

Society

AMERICA HAS THE ONLY ONE-WOMAN RAILROAD IN THE WHOLE WIDE WORLD



Mrs. Cora B. Williams, railroad owner and manager.

Cards have been issued by the Lakoside Country club for an informal dancing party next Thursday evening at the pretty clubhouse on American lake. The party will be one of the series given this year by the club, and its success is already assured. A special Traction car will leave Ninth and St. Helens avenue at 7:30 p. m.

The Travelers' Study club will open its season's work with a meeting next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. B. Paul, 3115 North 29th street. The opening hour has been changed to 1 o'clock.

Mrs. William Burroughs will entertain Tuesday with a 1:30 o'clock luncheon at her home, 3810 North 24th street, for the members of her reading circle.

The Monday Civic club will meet Monday afternoon with Mrs. Samuel Knight, 704 South Yakima avenue, at 2 o'clock.

A large class of candidates will be initiated in Desatay lodge, No. 35, A. O. U. W., on the evening of Sept. 25, and a request has been issued for the attendance of all members. Supper will be served after the initiatory service.

A. S. Drummond and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, returned to their home in Tacoma yesterday afternoon after a three months' trip abroad.

To complete arrangements for the presentation of "On a Roof Garden," under the direction of Donald McDonald, the executive board of the Woman's club will meet Monday morning at 10 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. O. Chapman on North J street.

The Daughters of Veterans will give a basket picnic at the Armory next Tuesday afternoon. All comrades, whether they belong or not, are invited. Lunch at noon.

Miss Inga Skov, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Skov, was united in marriage Thursday night to A. Norman at Our Saviour's Lutheran church, Rev. Ordal officiating. Both young people are well known in Tacoma, and the church was filled with friends. Miss Emma Storey played the "Lohengrin" wedding march. After the ceremony a reception was held by the parents of the bride and groom at the home of the groom's parents. Many beautiful gifts were received.

The auxiliary of Tacoma Temple, No. 58, will give an entertainment in the parlors of the Pythian temple, 924 C street, next Tuesday. Mrs. Nora Berg will be hostess.

Mrs. August Muehlenbruch will entertain the German Lutheran Trinity church at her home, 712 South Oakes, Thursday, Sept. 25.

RYDER'S LUNCH
108 So. 12th St.
Opposite Postoffice

The other day the Daily Times told about Kansas' famous "one-man-railroad," built entirely by a lone man. Now, today, we have unearthed the "one-woman-railroad." The owner of this one-woman-railroad is Mrs. Cora B. Williams of Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Williams is the only known woman in the world who owns and runs a railroad. It's the Georgia, Florida and Alabama, which runs for 200 miles through a rich region of cotton, timber and naval stores.

The death of her husband, Capt. J. P. Williams, has just left Mrs. Williams in possession of this property, with all its trains, stations, shops, terminals and docks, and a steamship line, besides. She owns all of its \$2,000,000 of stock, together with 250,000 acres of land and other interests that bring her fortune up to over \$10,000,000.

And there isn't any doubt about her being able to run it. During the several years of her husband's illness before his death she consulted with him on all matters of finance and management, and toward the end was practically in control of the railroad system herself. Now it is expected that the board of directors will elect her president.

The railroad was built by Capt. Williams, and he made every cent of his fortune himself. At the close of the war he was penniless. He took a job chopping

trees in a turpentine camp at \$1 a day. Realizing the vast possibilities of southern timber lands, little by little he invested his small savings and erected mills and distilleries until he had accumulated half a million dollars. Then he went to railroading.

Mrs. Williams expects to carry out her husband's policies, and has able and trusted lieutenants to help her. And those who know her expect that, under her direction, the property will keep right on developing.

She owns a hotel and summer resort at Lanark, Ga., and handsome homes in Savannah, Atlanta and Statesboro. She will continue to make Atlanta her business headquarters and chief place of residence.

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Letters To Cynthia Grey

Dear Miss Grey: I am 18, and madly in love with a girl 16 years old. She loves me and I love her. Would you advise me to get married, as I think I would like to? Please answer and advise me; but remember that I love her dearly.—The Weary One.

A.—I don't forget how dearly you love each other, when I remind you that when the rent, grocer, butcher, light, gas, and numerous other bills come due, you will be more weary than now; and the creditors will forget utterly that young people love so dearly. They have to meet their bills in cold cash, and will expect you to do the same.

You would much better get out and expend this extra energy on a wood pile, than to spend it laying out trouble for the girl and for yourself. Suppose you begin to lay in a supply of good sense, and remain friends (without stush, and made love) until you are in a position to support a wife.

