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This experience of Mrs. Smart is surely a strong recommendation for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It is only one of a great many similar cases.

Manhattan Losing Its Population.

The city of New York is losing its population on account of the high rents demanded. This is shown by the great increase in the number of commutation tickets which have been sold in the past few months to points on Long Island.

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When shoes pinch or corns and bunions ache, get a package of ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into the shoes. It takes the sting out of corns and bunions, gives instant relief to blistering, aching, swollen feet. 1,500,000 pounds of powder for the feet were used by our Army and Navy during the war.—Adv.

Hoary Old Asia.

The history of Asia goes back very far. One of the earliest events recorded and regarded as authentic is the founding of the temple of Bel at Nippur, 6000 B. C. The Accadian-Sumerian kingdoms are placed at the head of the ruling powers. When they commenced is not clear but they continued to the year 2239 B. C.

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Catarrh is a local disease greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is a Tonic and Blood Purifier. By cleansing the blood and building up the system, HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE restores normal conditions and allows Nature to do its work.

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Jud Tunkins.

Jud Tunkins says since he looked into a jewelry store window and saw pipes for lady smokers he's about ready to join the anti-tobacco crusade.

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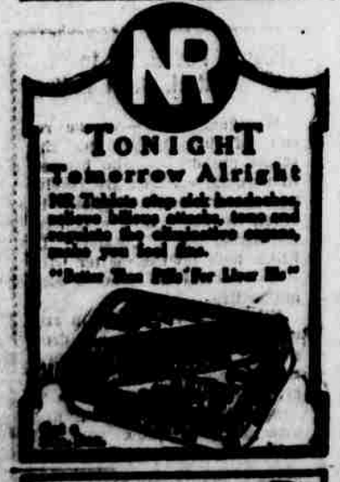

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MISSOURI State News

St. Louis to Ask for Rent Measure.

St. Louis.—Governor Hyde is to be asked to include legislation to check rent profiteers in his program for the coming special session of the legislature by the Board of Aldermen of St. Louis in a resolution which has been submitted to the board.

This is the first step toward getting state laws which will enable the city to establish a rent commission with powers to enforce its decrees.

As soon as Governor Hyde issues his call for the special session, and includes in its purpose rent legislation, the legislative committee of the Board of Aldermen, conducting the inquiry into the rent problem here, will make to the legislature its recommendations for proposed laws.

Chief of these will be an enabling act authorizing the establishment of a municipal rent commission, according to Luke E. Hart, chairman of the legislative committee.

"It will be modeled," he said, "upon similar laws in New York and Washington. We have not worked out the details, but by the time the legislature is ready to act we will have a legislative program developed.

"Other bills aimed at rent profiteering will be drafted along similar lines and submitted to the legislature," Chairman Hart said.

The resolution was drafted by Albert L. Schmidt, assistant city counsellor, at the request of Louis P. Aloe, president of the Board of Aldermen, who in turn passed it on to Chairman Hart.

The New York law after which it is to be modeled was recently upheld in the United States Supreme Court.

Requisition for Georgia Prisoner.

Jefferson City, Mo.—Governor Hyde issued a requisition on the Governor of Georgia for the return to the penitentiary here of Thomas W. McCall, who escaped from the prison August 26, 1916. The prison officials have learned that McCall is serving a sentence in the Georgia penitentiary at Atlanta and that his term there will expire within a few days. McCall was convicted in Jasper County in February, 1915, of robbery in the first degree and sentenced to the penitentiary for 20 years.

Wife, 15, to Face Murder Charge.

Farmington, Mo.—Attorneys for Mrs. John Parsons, 15 years old, charged with the murder of her 6-year-old stepdaughter, Mary, six weeks ago, announced they would attempt to have the trial transferred from the circuit to the juvenile court when it is called next month. Should they be successful, it will be the first instance of a married person being tried in juvenile court in this section of the state, it said.

Columbia Postmaster Dies.

Columbia, Mo.—A telegram was received here announcing that Postmaster L. J. Hall of this city died suddenly at Denver, Colo.

Hall went to Denver two weeks ago to visit his son, Carrington, who resides there. For 18 years Hall was reading clerk in the low branch of Congress, and he had a wide acquaintance with not only all congressmen and senators, but with many foreign ambassadors and other public men.

Gas Shown in Oil Drilling.

Bolivar, Mo.—Four showings of gas in less than 500 feet have been discovered in the Karlin test well of the Springfield-Bolivar Oil and Gas Company, according to T. J. Corrigan, president of the company. The first showing was found at 200 feet, the second at 309 feet, and the third at about 400.

Retired Missouri Banker Dies.

