

The Weather
 Oakland and Vicinity—
 Fair and moderately warm
 tonight and Saturday; light
 variable winds.

**WHITE SLAVE
 CHARGE LAID
 TO CHAPLAIN**

Blackmail Plot Intimated at Court-martial as the Girl Under Grilling Reveals Auto Ride Out of State

Accuser's Chum Hunted as U. S. Agents Threaten to Prosecute Captain Under Federal Mann Act Statute

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—If Rev. Orville Clamptt, army chaplain, being tried by court martial at the Presidio for alleged intimacy with Lucille Swallow, 22, a beauty parlor attendant of Lawrence, Kansas, is successful in freeing himself from the military court, it will only be to face re-arrest under the terms of the Mann Act.

This was determined today by E. J. Bohner, chief of the department of justice investigation bureau, as the court martial proceeded behind closed doors while Miss Swallow revealed the intimate details of her "friendship" for Clamptt while he was stationed at Leavenworth, Kansas, and the events that lead to formal charges against the militant clergyman.

Miss Swallow will be followed on the stand, which she took yesterday after being brought here from Los Angeles by General P. A. Wolf of the Vancouver barracks, and the military officials are also seeking trace of a friend of Miss Swallow, also a beauty expert, who is believed to be here and who is expected to cast new light on the romantic entanglement.

GIRL UNDERGOES BITTER GRILLING

This young woman is sought by the military officials to substantiate certain allegations made by Miss Swallow during the course of her testimony at the hearing yesterday. The nature of these allegations will not be made public until after the Swallow girl has completed her testimony because of "the scandalous and intimate nature" of the tale.

The defense subjected Miss Swallow to bitter cross-examination today and plan as a coup the introduction into the evidence of letters purporting to be of a black-mailing nature in which the Kansas girl threatened the clergyman with exposure unless he paid stipulated sums. Failure to do this is said by the defense to have resulted in the charges and trial of Rev. Clamptt, and the Mann Act charges being laid over the clergyman.

Bohner said today that he is in possession of evidence showing that on at least three occasions Rev. Clamptt took Miss Swallow from Kansas to Missouri in automobiles. Bohner said that he would not attempt to press the charge if the minister is found guilty on the misconduct matter.

Charges against the army cleric are listed under the blanket accusation, "conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman."

SECRET SESSION ORDERED BY ARMY

Shortly after the girl arrived yesterday from Lawrence, Kan., where she was subpoenaed as a witness, she was closeted in conference with Captain Clifford M. Olivetti, trial Judge Advocate, at the Postoffice building. Then followed the very decided announcement of Olivetti that the trial must proceed in secret so long as testimony was being given by Miss Swallow. This was ordered despite demands on an open session from Clamptt.

The ordeal which Miss Swallow will be called upon to bear is such that she is entitled to all the secrecy possible," Olivetti announced.

DEFENSE LAWYERS FROTEST IN VAIN

Immediate protest came from Lieutenant Frederick Wenberg and Lieutenant-Colonel W. A. Covington, both representing Clamptt for the defense.

"This defendant has been pilloried all over the United States," Covington said.

"Only one side of the story has been told. We believe this defendant is entitled to have his side of the story aired as has been that of the prosecution. Captain Clamptt is willing that the hearing should be an open one."

BUT THE RULING STOOD AND THE COURT WAS CLEARED

Captain Francis G. Koester, president of the court, stated that a transcript of Miss Swallow's testimony would be placed in the hands of the defense for disposal as it should see fit after the girl's story and direct examination ceased.

SPECIFIC CHARGES ARE VERY SERIOUS.

Specific charges against Clamptt are that he had intimate relations with her during 1924 and 1925 while he was stationed at Fort Leavenworth, and that he financed an illegal operation for her. He denies the charges and appeared confident at the close of yesterday's session as his attorney stated there was "a sturdy defense, which will be demonstrated to the court."

The witness is young and attractive. She denied that she was 19; however, laying claim to 22 years, and explaining that though her parents live on a farm near

She Drives, Lets Him Walk

MISS BETTIE DE LATE, stenographer, didn't want to return home alone in a taxicab last night after quarreling with her escort in his automobile, so she reversed the usual procedure and drove it back to town herself, leaving him to find his own way.



GIRL TAKES CAR, DESERTS ESCORT

Man Compelled to Use 'Mad' Money After Quarrel on Auto Ride.

"If you and your sweetie can't agree, don't you get mad and walk home. No, let him do it."

This bit of advice was offered to all young ladies in difficult situations today by Miss Bettie De Late, stenographer, residing at 2623 Grove street, who demonstrated its efficacy this morning.

Miss De Late is at work today, having enjoyed a sound sleep.

ESORT WEARY FROM LONELY HOMEWARD TRIP.

A. F. Page, 5495 Bond street, who she says was her escort of last night, is slightly weary from the effect of finding his way home from One Hundred and Sixth avenue and Foothill boulevard early this morning.

One taxicab driver is considerably richer as a result of rescuing Page and taking him to the city hall.

Four police inspectors have to their credit the recovery of Page's machine, found near Miss De Late's home.

It is a story as old as "buggy rides."

Miss De Late and Page attended a party "way out in the sticks some where," and were taking a ride in Page's automobile.

"Out somewhere near San Leandro he wanted me to go out to a roadhouse and I didn't feel like it. He insisted, and I told him I wanted to go home, so we stopped at the machine and I drove it."

"But I stood pat," Miss De Late yawned this morning.

At this point Miss De Late says Page informed her that if she were going to be unreasonable she wasn't going to ride home with him. But, being exceptionally chivalrous, he offered to call a taxicab to convey the young lady to her residence.

Page sought a public telephone. **GIRL REVERSES ORDER AND DRIVES AWAY.**

"I never did like taxis," said Miss De Late to herself, as she moved over to the wheel, slipped the machine into gear—and was gone.

Page turned to see the receding lights of the Oakland-bound automobile—his automobile.

It was getting quite late; it was quite far from Oakland. Page learned in that on the moment of contemplation a great deal of what young ladies must go through.

But, being armed with something more than 35 cents as "mad money" and a powder compact, the usual equipment of girls, he called a taxi for himself. On reaching the station he went to the Central Police Station early this morning and reported the theft of his automobile to Inspectors John Gan-

After hearing the girl's story and being told again that "hate taxis," the officers declared in favor of Miss De Late, and returned the car to Page.

\$400,000 BABY WON BY DEACONESS

Anita Hodgkin of St. Mark's Church, Berkeley, Cleared of Knowing of Plot to Defraud Adopted Child

New England Relatives of Norman Lawrence Beckwith Lose Battle Waged in Oakland Superior Court

Completely vindicating Deaconess Anita Hodgkin of St. Mark's Episcopal church, Berkeley, of all defraud the court in concealing important facts, Superior Judge J. S. Koford today denied petitions to set aside her adoption of Norman Lawrence Beckwith Hodgkin, the "400,000 baby" and letters of guardianship over the child granted to her.

Judge Koford, by his decision, upholds the contention of attorneys for Miss Hodgkin that there is absolutely no evidence to warrant the charge that she conspired with relatives of the child to defraud it of its rights in a \$400,000 trust fund. Miss Hodgkin's right as an adopted mother is confirmed and also her guardianship of the child's estate in California.

The proceedings were brought on behalf of guardians appointed in Massachusetts and Rhode Island seeking to set aside both the adoption and the guardianship. It was charged that Miss Hodgkin con-

spired with Miss Mary, Ellen and Jane Anthony to defraud the child. **GRANDFATHER GAVE FORTUNE TO INFANT.**

The child was born last February, being the illegitimate son of Lorraine Beckwith, who died in childbirth. The baby's grandfather, a wealthy resident of Massachusetts, had set aside \$400,000 in a trust fund, the income on which was to go to the mother during her lifetime, and at her death to her child or children. In case she died childless, the principal was to go to the next of kin who are the Misses Anthony. At the time of the adoption the child was brought to Berkeley from Los Angeles by the Anthony sisters. He was first given to Miss Hodgkin to care for and later she proposed the adoption to him.

When the adoption was consummated no evidence was given to the late Judge George Samuels as to the child's rights in the \$400,000 fund nor concerning his antecedents. This was the point which was brought up by the eastern attorneys as indicating that Judge Samuels had been defrauded by withheld holding pertinent information. At that time she was told that the child's estate in California amounted to \$500.

\$500 A MONTH GIVEN FOR SUPPORT.

During the trial it was brought out that Miss Hodgkin received \$500 a month for the child's support and that this amount was referred to as the child's estate.

Prominent attorneys who have been following the case declared today that an interesting legal question will now arise as to whether Miss Hodgkin can be called upon to account to the California courts for her expenditure of the \$500 a month.

If she received this money as guardian she must make this accounting; if she received it as an individual she need not do so.

During her testimony Miss Hodgkin said that of the \$500 she retains \$100 a month as her salary.

Solon Stumps Houdini by Trick 'Spirit Reading'

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS LEASD WIRE TO TRIBUNE WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—(AP)—

A House committee got deeply mired in a discussion of Spiritualism today when it undertook to consider a bill for regulating clairvoyants in the District of Columbia.

Houdini, the magician, told the committee that persons claiming supernatural powers were nothing but fakirs.

His statement led Mrs. Jane B. Coates, head of the Spiritualist Church of America in Washington, to declare he had reflected on her church, and was interfering with religious freedom.

Houdini then offered \$10,000 to anyone who could tell him what was in a telegram he tossed upon the table. Representative Reid, Republican, Illinois, without blinking an eye, snapped out:

"Why it says 'I can't be there today.'"

"That's a guess," Houdini responded. "You are no clairvoyant."

"Oh yes I am," replied Reid. It turned out that the Illinois representative's quotation of the telegram was short correct, but Houdini insisted it was all an accident.

Then, after another vigorous protest by Mrs. Coates the committee adjourned.

RAMBEAU LOVE THEFT IS DENIED

Don't Brand Her Scarlet, Pleads Star's Lawyer Before Jury.

BY UNITED PRESS LEASD WIRE TO TRIBUNE NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—A jury in supreme court here today was asked not to send Marjorie Rambeau, actress, out into the world branded as a scarlet woman, and a love thief.

Attorney Bernard Sandler, summing up for Miss Rambeau, named as correspondent in the trial of the divorce action of Mrs. Mabel Manton against William Kevitt Manton, declared she was an innocent victim.

"Look at her," said Sandler, dramatically. "You can look into her heart and see that it is broken."

"In California sits her gray-haired mother. Are you going to broadcast this woman as a scarlet woman and a love thief? Are you going to take away her good name, her honor and her bread and butter? Gentlemen, don't brand her as a scarlet woman. This is life or death to her. This is the first time she has been called on to fight for her existence."

DETECTIVE CALLED 'HALF-WITTED'

Sandler paid his respects to Mrs. Manton's detective, who had testified he made a raid with others on Miss Rambeau's apartment in the early morning hours last August, calling him a "half-witted detective" and claimed he had a "Cracked brain."

He stressed the defense contention that Manton was only aiding Miss Rambeau with play about to come out, but Mrs. Manton's attorney, in his summations, said that the play at the time of the alleged misconduct had not been translated into English. Hence, he argued, the early morning presence of Manton in the Rambeau chambers could scarcely be explained on the basis he was giving her "cues."

The jury began its deliberations at 12:05 p. m.

BROOKHART DECLARES DRY LAW SUCCESSFUL

Senator Brookhart declared the universal ratification of the Eighteenth amendment was proof that the majority of the people desired prohibition. He said enforcement was becoming more efficient daily and that if any modification of the Volstead act is effected it will be to make it stronger. The Iowa Senator predicted that any vote on the subject in Congress would be overwhelmingly in favor of the drys.

Persons who say that the country has improved because of prohibition "knows they are not speaking the truth," Mrs. Norton declared. She said the most serious question now is the harm being done mentally and physically to boys and girls.

Woman Governor Sees Dry Drive Difficulties

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Feb. 26.—(AP)—As the mother of three sons, I rejoice that day of the open saloon has passed but I feel that probably the most serious problem facing the nation is the present tendency toward derision and defiance of law, especially in regard to the prohibition amendment."

Governor Nellie Taylor Ross, of Wyoming, expressed these views to the Associated Press on the national prohibition law. Woman can be a force strong enough, if properly directed, to check this tendency, she declared.

"My experience in office has convinced me that this condition of law defile neglect—neglect of citizens to take interest in their government and neglect of parents to take interest in their homes."

238,188 Prosecutions On Dry Act Reported

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—(AP)—Prohibition prosecutions by the department of justice under the national dry act have totalled 238,188. E. M. Kennard, administrative accountant for the department of justice told a house appropriations sub-committee in reports of hearings made public today. Of these cases 217,031 were criminal prosecutions and 21,787 were civil suits. Collections of fines and civil judgments totalled \$20,000,000.

King Albert to Open Rotary Clubs Meet

BRUSSELS, Feb. 26.—(AP)—King Albert presided over the opening session of the International Rotary clubs at Ostend in June, 1925. Seven thousand American Rotarians are expected to attend.

