CALLS CAPITAL MOST SLOVENLY

Scattered Paper in Parks Deplored by Miss Elizabeth Ballock.

Is Washington the "most slovenly" of American cities?

Miss Elizabeth A. Balloch of the Geological Survey declared last night that if it was not, it was fast reaching a condition where it could claim that unhappy distinction, and uttered a word of warning to war workers and others to keep its streets "tidy."

Commenting upon the existing condition of the streets she said:

"Washington has always possessed a serenity of beauty, but today it is rapidly becoming the "Slovenly Peter" of American cities, and the chief sources of the change are the scattered newspapers and the short cuts of corners which have played such deadly havoc with the grass.

"Coming through Farragut Square, this morning, I dropped into a seat anticipating a few minutes' enjoyment of the shade, but great patches of newspapers ruined the appearance of the lovely green lawns. The big baskets for waste were practically empty, but the ground overflowed! Where groups of people had apparently been seated on the grass, every member of such a group had evidently left his paper behind him, and some had been generous enough to contribute paper bags. So it is all over this town. An army of "White Wings" could not keep abreast of the tide of disorder when people actually throw their finished newspapers from car windows."

ORDER MARINE BAND TO PLAY FOR GIRLS

The Marine Band will play at the girls' fete in the Central High School Stadium tomorrow evening, under instructions issued yesterday by Maj. Gen. George Barnett.

Winners in the contest of the fete will be decorated with ribbons by Miss Susanna Cocroft, the physical training expert of Chicago. Miss Cocroft is now in Washington in connection with the work of the National Training School Camp at Camp Columbia.

First Ellipse Service Sunday.

The first summer vesper services to be held on the Ellipse under the auspices of the churches of the city, takes place Sunday afternoon. Senator Gitchcock will speak on the "League of Nations."

Other addresses on topics of interest will be delivered during the summer at these services. Music will be given by city bands and singers from various choirs and congregations.

THE TOWN CRIER.

A special meeting of the board of representatives of Federal Employes Union, No. 5, will be held tonight at 1006 E street northwest.

The Kansas Society will meet tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at the Wilson Normal School, when Maj. J. C. Ruppenthal, of the Judge Advocate General's office, will speak. A musical program and refreshments have been provided.

The Red Cross hospitals throughout the Tidewater district are to be visited by the Drama League Camp Players in four one-act plays, which will be given the first Washington production at the Wilson Normal School tonight at 8:30 o'clock.

The Fleur de Lis Dramatic Club will give a dance at the Garnet-Phelps Civic Center park, in the rear of the school, at 8 o'clock tonight. The club has already purchased a piano for the pavilion and the proceeds from the coming dance will be used to beautify the place.

"The Relationship of Shorter Working Hours to More Efficient Service" will be discused by the U. S. Employes Saturday Afternoon Holiday Club in the West study hall of the Public Library, Eighth and K streets, tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Phil Sheridan Post, No. 6, G. A. R., will meet tonight at G. A. R. Hall. Only one meeting each month will be held in July, August and September. That will be on the third Friday of the month.

Stanford University persons in Washington are requested to telephone their addresses to the president of the association, Archie Rice, Main 3116, so that arrangements can be made for the joint meeting with Washington members of the California State Association.

The Alpha Nu Chapter will hold its farewell dance of the season at the Washington Golf and Country Club this evening.

The Wayfarers' Club will hold a dance this evening at Rock Springs Club, which is on the Cabin John car line.

Dixie Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, will hold a garden party at the home of Mrs. Arthur Ramsey, 1401 Euclid street, this afternoon and evening, from 5 to 6 o'clock. Committee chairmen are Mrs. Bates Warren, Mrs. Paul L. Joachim, Mrs. D. E. Winsted, Miss Evelyn Daniel, Mrs. George King, Miss Ruth Earle, Mrs. Alfred March and Mrs. Frank Birthright.

A soldier priest of France, Lieut. Marcel Jousse, S. J., will give a talk on life in the trenches, in aid of the devastated churches of France at St. Peter's Church Hall tonight at 8 o'clock.

TEAMSTER'S LIFE SAVED

Writes Letter that Is Worth Reading Very Carefully.

Peterson Ointment Co., Inc., Buffalo, N. Y.: I was afflicted with a very severe sore on my leg for years. I am a teamster. I tried all medicines and salves, but without success. I tried doctors, but they failed to cure me. I couldn't sleep for many nights from pain. Doctors said I could not live for more than two years. Finally Peterson's Ointment was recommended to me, and by its use the sore was entirely healed. Thankfully yours, William Haase, West Park, Ohio. March 22, 1915, care P. G. Reitz, Box 190.

