

SAY, BROTHER! HAVE YOU GOT A HOLE IN YOUR SOCK? SO'VE WE!

The Shoe Man Will Find Us Out Sure, But What Do We Care, Eh? What Do We Care?

Twenty-five per cent of Seattle's population have holes in their socks!

Seventy-eight thousand, seven hundred and fifty people in Seattle step out of the front door every morning with their big toes taking the air.

Seven hundred and eighty-seven thousand, five hundred tons in Seattle must wiggle thru the day frantically irritated and cruelly chafed by ridges, frayed edges, knots and drafts.

Seventy-eight thousand, seven hundred and fifty Seattleites who go forth daily lack that inner confidence which goes with knowing that all's well inside the shoe. Such is the computation arrived

at by prominent second ave. shoe merchants.

Not that one-fourth Seattle's population buy shoes every day. Oh, no! The approximate conclusion has been reached over a year's period.

Of that 25 per cent, one-third come fully prepared, when they suddenly decide to buy a pair of shoes, with an ironclad alibi. They intimate their horse didn't live up to the trademark in some instances. In others they were rushed when the alarm clock failed to ring and forgot to change.

"If we see a man studying the windows a long time, we know, almost to a certainty, that he is cutting out the best excuse he can offer for that hole in his sock," asserted one sales man. "If he comes rushing in, we are prepared either for abbreathless,

interesting, positive and conclusive assertion that the baby kept him up late he couldn't dress properly, or know that he has a free conscience and—well, unholy socks."

Socks, aside from being the base of a man's foundation, have a great deal to do with business, asserts the merchant. When a man gently removes his shoe, after studiously deciding that the hole he discovered last night is really on the left foot, he finds that he pulled a boner and a hole looms up like a new moon on the desert. He wants to cover up that hole. He wants to get dressed and out of there. He says, "Sweet, you got me into this, now take me away, and if a speedy fix is not executed, out he goes—all because of that hole."

"But if there is a man with a soul

so dead and an imagination so poor that he cannot frame an excuse without picking on friend wife, we hope the shoe pinches," positively asserted one merchant. "He enters the bond of holy matrimony and he consistently continues with 'holey' socks, and just to prove that he can buy socks if he wants to, he buys an expensive pair of shoes. We are glad to accept any excuse, except aspersions cast on the women folk. We don't mind the holes; in fact, we expect and look forward to them, for in a day of misfits all we can look forward to is the daily fund of alibis every man's excuse. Far from it, that hole got there some way."

"We treat the explanations of the holey-holed ladies with extreme re-

spect. Her main business in life is supposed to be mending socks, and if hers are not mended, we know Sarah, Samantha Ann and Sue are secure in the knowledge that they can go wading without fear of ridicule from the neighbors' kids."

Will Seek to Prove Woman a 'Bluebeard'

PARIS, July 12.—M. Bonin, prosecutor here, has finished investigating the case of Henri Landru, alleged "Bluebeard," and is now working on the case of Madame Basarbo, alleged "Lady Bluebeard." Bonin will try to prove that Madame Basarbo killed two of her husbands within two years.

SCOUTING



Mrs. Jane Deeter Rippin, national director of the 104,000 American Girl Scouts, has sailed to represent the United States at the international conference of Girl Scout commissioners in London, July 26.

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New Bill to Give President Power to Establish Steamship Line
A new bill has just been introduced into congress by Senator Cummins of Iowa, chairman of the Senate Commerce Committee, which would confer on the president exclusive authority to bring about a consolidation and redistribution of the powers and duties of the federal executive departments relating to Alaska.

International Convention of Port Authorities to Meet Here in October
Local shipping and business men who are at the heads of the different committees planning for the big convention of International Port Authorities to meet here October 11 to 14 are getting things well in shape to receive the hundreds of delegates who will come from every country in the world.

Most Important Gathering Ever Convening in Seattle
The men in charge of this gathering are planning to show the visitors what a world's port Seattle really is, not only in her waterfront, piers and wharves, but also in her wealth of basic industries—lumber, coal, grain, fish, fruit, dairy products and water power. They expect to take the delegates through the various industrial plants to show that Seattle manufactures a large variety of products, but also in her wealth of basic industries—lumber, coal, grain, fish, fruit, dairy products and water power. They expect to take the delegates through the various industrial plants to show that Seattle manufactures a large variety of products, but also in her wealth of basic industries—lumber, coal, grain, fish, fruit, dairy products and water power.

Shipping Board to Transfer Vessels for Seattle-Alaskan Service
Section 4 of the proposed bill provides that vessels which are now in the hands of the shipping board may be turned over to the secretary of the interior for use between Alaska and ports of the Pacific Northwest.

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Witnesses Desert Mrs. J. A. Stillman
NEW YORK, July 12.—On the eve of the reopening of the Stillman divorce hearings at Poughkeepsie tomorrow, attorneys for Mrs. James A. Stillman today were searching for some of her witnesses who have dropped out of sight.
Referee Gleason's rulings on admissibility of evidence, made last night, were considered a blow to Mrs. Stillman's case.
The referee's final ruling on nine points of law brought up by Col. William Rand, attorney for Stillman, was favorable to the banker on seven out of the nine.

John Doe Outwits Cops and Is Freed
NEW YORK, July 12.—When he refused to move his automobile from in front of a street corner, refused to tell his name and answered "No" to every question, the police arrested him. The desk lieutenant in the station house had no better luck. Finally, a magistrate discharged him and his identity is still a secret. He said he knew his rights.

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