate roads, they could have little contact with each other, and it was difficult for them to realize that their common interest as citizens of the United States was greater than their future and welfare interests in any city or state.

Therefore, when faced with the problem of building a metal road to unity, there came that of establishing a *physical union of the states separated by distance*.

As we shall later find, the second problem concerned so vitally the interest of all men, that it enlisted the enthusiasm of all.

This problem took the form of transportation.

Beginning with the railroad in 1828 and continuing to the present time, progress and prosperity has been the problem of promoting the welfare of all people; it was the railroads that built and made America.

Neither the American people of 1828 wanted better roads nor were they quick to realize that the means.

They were not concerned with the development of individual initiative and enterprise,

which would be able to surmount all difficulties.

The story of our railroads is shot through with the romance of American life. It deals with the conquest, not of foreign foes, but domestic nature. It contains chapters of empire-building; chapters of engineering miracles, of patient scientific research, of administrative genius; of political intrigue, of financial juggling. Some of its chapters show human nature treading dark and devious paths; others are splendid with heroism and light with prophetic vision. It is an expanding history, still continuing, with its most vital chapters yet to be written.

In this romance of railroading, the people shared, in the early days, not as observers, but as participants. Everybody helped to build railroads because everybody wanted them. There was little tolerance of attempts to interfere, restrict, regulate or control. Ignorance and prejudice, as always, were on hand. But dominating the public mind, there was an acute sense of need, a realization of value and a splendid confidence—confidence that whatever obstacles stood in the way, individual initiative

would prevail.

In this typical "American Way,"

the public now devoted itself heart and soul to the problem of creating adequate railroad facilities and brought to the great task a faith and a spirit of cooperation almost without parallel.

When private resources proved unequal to the task of carrying a new line to completion,

the people through their national, state or local government, profered assistance.

Thus railroading prospered and it did so by bringing prosperity to all the people. Because of the public enthusiasm and cooperation, progress was so rapid that by the time of the Civil War had a halt been constructed, there had been built more than thirty thousand miles of railroad—an average of nearly one thousand miles for each year since



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Charles Carroll turned the first spade of earth.

Four years after the restoration of peace, there was completed the first band of steel across the United States. The trail of the covered wagon from the Mississippi to the Pacific had now become a railroad. The "more perfect union" dreamed of in 1776 and fought for in 1865 had in 1869, through the railroads, become a physical fact. At last there appeared to be in sight the complete solution of the "Railroad Problem"—that of providing an adequate system of transportation to draw into closer union and cooperation the people of the United States. Then, out of all the old problem, there began to emerge certain new phases which, for more than half a century, were fated to divert the mind of the public from this main objective.

(Next Article, "The Age of Selfishness.")

MIKE BRENNAN, AAAAB
Nev. Nomin., AAAAB
Baptist, Cecilia, AAAAB
Rom. Catholic, AAAAB
Sanderson, Ruth, AAAA
Shay, Thaddeus, AAAAB
Stenstrom, Ma., AAAAB
Stewart, Louis, AAAAB
Wilson, Michael, AAAAB

Highest in Junior Class.
Sanderson, Ruth, AAAA
Cox, Mary, AAAA
Ericson, Chester, AAAA
Hence, Hol., Sophomore.

Arnold, Min., AAAAAB
Auerbach, Esther, AAAAB
Berg, Robert, AAAAB
Boument, Elizabeth, AAAA
Booth, Leslie, BBBB
Broderston, Verma, AAAAB
Champion, Bernice, AAAAB
Coplan, Marion, AAAAB
Curran, Edward, AAAAA
Edwards, Warren, BBBB
Goddin, Bernadette, BBBB

SKIRTS

Erickson, Harry, AAAAB
Pragle, Irene, AAAAB
Giesmer, Beth-L, AAAA
Gunderman, Margaret, AAAA
Herringer, Lorraine, AAAAB
Johnson, Agnes, AAAAB
Johnson, Evelyn, AAAAB
Johnson, Ina, AAAAB
Kennedy, Jane, AAAAB
Kvam, Ethel, AAAAB
Lagerquist, Viola, AAAA
Mathews, Janet, AAAA
Nordin, Alvin, AAAAB
Nye, Viola, AAAAB
Olson, Wallace, AAAA
Richter, Mildred, BBBB
Rudby, Kathlene, AAAAB
Swindler, Alan, AAAAB
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Unusual accommodations for automobile passengers. The Fort Shelby Garage service is unexcelled. It is important to remember that there is a shortage of garages in Detroit. For the accommodation of our guests we keep advanced reservations for garage space.