Peterson says: "I am proud of the above letter, and have hundreds of others that tell of wonderful cures of Eczema, Piles and Skin Diseases."

Peterson's Ointment is 35 cents at all druggists, and there isn't a broad-minded druggist in America that won't praise it.

People's Drug Stores will supply you under guarantee of money back if not satisfactory.—Adv.

"Taxation Without Representation is Tyranny"

The Washington Herald believes that since the right of suffrage is being extended to the four corners of the world, certainly the world's greatest capital is entitled to representation. Our only hope rests in Congress. Following is the Twenty-Fourth of a daily series of expressions of opinion by Senators and Representatives on this vital question.

By WALTER E. EDGE

(United States Senator from New Jersey).

I understand that the residents of the District of Columbia seek the privilege of suffrage and representation in both branches of the Congress. I do not understand why they should not have both. As every one knows, one of the moving reasons for the great American Revolution was the imposition of taxation without the collateral right of representation, and it seems most unlikely that the spirit of '76 has evaporated in this land, even with the passing of generations of the people.

The arguments in favor of such suffrage and representation are so obvious, especially in the light of present-day democracy, that one hesitates to advance them, lest the people become bored by a repetition of "old stuff." Just to cite a few, however: The people here pay taxes; they are equally subject to all laws as are residents of other parts of the land, who enjoy the suffrage; their subjection to police supervision is even more strict than for residents of the several States in that they are held accountable by the Federal government, which never sleeps, while in other communities Justice often nods, or is prone to temper judgment with mercy; those residents of the District who decline to surrender their suffrage must have two "homes," and so really have no home—they must retain technical residence in their States, while actually living in the District, and must make trips, often long and expensive, to their technical abodes in order to cast their votes. One might continue on these lines of argument for some time.

Of course, I do not say that there may not be arguments against such granting of suffrage and representation, but it strikes me that "the Ayes have it," and I believe it should be "so ordered." Whether it would be better to have the District represented in only the House of Representatives by a Delegate, or in both branches of Congress by Senators and Representatives, is a secondary question, although for my part I do not quite see why the District

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should not have full representation, rights and privileges.

As a matter of fact, I do not think that the people of the Nation at large realize that Washington, the Capital, is their city; that it is as much the city of the residents of California or Oregon as it is of the residents of Anacostia. From New Year's Day to December 31, each year, the streets of Washington daily are thronged with visitors from every corner of the country, from towns and villages and rural communities, as well as from great cities, and in the springtime these throngs include hundreds of school children brought here to see the Capital of the Nation; these visitors not only enjoy the comforts and conveniences of their Capital City, but also its beauties, and these comforts, conveniences and beauties should be maintained to the utmost for their enjoyment. So, their interest in Washington becomes personal, and I believe that these visitors from other sections will endorse and support actively the plea of the District residents for the suffrage and for representation and, mayhap, in the future, for self-government.

Senator Walter E. Edge has just entered upon the long term in the Senate from New Jersey. Senator David Baird was elected to the short term. Both are Republicans. Senator Edge recently resigned his unfinished term as Governor of New Jersey to take up his Senatorial duties. When he assumed the gubernatorial office about three years ago he found the State more than a million dollars in debt. He has wiped this out and leaves a clean slate for his successor. He also installed the budget system in New Jersey. He was born in Philadelphia in 1873, but moved with his family to Pleasantville, N. J., when he was a small lad. He is a graduate of the public schools and that greatest of all schools of experience, the printer's case, for he entered upon the activities of life as a printer's devil on the Atlantic Review, published at Atlantic City, N. J.

At the age of 15 years he went with the Dorland Advertising Agency as a minor employe. He is now the owner of that great publicity concern, the business of which is both national and international. He established the Atlantic City Press and its afternoon edition, the Union. He has served his State as journal clerk and secretary of the New Jersey Senate, alternate Presidential elector at large, member of the Assembly, in which body he was Republican leader in his first year; State Senator and president of that body, when he was known as "a business man with a business plan." Senator Edge enlisted in the Morris Guards at the outbreak of the war with Spain, and was promoted to a lieutenancy, and was later captain of Company M, Third New Jersey Regiment, National Guard. He was head of the Boy Scout movement in New Jersey. He was elected Governor by a plurality of 69,647 votes over H. Otto Wittpen, his Democratic competitor. He instituted many reforms in New Jersey including the abolition of the useless State census which had cost $100,000 of the people's money.