DRY CALLED TRAITOR IN RUM DEBATE

Claim That Prohibition Is Success Termed 'Inexcusable Lie' by Senator Edwards in Radio Talk

Epithets Hurlled Over Air Put Pep Into Broadcast Discussion of Foes and Friends of Booz

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS LEASD WIRE TO TRIBUNE WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—(AP)—

Prohibition was "our greatest victory in the World War," and also was "foisted upon a war-crazed people," in the respective opinions of Senator Brookhart, Republican of Iowa, and Senator Edwards, Democrat of New Jersey.

They debated the subject last night over the radio, while Mrs. Mary T. Norton, Democratic representative from New Jersey, was criticizing prohibition in a speech at another radio station. The count for and against prohibition was evened when Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel for the Anti-Saloon League, issued a statement assailing the views of Senator Edwards.

SENATOR TERMS WHEELER ARCH-TRAITOR

The New Jersey senator gave much of his time to an attack of the league, calling Wheeler the "arch-traitor of American liberty, freedom of thought and action," and declaring that "not even the sacred courts of our land are free of the poisonous taint of the league's filthy hands and breath."

He termed an "inexcusable lie" Wheeler's recent statement that prohibition had been a success and added that the league officials' "pee wee mind and mental incapacity for grasping facts made him immune to convincing proof" that prohibition is a failure.

Wheeler replied that, "like a lawyer whose case is bad, Senator Edwards abuses his opponents with names like 'arch traitor' while, at the recent wet meeting, he referred to himself and his associates as 'chaste Percival's' who seek to fill the Holy Grail with 275 percent beer." He said Senator Edwards' "unredeemed pledge to make New Jersey as wet as the Atlantic ocean ripples in his mind."

ALL BUSINESS IN REDWOOD CITY STOPPED FOR A BRIEF INTERVAL THIS MORNING WHILE THE TOWN TURNED OUT TO ASSIST ALISTAIR WILLIAM MCINTOSH OF LONDON TO OBTAIN A MARRIAGE LICENSE TO WED MISS CONSTANCE TALMADGE, THE NOTED FILM BEAUTY.

Miss Talmadge was accompanied by her sister, the famous Norma. She gave her age as 26 and her birthplace as New York city. McIntosh gave his age as 36 and his birthplace as Scotland.

After receiving their license, the couple passed between two lines of cheering residents extending from the courthouse to their automobile. They departed for Burlingame, where the wedding ceremony will be performed tomorrow.

The ceremony will occur at the palatial Burlingame residence of Jean St. Cyr, California millionaire. Miss Talmadge's engagement to McIntosh is the result of a three-year romance during most of which the screen star took occasion to announce herself on numerous occasions as wedded to her art and desirous of no husband to share her Hollywood mansion.

As proof of her good intentions she recently became an American citizen, having lost her citizenship when she married John Piatagoras, a wealthy Greek cigarette manufacturer in New York in 1920. The marriage went on the rocks about a year later but when she received her divorce she still remained a Greek.

The news of Miss Talmadge's intended marriage came from Hollywood yesterday and was confirmed by Joseph Schenck, motion picture producer and husband of Norma Talmadge, who is a guest with the bride-to-be and the bridegroom-elect at the St. Cyr home now.

Poison Taken After Mother's Reprimands

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—Mrs. Pearl McLaughlin, 29, of 649 Gough street, swallowed poison today because her mother reprimanded her a second time, she said. Mrs. May Carey, the mother, is said to have chided Mrs. McLaughlin on her return home today, and the younger woman went to a friend, Mrs. H. S. Thompson, 1633 Bush street. Mrs. Thompson telephoned to Mrs. Carey. The mother hastened to the Thompson home and once more there is said to have been a reprimand.

The young woman drank poison, and was taken to the Central Emergency hospital. Her condition is not serious.

General Obregon En Route to S. F.

NOGALES, Ariz., Feb. 26.—(AP)—Gen. Alvaro Obregon, former president of Mexico, arrived here today in company with five generals of the Mexican army and will leave this afternoon for Los Angeles, San Francisco and other Pacific coast points. The mission of the party was not made known.

Prince of Hesse Falls Off Horse; Injured

ROME, Feb. 26.—Prince Philip of Hesse, son-in-law of the king of Italy, through marriage to Princess Paula, fell today from his horse and was dangerously injured. His condition is regarded as grave.

Stockton's Oldest Resident, 90, Dies

STOCKTON, Feb. 25.—Stockton's oldest resident, Merriman Peter, 90, died last night. He came to California by ox-team in 1852. Four children and fifty descendants survive him.

Walsh Names Reed As Mellon's Envoy

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—(AP)—Senator Walsh, Democrat, developed a heated today in the Senate by charging that Senator Reed, Republican of Pennsylvania, was the representative of Mellon's Aluminum Company of

PRESIDENT SIGNS NEW TAX CUT BILL

2,300,000 Revenue Payers in 1925 Exempted by Law Approved Today by Executive to Clicking Cameras

Measure Becomes Effective at Once in Main Clauses But Extensions Are Given for Returns in Some Cases

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS LEASD WIRE TO TRIBUNE WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The new tax reduction bill became a law when President Coolidge gave it his formal approval at 10:22 o'clock this morning.

The reductions afforded by the bill become effective immediately on all provisions except the automobile and theater admission taxes, which become effective in 30 days. The income tax provision applies to last year's earnings.

Following signing of the bill by the president, the treasury today granted a number of extensions of time as to when final tax returns must be made for this year's payments to the government.

Extensions were decided upon because of the nearness of March 15, when the returns ordinarily would be due, and to the fact that the new tax law was approved only today.

TWO MONTHS' EXTENSION ALLOWED TO SOME

Under the new regulations citizens and residents of the United States whose net income exceeds \$5000 and domestic corporations were given until May 15, or two months extension, in which to file complete returns. However, they must make tentative returns on or before March 15, together with one-fourth of the estimated amount of tax.

If the estimated tax is less than shown to be due on the completed returns, the difference will bear interest at 6 per cent a year until paid back.

American citizens residing or traveling abroad, including those in the military and naval service, and all other persons outside the United States, were given until June 15, or three months' extension, to file their returns. This order applies to taxpayers in Alaska, Hawaii and other United States possessions and tentative returns will not be required on them. However, the return must be accompanied by an affidavit explaining the cause of the delay, and interest will be charged at the rate of 6 per cent a year from the due date of the tax until paid.

ALIENS NOT INCLUDED IN EXTENSION ORDER

The treasury said it was not considered necessary to grant an extension to non-resident alien individuals and foreign corporations having no office or place of business in the United States, since such returns are not due until June 15.

On the calendar year basis and on until the 15th day of the sixth month following the closing of the taxable year, it filed on a fiscal year basis.

All other returns, under the order, must be filed on their respective due dates unless a specific request for an extension is made to the local collector of internal revenue.

The measure, which provides for a reduction of \$337,000,000 in the amount of taxes to be paid by the American people this year, was signed by the chief executive in his offices as a battery of still and motion picture camera men recorded the scene.

Invited to witness the ceremony (Continued on Page 2, Col. 5.)

Guests Flee Fire in World Tallest Hotel

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—(AP)—A number of guests in the Morrison hotel, the tallest hotel in the world, fled from their rooms last night when a fire broke out in a waste chute and spread from the basement to the thirty-first floor. The guests were fireproofed before much damage resulted. The guests were not in danger.

Grad Jury Calls 'Wine Bath' Host

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Earl Carroll, theatrical producer, who gave on Monday night the alleged "wine bath" party at his theater here, was called to the Federal building this afternoon to appear before the grand jury.

Salm Lays Rift to Advice Given Wife

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—(AP)—Count Ludwig Salm von Hoegsteden announced here formally that he would now be living happily with his wife, the former Millicent Rogers, if she had not been the "victim of poor advice."

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by
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The audience is shown by actual demonstration how this may be accomplished in a few minutes

Lecture and demonstration given in the reception room of the Beauty Salon tomorrow at 2:30 p. m.

DR. MANSBRIDGE
WILL SPEAK ON
ART OF WRITING

State English Teachers Will Meet in Haviland Hall Tomorrow at 10 A. M.

BERKELEY, Feb. 26.—Dr. Albert Mansbridge, a faculty member of the University of California extension division and royal commissioner for the University of Oxford and Cambridge university, will speak on "The Art of Writing," tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock before members of the California State Association of English Teachers. The meeting will be held in room 113, Haviland hall, on the University of California campus.

The general theme of the meeting will be written composition. Miss Alice Cooper, president of the organization, announced today. Professor S. S. Seward, Jr., of Stanford university, will speak on the "Mechanics of Writing." Miss Beatrice I. Cole, of the San Jose high school, will discuss creative writing. Short talks on school publications will be given by Evelyn Armer of the Girls High school, San Francisco; Jessie Smith, of the Oakland Technical high school; Ida Green, of the Hayward Union high school, and Robert E. Brownlee, of the University High school, Oakland.

JUDGMENT SET ASIDE. MARYSVILLE, Feb. 26.—Final judgment in the action of McCray Bros. against the Honcut-Yuba frigate district has been set aside by Judge Eugene P. McDaniel that he might consider the plaintiffs' motion to amend the complaint and set up a new cause of action. The matter was then submitted and is now under advisement. Points of law were argued.

OHIAN'S NOTE
FLOATS TO IRISH
SHORE, PAYS \$10

QUEENSTOWN, Ireland, Feb. 26.—A bottle picked up on the coast of here contained the following message: "Send, August 18, 1925. Whoever finds this bottle inform Jukal Helmer, Carrollton, Carroll county, Ohio. Reward, \$10. Am \$3 today. Good luck."

SKIN GRAFTING PLANNED. MARYSVILLE, Feb. 26.—Joe Reider, who was severely burned in an accident to a racing car that was being prepared for races at Knights Park New Year's Day, must undergo a skin grafting operation. Reider has been in a hospital since the accident, but his burns are not healing and it will be necessary to graft skin to save his life.

JAPAN SHIPPING
LINES TO MERGE

TOKYO, Feb. 26.—Contingent upon governmental approval, which with its subsidy of \$1,430,000 a year, there will be a merger of two big Japanese steamship lines, the Tokyo Kisen Kaisha, which operates a trans-Pacific service between Manila and San Francisco, and the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, whose liners are known in most of the ports of the world. The vessels involved in the deal are the Tenyo Maru, 13,040 tons; Shinyo Maru, 13,040 tons; Korea Maru, 11,800 tons; Siberia Maru, 11,750 tons; Rakuyo Maru, 9,413 tons; Anyo Maru, 9,256 tons, and Boyoko Maru, 8,600 tons.

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For serviceable wear, the medium weight stockings are very popular. These have lisle tops and feet, and come in all sizes in grain, champagne, gunmetal, Piping Rock and black. Broken sizes are on sale in moonlight and French Nude. Regular \$1.65 value, sale price \$1.25.

Hosiery Shop, Main Floor

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Lingerie Shop, Main Floor



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Made of dainty, fine broche with swami over the bust, this model is especially suited to one who wants a comfortable, but not too heavy corsette. The straps are made of broche, and button on.

Well boned over the abdomen and up the back, it has four inserts of fancy elastic and three pairs of garters. The medium weight suits it for sports or dress wear.

Corset Shop, Main Floor

Hand-made
Gowns
\$1.45

Of sheer nainsook, these dainty gowns come with round, square or V necks. They're exquisitely embroidered, and marked unusually low for Saturday selling. Sizes 15, 16 and 17.

Lingerie Shop, Main Floor

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For the college girl, society woman or business woman, there are distinctive modes developed in long-waisted lines, bolero effects, two-piece styles and flaring models. Especially smart are the frocks brightened with the new trimmings—embroidery, lace, metal stitching, ribbons and tuckings.

Midinette Shop, ...

For sports or dress, the Midinette Shop presents a splendid choice in coats for the smart woman or slender miss. In satin, lorcheen, calje and tweeds, they are developed with cape backs, flares or well tailored in the straight-line models.

Trimmings play as an important a role on coats as they do on the Spring frocks—furs, embroidery, contrasting colors and braids emphasize the beauty of the new colors—rose, tan, henna, green, navy and the new shades of blue. All fully lined, many are of a practical weight for year-around wear.

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\$35	\$1.00	\$1.25	27 Weeks
\$40	\$1.00	\$1.25	31 Weeks
\$45	\$1.00	\$1.50	29 Weeks
\$50	\$1.00	\$1.75	28 Weeks
\$55	\$1.00	\$1.75	31 Weeks
\$60	\$1.00	\$2.00	30 Weeks

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McCAFFERY'S GIVE DINNER DANCE IN PIEDMONT HOME

Guests Are Seated at Small Tables in Ballroom at Affair.

Guests were seated at small tables about the ballroom at the Francis L. McCaffery home last evening in Muir avenue, Piedmont, when Mr. and Mrs. McCaffery entertained at a dinner dance. Cards were sent out to thirty for the affair, at which spring blossoms were used for decorating. A second dinner dance is to be given this evening at the McCaffery home, when their daughter, Miss Hattie McCaffery, will entertain half a hundred of the younger set, many of whom are her classmates at Ransom's.

Cards have been sent out by Misses Faye and Jacqueline Snyder for a tea to be given at the home of their mother, Mrs. A. J. Snyder, on Oakland avenue, the afternoon of March 10.

At this time intimate friends of the two hostesses will be their guests, a coterie of whom will be asked to receive with them.