Mad love is like all other mad things—dangerous. The law provides that a mad dog may be shot, and mad people (except the mad love ones) be put where they will do no harm. You have a mind and an individuality all your own. Cultivate it, as you would a rare plant, with manly instincts; fertilize it with good sense; water it with patience, and let Father Time do the rest.

Dear Miss Grey: I am 15, pretty, and have many boy friends. I try so hard to treat them all the same, and not show more liking for one than another. Still they are jealous, and I have a very hard time trying to manage them. I like them nearly the same, except one, whom I like better. He knows these boys come to see me, and thinks I do not care for him. I am not sure he likes me, for he has fooled me several times; unintentionally, he says. I have tried to forget him, but can't, so I have decided to give him another chance. I have thought of dropping all other boy friends for him. Should I? They all like me, and I hate to. My parents object to me having so many.—Undecided.

P. S.—Please answer soon, as he is coming to see me in a few days.
A.—No wonder you are tired. You are attempting to do far better than an older person. Give up trying to manage anyone. Manage yourself. If the boys get jealous tell them you won't have anything to do with any of them. But don't give them up for any particular one. A boy who thinks no more of you than to "fool you" is not worth your time.

I wish parents could realize that in cases like this, as in some others, there is strength in numbers. As you value your peace of mind don't imagine yourself in, but have a good time with the boys and girls alike.

Dear Miss Grey: I am a young lady of 16, and have been going with a gentleman for four years, and I like him quite a bit. But there are lots of nice boys around here,

which I like just as well. Do you think it would be nice of me to tell him to find somebody older than me. He is 23.—Thank You.

A.—I believe in young people associating with those of about the same age. In your case you probably feel that you are not grown up enough to be too much in the company of a young man so much older. I think you are right. His opinions are to a degree formed. Yours are not; and it is much better for you that your boy companion be those who are nearer your own age. You feel, I am sure, that you are too young to have beaux. But a girl is never too young to associate with boys her own age, and if she is sensible require them to be great mutual benefit results.

Dear Miss Grey: Will you please give me advice, for I know I need it. I am a young girl of 16, and came out of the convent last spring. On a visit here I met a young man of 18. Naturally, I went with him, and he led me wrong. Now, Miss Grey, I don't know what to do, I am so weak. I was innocent and didn't know that any evil consisted in going to a hotel with him, so I went, and he got me intoxicated.

Miss Grey, can I make him marry me, for I can never bear the disgrace of having an illegitimate child. That's why I can't go back home to my folks. I am staying at my sister's, at her home. Please, Miss Grey, answer this, for I feel so down-hearted. My sister is not good, and wants me to load that kind of life. This man promised to marry me, and writes to me right along, but I am sure he has changed his mind, for he won't answer any questions. He is not in town at present. Please don't turn this down cold. FLORENCE.

A.—My dear child, first and foremost I want to warn you not to listen to your sister. Bear anything rather than that. Let the world scoff and sneer if it will (the best part will not), but be the right kind of mother to your child. You have a duty to perform to it, whether or not the father shares his part of the responsibility. You may, or may not, have been to blame in the matter. If you did not know any better then, you do now, and are responsible for the way you use the knowledge gained. Use this lesson to help you to solve others, and don't mix up your life problem, by making worse mistakes.

Go to the juvenile detention station and tell them I sent you, and I know they will see that you are well cared for.

Dear Miss Grey: If a woman and mother, who is very poor, sacrifices her virtue (in fact her body is their bread) do you think her act justifiable? or is she unpardonably sinful? An Unfortunate Criminal.
A.—No sin is unpardonable; neither is any sin justifiable. Mother love is one of the greatest things in the world; but a wrong idea of it is sinful. You suffered from, and were influ-

enced by, the wrong idea, when you sacrificed yourself; but are not more sinful than those who commit other sins. Anything is sin, whether it is temper, stinginess, hate, or immorality, that causes any but a good state of mind.

God is the great intelligence that rules the universe, and in that intelligence there is no sin. It knows nothing of sin. Each of us makes his own heaven or hell. Had you had a full knowledge of the source of all supply, that that source is unlimited, and free to all, you would not have made the mistake you did. Don't make a further one by grieving over the past—even the past of yesterday. No human being is called upon to make the sacrifice you did. Would it not have been better to have parted from

your children, than that? If I can help you further, write my advice.

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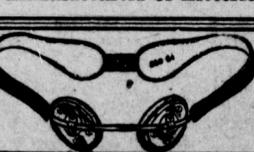
In an argument which follows, Sir Oliver listens to a new philosophy on life as expounded by this slip of a girl. He learns the doctrine of cheerfulness and becomes interested in the girl who teaches it. He helps her save her sweetheart from jail and an accusation of murder. He sees the girl

going about among the miserable people of the slums, carrying sunshine with her. He learns the greatest lesson of life and forgets all about suicide and finds that his health is returning to him.

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