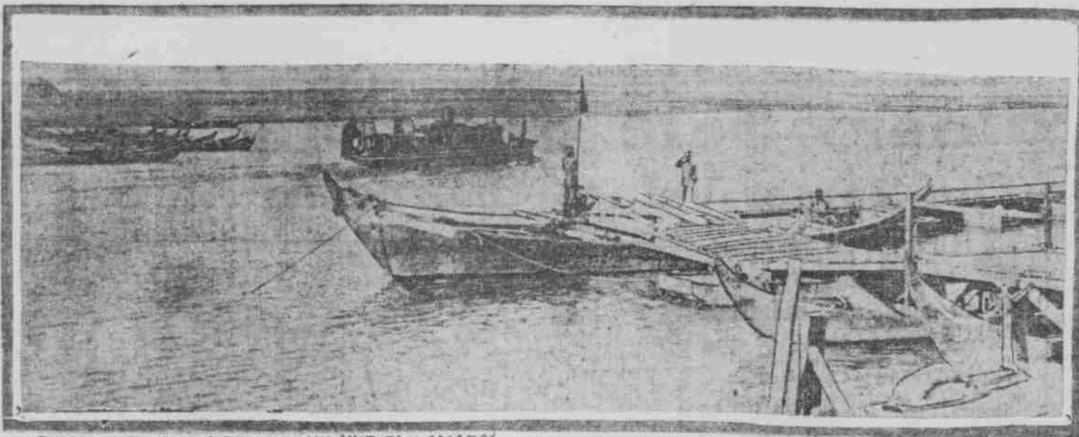


A PONTOON BRIDGE USED IN WARFARE



BRITISH PONTOON BRIDGE AT KUT-EL-AMARA

One of the big features of the war during the past two months has been the Turkish siege of the British garrison at Kut-el-Amara, in Mesopotamia. The river sent to the aid of the besieged garrison has met with extremely heavy losses according to late reports. This picture was made just before the Turks laid siege to the post and was brought out with one of the last men to leave. It shows a pontoon bridge at Kut-el-Amara, with the "draw" open to allow the passage of a military launch.

LAW QUEENIES RED LIGHT FLAMES

Civic Cess Pool on Broadway Closed; Women Slip Out Into the Night.

The flames of the "redlight" district are scattered. Today not even the embers of the old Broadway can be said to remain. The winds of the law blew hard for many, many months upon the ash-heaps of the city, the notorious bay windows of the parlor houses, and between 11:30 Tuesday and 12:30 Wednesday that wind became tempered to the cynical attitude of women who "don't care," and when 12:30 came, the fight, the struggle against that law's invocation.

Curious Pull. Broadway with its "Hottam and Jetam" of prostituted women drew the curtain finally. The auto trucks of the transfer companies piled up and down three blocks of street and gathered the large trunks in which were stored all the things their possessors. At midnight, automobiles drove up to the parlor houses and carried off inmates in furs and silks. The sickening odor of perfume filled the air about them—then the cars started off. Where did they go? Who knows?

There was nothing gushing or sentimental in the drawing of the curtain. For months the women have known and have been prepared. They knew that the three months of grace had come to an end; that they had had the opportunity to make for themselves new lives or new devastations. And having no intention to complain of, save the general injustice of an order that makes their commerce possible, they believed very human, very matter of fact, and with a stoicism which illustrates the motto of womanhood, even in its most decadent form.

It was one of the ironies of the drawing of the curtain that the creatures whom they have served and loved came to tell them goodbye. Well dressed men came to automobiles and, departing, kissed the women with a singular tenderness at the doors. Boys, young striplings in long trousers with the sweetness of adolescence in their face and in their carriage, wore there, too. There was nothing significant to any of these men and boys, the fuel of the red flames to abate them. They were there from long usage and visitation. These were their women, their friends. The youngsters were the last to go.

"Rotten Treatment." Earlier in the evening many soldiers paid their farewell calls. Nor did they mind matters at the screen doors. "Rotten treatment," only expressed with more violence, was what they said. And the women, smug in their strange enigmatic fashion, jollied the khaki men along, threw them kisses and said goodbye, only a small percent of the women left during the night. The majority availed themselves of the privilege of closing their doors at 12 o'clock and leaving some time today.