Mrs. Edwin C. Clark will entertain the members of the Baby Club at her home on Russell street, Berkeley, with a luncheon on Tuesday, March 2.

The guests include a coterie of friends who have met for some time past to sew for charity.

San Francisco Folk Hosts at Dance

There will be a number of the younger set crossing the bay this evening to the dinner and dance when Mr. and Mrs. John Griffin Johnston and their son Roland, Scott street, San Francisco, will give at the Lakeside Country club.

Cards were sent out several days ago by the Johnstons to a large group of the younger set residing on both sides of the bay.

Mrs. John Balsdon entertained this afternoon at the home of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Harold Balsdon. Cards were sent out to nearly half a hundred for the bridge, which was followed by tea. Spring flowers were used by the hostess to decorate for the affair.

Theta Upsilon sorority members will entertain this evening at the Hotel Claremont with a dinner dance, at which they will have about thirty score guests.

Spring Blossoms in lavender tins were combined with greenery in decorating for the affair this evening. Patrons and patronesses will include Mr. and Mrs. William Wallace Toelch, and Mrs. K. Freeman.

Kappa Alpha Theta Alumnae Luncheon

Members of the Kappa Alpha Theta Alumnae, San Francisco Chapter, will hold their regular monthly luncheon tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Cliff Hotel in San Francisco.

Hostesses will be Mrs. A. F. Carter and Mrs. George E. Bette. The president, Mrs. Carl F. Caesar, invites all Thetas in the bay district and particularly those who may be visiting in the bay region, to attend the luncheon.

Cards have been sent out by Mrs. Richard Vaughan for a bridge and tea to be given next Wednesday afternoon, March 3, at her home in honor of her sister, Mrs. Mabel Dorr of Seattle.

There will be guests for four tables of bridge. Mrs. Vaughan has asked Mrs. Arthur Piper and Mrs. Edwin Carpenter to preside at the tea tables.

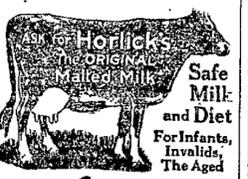
Miss Florence Hodge, a bride-elect, has been the complimented guest at two showers given recently by sorority sisters, members of the Kappa Delta club. Miss Alice Lorsheter was hostess at the first affair, and Mrs. Ed Caswell Jr. entertained at the second. The bride-to-be, who is recipient of many gifts from sorority sisters at the showers. Her wedding to R. Morton of Oakland is to take place in the near future.

Swedish Royal Band Coming to America

STOCKHOLM—Under the auspices of the Crown Prince of Sweden the Royal Navy Band, long recognized as pre-eminent in Swedish military music, will leave Sweden in March for an extensive tour of the United States.

The first appearance is scheduled at Academy of Music, Brooklyn, on March 22, and after a tour of New England another New York concert will be given in Carnegie Hall. The band will cover the middle and far west as far as the Pacific Coast have covered.

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Safe Milk and Diet For Infants, Invalids, The Aged

For Growing Children

Contains the valuable muscle and bone forming elements found in the grain and whole milk. Raises happy, robust children. Nutritious and easily assimilated. Prepared by special process in hot or cold water. No cooking.

MRS. CHARLES HILL, who in March will entertain at a bridge party in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Edward Skinner, who is visiting here from Buenos Aires, South America.—Scharz photo.



Scharz photo

FIVE TRUSTEES MAP PROTECTION FOR RURAL TRACT

Concord District Soon to Have Consolidated Department.

CONCORD, Feb. 26.—Five district trustees for rural territory, including the Burgess tract, Clayton and Ygnacio valley districts, appointed by the county supervisors, are completing the rural department preparatory to combining the sections to aid in fire emergency.

Fire trustees recently appointed are Will W. Wood, chairman; George A. Thrasher, secretary; Frank Rose, Marshall McKean and Ralph D. Bollman.

Police Probe Girl's Mystery Gas Death

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—Police are investigating the mystery surrounding the death of a girl known as "M. Clark," whose body was found in a gas-filled apartment at 2232 Mission street last night, apparently a suicide.

British Railways Kill One in Year

LONDON—The British railway world is chagrined because one passenger was killed during 1925, thus making it impossible to equal the record of 1924 and 1925, when none was killed.

Railway officials point out, however, that the one man would probably not have died from the injuries he received had he not had a weak heart.

For a Cough, Grip, or Influenza and as a Preventive, take Laxative PHOMO QUININE Tablets. A Safe and Proven Remedy. The box bears the signature of E. W. Grove. 30c—Advertisement

Girl's Assailant Pays for Crime With His Life

Great Crowd Sees Hanging of Man Accused by White

GEORGETOWN, Del., Feb. 26.—Harry Butler, negro, convicted on February 8 of a criminal assault on Elmore Stelmetz, 13-year-old white girl of Bridgeville, was hanged in the yard of the jail here at 10:08 a. m. today.

The hanging attracted a huge crowd, many of whom had been in a throng which threatened violence to the prisoner at his trial in the Georgetown court house on February 8. At that time troops were called out and tear gas bombs were used to drive the mob back.

ROOSTER PLUMES AGAIN TRIM HATS

PARIS.—(C)—Rooster feathers as trimming for hats have come back into fashion with Paris milliners, to decorate simple little morning hats for between-season wear with "old-fashioned" suits.

The feathers should be worn feathered downward and to be chic should match the color of the hat. A popular model for such hats, created by a Paris designer, is a felt toque of a delicate green color with green feathers to hang over the left ear.

EX-DRUGGIST DIES

MARTINEZ, Feb. 26.—Samuel Johnson, 84, resident of Walnut Creek 25 years ago, having conducted a drug store there, died yesterday in Fowler at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Roy Griffin. Besides the daughter, he is survived by a widow, Mrs. Amanda J. Johnson and three grandchildren. Funeral services are to be held here tomorrow, with burial in Alamo cemetery.

There is no substitute for Long Strand Pure Worm Silk

Extra Special 2 Pairs for \$1.98 Value \$4.00

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KNIT TO FORM-FITTING, GUARANTEED MDSE.

Our own special design—one of the most beautiful stockings made. Made in Oakland by the Wurm Woven Hosiery Mills. Sold at the mills where they are made. Direct from Mill to wearer.

These are our \$2.00 a pair value—new stock—not show-worn—made from the finest of silk in the market—all colors and sizes. Come and try a silk stocking—made in Oakland and BE CONVINCED that they are BETTER than you can buy elsewhere.

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Reliable Quality Prompt Delivery

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SPECIALS for SATURDAY and MONDAY

Brand New 50-Watt 110 V. Genuine Tungsten Electric Lamps. Tested and guaranteed. 5 for \$1

Now is the time to dig. This finest quality 4-tined Spading Fork with D \$1.65 or long handle; extra strong and well finished.

Electric Cord Set. Asbestos covered. Fits most any electrical appliance. Special 79c

Key Purse. Good quality brown or black leather, reinforced back, 6 hooks. Special price... 33c

OAKLAND INDUSTRIAL CAPITAL OF THE WEST

Oakland's new official slogan. Do your share in boosting Oakland by getting this permanent baked enamel metal slogan for your car. It is blue and white to match your license plate. Complete with holes and bolts to fasten. Pair... 50c

Genuine Jefferson Bell Ringing Transformer. Ends all battery trouble forever. Reg. \$1.50 98c

Tool Dept.

Get the bugs before they get your rose bushes

This strong, well made LISK SPRAYER with 8 oz. of Nicotine Bug Spray, enough to make 2 gallons of spray mixture. Both for 85c Spray Now

Household Hand Saw, 26-in.; Reg. \$2.00. special... \$1.50

Carpenter's Steel Square, 16x24 in. \$1.65

Household Nail Hammer..... 70c

Carpenter's 16-oz. Warranted Nail Hammer, with hickory handle..... \$1.25

8-Inch Nickel Plated Combination Auto Pliers. Special..... 50c

The New Improved Ingersoll Stropper. For safety razor blades. Get 100 per cent out of your old blades. Special \$1

"A Hat to Fit Your Face"

BUY YOUR EASTER HAT NOW!

An Astounding MEN'S Hat Sale

Begins Tomorrow Regardless of Cost!

WE MUST MAKE ROOM for new shipments and the new lines of ORIGINAL BORSALINO HATS—now on the way—Hence we offer you choice of all sizes in new styles and colors in either Plain or Fancy bands of \$5 and \$6 hats at \$3.95

Smooth Felts, Silk Finishes, Genuine Velours Included

Come in and Look Them Over

Your Choice of More Than 1200 Hats

Imported Velours, Genuine Beavers, smooth finishes, Plain or Fancy Bands, all colors, all sizes. Wonderful hats. Regular \$7.50 and \$8.00 hats, priced at— \$5.85

Imported Beavers, Imported Velours. Regular \$10.00 and \$12.00 hats. Special at \$7.85. All colors; all sizes.

Men's and Young Men's Caps EXTRA SPECIAL

\$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 values. Every new shape and color included. \$1.85

One lot of broken lines and odd lots, regular \$5.00 and \$6.00 hats, small sizes only—6 3/4, 6 7/8 and 7. See if your size is here. Your choice \$1.95

This Sale will last for 10 days only—PLEASE SHOP EARLY

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SPECIAL VALUES FROM THE HOUSEHOLD SECTION

Get this "Wear-Ever" 2 1/2-Qt. Double Lipped Saucepan. Regular Price \$1.10 Saturday only 75c

Saturday Is the Last Day to get this wonderful thick, hard sheet "WEAR-EVER" ALUMINUM DOUBLE-LIPPED SAUCEPAN at this special price. The years of satisfactory service proves that it pays to buy Quality Aluminum and not thin, flimsy kinds that are expensive at any price.

FACTORY DEMONSTRATION ENDS SATURDAY

EGGS ARE VERY CHEAP NOW! Preserve them, before the price goes up. We have just received a large shipment of

STONE CROCKS with covers, heavy glazed inside and outside. Any size up to and including 6 gallons, with covers. Per gallon 30c

SILICATE OF SODA for preserving eggs—15c pint, 25c per quart.

The Genuine Pyralin Ivory Du Barry and Plain Patterns

1/3 off 7/3 OFF

This includes Mirrors, Brushes, Combs, Powder Jars, Jewelry Cases, etc.

SALE of USED RANGES

We have a number of "WEDGEWOOD" and RELIABLE RANGES that have been used for demonstrating and some have been returned on unpaid accounts, all in first class order. You can hardly notice that they have been used. All will be sold at a mere fraction of their actual value. Very easy terms. A Fair Allowance Made for Your Old Stove

RELIABLE GAS RANGE

ABC "OSCILLATOR" Copper Tub ELECTRIC WASHER \$99.00

Swinging, Wringing, Smooth, Silent Running. Full Cash Price for Tested Price Only

HOUSE INCREASES FUNDS OF BUREAU OF IMMIGRATION

\$79,847,000 Appropriations for Departments Reported to House.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—(AP)—An appropriation bill carrying \$79,847,000 for the departments of state, justice, commerce and labor, was reported to the house today by its appropriations committee.

Campbell Pupils To Present Play - CAMPBELL, Feb. 26.—Days of Robin Hood will be revived in "Sherwood," a tale of Old England, to be played under the direction of Miss John of the high school faculty in the near future at the local grammar school auditorium.

Fleishacker Named To Fair Committee - WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—(AP)—President Coolidge has appointed the following to the national advisory commission to the Philadelphia Sesqui-Centennial Exposition association: John Elwood White, Tucson, Ariz.; Miss Charlotte M. Hall, Prescott, Ariz.; Herbert Fleishacker, San Francisco; Sterling D. Lacey, Grand Junction, Colo.; Clayton C. Dana, Denver, Colo.; W. J. Milroy, Olympia, Wash.; E. W. Stone, Wheeling, W. Va.

TODAY ON THE AIR

Table with columns for station call letters (KLX, KGO, KTAB, KFUS, KRE, KFI, KJRS, KHJ, KJR) and their respective radio time schedules.

NAVY CONFESSES INTERFERENCE OF RADIO STATIONS

Communications Division, After Months of Effort, Admits Partial Defeat.

By ROBERT MACK. Special Correspondent. The OAKLAND TRIBUNE. WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Although doing everything in its power to minimize radio interference from its shore stations, the communications division of the navy department admits that complete elimination of interference in the broadcast bands under present conditions is impossible.

LACK OF FUNDS BLAMED. Interference is admitted, however, in cases where the lack of funds has prevented replacement of several small spark transmitters with more modern apparatus and in the high-powered transmitters to ships of the merchant marine, where, because of lack of C. W. equipment aboard these vessels, the procedure and more to be used. All of the high-powered arc transmitters of the navy, it is set forth, have been ordered to remain in service until the principal broadcasting hours in order that their harmonics and "blanketing" will not bother the listeners in the immediate vicinity of the station.

Vallejo Singers

The Du Cello Trio which will be heard tonight from KLX.



FRANCE TO TAX HIGH AMERICANS

PARIS, Feb. 26.—(AP)—The senate last night denied a body bill to those wealthy North and South Americans and other foreigners who make France their headquarters. Following the example of the chamber of deputies, the upper chamber voted a provision that henceforth all foreigners having their principal residence in France must pay the same income tax as Frenchmen.

