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A Hangar is a Garage For Air Craft, But Anchorage is a Better Name - New Ship Constructed by Famous Builder.

A. Holland Forbes, a wealthy New York Yacht Club member and vice president of the Aero Club of America, whose residence is in Fairfield, has just received from Capt. Thomas S. Baldwin the plans for a large airship.

Mrs. Forbes, in emulation of her distinguished ancestor, may enter this airship, which is the first aircraft ever piloted by a woman, in the \$10,000 prize Fulton flight which will take place at the Hudson-Fulton celebration next fall under the auspices of The World.

According to the plans Capt. Baldwin has submitted, this air yacht will have a gas bag 140 feet long, with a capacity of 30,000 feet of gas, and will carry a car, luxuriously equipped with up-to-date furnishings, capable of holding four passengers and a pilot.

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Immigration question need no further assurance as to his knowledge of the country. The lecture will be profusely illustrated with views of the earthquake district, both before and since the disaster, some of which have not been published. Doors will open at 7 o'clock and lecture begin at eight.

THE THEATRES

SMITH'S

Olga Netherole, in "The Writing on the Wall," will be the attraction this evening. The occasion will be interesting for many reasons, but chiefly because it will mark the first time that the part of Miss Netherole, who will be seen in a role different from anything she has ever before essayed in this city.

Maude Adams is especially strong in the affections of her sex which Annie Russell and Grace George also share. It is an open secret that three-fourths of the patronage enjoyed by Miss George when she presented "Divorced" in New York, was bestowed upon her by a "dear" who is now in the first night of the run in Sardou's comedy and the applause that brought her before the curtain evening after evening, unmistakably came from his hands.

Miss Florence Reed, who in "Gris," which will be seen here Friday and Saturday, will appear in a close second place in the role of "Pan," leader of the trio of man-haters, is a daughter of the late Roland Reed and was seen here last as leading woman for E. H. Sothern.

Seats will be placed on sale to-morrow morning for the performances of "Graumark" Monday next. As the date approaches good accounts of the performance continue to reach us from the exchanges of nearby cities, and it is safe to recommend "Graumark" as one of the best attractions that will appear here this season.

Patrons of Poll's are being offered this week an altogether new attraction, a new headline position Joseph Hart's Bathing Girls a great scenic, costume and song act, with ten pretty girls. The production is pleasing and houses full. Mr. Leonard Fletcher, an impersonator of characters, every one of them celebrities is one of the big features. For a huge laugh the Empire Comedy and Musical Troupe, under the management of their farce playlet, "Nearly a Doctor," are tied in the race.

Among the most attractive features of this week's bill is Anne Blanche and her company of five presenting the great scenic playlet of the New York streets, "The Handsome Merry Dancer," a dancing sailor boy and Rose White, who with her famous white circus horse with the best in the motion picture world on the Electograph round out a clever show.

MERRY WIDOW PARTY at Monday's Smith's theatre building, next to Quinlan's, Washington's playlet, is a play that is being given in a Broadway theatre. There will be dancing till midnight, the new dances, Monahan's orchestra will furnish the music, and there will be a good time for everybody. You are cordially invited. You will find it the pleasantest place in the city. Admission 25 cents.

AN ILLUSTRATED LECTURE ON THE RECENT ITALIAN EARTHQUAKE TO BE GIVEN TOMORROW EVENING. The last lecture in the Public Library course will be given to-morrow evening.

Herbert F. Sherwood will be the lecturer and will speak upon the subject "Sicily and Calabria, the land of the earthquake." The recent calamity in the Calabria district of Italy, probably one of the greatest in history, and there will be a good time for everybody. You are cordially invited. You will find it the pleasantest place in the city. Admission 25 cents.

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36-inch Manchester Percales, hundreds of new patterns on light and dark grounds, value 12 1/2c. Special 10c a yard.

38-inch Cambrics and Percales, extra fine quality in pretty Jacquard patterns for Waists and Dresses, value 25c. Special 15c a yard.

