

A City in Debt. Disease and Ductless Glands. Brand New Poison. The Stuffed Glove Period.

New York city is in debt more than a thousand million dollars. One citizen, if it were possible to realize on his possessions at their full value, could pay the debt of New York city, and have more than a thousand million left.

Observe this fact: If this man, fifty years ago, had been put in charge of New York city's finances with power to develop its street cars, wharves, real estate, gas, electric light, telephone, and other natural monopolies, for the public benefit, New York city wouldn't owe a dollar, would have no disgraceful slums, and would have a thousand millions in the bank, if it chose.

At this point in our progress toward civilization, exceptional individual intelligence is devoted to exploiting the masses. Later it will strive to protect and enrich them, then many problems will be solved.

A better plan is to attack microscopic life that causes disease, to kill off germ-bearing rats and mosquitoes, as a start, would do more to strengthen ductless glands. In Asia minor, where plague and rats spread together, the Government is using poison gas against rats and buying dead rats for ten dollars a thousand.

Captain Hutson, of the United States army, brings information that ought to make the next war interesting. A new gas carried by liquid form for wholesale killing is so powerful that three drops falling on the skin will kill any man in thirty seconds.

Other nations, including those in Asia, will soon know how to manufacture that liquid. They probably know how already, and this country is stupidly appropriating its hundreds of millions for old-fashioned battleships, which in the next war will be about as useful as a heavy Cochon China rooster against an Eagle.

Seventy-five thousand, from all over the world, will gather at Jersey City and pay from one thousand to ten dollars for a seat and the "pleasure" of seeing two men fight with padded fists. After the fight Dempsey will be paid three hundred thousand dollars and Carpenter two hundred thousand.

Angels reading this might conclude, erroneously, that this earth is not improving. It is improving. Those angels, looking down, once saw martyrs and saints thrown to the lions and great crowds howling with delight. In Rome women and men delighted in seeing men killed, their throats cut, or their breasts torn open with swords of three-pronged spears.

In Nyack, N. Y., a faith healer running a gospel mission produces "cures" that amaze. For instance, Mrs. Currie, a colored woman, unable to walk for months past, walked home after hearing the healer. It is not miraculous. Nerves and nervous force are to the body what wires and electricity are to the automobile.

Our minds are dull for lack of excitement, sometimes so dull that the muscles cease to work. Along comes excitement and stimulating traces. The late Dr. Weir Mitchell, no believer in healers, made more than one hysterical, self-deceiving imitation paralytic jump from her bed by pretending to set fire to it.

Japan and friends of the late Czar, trying to overthrow Lenin's government, are giving Lenin the strength he needs. They have sent them in their Vladivostok attempt the Grand Duke Michael, fresh from the Monte Carlo gambling rooms and the Cafe des Ambassadees at Nice. The Russian poss-

WEATHER. Cloudy and unsettled this afternoon and tonight. Probably light showers Wednesday, partly cloudy. Not much change in temperature. Moderate winds.

WASHINGTON, TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 7, 1921. THREE CENTS EVERYWHERE.

Sinn Fein Army In Battle With British

KABER GIRL DENIES MURDER PLOT

DAUGHTER JAILED IN SLAYING OF FATHER

Mother and Grandmother Also Held for Fatal Stabbing of Wealthy Cleveland.

NEW YORK, June 7.—Absolutely overwhelmed by the calamity that has overtaken her, Marian McArdle, under indictment in Cleveland in connection with the murder of her mother's second husband, wants only to get back to Cleveland.

Presently the matron suggested a cup of coffee as an excellent preparation for a court appearance. "No," was the determined reply. "But I would like some candy."

Police Chief and Wife After Papers to Bring Mrs. Kaber Back to Ohio

CLEVELAND, June 7.—Police Chief P. S. Christensen, of Lakewood, accompanied by his wife, who will act as a woman bailiff, left for Columbus this morning to secure the approval of Governor Davis to the requisition papers for the return of Mrs. Eva Catherine Kaber and her daughter, Miss Marian McArdle, from New York to answer in common pleas court here to the indictments charging them with the murder of Daniel F. Kaber, wealthy suburban publisher, who was stabbed to death at his Lakewood home, on July 18, 1919.

NUDE PAINTING DRAPED BY N. Y. POLICE ORDER

NEW YORK, June 7.—Greenwich Village has reformed—at least part of it. Villagers and others stopped and stared today as the manager of the Village Theater draped a painting of a nude figure, representing "descent into hell," that had been hanging since a study by, until the last piece of teatime was placed around the bare shoulders.

Francis White Sued For \$100,000 As "Love Pirate"



FRANCES WHITE, STAGE STAR, IN AFFINITY SUIT

NEW YORK, June 7.—Frances White, she of "M-I-S-S-I-P-P-I," who has been served with summons in a \$100,000 alienation suit by Mrs. Dorothy Stoddard, wife of Herbert Stoddard, playwright.

For some time the gossip about the Rialto has been talking of Stoddard and Frances. When the dainty little comedienne, who starred in "Jimmie" at the Apollo Theater, a theatrical trade weekly came forth with an announcement on the first page of the "engagement of Frances White and Herb Stoddard."