But the greatest thing in the life of the New Jersey Senator is his talented and lovable little son, Walter E. Edge, jr., who is the center about which everything in the Senator's life revolves.

FORD TAKES STAND IN $1,000,000 SUIT

Mount Clemens, Mich., June 19.—Henry Ford appeared as a witness in the trial of his million dollar libel suit against the Chicago Tribune. The auto manufacturer was on the stand for only thirty seconds, but it was announced that he will be recalled. He was asked to identify Theodore Delavigne as his publicity agent during the Ford campaign against preparedness.

Henry A. Wise Wood, New York publicist, upon finishing his testimony, walked to where Ford was sitting and said:

"I guess we might as well shake hands on a good sporting proposition."

Ford shook hands with Wise Wood, and agreed that it was a sporting proposition.

20,000 Yanks Land.

New York, June 19.—Six transports arrived here today from France with more than 20,000 officers and men. The transports were the South Bend, Nieuw Amsterdam, Kaiserin Auguste Victoria, Prinz Frederick Wilhelm, Great Northern and Panama.

Stork Drives Marshal Away.

New York, June 19.—Just as the city marshal was engaged in evicting the Kantrowitz family for non-payment of rent the stork arrived. Eviction postponed.

EVERYONE IS A "NUT," SAYS BOSTON MEDIC

Philadelphia, June 19.—The world is filled with "nuts;" the only difference between "temperamental" and "insane" persons is that one is treated kindly while the other is confined to an institution, calmly declared Dr. E. S. Southard, Boston, while addressing the American Medico-Psychological Association here.

In Dr. Southard's opinion, every person is "a little off," but some cases are more pronounced. Larcenia, he declared, is simply the channel through which surplus emotions flow.

"High-brows, Cabinet officers, professors, presidents, doctors and workmen all have their individual peculiarities, as much forms of insanity as the disorders which affect inmates of institutions for the dangerously insane," said Dr. Southard.

K. of C. Hut Collapse Injures 159 at Brest

Brest, June 19.—Final check of the casualties resulting from the collapse of a Knights of Columbus recreation hut here revealed today that 159 American soldiers were injured. About 100 of these are ready to resume duty. About ten were seriously injured.

Gen. Butler has appointed a special board to investigate.

GEORGIA JAILS FILLED TO UTMOST CAPACITY

Atlanta, Ga., June 19.—Only a halt in the commission of crime will render it possible for the Criminal Court to close for the usual summer vacation this year, Solicitor General John Boykin declared here today.

"The jails are packed to their full capacity," Boykin said.

CHURCH OUTING GREAT SUCCESS

St. Patrick's Congregation Holds Excursion to Marshall Hall.

The excursion given by St. Patrick's Church to Marshall Hall yesterday proved to be one of the gala events of the season for the Catholic laity of this city.

Under the leadership of Mgr. C. F. Thomas, pastor of St. Patrick's Church, thousands of excursionists visited the historic spot.

Assisting Monsignor Thomas were his assistants, the Rev. Father John McNamara, the Rev. Father John I. Barrett and the Rev. Father Martin J. P. Egan, jr. Others assisting were Miss Mary C. Flanagan, Mrs. Mary Cosgrove, Mrs. Leo Grady, Mrs. Paul Conners, Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. Mary A. FitzGibbon, Mrs. D. B. Enright, Mrs. Margaret E. Carroll, Mrs. S. S. Hoover, Mrs. Frances McNally, Mrs. Charles Reiter, Mrs. J. D. Quigley, Miss Mary Costello, Miss Bertha McCann, Miss Marjorie Emory, Miss Loretto Sullivan, Miss Mary Johansen, Miss Lillian Milovich, Miss Alice Burke, Miss Cora Thomas, Miss Julia Waters, Miss Lillian Kelly, Miss Beatrice Deeds, Miss Daisy Brick, Miss Annie F. Murphy, Miss Gertrude Rosinski, Miss Catherine Brazerol, Miss Mary O'Brien, Miss Elizabeth Milovich, Miss Lottie A. Waters, Miss Rosemary Lucas, Miss Alice Lucas, Miss Beth Friel, Miss Anna Smallwood, Miss Alice Wolfe, Miss Dorothy King, Miss Beatrice Cosgrove, Miss May McKeever, Miss Annette Wagner, Miss Blanche Madigan, Miss Mary Hayes.

