

**SAYS GEN. VILLA IS BIG HEARTED**

Boy Educated in U. S. at "Pancho's" Expense Eulogizes Him

**SINCERE IN HIS HOPES**

SAN RAFAEL, Cal., March 31.—"Francisco Villa is not the bad man you think."  
This is the belief of Gabriel Diaz, 19, who is being educated at a military academy here by the hunted bandit chief.  
"Villa," said Diaz, "is big hearted and generous. It is only his enemies who paint him black. His men love him, and will follow him anywhere."  
"When he became powerful in Mexico he went to my father, who owns lands in Chihuahua, and said he wanted to send me and my brothers to school, so we could be officers in the Mexican army. At that time Villa thought he would be president of Mexico. He insisted on paying all expenses."  
"He used to tell us about his fights, and I would hear him telling the older people about what great things he hoped to do for Mexico."

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**Girls Planning Adamless Eden on Island in Pacific**

Chicago Bachelor Girls' Club Seriously Considering Starting Manless Colony



Miss Marie Holmes

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Representing a bachelor girls' club of Chicago, Miss Marie Holmes, who returned here recently from Honolulu, has been investigating the possibility of establishing a colony for women in the South Sea Islands.

An Adamless Eden is the desire of Miss Holmes and her friends. Palmyra Island, south of Hawaii, and far enough off the main paths of ocean travel to insure the necessary isolation wanted by the bachelor girls, has been spotted as a suitable location for the unique proposition.

"All the members of our club are wearied of modern conditions of city life," said Miss Holmes. "All of them are agreed that men are not necessary to happiness. Some of them are widows and some have never been married, but all of them have met with disappointments in a man-regulated world."

"Most of the members are self-supporting, and from what I learned of Palmyra Island, it will be

easy for the colony to produce everything there that is necessary for existence."

**GADSKI'S HUSBAND HELD AS PLOTTER**

NEW YORK, March 31.—Capt. Hans Tauscher, alleged anti-ally bomb plotter, is at liberty on \$25,000 bail today.

Horst Von Der Goltz, who gave information against him, was taken before the federal grand jury for further examination.

Tauscher is the husband of Mme. Gadski, the celebrated prima donna. He is charged with having plotted to blow up the Welland canal, in Canada.

**WANTS NEW FISH HATCHERY**

Fish Commissioner Darwin has asked Tacoma to build a fish hatchery in the Nisqually river.

**What**

—Is this all about? If you have read the articles on the other pages from which this is continued you may have guessed that it is about "The Siren of the Snows," complete weekly novel which opens in The Star next Monday.

**WOMEN GET HALF BOOZE PERMITS**

Reporter Gets Interesting Statistics at the Court House

**DEMAND INCREASING**

"Permit" inquired the liquor permit clerk at the courthouse, pointing his pen above the pad of blanks. "Name, please?"  
The man at the head of the shuffling line in front of the desk glanced cautiously around, leaned close to the clerk's ear, and murmured confidentially, "Booze!"  
"Yes," nodded the clerk. "You've come to the right place. What's your name?"  
"Booze!" repeated the applicant, urgently.

"All right, all right; don't be in a hurry. What's your name?"  
"Booze!" reiterated the applicant monotonously.

"Look here," protested the clerk, "I know you want booze, but I can't make out your name for you to get booze. What's your name—name, understand? Name!"

The applicant straightened up. "My name," he said with dignity, "is, as I have been telling you, 'Booze. Joe Doe Booze.' (It wasn't John Doe—there isn't any reason for betraying the real initials.)"

The clerk's office is issuing between 200 and 300 permits a day to have liquor shipped into the state.

Three weeks ago the number rose to over 300 a day. Then it dropped. Now it is coming up again.

The first month of the dry spell 2,000 permits were issued; the second month 4,000, and this month 6,000.

Monday is the big day for permits and Saturday the quiet one. Very few permits are taken out in the mornings. Nearly half are taken out by the women.

