

CAN MY LADY PUFF A FRAGRANT PILL? SOLONS TO DECIDE

District Committee Will
Sit Tomorrow on
Antifag Bill.

Women cigarette smokers and anti-cigarette smokers are expected to appear in force tomorrow morning before the House District Committee to argue the question whether or not My Lady and My Lady Nicotine are fit companions.

Chairman Focht has been promised by various tobacco dealers that a supply of cigarettes, papers and tobacco will be on hand for the use of fair damsels and stately amazons who wish to demonstrate to the committee that they can puff the fragrant pill with a grace and dignity not unbecoming to American womanhood.

On Roll Their Own.
In addition, Mr. Focht announced that the ladies are at liberty to bring their own pet brands of cigarettes, cigars or other smoking paraphernalia in the event the stock supplied by the dealers is not complete.

The occasion for the smoke-fest is a bill introduced by Representative Johnson, of Mississippi, to prohibit women smoking in public. It is whispered that Johnson has his eye on the governorship of his native State and that he is depending upon his success in stopping women from smoking outside their own boudoirs to furnish spirit and zest to his campaign.

Be that as it may, his insistence for a hearing on his bill was so strenuous that the District Committee was prompted to postpone for another week hearings scheduled on the all-important railway merger legislation.

Chairman Focht announced that the women witnesses and demonstrators will be treated with every possible courtesy and that the room will be well ventilated.

Boys Allege Cruelty on Shipping Board Vessel

NORFOLK, Va., July 25.—Label for \$1,750 was filed in the United States District Court yesterday against the government by G. A. Reynolds, Walter Bainbridge, Clarence Zimmerman and Thomas Simure, former members of the crew of the Shipping Board vessel Elkhorn, on which the four youths allege they were the victims of numerous cruelties.

The boys repeat the story told to the United States Commissioner last Monday, when they accuse the chief engineer of the Elkhorn with malicious treatment. On their charges two warrants were issued for his arrest.

When the vessel reached Spazio, Italy, the boys say they were violently thrown into a naval prison and flogged. There they were left two days without food, they allege, and in the meantime the ship sailed, and left them there. They worked their way to Genoa where the American consul provided for their return to Norfolk.

Three Killed When Train Hits Auto at Crossing

WILMINGTON, Del., July 25.—Three persons, husband, wife and child, were killed, and another child was injured seriously, when their automobile was struck by a train on the Delaware Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad today at a crossing near Felton, Del.

Those killed were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Scott and their child, of Mastens Corner, near Harrington. Not many miles from where the accident occurred.

According to the railroad officials, Scott tried to drive across the tracks ahead of the train.

Pershing and Sims Asked To Attend Legion Session

NORFOLK, Va., July 25.—Gen. John J. Pershing is expected to deliver an address before the State convention of the American Legion, which will be in session in Norfolk, September 1, 2 and 3, with approximately 1,500 former service men in attendance.

Admiral William S. Sims has also been invited to attend.

Figures show that 20,000 women paid an income tax in Maryland for 1920, an increase from the last official report in 1915 of 100 per cent.

WASHINGTON SOCIETY

Royal Party Is Received

Princess Fatima, Sons
And Egyptian Prince
At White House.

By EVELYN C. HUNT.

President Harding received at the White House yesterday Princess Fatima of Afghanistan, her three sons, Prince Mohammed Hashim Khan, Prince Mohammed Asim Khan and Prince Zerdechenois, the crown prince of Egypt.

The reception took place in the Blue Room of the White House. Mrs. Harding, owing to the slight indisposition from which she has been suffering for several days was not present.

Prince Zerdechenois, who recently married Miss Katherine Spiegel, of Kentucky, speaks English fluently. The American princess is in line for the throne once occupied by Cleopatra, and for the reason Prince Zerdechenois has a special interest for Washington.

PRESIDENT RECEIVES
YOUNG WORKING WOMEN.