Those present from the men's committee were Arthur L. FitzGibbon, Francis A. McCann, J. P. Moriarty, George Salager, Daniel Masterson, L. W. McDonald, John Melville, Edward Mitchell, Arthur Dunn, Michael J. Lyons, Fulton Holmes, Martin Hohan and J. W. Cook.

Picked Wrong One for Wink.

Atlanta, Ga., June 19.—E. F. Acree is bemoaning his "hard luck." He winked at a charming lady on a downtown street corner last night. She was Mrs. J. C. Davis, city policewoman. Charges of "flirting, drunk and disorderly" was the result.

Needs 6 Gallons to Get Sober.

Atlanta, Ga., June 19.—"Judge, it's like this: I get drunk twice a year regularly, and it always takes six gallons of corn liquor to sober me up," P. H. Johnson unblushingly declared when charged with operating a young saloon at his home. Judge Calhoun wasn't sympathetic; $50 fine.

U. S. Legation Fired Upon By Costa Rica Teachers

Riots during a teachers' strike in Costa Rica last week resulted in the firing of several accidental shots into the American legation at San Jose, the State Department has been advised.

Teachers on strike declared their action a protest against President Tinoco. The Costa Rican government attributes the disturbances to Bolshevism.

DIET KITCHEN MEETS TO PLAN BETTERMENTS

The directors and staff of the Washington Diet Kitchen Association met last night at the home of Dr. Edgar P. Copeland, president, Rockingham Apartments, to discuss plans for the enlargement and betterment of the diet kitchen and the continuance of its activities.

Dr. H. R. Bernten has been recently appointed superintendent of the diet kitchen.

Plan Non-Stop Flight From Indianapolis Here

Indianapolis, Ind., June 19.—A non-stop flight from Indianapolis to Washington, a distance of more than 700 miles, will be attempted by Lieuts. George M. Palmer and George L. Bradford, in the huge Handley-Page bombing plane now at the speedway aviation repair depot, it was announced today.

The hop off will be within a few days.

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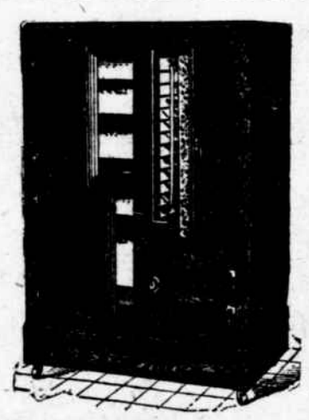

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Doctor Tells How to Detect Harmful Effects of Tobacco

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New York: Doctor Connor, formerly of Johns Hopkins Hospital, says: Many men who smoke, chew or snuff incessantly and who are seemingly healthy are suffering from progressive organic ailments. Thousands of them would never have been afflicted had it not been for the use of tobacco, and thousands would soon get well if they would only stop the use of tobacco. The chief habit-forming principle of tobacco is nicotine, a deadly poison which when absorbed by the system slowly affects the nerves, membranes, tissues and vital organs of the body. The harmful effect of tobacco varies and depends on circumstances. One will be afflicted with general debility, others with catarrh of the throat, indigestion, constipation, extreme nervousness, sleeplessness, loss of memory, lack of will power, mental confusion, etc. Others may suffer from heart disease, bronchial trouble, hardening of the arteries, tuberculosis, blindness or even cancer or the common affliction known as tobacco heart. If you use tobacco in any form you can easily detect the harmful effects by making the following simple tests: Read aloud one full page from a book. If in the course of reading your voice becomes muffled, hoarse and indistinct and you must frequently clear your throat, the chances are that your throat is affected by catarrh and it may be the beginning of more serious trouble. Next, in the morning before taking your usual smoke, walk up three flights of stairs at a regular pace, then stop. If you find that you are out of breath, your heart beat is forced, trembling or irregular, you may be a victim of functional or organic heart trouble. If you feel that you must smoke, chew or snuff to quiet your nerves, you are a slave to the tobacco habit and are positively poisoning yourself with the deadly drug, nicotine. In either case you have just two alternatives—keep on with the self-poisoning process irrespective of the dangers and suffer the consequences; or give up the habit and escape the dangers. You can overcome the craving and stop the habit in a very short time by using the following inexpensive formula: Go to any drug store and ask for Nicotol tablets, take one tablet after each meal, and in a comparatively short time you will have no desire for tobacco, the craving will have left you. With the nicotine poisoning out of your system, your general health will quickly improve.

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