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Silk Gingham, one of the handsomest washable fabrics in an elegant assortment of patterns, 25c a yard.

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Stumping Competition.

That competition is at least the backbone if not the life of trade is illustrated by the big city department stores, especially those located in the same district, where rivalry runs high and the efforts to attract trade are studied with particular care in time of depression. That this same incentive for progress is not given to stores in the country may be one cause—or is it effect?—of the degeneration of some of our rural districts in the east. One of the heads of a prominent New York concern who spent a vacation in New England last summer went to the local "general store" to buy a few yards of a certain cloth.

"We don't keep it," said the storekeeper.

"Why not?" was the reply. "This is a staple. How can you get along without it?"

"Waal," was the indifferent explanation, "we jest can't keep it. I laid in some a short spell ago, but it was bought out, and every time I've got some it only gets sold. There's no use trying to keep it here!"

Too Particular. The final customer at the fish market pointed at a sign in the window with this inscription upon it: "Anjovis."

"What does that mean?" he asked.

"Anjovis," answered the proprietor, "are little fishes. Didn't ye never hear of 'em?"

"You mean anchovies, don't you?"

"No unless you want to buy some, sir," sternly spoke the proprietor. "If a man wants to buy my fish he can call 'em what he durn please. When I'm puttin' up signs on my fish I'll call 'em what I durn please, and anybody who don't like 'em don't have to look at 'em, sir."

The final customer muttered an apology and escaped further trouble by purchasing a dime's worth of smoked herring, a harmless, unassuming fish about whose name there could be no possible dispute.—Chicago Tribune.

The Elephant at Bay. Twenty years of experience tells me that a whole regiment of lions cannot produce the same moral effect as one twelve foot African tusker when he cocks his big, sail-like ears, draws himself up to his full height and looks at you, letting off at the same time a blood curdling scream, while in a stampeding others livid to you are stampeding in a dense jungle by a herd of elephants, they seem to block out the whole horizon. One I measured was actually sixteen feet from edge of ear to edge of ear. No wonder my insignificant self seemed to shrivel and my huge express rifle to dwindle into a mere pea shooter. Try as I will on such occasions, I can never overcome my sense of terror and always feel inclined to throw down my elephant gun and run for safety till I drop.—W. G. Fitz-Gerald in Success Magazine.

The Too Faithful Dog. A party of young Australians wanting a fish dinner filled a bottle with

SENTENCES IMPOSED BY JUDGE BENNETT

Minor Offenders Plead Guilty and Trust to Mercy of the Court.

The February term of the Criminal Superior court came in yesterday, with Judge William L. Bennett of New Haven on the bench for the first time since his appointment. Prayer was offered by Rev. F. A. Dillingham of the Church of the Redeemer. Twenty-eight prisoners pleaded not guilty. Twelve of these changed their pleas to guilty and were sentenced, while the case of one went over until to-day.

Oscar Johnson, colored, of Bridgeport, was sentenced to not more than two years nor less than one year in the state prison. Johnson pleaded guilty to theft from the person, he having held up a man a short time ago on Housatonic avenue, relieving him of his valuables.

Joseph Cosnac and John Morris pleaded guilty to statutory burglary, the two having broken into a house owned by Mrs. Ann Beas of Main and Houston streets, stealing the plumbing which they sold for \$1.45. The former, who has a record, was given not more than two years nor less than one, and Morris six months.

Walter Armstrong pleaded guilty to breaking and entering the store of the Singer Mfg. Co., Fairfield, on Dec. 3, and was given a year, the Judge remarking that he could not overlook the fact that the accused had served for a similar offense.

Nine months in jail for Eugene Howard for entering a house during the day time and stealing a watch. For stealing two automobile tires from the garage of Col. N. H. Hoft, on Dec. 8, Walter E. Kamas was given 12 months in jail.