The President received at 1 o'clock twelve young working women from different parts of the United States, students at the Bryn Mawr Summer School for Women in Industry. They were accompanied by Miss Mary Emerson, director of the woman's bureau, Department of Labor, who made the introductions and who told the President of the accomplishments of the visitors.

These young women are visiting the National Capital to obtain first-hand impressions of the machinery of the government.

In the party yesterday were Hazel E. Pinger, Seattle, Wash., garment maker; Elizabeth Henry, Cleveland, Ohio, electrical worker; Elsie Goodwin, Berkeley, Cal., roofing and paint worker; Kate Backs, San Francisco, Cal., garment worker; Julia H. Lacy, Springfield, Mass., telephone operator; Christina Egan, Boston, Mass., proof reader; Helen Cawley, Chicago, Ill., glove maker; Rosen F. Feinstein, Boston, Mass., telephone operator; Pauline Benson, Troy, N. Y., collar maker; Maude Baker, Cincinnati, Ohio, tailor; Anna May Spence, Jersey City, N. J., rope tester; Dorothy H. Ralston, San Francisco, proof reader.

Later in the afternoon the President found time for a round of golf with James Barnes, winner of the open golf championship, as his partner. Freddy McLeod and Robert Small completed the foursome.

AMASSADOR OF BELGIUM ENTERTAINS AT DINNER.

The Ambassador of Belgium, Baron de Cartier, was host at dinner at the embassy last evening in compliment to the delegates representing the University of Brussels at the Rockefeller Foundation.

The guests of honor were Dr. Andre Gratia, A. Goossens-Bara and J. B. Dewin.

In view of the distinguished guests were the Ambassador of France, Jules J. Jusserand; the Ambassador of Spain, Senor Riano; the Secretary of Commerce, Herbert Hoover; Senator Medill McCormick; Senator Frank B. Kellogg; Senator Henry L. Myers, the Third Assistant Secretary of State, Robert Woods Bliss; the solicitor general, James M. Beck; W. R. Castle, Christian Herter and R. Tilmont and Robert Silvercrus, of the Belgian Embassy Staff.

LINDBERGS GIVE DINNER FOR NICARAGUAN MINISTER.

The Minister of Nicaragua and Senora de Chamorro were the guests of honor at dinner last evening of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Lindberg of New York, who have been spending a few days at Wardman Park Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindberg will leave Washington today.

Invited to meet the Minister and Senora de Chamorro were the following guests: The Second Secretary of the Legation of Nicaragua and Mme. Adolfo Cardenas, Gen. and Mrs. E. A. Kreger, Col. and Mrs. George T. Weitzer, Col. and Mrs. Gittings, Dr. L. S. Rowe, director of the Pan-American Union; J. E. Le Fevre, charge d'affaires of the Legation of Panama; Carlos Uribe, jr., secretary to the Legation of Colombia; Miss Adela Enriquez; Manuel Zavala, secretary of the Legation of Nicaragua; S. D. Goodchild; Servando Guerra, secretary of the Legation of Mexico, and Mr. Murray.

Comdr. H. A. Brown, R. N., the



MISS ELEANOR BEGG,
Daughter of Congressman and Mrs. James T. Begg, of Ohio.

new assistant naval attaché of the British Embassy, arrived in Washington Sunday morning, coming directly from New York, where he arrived Saturday on board the Aquitania. He is expected to remain in England for the summer months.

FORMER AMBASSADOR ARRIVES IN NEW YORK.

The former Ambassador of the United States in Spain, Joseph E. Willard, arrived in New York Saturday on board the Aquitania.

Harold Sims, attaché of the British Embassy, who is motoring in Canada, will join the other members of the Embassy Staff at Gleneyre at Bar Harbor, about the middle of August.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip C. Kauffmann are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, who will be named Franklin Kane Kauffmann, after Mr. Kauffmann's father, the late Franklin K. Kane, former Secretary of the Interior.

CRISSENGERS PAY VISIT AT DRYDEN COUNTRY HOME.

The Comptroller of the Currency and Mrs. D. R. Crisinger, accompanied by their daughter, Miss Ruth Crisinger, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Peter A. Drury at their country home, Valley View, Bluemont, Va.