The Fort Shelby, one of the newer hotels in Detroit, is conceded by many to be in a class by itself.

From the standpoint of service to the guest,

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MENOMINEE PLANT SUFFERS A FIRE LOSS OF \$20,000

Crawford Manufacturing Plant Burned Saturday Afternoon; Heavy Wind Helped Flames.

MENOMINEE, Mich.—During the worst blizzard of the entire winter and with the wind coming out of the northeast at a hundred or more miles per hour, a fire broke out at the Crawford Manufacturing plant on Menominee Saturday afternoon. Menominee Saturday afternoon did more than \$20,000 damage before extinguished but the streams of water kept the blaze from endangering surrounding property.

Starts in Oil Room.

First alarm from the Crawford plant came in at 2:35 p.m. when a blaze started in the boiler room of the box factory. This was extinguished and all sign of fire had disappeared when the department returned to its station at 3:40 p.m. At 5:30 o'clock the second alarm came in from the same place and when the department arrived the entire upper part of the box factory separated from the boiler room by a brick wall was ablaze.

Station No. 2 of the fire department, the first on the scene got two hose lines working and when the No. 1 pump arrived three more lines were added. Station No. 3 followed in line. It was 1:30 o'clock Sunday morning before the departments returned to their stations.

Owned by Ralph Wells.

The Crawford box factory is owned by Ralph Wells and C. J. Halligan, the latter superintendent of the plant, and employs about 50 men. Owing to the severe storm the business was closed down Saturday. Mr. Halligan states that the loss is fairly well covered by insurance and that he is not worried they will rebuild. The severity of the blaze in the upper part of the mill was caused by burning boxes which were stored on the second

floor. The boxes after smoldering were broken down to ashes and when the fire was discovered it was difficult to get at them because of snow.

New Pump.

During the blizzard the pumps of the department were unable to keep up with the heavy snow and a new pump was installed and a heat insulator placed around it and a heat insulator around the pump itself so that the street cars were able to run during the blizzard. The cars were unoccupied as most of them were forced to take a side road through snow banks that came up to the drivers' seats. The new pump will move fast and it is hoped it can do its duty of getting rid of the snow.

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WORK STARTED TO REPAIR THE STORM DAMAGE

Three Thousand Poles Are Down in Wisconsin Roads Blocked.

GREEN BAY, April 1.—The task of removing the fallen trees and branches of the snow-covered roads of the city and suburbs was well in progress yesterday, telephone and telegraph companies reporting that all of the available crews they can as-

semble are working night and day to replace lines blown down. Thousands of poles were snapped off by the gale and sheet.

Three thousand poles are down in the state and hundreds are reported down in southern Minnesota. Only a few telegraph wires between here and Chicago were in working order. The Associated Press is handling their news reports by the way of St. Paul. Train services have been partially restored but the highways through the section are blocked and it will take several days to get them cleared up for traffic.

Award \$15,000 Damages For Brakeman's Death.

LACONIA, Mich., March 31.—A circuit court jury Saturday afternoon awarded \$15,000 damages to the estate of Floyd R. Good, in a damage suit growing out of the death of Good in December, 1922. Good was a Michigan United Brotherhood member of the local fire department. Negligence was charged against the company.

FOR RENT.—Tires or four tires in good condition, furnished, if desired. Apply to Mr. E. L. Stephenson, 202.

Twin Favorites of Spring



Irene Rich, playing in Cytherea, Shows the Two Indispensable Items of the Spring Wardrobe.

If you can have only two new costumes this Spring, what will you choose? A wrap and an afternoon dress, a rough sport suit and a dinner gown, two fussy little suits? Perhaps. But no choice is quite as wise as a dress of the type that all Paris has approved and the suit that smart New York is wearing almost like a uniform. Conveniently enough, these two leading figures of the new styles are a dress and suit which answer the purposes of sports, shopping, luncheons, or afternoon tea so well that with this very limited equipment you can face any daytime occasion with the assurance of being perfectly gowned.