One year each for Thomas Scanno and Giuseppe Bellotti of this city, for setting fire to a small barber shop on the East Side, a short time ago at the instigation of the proprietor, to enable him to collect the insurance.

Fred Smith, colored, of Stamford, was given six months for stealing some clothes from the store in which he was employed.

John Gordon of Bridgeport, not more than two or less than one year for breaking into and entering the tug boat, John Glenn, and stealing some clothes.

Joseph Perry, colored, a razor wielder, was given one year in jail for slashing another man in a quarrel, in this city, a short time ago.

The court allowed Michael Reilly to change his plea of not guilty to assault with intent to kill, to guilty of a simple assault, and sentenced him to nine months in jail for striking a man in a Bank street lodging house.

Harold H. Holcombe, Stamford, was given a sentence of six months in jail for theft.

C. E. Kluger, the Jeweler, 1060 Virginia Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I was so weak from kidney trouble that I could hardly walk a hundred feet. Four bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy cleared my complexion, cured my backache and the irregularities disappeared, and I can now attend to business every day, and recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy to all sufferers, as it cured me after the doctors and other remedies had failed." F. B. Brill, local agent.

Weather Indications.

(Special from United Press.) New Haven, Feb. 17.—Forecast.—Fair and colder to-day; Thursday fair.

The storm that was central near Pittsburgh yesterday morning has moved eastward and is now central near Halifax. It produced rain or snow in the Lake region and along the Atlantic coast north of Hatteras. The western cold wave has moved southward carrying freezing temperatures as far south as New Orleans. Atlanta, Ga., was colder this morning than New Haven.

If a pain catches you unaware while you are working at your best put a Cyrus Plaster on the spot. The pain will quickly disappear and you will not lose a moment of your day's pay. Most of the men you can rely on wear a Cyrus Plaster and recommend it to their friends. 25 cents, five for one dollar.

Advertise in the Farmer.

IMAGINED HE WAS RUNNING THE SHOW

Tom Callahan Came Over to See His Brother-in-law Whip Davy Ryan and Missed the Entertainment.

Thomas Callahan came over from the Elm City last night to see his brother-in-law, Andy Parker, knock the block from Davy Ryan at the entertainment of the South End Social club, Eagles' Hall, Callahan imagined that the fate of Parker depended upon his advice and insisted on acting as master of ceremonies. He was not billed for the part and the police objected. He was ejected and after a struggle in which several officers took part, Callahan was thrown down stairs. He attempted to force his way into the hall again and was arrested by Sgt. O'Leary and Patrolmen Williams and Ryan.

In the city court this morning Callahan was charged with drunkenness and breach of the peace. Other charges of might easily have been made but there was no inclination on the part of the police to make the lot of the visitor any more humiliating. Callahan was fined \$10 and costs. Other charges of might easily have been made but there was no inclination on the part of the police to make the lot of the visitor any more humiliating. Callahan was fined \$10 and costs.

C. O. F. OF A.

The institution of the new Stratford Circle, No. 948, C. O. F. of A. took place, Monday evening, at Tigers hall, when fifty-four candidates took the obligation. The new ruling officers were: D. S. C. C. Miss Annie M. Corcoran, of New Haven, assisted by visiting members of Star of Pembroke and Celtic club of this city and Stratford, New Haven. The following officers were elected: Mrs. Alice Lane, Jr., P. C. C.; Miss M. Donnelly, C. C.; Miss K. Keefe, S. C. C.; Miss M. Sullivan, recorder; secretary, Miss L. Richard, financial secretary; Mrs. E. Condon, treasurer; Miss Katherine Syer, R. G.; Mrs. L. Ryan, L. G.; Mrs. E. S. O'Leary, J. G.; Mrs. A. Burnes, O. G.; Mrs. K. Quinn, first trustee; Mrs. C. McLaughlin, second trustee; Mrs. C. Hanville, third trustee; Miss S. Kennedy, pianist; Dr. C. R. Linscott, examiner. Refreshments were served.

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