The former United States Fuel Administrator and Mrs. Harry A. Garfield are entertaining the former Ambassador of Great Britain to this country and Lady Bryce at their home in Williamstown, Mass. Viscount and Lady Bryce spent a few days in Washington last week before going to Williamstown. Viscount Bryce is to deliver a series of lectures at Williams College.

M. Avenal, the French member of the commission that elaborated the plan for economic restoration of Austria, will leave in the near future for the United States and will visit Washington.

NORTCLIFFE TO ARRIVE IN WASHINGTON TOMORROW.

Viscount Northcliffe, the English publisher, arrived in New York last Saturday on board the Aquitania and will come to Washington tomorrow. He is accompanied by H. Wickham Steed, editor of the London Times, who is making his first visit to the United States.

Senator Medill McCormick has taken the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Newman at 2600 Tilden street for the summer. Mrs. McCormick and their children are at their farm in Illinois for the summer.

Mrs. J. Reynolds Landis, wife of the former military attaché of the United States Embassy at Rome, is a guest of Mrs. Frederic Crowninshield in her summer home at Stockbridge, Mass.

Miss Mary Howry and Miss Elizabeth Howry left yesterday for New York, where they will be the guests of Mrs. John Jay White for several weeks. Later they will go north to remain until fall.

MISS LEJEUNE TO RETURN FROM LAIR IN VIRGINIA.

Miss Laura Lejeune, daughter of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. John A. Lejeune, will return today from a visit with Miss May Taylor at Gordonsville, Va.

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. George F. Elliott left yesterday for Delaware Water Gap, to remain the rest of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. William M. Beard, of Glen Ridge, N. J., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Marcia Beard, to Robert D. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Miller, of Montclair, N. J.

Miss Beard is a cousin of the Marchesa Olive D'Amico, of Milan, Italy, and of Senora de Penabaz, wife of the attaché of the Legation of Ecuador here. Mr. Beard was in the United States navy during the war, and is now associated with his father in business in New York.

Mrs. Charles D. Helmbold has announced the engagement of her daughter, Mrs. Marjorie Helmbold Mahool, to Joseph Hixon Colman, of La Crosse, Wis. Mrs. Mahool has been very popular in society both here and elsewhere. She made her debut in Washington in the winter of 1915-16, and was one of the reigning belles of that season. She is the widow of Capt. George Mahool, U. S. A., who died in October, 1918, and since that time Mrs. Mahool has spent much time in Washington with Mrs. Helmbold in her apartment at Somerset House.

Astors Going To Mountains

Will Join Her Parents in
Adirondacks Next
Month.

NEW YORK, July 25.—Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Astor, who are occupying Beechwood, their estate at Newport, for the summer, will go to Paul Smith's, in the Adirondacks, early in August, to be the guests of Mrs. Astor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Huntington, for about ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Walworth, who are passing the summer at Georgian Court, the home of Mrs. Walworth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George J. Gould, at Lakewood, N. J., will leave on August 10 for Saratoga, where they will attend the races. They will return to Georgian Court for the remainder of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Burrall Hoffman will give a dinner party tomorrow evening at their villa in Southampton.

Mrs. Joseph Pulitzer, who arrived from Europe today on the Paris, will start for Bar Harbor, Me., this week, to spend the remainder of the summer.

Dr. and Mrs. Fenton Benedict Turk and their daughter and son, Miss Katherine Turk and Fenton B. Turk, jr., will sail for Europe tomorrow, sailing by way of the Mediterranean. They will remain abroad for two months, touring in England and France.

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey M. Depew, who have been spending an extended time at Virginia Hot Springs, will go to Lenox, Mass., this week for the usual six weeks' stay.

Norfolk Business Men Killed in Auto by Train

FRANKLINTON, N. C., July 25.—H. B. Jones, of Norfolk, president of the Norfolk Commercial, Railway and Power Company, and E. B. Hutchinson, prominent Norfolk business men, were killed early yesterday morning when the automobile in which they were riding overturned on a railway crossing three miles north of here. C. B. Poole, of Clayton, N. C., third passenger in the car, escaped unhurt.