Nevada, Mo.—Thomas E. Williams, 78 years old, retired banker and stock and land dealer, died here. He served in General Price's army during the Civil War, was a member of the Masonic order, a Knight Templar and Shriner. He is survived by one nephew and one niece, who live here.

To Give Calves to Boys.

Fulton, Mo.—J. W. Holman of this city has returned from the Ozarks, where he purchased a carload of Holstein and Jersey heifers. They will be distributed among calf clubs of Callaway County, and will be drawn by the boys by lot.

Burned Church Being Rebuilt.

Buffalo, Mo.—The congregation of the Christian Church in this city already has raised a large fund to complete the auditorium of the church, now in the course of construction. The old edifice was struck by lightning and burned to the ground two years ago.

Fast Mail Runs Into Rock Slide.

Jefferson City, Mo.—Missouri Pacific passenger train No. 9, known as the fast mail, hit a small rock slide near Labadie, 45 miles west of St. Louis. Only the pony truck of the engine left the rails and no one was injured, according to railroad officials.

Missionary Union to Meet.

Jefferson City, Mo.—The state convention of the Missouri Missionary Union will be held in this city, June 14, 15 and 16, and several hundred delegates are expected.

Ozark Votes for School Bonds.

Springfield, Mo.—Citizens of Ozark, Christian County, by a vote of 6 to 1, authorized a bond issue of $65,000 for the erection of a modern school building. The final vote was 480 to 72. The bonds will be sold immediately and it is planned to have the new school ready for the opening of the fall term.

Carrollton Pastor Resigns.

Carrollton, Mo.—Rev. Oliver Reed, pastor of the Baptist Church here, has tendered his resignation and will leave soon to enter the evangelistic field.

AUTO STALLS IN CREEK; 3 OVERCOME BY GAS

West Plains, Mo.—Mrs. Fleming Davidson, wife of a farmer, and her two children, Georgiana, aged 8, and Henry, aged 3, narrowly escaped death by asphyxiation recently when they were overcome by gas fumes in a Ford coupe, which became stalled in water in a ravine in the road while driving to West Plains from their farm home, six miles northwest of here.

Davidson got out and was trying to start the engine. The muffler was under water, and as he worked with the engine the gas fumes, which should have escaped through the muffler, were thrown back into the car. When he opened the car door he found his wife and children unconscious.

ENDS LIFE UNDER TRAIN; ONLOOKER DROPS DEAD

Sikeston, Mo.—W. W. Daugherty, who lives several miles north of Sikeston, leaped to his death under a Frisco train here.

His father-in-law, Jap Mays, who was about a quarter of a mile away, saw the accident and when he arrived at the scene fell dead of heart failure. Young Daugherty was seen several times during the day walking up and down the track, and when the train was a short distance from him he jumped on the track, waving his hand.

Find Water Only.

Shelbyville, Mo.—The indications now are that the company drilling for oil west of Shelbyville will soon cease its operations. Drillers have attained a depth of 2,070 feet and are now boring in black granite. They have reached their goal in depth, it is believed, judging by similar experiences in two or three northeast counties of Missouri, where drillings have revealed nothing more valuable than water under the black granite strata.

Boy Killed by Mule.

Stanton, Mo.—Cecil Woodcock, the 9-year-old son of William Woodcock, a farmer living three miles west of Stanton, was killed when thrown from a mule and fastened in the check lines so that his body was dragged along the ground while the animal dashed through a field where his elder brother was working.

Farmer Files for Bankruptcy.

Cape Girardeau, Mo.—Henry A. Schlegel, a farmer living near Dutchtown, has filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States district court at St. Louis, and the case has been referred to Referee H. E. Alexander, of this city. Schlegel's liabilities are placed at $7,000 and his assets at $1,800.

Woman Charged With Embezzlement.

Doniphan, Mo.—Mrs. Margaret Helgoth, of Naylor, is under bond for her appearance to answer a criminal charge of embezzlement of $2,974.24 from the Farmers' Bank of Doniphan during the time she was acting cashier of the institution several months ago.

$304,000 for Boonville Bridge.

Boonville, Mo.—Boonville has subscribed $304,000 for a bridge across the Missouri River. The erection of the bridge is therefore assured. There is still some soliciting to be done, and it will probably be a week or more before the fund here is completed.

State Fair Premiums to Be $75,000.

Jefferson City, Mo.—The State Board of Agriculture and the State Fair Board met here and completed their work. It was stated that the premiums for the state fair were generally agreed upon and directors for various departments announced.

Set Out 2,300 Peach Trees.

Cape Girardeau, Mo.—The Highland Orchard Company has just completed setting out an orchard of 2,300 Alberta peach trees, being the largest commercial peach orchard in Cape County. The company also plans to put out a 50-acre apple orchard this fall.