VALLEJOANS TO BE HEARD FROM KLX

Samoset Glee Club and Trio Scheduled for Varied Program.

Popular and classic music will be heard tonight when "Vallejo Night" will be broadcast from KLX. The first hour and a half of the program, which begins at 8 o'clock and is provided by the Samoset Glee club and the Du Cello trio, both organizations of Vallejo.

Episcopal Church Cuts Budget \$200,400

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—(AP)—The national council of the Episcopal church was forced today to cut \$200,400 from the general program for this year because of the failure of some dioceses to meet their full quotas for the general church budget of \$4,212,350.

Bacteria Upon Bacteria Visible By New Formula

Seen by Treatment With Gold Filtrate.

By EDGAR ANSEL MOWBRER. By Radio to The OAKLAND TRIBUNE and The Chicago Daily News. BERLIN, Feb. 26.—Not only bacteria but bacteria of bacteria can now be seen by science, according to the new procedure of Professor Bechhold of the Institute for Colloid Research of Frankfurt university.

ANTIOCH SCIOTS TO STAGE SHOW

Antioch Pyramid embraces the section from Martinez by Byron, including Walnut Creek, Bay Point, Concord, Oakley, Brentwood and Pittsburg. Seven committees will aid Antioch members in the plans for the affair.

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Feel Splendid! Nicest Laxative, "Cascarets" 10c. Don't stay headachy, dizzy, bilious, constipated, sick.

Rotarians Told of State Crime Problem. PETALUMA, Feb. 26.—Buron R. Fitch, chief of attorney of Los Angeles, addressed the Rotary club at a luncheon at the Hotel Petaluma.

SAN LORENZO. SAN LORENZO, Feb. 26.—Mrs. Hattie Shultz entertained at her home yesterday afternoon. These present were Mrs. J. Walker, Mrs. Webster, Mrs. Batters, Mrs. Post and Mrs. W. Hay.

BAY POINT. BAY POINT, Feb. 26.—Eight members of the Bobette club met at the home of Mrs. Fahy at Clyde Wednesday evening.

BENICIA. BENICIA, Feb. 26.—Miss Helen Parnell is spending the week in San Francisco.

Radient Corn Remove. Makes walking a real pleasure. Removes those corns and callouses; only takes a few hours and lifts right off.

Wireless Courses. Western Radio Institute Hotel-Oakland. 12th and Broadway Open Evenings

S. F. Man Held for Wild Acts on Train. RICHMOND, Feb. 26.—A Chinese, believed to be Peng Wing of San Francisco, is being held here for mental observation today following his arrest after he had terrorized passengers aboard a Santa Fe passenger train en route to Oakland from Fresno yesterday.

Sir Francis Lloyd, Lieut.-General Dies. LONDON, Feb. 26.—(AP)—Lieut. General Sir Francis Lloyd died today, aged 76, after a long illness.

Cut Rate Radio Co. Business is big with us. We are giving the radio buying public the greatest bargains ever offered anywhere.

Large 45-Volt Guaranteed B BATTERIES. These are high grade, well-known make and are guaranteed by us—A new one for one that should fail to satisfy. Why buy inferior brands?

Startling Prices on Condensers. Straight line frequency. Extra fine brass plates. Regular \$5.00 value. Our special price, only \$1.45.

Drastic End-of-the-Month Reductions! To put the month of February 100% over the top we have reduced many prices down to bedrock, so grab these bargains quickly.

ONE OF OAKLAND'S GREATEST RADIO SALES! Topping the list of great values! New Model 1926 ELECTRON 5-Tube Set

YALE OR FRANCO DRY CELLS, 3 for \$1.00. 6 Volt 100 Amp Rubber Case Battery. Regular \$1.50. Special \$1.00.

MUSIC MASTER LOUD SPEAKING UNITS \$3.49. Straight Line Frequency Condensers. All Capacities. Reg. \$4.50. Special \$1.19.

Balkite Trickle Chargers. Special \$3.49. Low Loss 30 Volt 300 Milli-Ampere Tuner. Reg. \$10.00. Special \$2.49.

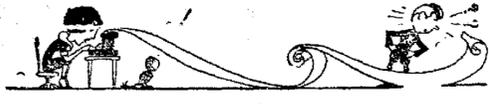
BRANDEIS SUPERIOR EARPHONES, \$2.49. Crowds Lead the Way to Great Values! WE Have the Crowd!

AMERICAN RADIO STORES. 459 11th St., Oakland. 23 Plate Low Loss Condensers. Reg. \$4.50. Special \$2.75.

The BETTER HALF

By Nanica Barr Martin

OUR government has made us internationally ridiculous by following the law, but we may criticize a law which gives a definition of crime and moral turpitude to the conduct of a foreigner which is not penalized at home. If the Countess of Cathcart's feet are too muddy to touch our shores, a good deal of sweeping is needed for a large number of 100 per cent American shoes.



However, Sir William Joynson-Hicks, the English home secretary, keeps his head on his shoulders when he declares that the British government will take no steps to enact a retaliatory measure against American divorced persons traveling to Great Britain. Nothing would be gained for anybody's national reputation by making Great Britain as absurd as we have been.



A "sucker list" of 800 "wealthy widows of the bay cities" has come into a publicity little desired by the compilers who offered it for sale. But it is not such a valuable list as it once would have been. Once upon a time wealthy widows were the perfect subjects for fleecing operations. They had money; and being women with no husbands to lean upon, of course they would have no idea how to take care of that money. But nowadays there is an even chance that those widows are perfectly able to cock a derisive eye at wildcat oil stock and gold mine prospectuses. Perhaps as a sucker list those 800 names weren't worth the sales price after all!



The Berkeley Camp Fire girls are making over a cottage to serve as headquarters. They are not merely sewing curtains and scrubbing floors. They are also painting walls and ceilings, and earning money for furnishings. They are "providers" as well as housewives. And when it is done, it will be somehow more inwardly their own than if they had stepped into it ready-made. They will have made it their own with their hands as well as their money. And they will have learned at first hand something of the age-old magic of personal creation. They will have touched the reality of literal home-making. And for boys or girls, that is something worth having!

MAKING THE MOST OF YOUR LOOKS

By Dorothy Stote



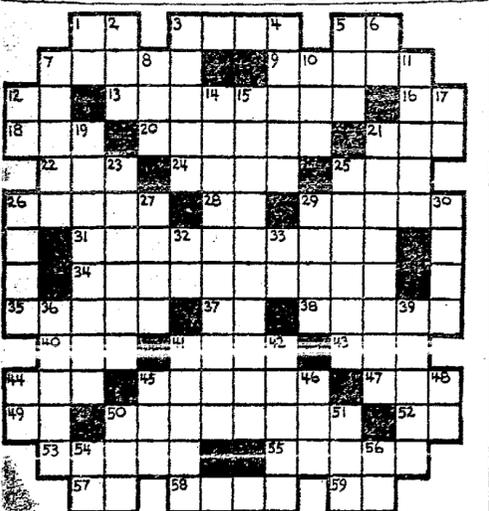
Dear Ann:

Just because one has a short fatish neck it seems a shame one should never wear one of the new smart high collars. But what I do hold out for is this, the collar should be plain, and not one of those double turnover styles.

Fours for discrimination.

LETITIA (Copyright, 1925.)

TRIBUNE PUZZLE COLUMN



HORIZONTAL

- 1 Prefix—two
- 2 Body of concrete
- 3 Brotherhood (abbr.)
- 4 A kind of dog
- 5 Old name of Chosen
- 6 Calcium (abbr.)
- 7 Nostril of a whale
- 8 Funic (abbr.)
- 9 The bullfinch (Prov. Eng.)
- 10 Sweated at the edge
- 11 A receptacle
- 12 Artificial pond (Hawaii)
- 13 Degrades
- 14 Girls' name
- 15 Pierre animal (pl.)
- 16 Personal pronoun
- 17 Small, succulent fruit
- 18 Pertaining to a region in central Germany
- 19 Science that treats of the moon
- 20 A long-legged bird
- 21 Gloria Patri (abbr.)
- 22 Serious
- 23 Metal-bearing rock
- 24 Short for "Henrietta"
- 25 Sooner than
- 26 One (Scott.)
- 27 Preface (pl.)
- 28 Piece of moisture
- 29 French writer of scientific romances
- 30 Coming up of the moon
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- 32 Point of compass (abbr.)
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- 1 Execute
- 2 Irish Republican
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- 4 Footwear
- 5 Entreat
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MILADY BEAUTIFUL

By Lois Leeds

BEAUTY QUESTIONS ANSWERED

Goldie writes: "I am 15 years old, 4 feet 10 inches tall, and weigh 88 pounds. What should I weigh? Please send me your leaflets on hair and care of legs. Can you tell me the correct measurements for a girl of my age and size and also for a girl 19 years old, 5 feet 1 inch tall, weighing 115 pounds?" Answer: You should weigh 90 pounds; your friend's weight is correct. If you will send me a stamped, self-addressed envelope I shall be glad to mail you the leaflets. As to measurements for girls of your ages, they differ so that there is no absolute standard recognized. You can see for yourself that it would be foolish to say, for example, that all girls of your age and height ought to measure just as much



THREE COILS BEHIND

around the hips, calves, etc., because it is just as natural for some types of girls at 15 to have straight, boyish figures as it is for others to have the characteristic feminine curves. For the same reason one should not have height-and-weight tables for growing girls too seriously. When a woman is mature and has gained her maximum height, it is then possible to tell what her measurements should be in order that she may have a graceful, well-proportioned figure. Don't worry about your proportions but live a healthful life and cultivate a correct posture.

W. W.: When a fairly young woman has wrinkles at the back of her neck the condition may be due to excess flesh there or the lack of sufficient flesh. From your letter I judge that you are not fat. For a thin wrinkled neck, steam with hot towels every night and then massage with a food cream for several minutes. Finish by patting on a little astringent lotion. Do neck-bending exercises to stimulate the circulation. You need to develop a brisk circulation throughout your body by daily setting-up exercises. To improve your hands, place your elbow on the table and massage downwards from the fingers, using some food cream to lubricate the massage.

F. V. E.: The sage and black tea hair restorer is perfectly harmless. It is intended for hair that is just beginning to grey, as it is not a dye. If the greying has progressed far this restorer will not bring back the color.

N. Wright: Don't forget to inclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request for my leaflet. (Copyright, 1925.)

HOME NOTES

By Jenny Wren

Among the many rare and interesting things which are finding their way into our American gift shops from the Orient is this beautiful Moradabad brassware. The ancient city of Moradabad has been one of the chief centers of the brassware industry in India for over a century.

The brass is engraved and the depressions are filled with melted brass. The work is carried on in their own huts.

Each article passes through the hands of several artisans, each being an expert in the particular part he performs. The pieces include serving trays, plates, bowls, vases, candlesticks and jewel boxes.



U stands for Ukulele, whose soft, mellow hum has not many a promise's youth on its lips.

U stands for Ukulele, whose soft, mellow hum has not many a promise's youth on its lips. If all the knockers who think Dempsey ought to fight would buy tickets to the fight I'll bet he would fight. (Copyright.)

Geraldine's SHOULDER

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"EXPECTANT MOTHER" is receiving loving advice. The world is supposed to say "thumbs down" to the girl who errs, yet here is woman after woman giving understanding—and women are supposed to withhold generosity from those who make mistakes.

Dear Geraldine: This is a letter about Expectant Mother of Sunday TRIBUNE. My case was the same as hers, but thank God that I kept my boy and I am happy in my home with him and my dear husband, for I married when my boy was four years old and I am happy. Could I be happy to know that my boy was among strangers? Never! No matter what Expectant Mother will do from now on, she will never be able to forget that baby. For she will get a good man some day as I did. God never closed one door that he did not open a thousand. But she will not have good luck if she throws away her baby. Her sister-in-law is sure a sensible woman. She knows what love is. Your love for the world and if you deny him that, you will be going a great sin. Guide, love, protect and lead him in this great world and your reward will come from above.

A HAPPY MOTHER. O. piffle with the "innocence" that this woman prays for. The innocent falls who trusts. He is because of her prized IGNORANCE. She is as self-centered as though she were the pivot of a very small family group and the greatest thing she has known. And when she reads what I think of her letter she'll probably decide I am a coarse, common thing who can't understand the finer sensibilities of a truly noble woman. Well, if she spent half the enthusiasm in work, in tolerance and understanding of her fellow man as she does in prayer, she'd be better off.

Dear Geraldine: You are always so kind and ready to listen and help anyone who needs your advice. I have read your columns in the TRIBUNE for some time and want you to know I admire your work. A heart that can look deep down under the surface of things, the kind of people the world needs today.

I was just reading Expectant Mother, an item in your column in the Sunday TRIBUNE of January 17th. How my heart goes out to the poor little girl and may God look into her heart and see the good that is there and make her sorrow lighter. In my prayer, Jerry, can't the father be made to support the child if he has not the honor and manhood to marry the girl. Isn't there any such law in California?