The popular black satin dress of the Spring is one such as Irene Rich wears in Goldwyn's screen version of "Cytherea,"

FASHION MUST FIT YOUR TYPE

Constance Talmadge Says Your Own Individuality Is More Important Than Last-minute Styles

Major fashion shows to be made for just the type of girl, an employ severe type who looks well in slightly unusual clothing without a trace of pretension.

At one pre-dinner, many girls of the society fashion type sit in groups and don severe tailored suits and simple dresses that are completely uninteresting. It takes the exceptional girl like Constance Talmadge to realize that fashion is a good girl but a bad master



Constance Talmadge as she appears in "The Goldfish."

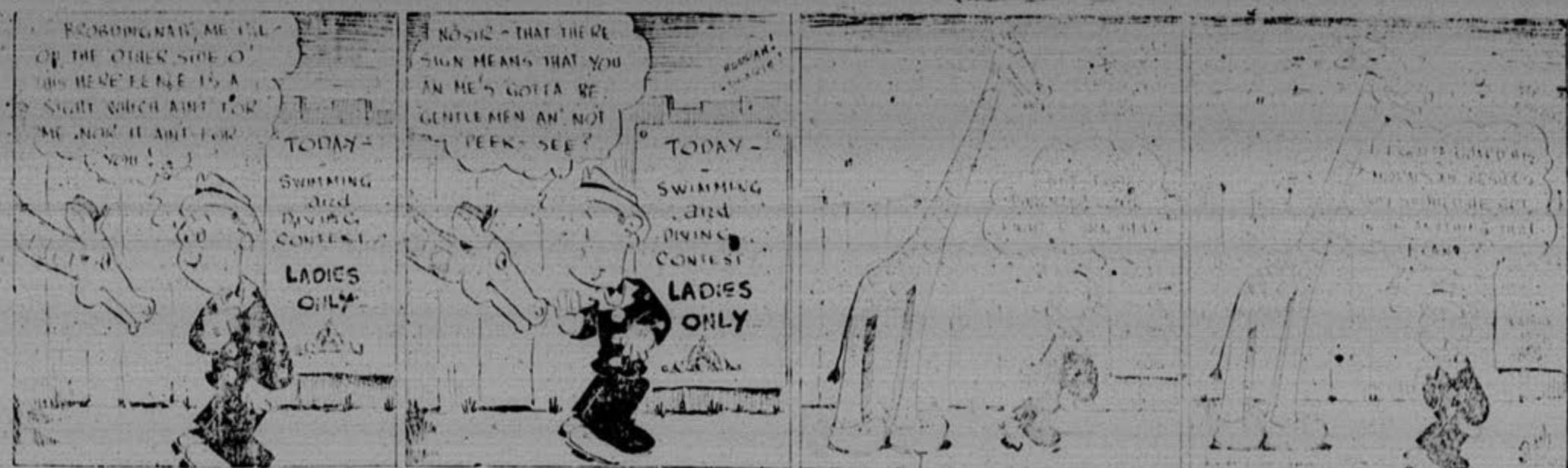
Constance Talmadge is one of the fortunate minority who can choose their own type. Her slender, straight figure enables her to wear severe, boyish styles successfully and her delicate features make her equally successful in soft, fluffy feminine clothes. It would be easy for her to accept the word of fashion blindly and confine herself to severe styles, but there are occasions, as in her next picture "The Goldfish," when she wants to appear the opposite type of girl.

On these occasions, instead of ignoring fashion, Constance Talmadge makes it fit her requirements.

The photograph shows how far she can go in the way of elaboration without appearing elaborate. Her gown, her headress, her fan are all strictly fashionable in their simple lines, but the gown is richly embroidered in pearls, the headress, though a plain band in shape, is elaborate in pattern, the fan is of fine lace. She produces a soft, feminine effect without departing in the least from fashion's decree of simplicity, an excellent example for the modern fluffy type of girl who likes in vain for fluff.

DUMBLE DAN—"Frobbingnab" Tried to Put One Over on Dan.