Later she played the Ziegfeld Roof and in other Ziegfeldian productions, and then went with the first "Greenwich Village Follies." Her "Mississippi" song gave way to "I Want to Be a Cave Man's Kid," and other numbers, sung in the rompers of childhood, that marked her white wherever she appears.

SUMMER VACANCIES--COOL, COMFORTABLE

For Rent Rooms. TWO and 3-room apartments, completely furnished for 1. h. k.; no objection to children. THREE front rooms, completely furnished for 1. h. k.; no children.

PUEBLO FIGHTS OFF EPIDEMIC

JURGES CITY CONTROL OF CAR LINES

Municipal operation of the traction system in the District of Columbia is the only solution of the existing situation and prevailing high fares, Congressman Oscar E. Keller, of Minnesota, told the House of Representatives District Committee today.

Rep. Keller Declares Merger of Other Remedies Are Wrong In Theory.

Congressman Keller is the author of a bill providing for municipal ownership of railways. "Congress is responsible for the situation prevailing today," declared Congressman Keller, "and therefore Congress should do everything in its power to relieve the situation."

Business Slump Hits Chorus Girls Hard

CHICAGO, June 7.—That army of curved and dimpled pulchritude known as chorus girls is decidedly out of luck. The wave of economy now sweeping over the country has left floundering in its wake scores of beauties who formerly dazzled theater audiences by their agility and other accomplishments.

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FIRST WOMAN JURY BOSS DRAWN IN PENNSYLVANIA

PHILADELPHIA, June 7.—For the first time in the history of Pennsylvania a woman is foreman of a grand jury. She is Miss Frances Broomall, Thornbury township, Delaware county, who took her seat as foreman of the Delaware county grand jury when the June term opened today in the Meigs Court House.

HAS RIGHT TO THRASH MAN IN WIFE'S ROOM

BALTIMORE, June 7.—Any man who catches another coming out of his wife's room has the right to thrash the intruder, was the decision of Justice Stanford yesterday in central police court.

BULLET, YEARS IN SKULL. NOW CHARM FOR WATCH

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., June 7.—For thirty-five years John Imman, of Elford, N. Y., has carried a .22-caliber revolver bullet in a bone at the base of his brain. Hereafter he will wear it as a watch charm. It was removed from his brain last night in an operation while he lay on the dining room table at his home. The bullet was sent into his head accidentally by a schoolmate when he was fifteen years old.

PEARL WHITE "STARS" IN "VANISHING ACT"

PARIS, June 7.—Pearl White, the American film actress, who is spending her vacation here, while on a recent trip in the Pyrenees Mountains, accompanied by Alice Delysia, the French actress, just returned from New York where she had been starring on Broadway, and one Captain Phillips, succeeded in getting herself lost, according to the Comedienne, the Paris theatrical daily.

BOOTLEGGERS JOKE AND UNLOAD WHISKEY CARGO

CUMBERLAND, Md., June 7.—While approximately 100 persons looked on, a bootlegging automobile yesterday delivered a cargo of intoxicating liquor, valued at \$5,000, to a near-by saloon in the heart of the city. The men on the car made no pretense at secrecy, but openly joked about their activities.

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PASTOR'S SON ESCAPES FROM ANGRY CITIZENS

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 7.—A squad of policemen and deputy sheriffs were rushed to Frewsburg, near here yesterday to rescue Alton Brainard, twenty-year-old son of the Rev. W. W. Brainard, pastor of First Methodist Episcopal Church of that place, from an angry crowd of thirty young men, who attempted to tar, feather and lynch him. One of the gang, it is said, charged the young Brainard, who has assaulted a five-year-old girl. This charge is denied by the young man.

GIRL CAST OUT WINDOW IN ATLANTIC CITY HOTEL

ATLANTIC CITY, June 7.—A young woman, whose name is said to be "Bunny" Dunlop, was picked up early yesterday on the sidewalk at the Hotel Marlborough. The police are investigating a report she was thrown from a window. She was suffering merely from a lacerated scalp and cheek.

I. C. TOMLINSON TO HEAD CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS

BOSTON, June 7.—Irvin C. Tomlinson, of this city, was announced as president of the Christian Science mother Church at its annual meeting here yesterday. Edward L. Ripley was named treasurer and Charles E. Jarvis clerk for the coming year.

RECONSTRUCTION BEGINS

Pueblo is rising from the disaster slowly but surely. It is so engrossed in relief work that it has no time to mourn its misfortunes.

DECAYING FLESH AND FAMINE OF PURE WATER MAKES SANITATION WORK DIFFICULT

By JOSEPH C. COYLE, International News Service. PUEBLO, June 7.—After four days of terror and suffering, Pueblo was astir today in an optimistic mood.

CITIZENS' NERVES HAVE BEEN RESTORED, AS ALL FEARS OF FURTHER FLOODS HAVE BEEN ALLEVIATED

The raging, angry waters of the Arkansas and Fountain rivers are subsiding and courage prevails. PUEBLO SLEEPS SOUNDLY. For the first time since Thursday night, sleeping citizens were not disturbed by alarms of floods. The roar of the raging waters was replaced by the hum of motor patrols and the buzz of attempted business resumption.

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