Jerry, when I was 17 and in high school, I loved and trusted a boy three years older. I had a Christian home and was raised in the home of my mother and brother eight years younger than I, happy in a Christian home. God bless them. Anyway we were and were married. My father took me under his wing and wanted me to come to him. But no, Jerry, I just couldn't. He killed my love when he broke my heart before we were married. Surely God will not condemn me for there was no feeling that I was doing wrong at the time. I could not believe the boy who had won my

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in myself. So, dear God, let me live as near to Thee as my highest ideals can keep me and let me be loved by everyone, and I will be content, and when the time comes I can say I have fought the fight for things good and pure, the best that I knew how, and forgive me for my childish mistakes with one more worldly than I.

Jerry, tell me what to do for a new deep interest in life. My folks have loved little children so and have always looked forward to our home being blessed with a little stranger, but would I have the strength to go on and know? rest happiness (without the joy of the past, Jerry?). I have prayed for strength and feel justified at times, then other days I am sad and lose courage in myself. Tell me what to do, Jerry, and forgive me for my childish mistakes with one more worldly than I.

I must ask you to forgive me taking so much of your time for such a lengthy letter. Thank you for your kind attention. I would appreciate a reply in THE TRIBUNE from you, I remain Most sincerely,

DISAPPOINTED. (Please tell me just what you think from your own heart. God bless you in your work, Jerry.)

F. S. We are contented if we make a mistake, but are we ever praised for being strong against temptations afterwards? After all, we are all human, striving for higher things, including those that would judge.

DISAPPOINTED. Well, God may bless me for my honesty, but I doubt if you will, disappointed, for I am going to be honest.

You are going through life passing the buck for your mistakes, which is neither a brave or noble thing to do. First, a 17-year-old girl is entirely blameless for her mistakes. She may love unwisely, so do older people, but still her very "innocence" would make her think a mistake quite a terrible thing. The boy was merely expressing resentment at your reproaches.

That's that. You'll "get more out of life"—happiness and love and the friendship of neighbors and friends—when you DEVELOP MORAL CHARACTER OUTLOOK. Quit thinking that you are God's favorite child and BE YOURSELF. If you don't get busy and act like an upstanding human being, you'll probably lose the love of your good husband—and if you do, you'll weep and snifle and think how before you hate me too much.

Disappointed read over your letter again and see if you don't think I'm at least partly right. Here's hoping you wake up.

Once more a kindly word to Expectant Mother:

Dear Jerry: A word to dear little Expectant Mother. You have a hard road before you, dear little girl. If this is all up to you, how much courage have you? Have you excellent health? Can you, if you keep your baby, care for it yourself till the time comes when you must leave it to claim you? Your sister-in-law is right. You have made a very sad mistake and I pray it may be a life-long lesson to you, dear girl, to see the mother's side. She feels she can't sit by and face the disgrace you have brought upon her as well as yourself. But dear girl, if you have the courage to go forward you can win. Ask God, our eternal help, to guide you in what decision you make. You have not committed an unpardonable sin, only society will censure you strongly; but if you show them you are right, I'm sure they will help you.

Listen, Expectant Mother. I'm a mother of five and I know what sorrow was, yet my greatest joy is my three living children. My husband and I are very happy, and I could not get on very well without his love and care; but my children are a part of me. Some time, dear girl, you will marry and be happy knowing you cling to your baby because it is part of you. I hope you do have the courage to go on. Come to me, I would love to talk to you. Jerry has my address.

Forget it. A disillusioned Romeo. There are not many girls for all that. If I were a Money Wrecked Wife I would kick out and do for myself and ask the court to make hubby take care of the children. Ex-Government Officer, I put you on the back.

Girls, make them longer. A MOTHER.

Geraldine (Copyright, 1926.)

TEASERS

Hats. Look over the collection of hats in the drawing. Some are silk hats, others are soft hats, straw caps and derbies also make their appearance.

After one minute, lay the paper aside, and try to make a diagram, putting in the proper hats in the proper places. See how many you can remember!

Yesterday's Teaser. To name thirteen letter numbers in alphabetical order, give good food, average, 1 fair, less than 1 poor. (Copyright, 1925.)

OUR CHILDREN

By Angelo Patri



IN FREEDOM.

EVERY mother dreams of bringing up her children in liberty. There is a fascination in the thought of a free child. Memories of one's own fettered and fretted childhood, darken our thoughts and we resolve again that our children shall be brought up in freedom.

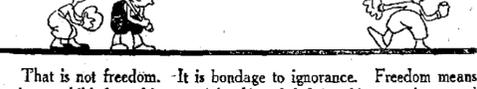
Which is right. A free child is blest beyond the ordinary lot. But there is but one born every thousand years. For freedom, when you stop to consider, means a freedom that moves easily upon the basic law. Freedom that defies such law is slavery.



For instance. A four year old child wants to pour the water in the glass pitcher into the tumblers that stand ready on the table. He cannot hold up the weight of the pitcher, he cannot control the direction of the flow, he cannot even see over the top of the table.

Would you be curtailing his freedom and setting up an inferiority complex if you took him gently away from the table and gave him another occupation more suited to his powers. Or should you let him splash the place with water until he sees that he cannot do the job and run the risk of letting failure teach him something?

We would all use our common sense and take him away. If he was like the child I saw wetting himself and everything about him as he waved the pitcher about, he would go into a tantrum and yell himself blue in the face when at last he was taken away.



That is not freedom. It is bondage to ignorance. Freedom means freeing a child from his material self and helping him to release and strengthen his spiritual self. It is teaching him to discriminate between what he may and may not do; teaching him to respect his own intelligence and that of those about him.

Bad manners are a handicap to any child. They close the doors he most wishes to open. But if you discipline a child into gentleness and the observation of certain formalities, do you take away his freedom? Of course you do. There is none of us free to hurt or annoy or affront other people. We are bound by the law of courtesy and good breeding to restrain ourselves and consider others.



It is a great mistake to allow a child to cultivate a manner that is objectionable to people. It is one of the heaviest burdens a human being has to carry through life. It is a mistake to bring up a child in the thought that what he wants is more important than all else beside. He will be the only one thinking that way and his road will be correspondingly difficult.

The freedom of the child lies in freeing his soul, in keeping his mind open to new experiences, in setting him in an attitude of sympathy and appreciation of the fine things going on about him. Freedom from ignorance is the real freedom.

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(Mr. Patri will give personal attention to inquiries from parents and school teachers on the care and development of children. Write him in care of this paper, enclosing self-addressed, stamped envelope for reply.)

WHAT DOES YOUR CHILD WANT TO KNOW?



Where Do Bananas Come From? From southern climates, warm and moist.

They send us great green bunches, And when they're brown and yellow ripe We use them for our lunches.

HOUSEWIFE'S IDEA BOX



Put cold meat, cheese or ham through the food chopper. It will then be easy to rub them to a paste with some butter to form a nice filler for sandwiches. This will save a lot of time and make a nicer paste than if the food was cut up or chopped.

THE HOUSEWIFE.

TODAY IS MY BIRTHDAY

Eleanor Lynch 11 Newell Reading 2
Mary Ruth Morrow 9 Clinton Bonifield 1
Franklin Clark, Jr. 6 Fred Cuervo 2
Alpha Larson 10 William Shrogia 9
Sophie Combes 11 Russell Cowan 14
Joseph McClellan 9

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LITHUANIA WAR LOOMS AS POLES MOBILIZE TROOPS

League Asked to Intercede in Move to Take Vilna From Poland.

GENEVA, Feb. 26.—(AP)—Lithuania has asked the intervention of the League of Nations against Poland in connection with recent frontier incidents.

By JUNIUS B. WOOD. (Special Cable to the Oakland Tribune and the Chicago Daily News.)

MOSCOW, Feb. 26.—Troops are massing along the Polish border in anticipation of hostilities between Lithuania and Poland, according to reports emanating from Vilna.

All outgoing news channels are censored, according to the same report. However, explanations from Polish sources say that the authorities at Vilna consider an armed clash unavoidable.

The Polish army is reported to have made all preparations to meet an attack. The Poles interpret the present active campaign as a well-prepared move to get the Vilna question again before the League of Nations.

Meager reports that brushes between Lithuanian and Polish frontier guards already have occurred, the former attempting to take position in Polish occupied territory but being repulsed.

Since the decision of the League of Nations in 1923, awarding the Vilna area to Poland, a Lithuanian guard has matched the Polish guard along the entire length of the border, making a double row of sentries.

Recently the roads between Vilkomir and the frontier have been reported blocked with Lithuanian reinforcements, consisting of infantry and artillery moving eastward.

The Poles say they sent representatives to the border in an ineffectual attempt to effect a peaceful solution. The present situation recalls the report which was promptly denied, following the recent visit of the Soviet foreign minister, Tchitcherin, to Kovno, that Lithuania hoped to induce Moscow to intercede at

Anti-Lynching Bill Is Ditched

Measure Threatened as Reprisal on Southern Democrats To Be Blocked.



Visitor Declares President Knows His Own Number

Coolidge Anxious to End Session

By ROBERT T. SMALL, Special Correspondent of The Oakland Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The threat of the anti-lynching bill no longer hangs over Congress, because the White House "spokesman" has not listed it among the "essential" pieces of legislation which he would like to see disposed of before any early adjournment of the national legislature is taken.

The president, as a matter of fact, has never indicated through the "spokesman," or otherwise, that he favors such a drastic measure as the pending bill, which would transfer all criminal cases growing out of lynching to the federal courts, and would impose a fine of \$10,000 upon any county in which a lynching occurred.

The measure also describes three or more persons as "mob."

President Coolidge has urged upon Congress that the negro be given "full liberty and equality under the law," but such "liberty and equality" would seem to be already guaranteed under the constitution.

THREATENED AS REPRISAL. The anti-lynching bill has been threatened as a reprisal against the southern Democrats, who voted to shut off debate on the White

House and induce Poland to return Vilna to Lithuania.

Warsaw reports emphasize the resolution adopted by the national democratic party which declared for a vigorous campaign against Communist propaganda in Poland, saying that "now is the time to act, temporizing is futile." Communist circles interpret the resolution as an invitation for a Fascist dictatorship in Poland. (Copyright, 1926, The Chicago Daily News.)

SUZANNE BANNED FROM GAME TILL JUNE BY DOCTORS

French Ace Will Not Meet Helen Wills in Nice Net Tournay.

(Continued From Page 1.)

Riviera tennis enthusiasts. Nice officials complained that she had been unfaithful to her home town by playing Miss Wills at Cannes and refusing to do so at Nice. Some of them said they still had a faint hope she would change her mind.

Miss Wills will not play in the singles at Mentone next week, but will play in the mixed doubles, paired with F. R. Scovel.

She still intends to enter the singles at Nice the following week in spite of Mlle. Lengien's withdrawal.

Miss Eileen Bennett of England today eliminated Frau Neppach, German champion, in the quarter final of the lawn tennis singles for the Duke of Connaught's gold cup, 6-2, 2-6, 6-2.

Helen Wills reached the final for the Duke of Connaught's gold cup today, defeating Eileen Bennett of England, 6-3, 6-2.

Suzanne Lengien is ready to show any tennis followers that she is not slipping.

Informing that Helen Wills was attracting the greatest crowds ever seen at tennis matches in Monte Carlo, Suzanne said yesterday with some asperity:

"They bury me too soon. I am not finished. I will show them at Nice."

Royalty was divided against itself while Miss Wills yesterday was going down to defeat with Mrs. Assolmann in her play in her doubles match against Mrs. Phyllis Satterthwaite and Miss Eileen Bennett of England. King Gustave of Sweden was loud in his applause of Miss Wills when she scored placements, while the British Duke of Connaught was equally as ostentatious in his approval of the success of the English pair.

When the match was over King Gustave congratulated the California girl, leaning her on the shoulder, saying: "You play nobly." Meanwhile, the Duke of Connaught shook hands with both Mrs. Satterthwaite and Miss Bennett. Then the royal personages shook hands with each other.

King Gustave of Sweden was on

Woman Receives Chance to Pay For Baby's Toys

Mother Bought Playthings and Clothes for Unborn Child of Daughter.

BERKELEY, Feb. 26.—Pleading for a chance to pay for toys and baby clothes she had bought for her daughter's unborn child, Mrs. Adele Lear, 48, 2920 1/2 Wheeler street, begged in police court today not to be sent to jail on the charge of obtaining goods under false pretenses.

On her promise to pay for the things as quickly as she can earn the money, Judge Robert Edgar postponed the case until May 27, by which date she said she was sure she could settle the bill of \$130 now standing against her at a Berkeley department store.

Mrs. Lear told the judge her husband, a truck driver, had deserted her and that her daughter's husband had also left them. The daughter is expecting a child, she said, and she could not bear the thought of its coming without proper clothes and playthings.

Arrest of Mrs. Lear followed issuing of a warrant sworn to by A. R. Macoon, credit manager of the department store, who alleged that on December 21 she bought merchandise valued at \$36.12 under the name of Mrs. Charles Haines, and that she has since run the bill up to \$130.

FIRE IN CAPITOL. WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—A fire broke out today in the kitchen of the House restaurant in the south wing of the capitol building. Fire fighters were summoned but the blaze was extinguished five minutes after it broke out.

the winning side for the first time during the Riviera tennis season, when he and Braeme Illiard defeated Jean Diener and Paul Milne in the first round doubles handicaps at 4-6, 5-2, 7-5.