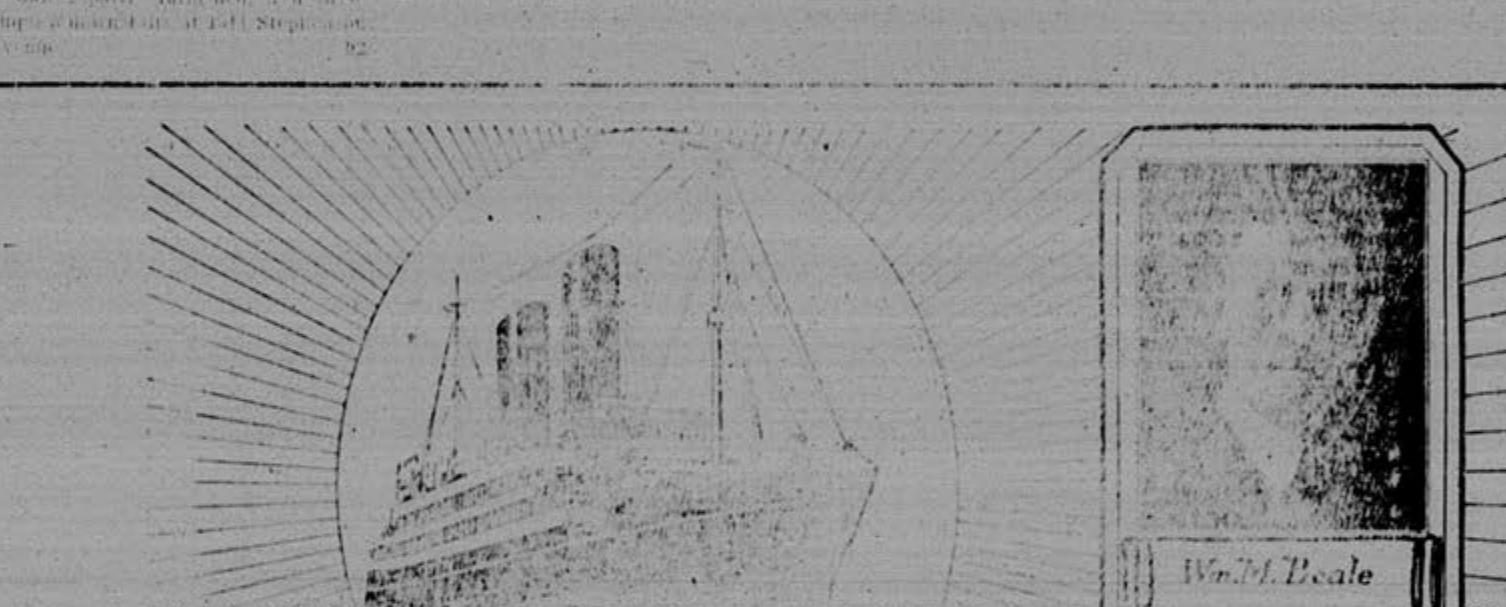
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THE LORD OF THUNDER GATE

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SYNOPSIS

CHAPTER I. In a low drinking place in the Japanese town of Akemi, Kusama, drowsy son of the wealthy Asai, Lord of the Thunder Gate, boasts of a great victory over his father's old enemy from his father's past. In a fight in the past, a drunken white man, speaking perfect Japanese, is left unconscious. Kusama, dreading his father's anger, is afraid of escape. He changes his name to the name of a white man, to whom he has a remarkable resemblance, leaving a note in the guest-room, promising him food, shelter and money. It is still supper time when Kusama leaves. Leaving, his name is changed, and soon the white man, as Kusama, is taken unconscious to the house of Asai. His name is Robert Wells.

CHAPTER II. Wells, who has been born in America, has now come to Japan to awaken his childhood, and to familiar scenes in his father's house. As he gazed sightless from his eyes, he did not perceive the depths. He had determined his unworthy son should be put to death, but when he stopped to look at him, he thought a reformation a possible result. That day, Wells finds Kusama's note, and understands. Friends remind him of a bargain he has made, to buy a girl.

The lad was bright. His subtle reasonings and brilliant crossings through problems in mathematics were, Doctor Wells felt, means to learn with superficial rapidity. Nor had the boy proper reverence; he had early been disgraced for slapping his hands in Shinto prayer, learned at the temple, while Doctor Wells was performing in funeral ceremony over a departed church member. The excuse was that "the way is dangerous, better than I thought he would like it."