Masons and Odd Fellows Meet.

Sedalia, Mo.—The seventy-fifth annual convention of the Missouri Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, the grand convention of the associated high priests and the grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Missouri were held in Sedalia.

Wife of Fulton Attorney Dies.

Fulton, Mo.—Mrs. Esther Henderson Baker, 40 years old, wife of John R. Baker, an attorney of Fulton and former prosecuting attorney of Callaway county, died suddenly at Asheville, N. C.

Pitcher Arrested for Attack.

Springfield, Mo.—Bruno Wilson, a pitcher for the Fort Smith club of the Western Association, was arrested here in connection with an attack upon Glen McNally, shortstop of the local Western Association team.

Pythians to Meet in Versailles.

Versailles, Mo.—Boonville, at the urgent request of the Community Club in this city, has agreed to withdraw in favor of Versailles so that the fall meeting of the 15th district of Knights of Pythias will be held here.

Exception Bills on Drainage.

Kirksville, Mo.—Twenty bills of exceptions to the report of the Drainage Commission of the Brashear Drainage District have been filed in the circuit court here, and a great deal of litigation is expected to follow at the May term of the court as a result.

Bank Examiner Announces Plans.

Trenton, Mo.—Roy Gibson has announced that he will enter his work as bank examiner of Missouri July 1 and that he will retain his interest in the Trenton Trust Company.

Barnard Commencement Plans.

Barnard, Mo.—The graduating exercises of the Barnard High School will be held Wednesday, May 25. The commencement week program includes the senior class play and the baccalaureate sermon by Rev. T. W. Steward, May 22. Eight will graduate.

Sunday School Conference.

Springfield, Mo.—An older boys' and girls conference will be held in this city, May 11 and 12, under the auspices of the Greene County Sunday School Association.

Find the Cause!

It isn't right to drag along feeling miserable—half sick. Find out what is making you feel so badly and try to correct it. Perhaps your kidneys are causing that throbbing backache or those sharp, stabbing pains. You may have morning lassitude, too, headaches, dizzy spells and irregular kidney action. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. They have helped thousands of ailing folks. Ask your neighbor!

An Illinois Case

F. A. Mehrman, proprietor of confectionery store, 8 Main St., W. Frankfort, Ill., says: "A cold settled in the small of my back and put my kidneys out of condition. My back became lame and stiff. Several times at night I was obliged to get up to pass the kidney secretions. I read about Doan's Kidney Pills and began using them. It only took two boxes to entirely cure me of the trouble."

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Growth of the Kansas Language.

Judge J. C. Ruppenthal of Russell, author of a western Kansas dictionary, and student of American dialects to such an extent that he is recognized as an authority, is of opinion that much of the corrupted French the boys brought home from overseas will remain and become part of our language. "No doubt," he writes in the Luray Herald, "our language will permanently keep such words as bean tote, bone jar, by joe, bullion, calf, fox paus, Jenny's pa, silver plate, three beans and toot sweet."—Kansas City Star.

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ULTIMATUM GIVES GERMANY 10 DAYS

ALLIED GOVERNMENTS WILL THEN CARRY OUT THE PENALTIES.

CONTROL OF REVENUE IS PLAN

British and French Agree on How to Compel Payment of Reparations and Guarantees—Plan Provides for Supervision.

London.—The British and French governments have reached an agreement on how to deal with Germany to compel payment of reparations and exact immediate guarantees. In broad outlines it is agreed that the allies will make a declaration, but not to Germany.

They will announce that the Reparations Commission will notify Germany as to the amount she is required to pay and how it is to be paid, together with the proposed financial controls. The allies will then announce that within ten days, this period being subject to possible modification by the Supreme Council, they will proceed to carry out the penalties if the terms are not acceded to.

The plan provides for a comprehensive scheme of supervision and control of Germany's sources of revenue. It is not yet completed, but while the experts are still working on it, France will proceed with all her military preparations for the occupation of the Ruhr.

This is the general result of an agitated day of conversations and conferences that seemed likely to end in sharp disagreement among the allies. The agreement was brought about by the intervention of the Belgian foreign minister, Jasper, at a meeting of the Supreme Council. The whole subject will come up for discussion again at another meeting of the council.

Both sides feel that they measurably succeeded in having their policies accepted.

The French premier asked for British naval co-operation, suggesting the blockade of Hamburg. The British prime minister replied that American public opinion would not approve of such a course, and he could not agree to a blockade which would bring the allies into controversy with the United States.

Briand agreed to this point of view. He added that the course of the United States had been absolutely correct.

Uneasiness still exists among the French delegates over the possibility that Washington may endeavor to mediate; they declare this would not be acceptable to them.