"Spoils My Vacation," Says Berkeley Girl

NICE, Feb. 26.—"That spoils my vacation," said Miss Wills, when told at Monte Carlo that Suzanne Lengien could not play in the Nice tourney. "I hope she is well before the national championships in June."

Miss Wills was visibly surprised at the sudden turn of affairs.

Senorita de Alvarez, Spanish star, defeated Miss E. M. Harvey of England, 7-5, 6-1, thus reaching the semi-finals, where she meets with Gonzalves, France's ranking No. 5 player.

Bolshevists Agents Watched in China

SHANGHAI, Feb. 26.—Every one who has seen the condition of nationals of a certain nation which

adopted bolshevism when it was strong will realize that its effects are worse than those of a flood." So does the Chinese chief of police, Col. Yen Chung-yang, sum up a warning to his people in a proclamation urging his agents to hunt out all "bolshevists and communist agents who are now actively engaged in propaganda work." The fatherly tone of Col. Yen's proclamation is doing much to enhance his popularity among the Chinese.

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KNOWS OWN NUMBER. Inasmuch as it is open season for psycho-analyzing the president, the impression he made upon a visitor to the White House is instructive. This visitor, a thorough student of character, got perhaps a new view.

"It seems to me," he said to the writer, "that the important thing about Mr. Coolidge is that he knows his own number. He does not think he is something he isn't. He knows human limitations, and therefore he knows his own. He is not of the race of super-men and has no desire to pose as such. I don't mean to say he is 'just folks.' He is far more than that. He has hard practical sense. Perhaps that is why the country thinks of him as being cold and hard. Certainly he would be a hard man to bunco, even about himself."

In this connection there is the further story of the enthusiastic White House caller who assured the president that the great majority of the Western people were for him 100 per cent.

"Liebbe so today," the president is quoted as replying, "But you can't tell about tomorrow."

U. S. SEEMS ATTORNEYS. The department of justice is thoroughly perturbed over the Florida situation. It has sent out an S. O. S. call for district attorneys. It can't get anybody to take the job, especially in the old around the Tampa district. The government pays its attorneys ridiculously small salaries, and it is possible for a clever man to make as much on one real estate transaction as he would earn in an entire year grubbing around the musty federal courts trying to send bootleggers and others to jail.

Furthermore, so many big enterprises and big corporations in need of legal advice have sprung up in the peninsula state that the demand for bright young attorneys has far outstripped the supply. The government likes to have old residents in a district for its attorneys, and in Florida these have grown scarce and difficult to find. It is even reported the department has sent special agents to Florida to try to round up some attorneys, whether they want to be rounded up or not. The federal judges have in some instances been unable to hold court for want of someone to prosecute the prisoners.

FRIEDMAN HEADS BERKELEY CENTER

BERKELEY, Feb. 26.—The Berkeley Hebrew Center has reorganized with the following officers: Joseph Friedman, president; Benjamin Jacobs, vice-president; A. J. Weisbrod, treasurer; Harry Jacobs, secretary; Joseph W. Harris, financial secretary; Louis H. Cohn, M. Jacob, S. Richmond, V. Roubell, W. Cowen, S. Brown and M. Berger, trustees; David Miller, chairman of the board of education; and Alfred Golden, principal of the school.

In celebration of the Feast of Purim, the Megillas Esther will be read at the center tomorrow at 8 p. m. The Ladies Auxiliary will give a masquerade ball March 13.

Got Cold? Too Bad! No Cure, Says Holmes

BERKELEY, Feb. 26.—"Kachow! Ka-chow!" "Got a cold?" inquires Professor Samuel J. Holmes of the zoology department at the University of California. "That's too bad, for there isn't any way known to science of curing it."

Years of research and investigation by prominent scientists have failed to find any satisfactory cure for colds, the zoologist declares.

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OREGON, CALIFORNIA WILL START TITLE PLAY TONIGHT

First Game of Championship Series Booked For Oakland Auditorium at 8 o'Clock; Both Teams Shy One Regular Due to Illness.

By PHIL RAY.

California and Oregon, undefeated winners of the southern and northwestern divisions respectively of the Pacific Coast conference, stage the first basketball game of the series for the coast championship at the Oakland auditorium this evening at 8:00 o'clock. The Oregon team arrived in Oakland yesterday morning, primed for the encounters and hailed as the best team that ever represented the Lemon Yellow.

The second game of the series will be played Saturday night at the auditorium and if a third game is necessary, it will be played at Harmon gym as the former floor will be used for the horse show starting Monday.

California will attempt to win the Pacific Coast intercollegiate title for the third time in succession by defeating Oregon. Last year the same Oregon quintet met defeat in three hectic games played in the North and Washington lost to the Bears the season before at the auditorium.

This evening California is slightly the favorite, not so much on comparative records, for the Webfooters have performed in the northwest division in real championship style, but because of the adverse conditions the Lemon Yellow will face. Playing under strange conditions with strange officiating that is more lenient than that in the north, the Oregon team will have an added disadvantage to meet.

Bears Expect Hardest Battle of the Season.

Nevertheless, the Webfooters are a powerful scoring team and should rightly give California her hardest battle of the season. The two leading scorers of the northwestern division are the Bears' Roy Oberberg and the California's Bill Tilden. Oberberg has, in addition, outjumped every center in the north with the exception of Pinkerton of Oregon Agricultural college, who averages 6 feet 4 inches. Jerry Gunther, forward, is the second best scorer of the north and is a flashy floor man.

Captain Howard Hobson will play the forward for the Lemon Yellow, while Chuck Jost and Arnie Kimball will guard. Westergren, who was forced to remain in the north due to a case of pneumonia, was one of the most accurate shooters on the team and was the third highest scorer in the league. Coach Billy Reinhardt's team will miss his services in the current series considerably.

Benny Holmes Unable to Start Contest.

California, too, is minus one man, or at least the Bears will start the game without him. Benny Holmes, captain and flashy forward, although out of the University of California, is not in shape to play the whole game. Coach "Nips" Price said yesterday, however, that the leader would probably play part of the game tonight, but that he is unable to play more tomorrow. His absence strengthens rather than weakens the scoring power of the Bruins, however, for Milton Burt, who will take the place of the injured player, is a better shooter, being rated next to Bill Higgins, center, for consistent accuracy. Butts is not as fast on his feet or as clever a passer but he scores by shooting.

California's Defense, Which Has Held Its Conference Opponents to 78 Points, Will Probably Play an Important Part in the Contest.

California's defense, which has held its conference opponents to 78 points, will probably play an important part in the contest. The Bruins' defense is far better than that of the other teams in the conference. The Bruins' defense is far better than that of the other teams in the conference. The Bruins' defense is far better than that of the other teams in the conference.

California Successful in Conference Races.

In the Pacific Coast basketball conference since 1920, California has always been well up in the competition, winning three out of five seasons and being runner-up twice. The other season the Blue and Gold was third. Here is the record for the conference since 1920—Stanford; California second.

1921—California; Washington runner-up.

1922—Idaho; California third.

1923—Idaho; California second.

1924—California; Washington runner-up.

1925—California; Washington runner-up.

1926—California; Washington runner-up.

1927—California; Washington runner-up.

1928—California; Washington runner-up.

1929—California; Washington runner-up.

1930—California; Washington runner-up.

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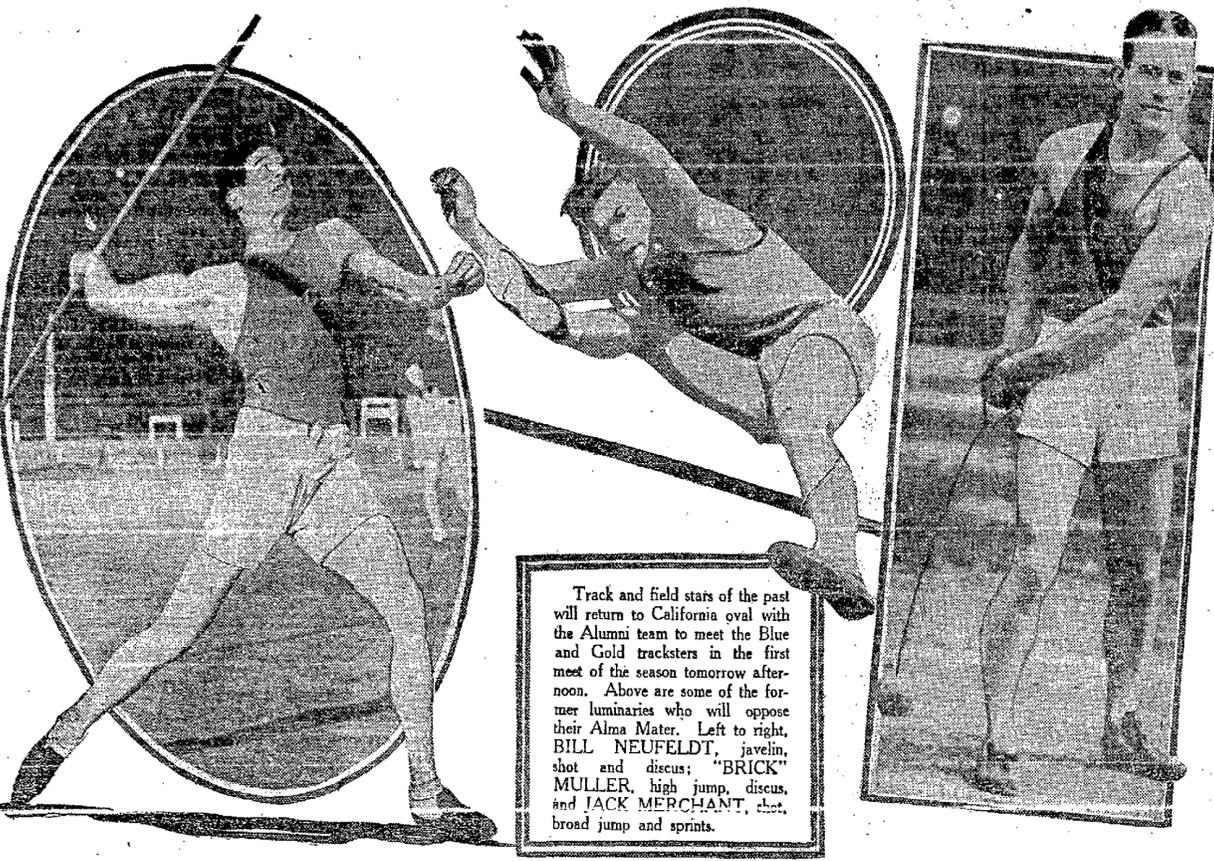
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ATHLETIC STARS OF THE PAST TO MEET BRUIN TRACKSTERS



Track and field stars of the past will return to California oval with the Alumni team to meet the Blue and Gold tracksters in the first meet of the season tomorrow afternoon. Above are some of the former luminaries who will oppose their Alma Mater. Left to right, BILL NEUFELDT, javelin, shot and discus; "BRICK" MULLER, high jump, discus, and JACK MERCHANT, shot, broad jump and sprints.

Helen Wills Reaches Semi-Final Round

Spanish Champion, Berkeley Girl's Rival, Also Nears Finals.

MONTE CARLO, Feb. 26.—(AP)—The King of Sweden, tapping Miss Helen Wills on the shoulder when, rather downcast, the American champion walked off the courts yesterday after her defeat in the doubles for the Beaumont cup, said: "You played nobly."

Miss Wills scored two victories today and suffered one defeat in the Monte Carlo tennis tournament. Returning to the courts for her first match after a day's rest, she defeated Miss Lily Cadie of England, who once conquered Mrs. Molla Mallory, 6-0, 6-1, and thus reached the semi-finals in the singles for the Duke of Connaught's gold cup.

Miss Wills and Miss Eileen Bennett of England, the pair passed out of the Beaumont cup competition, 2-6, 1-6.

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Oakland Tribune 100,000 BOYS' CLUB

Story of Babe Ruth's Boyhood; "Greatest to Ever Hit a Camp" By BROTHER GILBERT.

The Man Who Discovered Babe Ruth. I have told you how Babe Ruth was discovered while playing ball in the school yard of St. Mary's in Baltimore, and how he was signed at first sight by Jack Dunn, manager and owner of the famous Baltimore Orioles, and we're now in the training camp of the Orioles at Fayetteville, N. C., early in March in 1914.

Ruth hadn't been nicknamed "Babe" as yet. It was his first day in camp, but his antics had kept every one in a high state of amusement all the way from Baltimore to the camp. He hadn't slept very much during the night; it was his first trip. He raced up and down the cars getting acquainted with everybody. He was the biggest man on the train, but he was the kid of the bunch.

I don't know who was first to call him "Babe." The name was bound to come, however. After he had been given his equipment he beat all other players to the ball park, and was ready to go to work. The first time he went to bat he hit the ball far out of the park, into a cornfield. Jack Dunn to this day says it was the hardest hit that Babe Ruth or any other man ever made.

One of the veteran Oriole players yelled to Dunn, the manager, to wire Raleigh (a city far away) to have an outfielder in the park there to catch the ball. It was headed that way.

"Disco" a game adapted from tennis, is popular in England. It is played with wooden rackets (twenty-two inches in length, and three feet in diameter. Four players can work at one time. The ball is served and an opponent returns it trying to hit one of the discs in the opposite court. Each stroke must be a volley stroke, and a ball that has touched the ground cannot be returned. American players for the game have been granted. It may prove popular. It is a good game for early training for the tennis season.