Robbie saw in the village many things that were beautiful. These his father, with the stern taste of the West already developed, did not see, or would not look for. Especially were the temples, mysterious and abounding; he had no patience with the very few missionaries who saw them as objects of art.

It can be seen that Doctor Wells had no sympathy with the very air which he so breathed, since that air was filled with ancient folklore and myths, mixed with oriental legends of gods and demons.

He felt that application to his studies would soon release Robbie far from this needless influence even better than he himself might do. It was merely an induced phase.

Misako became toothless. There was no more Robbie San. She could remember no such person. Instead, there lived in the house the heir to the house of the Thunder Gate. She waited before him, calling the boy Kusama San. Doctor Wells did not exist, save as a sort of upper servant. The house was Robbie's. Robbie was served first. Robbie's wife must be consulted before she would permit a servant to carry out one of Doctor Wells' orders.

Robbie took it as a matter of course. Misako liked it. That was enough. Wasn't she his little mother?

To please her, he would memorize long Shinto prayers. Became adept in the Rules of Courtesy. Because it delighted her to see him impudent, he could adopt a commanding manner before her and the other servants. Misako had one principal worry. The boy was old enough to be married. To whom?

In vain she painted a picture for the boy. There would be a beautiful girl, versed in every duty and appreciative of her exalted position. A girl with long, fine fingers, with eyes that would shine like black jewels under brows curved as the wings of the nightbirds; her black hair would be woven with the blossom of the plum; she would have kinodes of pale silk with shifting colors changing with the light. Here, and here alone, Robbie would laugh, although he took pains to conceal his amusement from Misako.

The position of Doctor Wells, in his own household, became intolerable. He could discharge Misako, yet dread facing his Master and admitting that he had acted so with one of such great and simple faith.

It was in a bitter moment that he fumbled through his scant correspondence.

He found a letter already creamy with age. It had been written shortly after the death of Robbie's mother:

"Send the boy to me. If you will. If you want the little fellow educated in America I will see that it is done. Else he would have liked it. He will not be permitted to follow in his father's footsteps. I tell you that frankly. To my way of thinking, there is more religion in bringing water to a desert, or housing the poor properly, than in preaching to a horde of savages. You won't do this at once, Richard. You were always obstinate. But this is an open offer. It isn't a favor to you. Remember. It's for Elsie, and the boy."

Doctor Wells, from his window, the letter upon the desk before him, watched a meagre, copper bowl hanging against skinny shanks, nearly two feet, extend his hand at the doorway to Misako, bearing a handful of rice, the scraps of the lean-curd porridge, a few pieces of fish. When

Make the Dining Room Hospitable



Blanche Sweet, Who Is Soon to Appear in "Those Who Dance," a Thomas H. Ince Picture, Photographed in the Dining Room of Her Home.

RADIO

Tuesday, April 1.

Program to be broadcast: The old April 1, by courtesy of Radio 40, Central Station, Boston.

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4 Broadcast News.

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Orchestra, 9 P.M.

WDAP, Chicago—

2. Concert, 8:30 to 9 P.M.

KYW, Chicago—

John Rutledge, 8:30 P.M.

Urban program, 8:30 P.M.

Alv. W., Commercial—

Concert, 8:30 P.M.

WBAL, Baltimore—

1. Broadcast, 8:30 P.M.

WBZ, Boston—

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WBAL, Baltimore—

CITY WILL SELL SHRUBS TO ITS PROPERTY OWNERS

Manager Fred Harris Has Purchased Two Thousand for Decorating Lawns and Will Cost 25 Cents.

This morning City Manager Fred

Harris placed an order with a big nursery firm for 2000 shrubs, suitable for lawn decoration and none of them less than three feet high and from that up to four feet. The shrubs have been selected with a view to getting the very best thing for this community.

When they arrive they will be set out near the sewage disposal plant and when any local property owner wants some of them, they will be furnished and planted—for 25 cents each. This purchase by the manager is along the lines he has made to establish a nursery on the property owned by the city near the sewage disposal plant, where all the necessary flowers, trees, and shrubs can be grown for the use of the city and for purchase by the public at any time.

The shrubbery has a perfectly nice long name that does not mean anything to anyone, but it is said to be hardy, has "stickers" on it to keep the "kids" and dogs off, and during the summer months will bear cute little yellow flowers.

