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A DEATH OF CONFERENCE. There is one more characteristic of President Harding which we admire—he does not try to run the country by means of "conferences." During the Wilson administration, every time anything slightly out of the ordinary attracted public attention, there must be a "conference" called, to which prominent men from all parts of the country were invited, and an invitation was a command. Men who were needed at home to keep their businesses running, were bailed to Washington on the slightest pretext, the real purpose apparently being to afford some member of the cabinet or other high official an opportunity to get in touch with influential men and build himself up politically. The country was conferred almost to death. Mr. Harding recognized that he was elected to administer the affairs of the government, and has surrounded himself with men competent to perform the duties of their offices. The advice of others has been sought and considered on a few very important matters, but the country has not been pestered with the almost continuous round of "conferences" that afflicted the country during the Wilson regime.

THE IMPERIAL SLACKER. During the war when all the European people were put on part rations royalty supposedly was no exception. It is well known that exceeding simplicity was the rule at Buckingham Palace, London. Indeed, the memo for King George's family was published. No special praise attached to those in high places for setting an example in self-denial. It was felt to be only right.

Now comes word, that will surprise nobody, of how the Hohenzollerns dodged the food regulations. The Berlin Tageblatt quotes from a book, just published, concerning daily life in the palace at Berlin. It seems that at the beginning of the war the Kaiser laid in great stores of provisions. After the revolution in Germany the new officials were astonished to find not only the ordinary kitchens and pantries filled with good supplies, but large quantities stored in other apartments not commonly devoted to such uses. There were such quantities of fine wheat flour and other foodstuffs that after they had been used to provision a large number of troops for two months, a lot was left over for the hospitals of Berlin. There were tons of wheat, rye, potato and pea flour, peas, white beans, rice, sugar, oatmeal, tea, canned vegetables, marmalade, preserved meat and fruit.

The more the world hears of the Hohenzollerns the more it is convinced that the German people did the best job in their history when they threw the grafting tyrants overboard.

YES, LAKE COUNTY HAS MUCH TO LEARN. In the constitutional election the other day only 17 per cent of Indiana's citizens took the trouble to vote.

In Marion county, the seat of the state capital, even a poorer showing was made. Less than 10 per cent of the voters went to the polls.

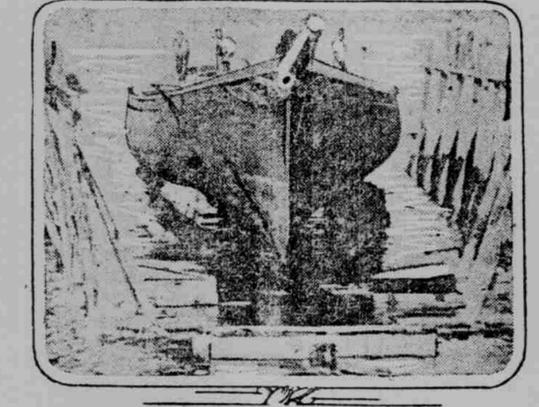
In Lake county, which is regarded at Indianapolis as a territory of sand dunes, barbarians and speeding autos, and, of course, where they have no civic consciousness and pay no attention to state affairs, the percentage of voting was 50 per cent greater than in Marion county.

DISPARITY OF SEXES. It is estimated that there are 10,000,000 women in Europe in excess of the men. This means that millions of women will be denied woman's natural longing for marriage and motherhood. Great Britain alone has 2,000,000 women who will not be mated because there will be no mates for them.

The vast majority of women wish for a home and children according to an inherent instinct. If they are denied that boon it is a misfortune. The war is responsible for a great part of this condition, though not for all. Thus for generations will one phase of the cost of the war be felt.

In olden times losses in war may have been made up through a multiplicity of wives but that method would not be tolerated now. Therefore the loss is permanent. It is true that the problem does not affect America directly to any great extent since our sexes are not far apart in numbers, but a great surplus of women in Europe may promote emigration. In fact, that course has been urged abroad as a means of diminishing the disparity in numbers of the sexes there. Yet that would be but a shifting of the location of the condition, not a remedy.

FAMOUS OLD CUP RACER AMERICA FITTED FOR FINAL TRIP: WILL VISIT YACHT CLUBS



The America being fitted out for her last trip in shipyard in Boston.

The noted old racing schooner America, which went across the Atlantic in 1851 and captured the Royal Yacht Squadron cup, which has been held ever since by America—even against Sir Thomas Lipton's assaults—is being fitted out in a Boston shipyard for her final trip. It is to be one of triumph, too. She will visit various yacht clubs on the Atlantic coast. Following this trip she will be preserved at Annapolis academy, having been given to the government by Charles Francis Adams, noted skipper who defeated the Shamrock IV last year.

porcelain? Ans. Kaolin, a white clay when pure.

2—Where was Captain Kidd arrested and where was he hanged? Ans. He was arrested in Boston and was hanged in London.

3—What sort of a bird is a kite? Ans. It is a hawk-like bird having long pointed wings and a forked tail.