BOBBY BUILDERS. Avoid getting chilled. Always have a heavy sweater, a robe or some other warm garment to slip on after a brisk workout. (Copyright, 1925.)

Application for Membership **Oakland Tribune 100,000 BOYS' CLUB**

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PLEDGE. If I am made a member of the 100,000 Boys' Club, I pledge to keep myself in good physical condition; play fair; be a modest winner and uncomplaining loser; abide by the rules of all sports I engage in and to respect officials; never neglect either home duties or school classes; to take an interest in all activities of the club and keep in touch with it through the 100,000 Boys' Club Official News Department which is published daily in the Sporting Section of The OAKLAND TRIBUNE.

Bruin Track Varied Swim Stars Tangle Program Set With Alumni For A. C. Pool

Delegation Headed By 'Brick' Muller Should Afford U. C. Opposition.

Stars of the cinder paths who exist to University of California students and supporters only in the athletic section of the Blue and Gold, or in some cases as a faint memory, return tomorrow afternoon to oppose their Alma Mater in the first track meet of the season for Walter Christie's jumpers and runners at California oval. The meet starts at 2 p. m.

Heading the delegation of returning students is Harold "Brick" Muller, who was one of the outstanding performers at California in 1922 and 1923 in the high jump, discus and shot. Those who will compete with Muller's team are: Harry McDonald, Edward "Red" Drew, Al Becker, Herb Henderson, Bill Neufeldt and a host of others.

Although some of the former stars are no doubt not in as good condition as the former stars, Walter Christie and Charlie Volz took care of their little muscles, they should be able to afford the varsity some interesting, if not close competition.

Muller is in fair shape and should be able to force Hampton to his best in the high jump, if not defeat him, while Jack Merchant has not been idling and is still a capable hand with the javelin and in the broad jump.

Christie has had an opportunity to look over his material in the inter-class meet that has been taking place throughout the week and will have his starters pretty well in mind for tomorrow.

Captain Phil Barber, veteran of three years and the fastest man on the Blue and Gold squad, is favored to win the sprints, while Van Gelder, who finished second in the inter-class, should also figure.

Bill Neufeldt, Hampton in good shape and Muller in only fair shape to counteract his superiority, the high jump event looms as one of the most interesting.

Al Becker, captain of last year's track team at California, will return to give his former team mates some stiff competition in the hurdles. Eagan and Hampton will probably provide most of the opposition for the Blue and Gold.

The first important meet on the California schedule will be with the Olympic Club on March 11.

GONZAGA RALLIES. SPOKANE, Wash., Feb. 26.—(AP)—Scoring 12 points in the last five minutes, Gonzaga university came from behind and defeated the Whitman basketball team, 20 to 18 last night. With five minutes to go, Whitman held a 19 to 18 lead.

Malone-Roche Bout Promises To Be Sell-Out

Record Advance Sale Reported by Promoter Simpson; Duffy Boxes Tonight.

By BOB SHAND.

When Jock Malone and Joe Roche square away at the Auditorium on week-end, the boxing standing room will be at a premium, according to Promoter Tom Simpson. Interest in this ten-round contest in Oakland is so high that he has staged in years and this includes appearances of world's champions like Phil Rosenberg and Harry Gray. Within the course of an hour yesterday Simpson received 375 reservations and the fight is 12 days away. Jim Griffin, the mayor of North Beach, wants 100 main floor seats; Joe Ford, also of Oakland, has reserved fifty, and Jack Pigeon, manager of Roche, has already paid for another fifty. Larry White, editor of an Italian paper across the bay, declared that "Oakland has a bigger population than San Francisco the night of the fight, if the boats don't break down." Temporary bleachers will be ready for use in case of an emergency, and present indications point to the bleachers being used.

Malone will arrive here from Los Angeles Monday morning and will start training at the Imperial gymnasium the same morning. Roche has started work in San Francisco and will do some of his training on this side of the bay next week.

Jimmy Duffy meets Jimmy Finley in San Francisco tonight for the "Jimmy" championship. Duffy is a top heavy favorite to win, as Finley is rated just an ordinary boxer. It will be the Oakland boy's first start since Joe Roche held him to a draw last Thanksgiving. He is expected to win, will box Jack Green in the special event.

Benny Vierra gave a nice exhibition of boxing at the Auditorium last night when he boxed six rounds with Joe Ferris in the main event but lost under the auspices of the Shrine. Benny is fast as ever and just as accurate a sharp-shooter was in the old days. A younger brother of Benny, Gene, was also good. The fight thought he wanted to be a fighter but changed his mind after Danny Souza had mussed his hair. Gene took a dive in the first round and was knocked out by Jimmie Stevens and looks like a fair prospect. It was his first appearance in any ring. Jimmy Valentino and Eddie Haden tried to get away with a walk but lost to Benny, who old the party was all off. Some of these kids who think they can get away with diving and waiting when they are supposed to fight will be seeking the same fate.

Jimmie went four fifty rounds while Jimmy Sleva and Johnny Nodell gave a neat exhibition for a pair of novices.

Frankie Campbell and Roland Todd will probably box the main event here March 31. Todd, an English middleweight, will arrive here Monday, accompanied by Charlie Harvey, the veteran manager, and Johnny Brown, British bantamweight. Brown was almost knocked out by Carl Tremaine the other night.

EXHIBITION DIVES. Bunny Ferguson will give a series of exhibition dives, as will Guyton Carroll. The divers hold the women's and men's junior national titles respectively.

"Phoney" dives will do some of the best diving of the season. Stumpf, a protégé of Patterson, will leap from the top platform in a mass of flames to end the evening.

In a special tandem race, Adrienne Gibson and Eva Medford will race Bunny Ferguson and Adrienne Gibson.

There is some doubt as to whether the special 100-yard breast stroke event, scheduled between Fred Berncamp and Bill Cundall will be staged as the former has been ill and is not in his best shape. If it does come off, however, it should be a good race from a competitive standpoint. Berncamp is an Athens club merman while Cundall used to hold the California interscholastic record for Alameda high school.

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BOYES SPRINGS, Feb. 26.—(AP)—Dickie Kerr, former Chicago White Sox pitcher, has been offered a contract to play for the team in the latest terms offered and that he will leave Paris, Texas, tomorrow and be in camp not later than next Wednesday. It is expected that Kerr's signing will give "Lefty" Williams, the other south-paw holdout, reason to think more about signing.

BYRON SPRINGS, Feb. 26.—William H. McCarthy, president of the Bears, was a visitor here yesterday and told Manager Walter McCredie that a final contract has been sent to Schmel and that he has been instructed to either accept or reject it. He claims that Schmel has been offered \$300 more than he got last season. McCredie expects the Bear pitching staff to be the best in the league since the days when he had such twirlers as Vean Gregg, Gene Krapp, "Spec" Harkness, Tom Seaton and Bill Steen at Portland.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 26.—(AP)—Mirus Outfielder, Walter Hood, whose hefty bat lifted many a home run over the fences of Pacific Coast League parks last season, outfielders and infielders of the Los Angeles club were to join their battery teammates in spring training at Wrigley field here today.

MYERS VS. SCHAFFER. HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 26.—(AP)—A round bout between Frankie Schaffer, Chicago lightweight, and Gus Myers of Pocatello, Idaho, will be held here tonight.

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Navy Men Booking Mare Island Bouts

VALLEJO, Feb. 26.—The next boxing show will be held at Mare Island navy yard on March 8. The program is being arranged by the naval men and promises to be one of the best in recent years.

St. Mary's to Play Jefferson Tomorrow

St. Mary's baseball team will battle Jefferson tomorrow afternoon at the local college stadium. The contest will start at 2:30 p. m.

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Drug Sleuths Scent Rum Cache; Nab Two
 MARYSVILLE, Feb. 26.—A keen nose of small led Sheriff C. J. McCoy and Patrolmen Albrecht and Wemple to a cache containing 75 gallons of illicit liquor at 205 B street here Wednesday.

The officers passed by a dwelling and detected suspicious odors. Investigating, they found the cache and Bert Quackenbush in charge of it. He was arrested. While the officers were preparing the liquor for seizure Fred Eck-

man came in to make a purchase. He was promptly arrested.

The two men paid fines of \$300 imposed by Police Judge W. E. Langdon.

MANSSION FOR FAIRFIELD.
 FAIRFIELD, Feb. 26.—George Barenohl, Vallejo contractor, has seven-room bungalow for Warner Chabourrier, Suisun valley fruit buyer. It is expected that the house, to be one of the finest in this locality, will be completed in sixty days. It will be built on a lot purchased from William Reed.

FAR WEST GRIPS COMMITTEE RULE IN UPPER HOUSE

Sixteen Important Chairmanships Held by Trans-Mississippi Solons.

By ROBERT T. SMALL, Special Correspondent The Oakland Tribune

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The extent of the grip which the Far West has upon the United States Senate is reflected today in the fact that 16 of the 33 committees of the senate are presided over by men from west of the Mississippi river. Most of them are from points a long way west of that dividing stream.

Not only are the chairmanships today safely in the hands of the west but in the matter of ranking members or those in line to succeed to the chairmanships, the west also holds a winning hand. It has ranking members on no less than 17 of the 33 committees.

The Middle West, including Kentucky, has six senate chairmanships and the East has eleven. This is a marvelous change from a few years ago when the senate virtually was in the grip of New England. But that tight little section, which was denied its place in the sun, has its first president in the White House for something like 70 years.

CONTROL VITAL COMMITTEES.
 The most remarkable phase of the situation in the senate is the fact that three of its most important committees are presided over by men from states having about the smallest populations of any in the entire union.

Smoot of Utah, presides over the all-powerful committee on finance, which corresponds to the committee on ways and means in the house. Senator Warren of Wyoming presides over the committee on appropriations. Senator Borah of Idaho has succeeded in the chairmanship of the committee on foreign affairs.

When it comes to electing a president of the United States, Utah, Idaho and Wyoming have a total of 11 votes. New York has 45.

PENNSYLVANIA PROTESTS.
 In the house of representatives the East still holds sway, due largely to the tremendous influence of Republican Pennsylvania, but the West is coming stronger and stronger. Due to its size, the house has many more committees than the senate—61 in fact. Of these the East claims 29, the Far West 13, and the Middle West, including Kentucky, 12. The South has one committee chairmanship, because Tennessee insists upon sending Republican congressmen back to the house time and time again.

Recently the Pennsylvania senators arose on their legs and made loud and long complaint that the Keystone state, backbone of Republicanism in the East, was not getting its proper share of the federal patronage, the big jobs handed out by the administration.

However that may be, Pennsylvania certainly holds sway in the house. This one state provides the chairman of no less than 11 committees. For the most part they are important committees too.

Banking and currency, enrolled bills, expenditures in the navy department, foreign affairs, industrial arts and expositions, insular affairs, judiciary, military affairs, naval affairs, postoffice, and post roads and printing.

COMMITTEE CONTROL.
 In the senate the committees which are controlled by the West are as follows:
 Agriculture and forestry, Norris of Nebraska; appropriations, Warren of Wyoming; Means of Colorado; commerce, Jones of Washington; District of Columbia, Capper of Kansas; education and

New Revenue Act Hangs Up Record In Legislation

President Urges Appropriations Cut to Guard Against Deficit.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The new tax laws establishes a record in major legislation. It shows what Congress can do when a definite objective and date is fixed. While there was criticism from the minority, the measure satisfied an overwhelming number of both Democrats and Republicans.

Spurred on by a desire to give the taxpayer at least two weeks in which to make out his income tax return before the March 15 payment, the House of Representatives disposed of the tax bill after brief but fairly comprehensive hearings in committee and after the usual time for debate under the rules. The Senate had more time and consequently ironed out certain imperfections in the House bill. The Senate committee worked night and day and brought in a report in ample time for debate. Closure was talked about but not enforced. The pressure from outside the Senate was sufficient. And then the conference committee tackled its job with the same undistracting of the necessity for expeditious action.

JOB QUICKLY DONE.
 It was a job quickly done but not too hastily. The truth is the ample time the department had been working on the new tax proposal for many months before Congress assembled. When the House ways and means committee met in adjournment on the December 15th, Congress, the treasury had formulated proposals which made it easier to frame a bill.

The whole thing is evidence of the kind of cooperation between the executive and legislative branches of government, which is possible but rarely happens. This is partly because politics creeps in so often and causes delays but it is mostly owing to the fact that for generations taken its time in the legislative process. It doesn't like fixed goals and only in the closing days of a session is the speed of the House and Senate changed.

From now on Congress will take its time. No other legislation is pressing except, of course, appropriation bills and as long as these are out of the way before the July 1, there is no serious harm done. The executive bureau and departments, however, wish to make plans ahead and are constantly pressing for action on these measures. Congress has disposed of many appropriation bills already.

COOLIDGE TAX ATTITUDE.
 The next and most important step in connection with the appropriation bills is to keep them not only within the limits set by the budget bureau but to cut them down still further. President Coolidge has made it clear to congressional leaders that they have given a tax reduction of \$881,000,000, as compared with \$330,000,000 which was the allowance made by the treasury experts. In some way \$21,000,000 must be cut out of the appropriations in order to take care of this difference.