These and other statistics are accumulating as the largest dry city in the United States adjusts to its new existence, says one long-suffering permit clerk, can give any idea of the many ways in which people approach the ordeal of putting their thirst on the public records.

"Lots of 'em are sore," says the clerk. "Sore before they come, and sorer after we've had to ask whether they're going to get their beer in pinks or quarts, where they're going to get it, and a few more intimate little details like that."

"Then some of 'em, especially the women, are worried to death for fear somebody will think they are going to drink the stuff."

**PASS BURNETT BILL**

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Favorable action in the senate is practically assured on the Burnett immigration bill which passed the house yesterday by a vote of 308 to 87. The literacy test and Asiatic exclusion provisions were unchanged.

**DUTCH MUST PAY TAX**

THE HAGUE, March 31.—Every Dutchman whose income has increased \$5,000 or more since the war will be forced to pay a quarter of the increase to the government, according to a bill of the council of state today.

**CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Chilberg, parents of J. E. Chilberg, 619 13th ave. N., will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary Saturday.

**CLUB WILL ELECT**

The Young Men's Republican club will hold its annual election Saturday. Ralph A. Horr is mentioned for president.

**EDISON'S SON ALSO A 'WIZARD'; HE'S 26 AND SHOWS GENIUS IN THE FINE ARTS**



CHARLES A. EDISON

Will Charley Edison be a "wizard," too? The question is often asked in Orange, N. J.

The wizardry of the "wizard" son is not following the trail of the lightning. He gives more time to fine arts than crafts that are useful.

In an attic studio in New York's literary colony, Greenwich village, Edison expresses his wizard-like genius writing fantastic verse, composing music and in directing a unique theatre.

In his playhouse, the Thimble

**CAN'T CATCH UP WITH HER HUBBY**

Empress Comedienne Chases Him Over Vaudeville Circuit

**ALWAYS WEEK BEHIND**



Marie Stoddard

Shed a tear for Marie Stoddard, folks, she can't catch her husband. Marie is the comedienne at the Empress this week who acts funny on the stage and serious most of the rest of the time.

She has chased her husband around the United States for two years and has yet to get a glimpse of him.

He is always just a jump and a half ahead, because he and his wife both have to make a people laugh twice a day, and are booked over the same circuit a week apart.

Marie's husband is Grant Gardner, of black face fame, who was on the Empress bill last week.

"I get a clue every once in a while that reminds me I've got a husband," said Mrs. Stoddard as she pencilled her eyebrows last night. "Sometimes I see a program that proves he was in the vicinity the week before. He's going to forget something in his dressing room one of these days and then I'll have the goods on him. It was an awful job catching him before we were married. But it's a lot harder now."

Marie's misjoined married life is not the only thing on Marie's mind.

She thinks fate has framed up against her.

"I've been having this kind of fortune all along," she explained. "You see, my folks sent me from the farm in Pennsylvania to the Emerson School of Oratory in Boston, and I learned how to do heavy parts that go with my reddish hair."

But managers and audiences don't want orators or oratrices, she said.

So Marie went into vaudeville, where she has been making 'em laugh instead of cry for 12 years.

**ORGANIZE COMPANY**

PORTLAND, March 31.—Motor men and conductors of the Portland Railway, Light and Power company, after listening to speeches last night by President Franklin T. Griffith and General Superintendent O. D. Goldwell, plan today to organize a military company as a branch of the Oregon National Guard.

**ORDER PINK SALMON**

PORTLAND, March 31.—Orders for 400,000 cases of pink salmon have been placed with coast dealers by France and Italy. R. S. Farrell, of the Pillar Rock cannery, states that the order has been divided between Seattle, Portland and San Francisco.

**CALL A NEW PASTOR**

PORTLAND, Mar. 31.—Members of the congregation of the White Temple, Portland's fashionable Baptist church, are waiting today for reply to a call they telegraphed last night to Rev. Dr. William Russell Owen, pastor of the Hanson Place Baptist church of Brooklyn, N. Y. The call was sent at the close of a congregational meeting.