10—What does lave mean? Ans. The word means to wash or bathe one's self.

which was responsible for the Van Kapp revolution in Berlin, in March, 1920.

Twenty additional arrests have been made at Munich in connection with the plot against Eraberger's life.

VENIZELLOS MARRIES

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE) LONDON, Sept. 14.—Ex-Premier Venizelos married today to Miss Helen Schilizzi. They were friends of long standing. The groom gave his age as 57 and the bride as 47.

M. Venizelos said they would go to America on their honeymoon.

Good Advice.

Germs, says the United States public health service, are usually a hand to mouth affair. Better wash up.

ERZBERGER ASSASSINS HAVE ESCAPED

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE) BERLIN, Sept. 14.—The two actual assassins of Matthias Erzberger, leader of the Centrist Party, have escaped into Switzerland, according to information in the hands of the police, said a Munich dispatch to the North German Gazette today.

The assassins are said to have been members of Col. Ehrhardt's Brigade.

HOW WOMEN AVOID SURGICAL OPERATIONS

Some Are Extremely Necessary, Others May Not Be

Every Woman Should Give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a Trial First



Chicago, Ill.—"I was in bed with a female trouble and inflammation and had four doctors but none of them did me any good. They all said I would have to have an operation. A druggist's wife told me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I took 22 bottles, never missing a dose and at the end of that time I was perfectly well. I have never had occasion to take it again as I have been so well. I have a six room flat and do all my work. My two sisters are taking the Compound upon my recommendation and you may publish my letter. It is the gospel truth and I will write to any one who wants a personal letter."—Mrs. E. H. HAYDOCK, 6824 St. Lawrence Ave., Chicago, Ill.

A Vermont woman adds her testimony to the long line of those fortunate women who have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, after it had been decided an operation was necessary.

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In hospitals are many women who are there for surgical operations, and there is nothing a woman dreads more than the thought of an operation, and the long weary months of recovery and restoration to strength if it is successful. It is very true that female troubles may through neglect reach a stage where an operation is the only resource, but most of the commoner ailments of women are not the surgical ones; they are not caused by serious displacements, tumors or growths, although the symptoms may appear the same. When disturbing ailments first appear take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve the present distress and prevent more serious troubles. In fact, many letters have been received from women who have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after operations have been advised by attending physicians.

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The-Passing-Show

YOU can't light a modern MATCH but you can GET a lot of satisfaction out of THEM by handing one to the FELLOW who never has any. AND we have always found IT in this world that FEW of us really realize HOW much we are tolerated. WHEN the kids act mean MOTHER tells father that the children GOT their meanness honestly AND that they take after their father. AN insurance actuary announces THAT the span of life HAS lengthened from three score and ten TO 74 years. WE have noticed this to be true IN the case of chorus girls. PROBABLY none of our MANY teeming centers of population SEEMS less important AT this critical juncture in public AFFAIRS than San Francisco, Cal. WE hope that some of those we have

READ recently were as tiresome TO write as they are to read. NO, Mabel the conference ON unemployment is not FOR the purpose of giving EVERYBODY out of work a GOVERNMENT job. ANOTHER thing about the NEIGHBOR women's point of view WHICH somewhat puzzles us IS the way it seems to PLEASE them so upon the announcement OF an engagement to be in a POSITION to say: "Why I believe SHE'S taller than he is." ALL the bunco tricks ARE so old and transparent THAT there can be LITTLE sympathy for the victims. ONE of the many kind DISPOSITIONS of Providence IN the fashioning of HUMAN nature is the way IT took pains to fix it so THAT anything we'd unreservedly CONDEMN if anybody else did it SOMEHOW seems different WHEN we want to do it ourself.

HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW?

- 1—What may be used on gravel roads to keep them from getting dusty?
2—What does the name Adam mean?
3—What does Dail Eireann mean?
4—What are the world's largest islands?
5—What card game is easiest to cheat?
6—Has sour milk an food value?
7—What is used to flavor chewing tobacco?
8—Where was tweed originally manufactured?
9—In what city was the first social settlement?
10—What port of France is closest to England?
ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S QUESTIONS.
1—How did the hansom cab get its name? Ans. From its inventor, a man named Hansom.

CHATS WITH YOUR GAS MAN

Do you always have your gas range oven well heated before using? You should do so for both the baking and broiling ovens. Ten minutes is an average allowance for the baking oven and five minutes for the broiling oven. This method involves no waste of gas, because if food is placed in a cold oven, the cooking will take just so much longer; besides, the results will not be so good. If the recipe calls for a moderate oven, reduce the flame one-half at the end of ten minutes. For a quick oven, keep burners lighted during all or nearly all of the baking. Also bear in mind that it is better to bake in tin pans instead of sheet iron or agate pans. The iron absorbs the heat and is more liable to burn the contents at the bottom and sides before the baking is done. You may not have noticed this in using the coal range, but the heat of the gas range is much more intense and direct.

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