Coolidge may not succeed in getting it all out of the appropriation bills but if he gets only a part of it he will have done two things, namely, cut down the risk of a deficit in the next year and also prevented Congress from exceeding

labor, Phipps of Colorado; finance, Smoot of Utah; foreign affairs, Borah of Idaho; immigration, Johnson of California; Indian affairs, Harrell of Oklahoma; irrigation and reclamation, McNary of Oregon; judiciary, Cummins of Iowa; mines and mining, Odell of Nevada; pensions, Forbeck of South Dakota; public lands and surveys, Stanfield of Oregon; rules, Curtis of Kansas. (Copyright, 1926, by The Oakland Tribune)



David Lawrence

ing the budget. The drive to cut down is really a preventive measure. For if Congress can by one stroke cut the tax receipts too much, so also can Congress increase the expenditures beyond the amount of the budget on which the tax bill is based. Last year Congress did not even equal the budget, cutting it by about \$10,000,000. The same may be done this time. (Copyright, 1926, by The Oakland Tribune)

Contract Awarded For New Clubhouse

YUBA CITY, Feb. 26.—The Wilson Women's club has let a contract to Ferdinand Anglade of Sacramento for the construction of a new clubhouse.

The building will be erected at a central point in the Wilson district. It will cost \$5000. The Wilson Women's club is affiliated with the Bi-County Federation and California Federation of Women's clubs.

San Rafael Creek Dredging Bill Passed

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Allotments for maintenance and improvement of rivers and harbors projects as announced by the War Department today, included San Rafael, Calif., creek, \$20,000; Noyo river, Calif., \$1000.

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CARTERS HOSTS TO BAY EDUCATORS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Representative and Mrs. Albert E. Carter were dinner hosts last evening at their home here to members of the Alameda county delegation attending the convention of department superintendents of the National Education association.

Included among the guests were Fred M. Hunter, Oakland superintendent of schools; H. P. Wilson, superintendent of Berkeley schools; assistant superintendent Willard E. Givens of Oakland, and Miss Mary C. Wade, president of the Alameda County Teachers' association.

The dinner was held following the closing day session of the convention, which has been in progress here for four days. Nearly 10,000 delegates from all parts of the country attended the sessions, at which were discussed problems relating particularly to executive management of school systems and supervision.

Californian Urges Reapportionment

SPECIAL BY WIRE TO THE TRIBUNE
 WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 26.—Plea for reapportionment in justice to California, whose population, he said, entitles the state to at least three additional congressmen, was made before the House census committee today by Congressman Barbour.

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500 yards Fukui Silk Pongee

12 momme, red stamp brand, first quality

Only a special purchase allows us to sell this quality at such a price. You'll want it for dresses, underwear, and especially for the smocks which are used now for office and home.

45c

40-inch Crepes, Yard

Satin crepe with firmly woven crepe back and heavy quality flat crepe in the new shades and black afford savings.

\$2.65

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600 fine collar attached Men's Shirts

on sale Saturday at a very special price

Because they're tailored perfectly, because the quality of material is so high, because they fit, these shirts offer tangible savings. Polo flannels in checks and plaids, broadcloth in checks and stripes on green, blue and tan grounds range in size 14 to 17.

\$1.65

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Dancing classes

Under direction O'Neil Sisters

Every child between 4 and 12 years may attend these classes without charge. Monday from 3:30 to 4:30 and Saturday from 2:30 to 3:30.

Toy Store, Third Floor

Notion bargains

Sanitary skirts—pink sateen, \$1
In medium and large sizes, special, Saturday.
Solunap Sanitary napkins, 3 boxes \$1
Our own brand, soluble napkins, large sizes.
Silk Sanitary belts, special 44c
Excellent, silk elastic, flesh, all sizes.
Elastic sew-on garters, pair 18c
For replacing worn corset garters, very special.
1/4-inch elastic, 12 yards 25c
Desirable for bloomers, etc. Very special.
Ribbon garters special, pair 23c
Fancy garters of frilled ribbon, good elastic.
Safety pins, 3 cards for 10c
Assorted sizes, always convenient, special.
Snap fasteners, hooks and eyes
6 cards for 25c

White and black in assorted sizes, special.

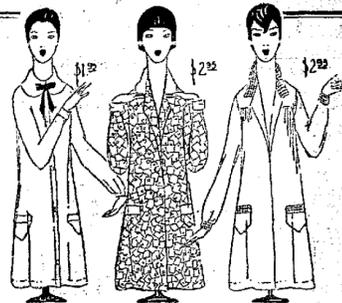
100 sweaters

Greatly reduced

Brushed wool, mohair, rayon and worsted are in slip-on turtleneck mod-els, both plain and fancy weaves, sizes 34 to 44.

First Floor

Second Floor



300 new smocks

for home, school, office

\$1.95 & \$2.95

Special because they come in answer to the need of workers in various fields, 300 smocks go on sale Saturday at Schlesinger's. Pamico cloth, line, gingham, broadcloth and novelty materials fashion knee and full-length smocks. With yoke or plain back styles with inverted pleats and pockets. You'll want several. In rose, lavender, green, peach, tan, blue, coral, Copenhagen and yellow, sizes to 44.

Second Floor

Wrapped chews, lb.

They're good, fresh and favorites of the whole family, so take home several Saturday. Children and grownups like them because of their wholesomeness.

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First Floor

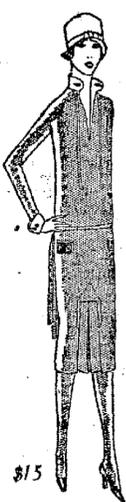
Boys' 2-pants Longie suits

The new styles and patterns found in these Perfection Clothes make them specially desirable for the boy in school. Two trousers double the life of the suits, in sizes 11 to 18.

Two-knicker suits

Fine woolen fabrics in a wide range of patterns tailor these plain and belted models. They're suits that fit to please the active schoolboy, in sizes 6 to 16.

Second Floor



\$15

1 and 2-piece Jersey dresses

Jonquil, rose, bluebell, blond and artichoke, the very colors for Spring, make these Jersey frocks attractive for sports, street and campus wear. Collars and sleeves take their note from the tailored mode and sizes range from 14 to 44.

\$15

Second Floor

Wall paper

24 patterns; tap-estry, blend, two tone and brocade, printed on heavy, embossed stock, offer the latest at great savings.

Roll **29 1/2c**

Third Floor

A special purchase of charmeen coats

in just the right weight and colors for Spring wear in California

\$39.50

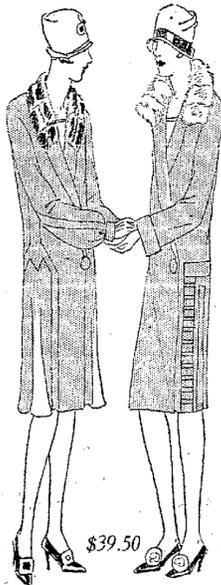
This special purchase brings Spring's favorite coat material to Oakland women in seasonable array. The firm, hard weave of charmeen with its lustrous beauty makes important in California wardrobes and here you'll find variety in thisledown gray, everglade green, bois de rose, navy, cookie brown. Dyed and natural, mole and squirrel trim smartly; contrasting color braids and embroidery make them individual; while the clever pleats, folds and tucks add an irresistibly feminine touch. They're coats that are necessary, so you'll want one, too. Choose from a size range of 14 to 44.



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Novelty kid gloves—smart!

Just in! The largeness of assortment and lovely new shades make them necessary to Spring costumes.

\$4

Double tipped silk gloves at

All the Spring shades trimmed with contrasting stitching and embroidery. Sizes 5 1/2 to 7. Others to

\$1.50

Hand-painted Georgette handkerchiefs

Colorful painting on pastel Georgette with picot edges gives a dainty finish to the dainty costume.

50c

Novelty handkerchiefs—dainty, new!

Lace trimmings, lace and ribbon edges, hand painting unit to give these handkerchiefs daintiness.

\$1

Bag frames and chains, 50c to

Oxidized metals in gold and silver finishes come in the newest of shapes and designs for costume accessories.

\$3

B. F. SCHLESINGER & SONS, First Floor

Art needle classes for children

held on Saturdays from 10 to 5.

Classes in plain sewing and embroidery, plaque making and home-decoration give children an answer to the desire to create lovely things. Expert instructors give these lessons free for the benefit of the children who wish to come.

B. F. SCHLESINGER & SONS—Third Floor

Chiropodist

Dr. Harriette Robbins, a graduate chiropodist treats both men and women for all foot troubles in her new office.

Fourth Floor

New Spring styles in

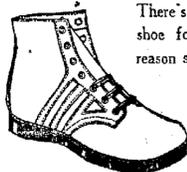
BUSTER BROWN SHOES

for boys and girls arrive for Saturday

Growing feet need these shoes, for every one is constructed on a last that encourages the natural growth of the child's foot. They're made over the famous Brown-shaping lasts that are designed to conform to the natural shape of the child's foot. In addition to that fact, they're styled up to the minute. Children are happy wearing them.

\$3.15, \$3.45, \$3.95, \$4.95, \$5.95, \$6.45

There's a price for every purse and there's a shoe for every child. That explains the reason so many mothers come here regularly for their children's shoes, for both boys and girls. Give your attention now to Spring school needs; there are sizes for every child in every style. Expert fitters assure you the correct size and width for every foot with individual attention. Those who know the Buster Brown shoes always come again. Every child in the growing age should wear these shoes.



B. F. SCHLESINGER & SONS, Second Floor

Drugs

Rinso, large, 19c
Rubbing alcohol, pt. 39c
Thermos bottles, pt. 98c
Thermos, qt. size, \$1.98
Kellogg's Ant paste, 19c
Peroxide, pint size 19c
Ivory soap, small size, special, 14 cakes \$1
Silver polish, Wright's cream, special 22c
Shampoo, Mulsified coconut oil, 33c
Pluto water, small 10c
Van Ess hair massage, special for \$1
Cotton, pound roll, 57c
Pepsodent tooth paste 43c
Pebeco tooth paste, 43
Forhan's tooth paste 49c
Iodent tooth paste, 45c

First Floor

Pongee undergarments

Gowns, hemstitched, rose-buds, net yokes, sizes 15 to 17, \$3.95
Slips, with deep hems, hip fullness, in sizes 36 to 44, \$2.95
Chemise, hand-embroidered, 36 to 44, \$1.95
Bloomers, reinforced, sizes 25 to 29, \$1.95

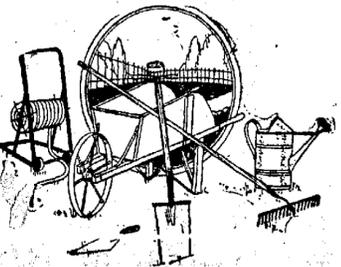
Second Floor

Garden tool specials

Now is the time to get your garden into shape. The household department aids you with specials for Saturday.

Garden trowels, 20c, 25c
Weeding forks, 20c, 65c
Grass shears, \$1, \$1.25
Hose nozzle, 85c
Lawn sprinklers, 50c
Hose washers, dozen, 5c
Pruning shears, \$1.25
Shovels, spades, \$1.65
Rakes, 70c to \$1.35

Hose, Sun proof, 25 ft. of 3/4 hose, \$4.50
Hose, Crack proof, 25 feet, 3/4 in., \$4.50
Hose, Crack proof, 25 feet, 1/2 in., \$4.00
Seeds, Ferris, pkg. 10c
Guaranteed, Coldwell lawn mowers, crucible steel blades:
12 in. Cadet, \$6.50
14 in. Jewel, \$10.75
16 in. Colonial, \$13.75



Third Floor

New coats for girls

Velour, tweed and tap-estry coats have fur and self trimming. In tan, blue, green and rust mixtures and plain, sizes 8 to 16.

\$19.75

Crepe de Chine dresses

Print and plain dresses in rust, rose, green, navy, blue and leather make parties gay for the girl 8 to 16 years.

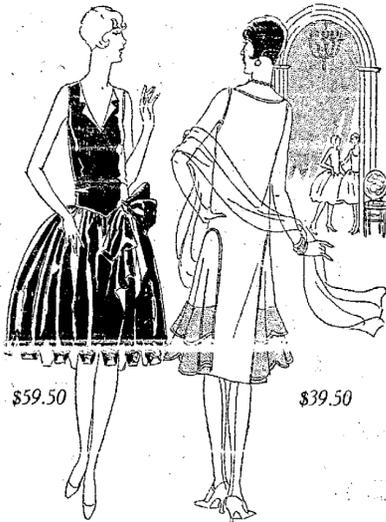
\$16.50

Wash dresses special

Prints and rayons in the new shades make the most satisfactory dress for the school girl. In the new shades, sizes 7 to 14.

\$5.95

Second Floor



\$59.50

\$39.50

Evening dresses

for the horse show and social events arrive in gala array at Schlesinger's

These were purchased specially for the visitors and Oakland women who delight in the horse show and the events which mark it the social peak of the year. Taffeta, preferably black, portrays the bouffant type of skirt, sometimes with hoops to emphasize fullness. There are Georgettes, satin crepes, crepe Romain, crepe Elizabeth and chiffon, brilliant with silver, crystal and pearl beads in soft pastel shades.

\$39.50 to \$59.50

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