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Very smart Tailored Hats in black lisere straw, with trimming of ostrich edging, brim edging of lacy hair braid and cre ribbons.

Small Hats in roll-brim and tricorne shapes with lacquered ribbon and hair-braid trimming.

Beautiful Dress Hats in Leghorn combined with black lace, Neapolitan straw covered with flowered crepe, flower-crowned effects and many other new ideas.



**A Large Shipment of Girls' Wash Dresses Offers Attractive Values**

and such a variety of pretty new styles that one may choose the whole season's supply and have no two similar. Five of the Dresses are sketched and briefly described. From left to right:

Plain Chambray Gingham

in top of blue is used for this and it is attractively trimmed with harmonizing plaid. Sizes 5 and 6. Price 50c.

Middy Dress in plain color chambray gingham of pink, tan or blue, with detachable skirt. Prettily trimmed with white braid. Sizes 6 to 14 years. Price \$1.25.

Middy-style Dress of white galathea with sailor collar and trimming of broad stripes in blue or pink and white. Sizes

6 to 14 years. Price 75c.

This Little Dress is in side-fastening style, and the collar and four-in-hand tie are of white linene. Attractive large plaid effects, in sizes 6 to 14 years. Price 95c.

The vestee effect and collar of this attractively styled dress are of white pique and it is further trimmed with large pearl buttons. Made up in dark-plaid ginghams. Sizes 6 to 14 years. Price 95c.

**New Pumps for Children \$1.25 to \$2.50**



Sizes 5 to 8, \$1.25 pair; 8 1/2 to 11, \$1.75; 11 1/2 to 2, \$2.00; 2 1/2 to 6, \$2.50 pair.

Misses' and Children's Button Shoes in patent and dull calf leathers, with leather or cloth tops. Sizes 5 to 8, \$1.25; 8 1/2 to 11, \$1.50; 11 1/2 to 2, \$1.75 pair.

Boys' and Youths' Gunmetal Calf Button and Lace Shoes, built over broad-toe last, with heavy soles. Sizes 9 to 13 1/2.

\$1.65; 1 to 2, \$1.95; 2 1/2 to 5 1/2, \$2.50 pair.

Boys' and Youths' Gunmetal Calf Button and Lace Shoes with Goodyear welt soles; good fitting and very serviceable. Sizes 10 to 13 1/2, \$2.50; 1 to 2, \$2.00; 2 1/2 to 5 1/2, \$3.50; 6 to 7, \$4.00 pair.

—Basement Salesroom.

**Envelope Chemises Special 89c**

TWO dainty styles at this low price. One in Empire effect is trimmed with fine Swiss embroidery and ribbon-run beading, and the yoke is topped with embroidery beading and Val. lace edging. The drawer part and arm-eye are trimmed with the edging.

The other has embroidery motif set in yoke with Val. lace and insertion and is finished at top with lace edging and ribbon-run beading. Special 89c.

—Basement Salesroom.

**Middy Jackets Reduced to 19c**

VERY desirable for house wear with odd skirts, these Middy Jackets of blue and white checked gingham, belted in at the waistline and finished with patch pockets and white piping. Reduced to 19c.

—Basement Salesroom.

**Cut Glass Marmalade Jar, \$1.00**

AS PICTURED, Cut Glass Marmalade Jar of pretty design, with silver-plated top. An exceptional value at \$1.00.

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**Crepe Kimonos 75c**

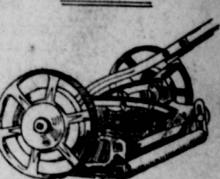
A VARIETY of pretty floral designs to choose from in these dainty Kimonos of cotton crepe. They are in Empire style, shirred at the high waistline, and the collar and cuffs are of white hemstitched lawn. Price 75c.

—Basement Salesroom.

**Combinations 59c**

COMBINATIONS in cover and drawer style, made of serviceable nain-sook and topped with two rows of Cluny-pattern lace insertion, ribbon-run beading and Val. edge. The same edge finishes drawers and arm-eyes. Attractively priced at 59c.

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