Automatic Pianos Cease. At the larger houses—those temples of automatic pianos and billiard tables and heavy furniture and drapings, with horribly gross and inartistic eyes and

PLAINVIEW TO VOTE ON SCHOOL

Election March 11 to Determine \$50,000 Bond Issue For High School.

Plainview, Texas, March 1.—The voters in the Plainview independent school district are to vote on an issuance of \$50,000 in bonds for a new high school building on March 11. Plainview already has a splendid high school building and two ward buildings, but the growth of the town during the past few years has made necessary the new building. Plainview has 1100 students enrolled in its public schools.

Numbering of the houses of Plainview under the direction of the Young Men's Business League has been completed. The streets of the town have been renamed so that they may easily be found by strangers coming into the city. The houses were numbered three years ago, but the names of the streets were not in sequence. The streets are now named in alphabetical order and the avenues in numerical order. All old numbers have been removed and every house in Plainview is correctly numbered.

Plan Auto Road to Silvertown. Negotiations for an automobile highway from Plainview to Silvertown, the inland county seat of Biscayne county, have been completed. The money for the road was subscribed by the merchants of the two towns through the efforts of the Young Men's Business League of Plainview and the chamber of commerce of Silvertown.

Mysterious Airplane Again Hovers Over Lakes. Duluth, Minn., March 1.—Duluth police have been instructed to watch the mysterious airplane which appears at night over the head of the lakes to see where it comes from, and where it goes. The nocturnal craft has been hovering over Duluth and Superior for the past two weeks. Its last appearance here was Monday night. Last night it was reported over Courderay, Wis. The machine is lighted with red and green lights.

The Blue-Bird Feature Friday. The idols of Broadway, the "redlight" musical comedy stars, will be seen in a comedy-drama at the Bijou Friday. Don't miss seeing this one.

Opera Pronunciations Things Worth Knowing

"I Pagliacci" is pronounced Ee Pah-lyah-chee. "L'Amore del Tre Re" is pronounced Lay-mor da-e tray ray. "Madama Butterfly" is pronounced Ma-dam-a But-ter-fly. Puccini is pronounced Pu-chee-nee. Montezani is pronounced Mont-e-zani. Pavlowa is pronounced Pav-lov-a. Volinine is pronounced Vol-e-ne. Mungie Teyle is pronounced Maggie Tyle (one syllable). Felice Lyne is pronounced Fee-leecy Lyne. Tamaki Miura is pronounced Tam-er-ky Me-u-ra. Paolo Ananiani is pronounced Low-lo An-nan-yan. Romeo Rosacci is pronounced Rom-eyo Ros-cach-chee. Jose Mardones is pronounced Hos-a Mar-don-ay. Fely Clement is pronounced Fee-lee-Clay-ment. Tscholkowsky is pronounced Chak-off-sky. Plaskovietzka is pronounced Plas-ko-vee-tzka. Maria Gay is pronounced Mar-ee-gay. Meranzoni is pronounced Mor-ant-son-ny. Guiseppe Gaudenzi is pronounced Gee-ayp Gor-den-zy. Delibes is pronounced Dee-leeb.

CARLSBAD ALREADY MAKING PLANS FOR FOURTH OF JULY

Carlsbad, N. M., March 1.—Carlsbad is going to have a Fourth of July celebration and has started in plans of time to complete all of the plans for the big celebration.

COTTON GIN, CANNING PLANT AND OIL WELL FOR DAYTON

Dayton, N. M., March 1.—A cotton gin, a canning plant, an oil well and an enlargement of the National Plaster company are some of the improvements Dayton expects to see realized during the present year.

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WHITE TO BECOME HEAD OF WOOSTER COLLEGE MAY 10

Wooster, Ohio, March 1.—Arrangements are being made for the inauguration of J. Campbell White, M. A., LL. D., as the new president of the college of Wooster on May 10. The ceremonies in connection with the event beginning on May 10. Invitations to attend the inauguration are being sent to all of the college presidents of the country.

NEW GOVERNOR IS SENT TO DUTCH EAST INDIES

The Hague, Netherlands, March 1.—A new ruler for the 45,000,000 inhabitants of the Dutch East Indies has just left for his post in the person of Count Johan Paul van Limburg Stirum.

HELD ON VAGRANCY CHARGE; ALLEGED CONFIDENCE MAN

Charged with vagrancy and being held for investigation Albert Veller is alleged by the police to have been implicated in a confidence game which has been worked in El Paso recently.

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