Notwithstanding the agreement, the French are not entirely satisfied with developments, and the idea of an ultimatum, which is believed to have been largely due to the influence of the British ambassador to Germany, Lord D'Abernon, Briand was averse to delay, and it is understood that he had undertaken that, failing Germany's compliance, some move should be made.

SUBMITS TAX PROPOSALS

MELLON OUTLINES PLAN FOR REVISION.

Opposes Sales Tax, but Urges Excess Profits Repeal and Abolition of Luxury and Nuisance Levies.

Washington.—Four specific proposals for revision of the federal taxes are made to Congress by Secretary Mellon, with a recommendation for early action so the new taxes can be applied for this calendar year. They are:

Repeal of the excess profits tax and the existing $2,000 income exemption of corporations, the loss of revenue to be made good by a modified tax on corporate profits or a flat additional income tax on corporations, to yield an aggregate of between $400,000,000 and $500,000,000.

Readjustment of income tax rates so that no income will pay more than 40 per cent this year and 33 per cent thereafter, with a view to producing aggregate revenues substantially equivalent to the estimated receipts from the income tax under the existing law.

Repeal of the so-called luxury taxes, together with the "nuisance" taxes, such as those on soda fountain drinks, but retention of the transportation and miscellaneous specific sales taxes.

Imposition of "sufficient new and additional taxes of wide application," such as increased stamp taxes or license taxes on the use of automobiles, to bring the total revenues from internal taxes, after making the changes above suggested, to about $4,000,000,000, in the fiscal years 1922 and 1923.

Boy Plays Bandit and Is Killed.

Denison, Tex.—While playing "bandit," Clarence Keaton, 10, was killed here when a cave, into which he had fled to escape the "officers," caved in, burying the boy under a ton or more of earth. He was suffocated.

18-Year-Old Girl Killed by Bomb.

Johnstown, Pa.—A girl, 18 years old, was killed and five other persons were injured at South Fork, near here, when a bomb sent through the mails, exploded in a store owned by Tony Ilaner.

Ford to Change Bonus Plan.

Detroit, Mich.—Plans have been practically completed by the Ford Motor Company for the payment of a bonus to employes semi-monthly instead of annually, as heretofore. The plan was devised, it is understood, to insure payment of bonuses to such employes as might leave the company's service before the end of a year.

Mexico City.—James Clopton, described as an American agitator, was expelled from Mexico as a "pernicious foreigner."

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"I used to think all the Tanlac testimonials were exaggerated, but I have felt thankful a thousand times I ever believed in it strong enough to give the medicine a trial," said T. J. Parker, well-known saleman for Gately's Clothing Store, residing at 4246 Juneau St., Seattle, Wash.

"Several years ago I commenced having periodic spells of sickness and a few months ago I had an attack that I thought would finish me. When I did finally get up, I was scarcely able to go. I had no appetite and what little I forced myself to eat caused so much gas on my stomach I could hardly get my breath.

"At night I was often so bloated I couldn't breathe while lying down and just had to sit up and struggle for air. At times I had cramps so bad I could hardly endure it.

"My liver was sluggish and sometimes I got so dizzy I would nearly fall. I felt tired and miserable all the time, couldn't even sleep and for days at a time I wasn't able to go to work.

"Well, a friend of mine finally got me to try Tanlac, and it certainly has done a good job for me. My appetite is fine now and although I am eating just anything I want and as much as I please, my stomach never gives me the least trouble. I have picked up in weight, my strength has come back to me, and I am now enjoying the best of health.

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Have you ever stopped to reason why it is that so many products that are extensively advertised, all at once drop out of sight and are soon forgotten? The reason is plain—the article did not fulfill the promises of the manufacturer. This applies more particularly to a medicine. A medicinal preparation that has real curative value almost sells itself, as like an endless chain system the remedy is recommended by those who have been benefited, to those who are in need of it.

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Even a dumb clock can make itself understood with its hands.

After a woman says "There's no use talking" she keeps right on.

Absence of Disease Isn't Health; You Need Vitality, Energy

You may have no particular disease, and yet fall far short of enjoying real health. To be actually healthy you must be sturdy, alert, vigorous, a-sparkle with enthusiasm and the joy of living—fairly bubbling over with vitality and energy. Are you thus?

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Wholesome blood is the very fountain source of that energy which puts spring into your muscles, snap into your step and sparkle into your eyes. If you want all this, begin right now to enrich your blood stream.

You will find, as thousands of others have found in the last fifty years, that S.S.S. is an excellent remedy to do this for you, one that removes the poisonous impurities and helps build your blood into a rich, nourishing supply. S.S.S. is an herb compound, discovered by the Indians, and still made as they made it.

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