BAND MASTER TO ACT AS HEAD OF POOR DEPARTMENT

Joseph Greenfield Assumed Office Today and Will Also Be Market Master, Is Announced.

Joseph Greenfield, who will be master of Escanaba's band, entered the employ of the city this morning as poor commissioner and will devote the next month to thoroughly going over the poor list and becoming acquainted with the work. As soon as the city market starts, he will be named market master and will add that to his other duties.

Mr. Greenfield says he expects to have the band in shape to give concerts as soon as the weather permits and that this year the city is going to have a band it can be proud to listen to. There is no lack of talent in the city and it is only a matter of getting them working together to give Escanaba as good a band as there is in the peninsula.

JENNINGS LIES, SAYS WITNESS

(Continued from Page 1)

preme court of the District of Columbia and Sinclair must now appear to arrange bail or a warrant will be issued for his arrest.

The indictment contained 19 counts. Nine of them are for refusal to answer nine questions put to him and the tenth is a general charge that he violated the law by refusing to answer any questions.

The Questions Asked.

The indictment recites that "for many years past the government of the United States has been greatly disturbed by the progressive diminution of the supply of petroleum from which are derived fuel oil, gasoline and other valuable products indispensably necessary to the operation of naval vessels and consequently has been keenly interested in the subject of their conservation and economic production, handling, use and storage of oils for that purpose, especially with reference to occurrence of such supply on the public domain."

The indictment then lists the questions which Sinclair refused to answer. These questions concerned the story that he has given Will Hays, former chairman of the republican national committee, 75,000 shares of Sinclair stock to pay off the republican national committee's deficit; when Sinclair first talked to ex-Secretary Fall regarding oil leases; whether he had transferred large funds from New York to Washington; his reported payment of \$250,000 to Frank G. Bonfils and J. Leo Stack, Democrat, for claims to Teapot Dome; the reported contract between the Mammoth Oil Company and the Pioneer Oil Company in connection with the Teapot lease. Sinclair refused to answer on the ground that his counsel had advised him not to, thereby challenging the right of the committee to compel him to answer.

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Society

Supper and Sale.

The ladies of the First Presbyterian church will give a supper and sale in the church parlors Thursday, May 1st.

Light Bearers Meeting.

The Anna C. Smith Circle of Light Bearers of the First Presbyterian church will meet Wednesday, April 2nd, in the church parlors.

All members are urged to present. Dorothy and Margaret Kamrath will act as hostesses.

Young Peoples' Meeting.

The Salvation Army announces that there will be a special meeting for young people at the army hall on Wednesday evening to which all young people are invited. There will be a musical program as well.

Ladies' Aid Meeting.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First F. E. church will hold a meeting in the church parlors Thursday afternoon, and it is requested that all members be present. Plans for a sale and supper on April 22 will be planned at this meeting.

THEODORE BURCH PARKER.

Funeral services over the body of Theodore Burch Parker, who passed away at the family home in Spalding Friday, will be held at the family residence Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock with the Methodist minister from Hermansville officiating. Interment will be made in the Spalding cemetery.

OF A PERSONAL NATURE

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buchanan returned to their home in Iron Mountain after spending the weekend with friends in this city and Gladstone.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bissell have returned from a visit in Alabama, Louisiana and Mississippi.

SHOE NEWS

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Roger Chenoweth returned to Quinton yesterday morning where he is employed, after spending the week with his mother, Dr. Chenoweth, in this city.

E. D. Brown of Minneapolis spent the weekend in this city.

Arlene Burkhardt of Iron Mountain returned to her home Monday after visiting with relatives and friends in this city.

Napoleon Boudreau of Iron Mountain visited in the city with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Loulier returned from a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends at Chicago, Milwaukee and Fond du Lac.

"Lucky Thirteen Party."

The feature for Thursday evening at the Coliseum Roller Rink will be "The Lucky Thirteen Party." This feature will be very interesting and thirteen prizes will be awarded the patrons. Prizes will be awarded in such events as the thirteenth person buying a ticket, checking wraps, couple on floor, couple in Grand March, lady on the floor in "Ladies Only," the lady setting on the thirteenth chair, and also for the person buying a ticket at thirteen minutes after seven.

This feature will require a great deal of attention from the management and promises to be very interesting for all the patrons,

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