

curl up at the corners." To make this, a slit is cut across a lip that is too long and a minute strip of flesh is cut away. The incision is brought together and carefully healed while the lip is pressed upward. This is a very delicate operation in which extra sterilization must be used to preclude a scar.

Straightening the lines of the nose is an operation that is done every day, and injecting paraffine to fill out the cheeks is also done every day in the surgical beauty parlors.

A minute piece of skin is taken from the forehead just over the eyebrows so that they were elevated. This is supposed to give a calm expression.

Every woman nowadays patronizes the masseuse and she will stand to be mauled and hammered if she thinks her chin is doubling. Many women sit with their feet in very hot water every night for fifteen minutes, as that is supposed to draw the blood down from a red nose.

Colored wigs and hair of every hue and powders of as many colors as the Indian squaw uses add to the attractiveness of the modern beauty who is decidedly "cubist" in her tendencies. I have personally seen all these beauty operations, so no one need think they are the dream of a newspaper woman.

The awful "skinning operation" is done day after day in any of the big cities. This is so painful that most women are kept under the influence of opiates for a few days until the new skin begins to form.

"God given beauty" nowadays is a myth! The woman who is called lovely generally depends more or less on artificial means to keep her reputation in this regard.

The average quantity of grapes used annually in Spain for products other than wine is estimated at 275,000 tons, of which about 77,000 tons are made into raisins, 28,000 tons of these being exported.

## BADGER STATE CAN RECRUIT BIG VOLUNTEER FORCE



Madison, Wis.—If Wisconsin is called upon to send a volunteer force to Mexico, Col. Orlando Holway will lead 6,000 troops from the badger state. Col. Holway has just succeeded Col. C. B. Boardman as adjutant general of Wisconsin.

## INCONSIDERATE



The Victim—Help! Help!  
The Angler—Shut up that noise, will you? Scaring all the fish away!