Marriage Licenses

Unless otherwise specified, all the following applicants are from this city:
David M. Saunders, 21, and Mabel E. Johnson, 18. The Rev. J. W. Waters.
Robert Middleton, 23, and Mamie Coates, 18. The Rev. J. M. Harvey.
William G. Lewis, 21, and Jennie M. Smith, 21, both of Millford, Va. The Rev. M. W. D. Norman.
Horace Payne, 28, and Mary Johnson, 20. The Rev. J. A. Taylor.
Henry Turner, 28, and Lillian B. Matthews, 22. The Rev. A. Sayles.
Glenroy H. Toombs, 21, and Wanda F. Downey, 18. The Rev. P. J. O'Connell.
Elwood E. Whitson, 30, of Towanda, Pa., and Ruth M. Harrison, 29. The Rev. H. D. Talbot.
John W. Hall, 22, and Lillian E. Powell, 22. The Rev. J. H. Jeffries.
Joe M. Rafter, 25, and Daisy M. Deck, 18. The Rev. P. A. Cave.
Resin L. Watkins, 32, of Oakton, Va., and Angela C. McElroy, 28. The Rev. P. J. O'Connell.
Sylvan Oppenheimer, 25, and Henrietta Behrend, 23. The Rev. A. T. Lucha.
Lorenzo Romano, 32, and Virginia Cline, 28. The Rev. C. F. Thomas.
Charles E. Traynor, 29, of Carnegie, Pa., and Myrtle B. Johnson, 21, of Pittsburgh, Pa. The Rev. J. H. Jeffries.
Henry S. Hite, 30, and Helen B. Schuessmann, 22, both of Oakton, Va. The Rev. J. E. Briggs.
Willie Yager, 21, and Sarah E. Jackson, 18, both of Culpeper, Va. The Rev. A. Sayles.
Hiram H. Flores, 30, of Quantico, Va., and Dolores N. Stepp, 25, of San Francisco, Calif. The Rev. J. E. Davis.
Henry J. Pankhurst, 22, and Lillian V. Thurston, 20, both of Richmond, Va. The Rev. E. H. Swen.
Henry R. Gibson, 24, of Knoxville, Tenn., and Elizabeth Clark, 25. The Rev. J. J. Blair.

Four Badly Injured When Car Collides With Truck

GRANTSVILLE, Md., July 25.—Four persons had narrow escapes yesterday on the National pike above here, when a touring car driven by G. A. Mitchell, broker, Butler, Pa., collided with a mail truck. Mrs. Rose Mitchell had three fractured ribs which punctured the lung; Floyd Mitchell, 7, abrasions of the face and arms, and Mrs. Glaze, mother of Mrs. Mitchell, abrasions.

Mrs. Mitchell was thrown through the windshield.

Still in her early twenties and vice president of a \$3,000,000 building and loan association is the proud record held by Miss Margaret Stevens, of Long Beach, Cal.



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—Washable satins, baronet satins, Fan-ta-si, satin-finished crepe, in white, flesh color, black and white; also navy, light blue and gray. Formerly \$10.95 to \$14.95. July Clearance price.....\$5.95

—Washable satins, baronet satins, crepe de chine and Fan-ta-si silks. Formerly priced from \$14.95 to \$19.75. July Clearance price.....\$8.95

Clearance of Blouses

—Blouses of georgette and taffeta, also of lace-trimmed voiles, with tuxedo collars, and colored striped voile and some white dimities with colored collars. Values from \$2.25 to \$3.95. July Clearance price.....\$1.89

—Georgette Blouses, in bisque, white, flesh, copenhagen, navy and brown, and some embroidered satins; also striped satins and georgettes in the darker shades, trimmed with embroidery and beading. Values from \$3.50 to \$5.95. July Clearance price.....\$2.89

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Each sale must be ABSOLUTE
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