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E JEWISH HOSPITAL

There is to be a new and much-needed institution in Memis. It will be called the Jewish hospital.

It will require $350,000 to start with. The campaign begins inday.

Leaders among the Jewish people throughout this entire section have been asked to attend a meeting at the temple on Poplar avenue Sunday at 3 o'clock. There will be no solicitation, but preparation will be made to launch the campaign.

Memphis has a number of splendid hospitals, but there are not enough. The hospitals of Memphis are the receiving point for the sick and afflicted of three states.

The institution proposed will be financed largely by the Jews, but there will be no discrimination in the distribution of its benefits.

The Jews of Memphis and of the section surrounding Memphis have been generous toward other institutions. Their liberality in behalf of every good cause is a byword. The obligation now is upon those of other faiths and creeds who have profited by the generosity of the Jews.

It is hoped that there will be a large attendance of men and women of every denomination at the meeting Sunday, and that the movement will receive such an inspiration that the matter of raising the required amount will be of short duration.

Every good citizen of Memphis should welcome an opportunity to lend a hand to so worthy a cause.

OUR ROYAL VISITORS

Our royal visitors from Belgium are having the grand experiences of their lives in America, and the reception which they are receiving must be highly gratifying to them. In this country all men are kings and all women are queens, and, so far as state and display are concerned, the private homes of our plutocrats are palaces more ornate and splendid than those occupied by royalty in Europe. We have not as many medals and decorations sparkling on the gear of our wealthy people, but when the rich dowager puts on her robes of fashion for some great occasion no queen or duchess is arrayed as she. America is the land of wealth, and, while a democratic nation, refinement is coming to us, and the elegancies of life may be found in abundance.

Then, too, it must be refreshing to the royal pair to get away from so many ceremonials and artificialities and get back to real human nature and mingle with people who are as God made them, and not dependent upon titles and conventions to keep them on the desired plane. The folly and meretriciousness of rank and routine must be apparent to them, and they can learn that "worth makes the man, and want of it the fellow." Where the status of the individual is fixed and maintained by his or her own inherent merit there can be no fraud or make-believe; no clinging to tradition or leaning upon heredity to carry one over. There is a primal freshness in things and conditions that is exhilarating.

The royal pair will be given opportunity to study democracy at first hand; its statics by seeing it in repose; its kinetics they saw when a nation of husbandmen was metamorphosed into a nation of warriors in a few months and sent overseas by the million, and its dynamics by seeing these men on the battlefield. They will return home with broadened minds and clarified understanding, and prepared to serve their people and humanity better than ever before. Other crowned heads could learn much by visiting this country.

ROOSEVELT

The way people are contributing to the Roosevelt memorial fund is certainly fine. It shows that they admire what is best in American life, for Roosevelt represented in his proper person American ideals, and so long as these ideals are esteemed by our people there is certainty and safety. No Bolshevism can find lodging in the head or heart of a Roosevelt admirer. That he was not perfect all will admit. The world has seen but one Perfect Man, and all the use it had for Him was to torture and crucify Him. Roosevelt was human and had his faults like other people, but his virtues were so strong, robust and conspicuous that his faults dwindled into nothingness by comparison. It is a splendid lesson for the youth of the land, this thing of recognizing and honoring Roosevelt. It fixes attention on him, and the boys will naturally inquire why and for what reasons he is being honored, and these reasons will become fixtures in the young hearts and minds, and be objects of emulation through life. The ancients gave their youth object lessons by honoring their great men, and perpetuating their memories in imperishable bronze and marble. Our youth will profit by similar teachings.

A DUTY

It is apparent that there is going to be some difficulty in securing a sufficient number of enumerators to take the census in Memphis.

A man or woman can make only from $4 to $6 a day in that work and naturally they will seek more remunerative employment if they are out of jobs.

It has therefore developed that the work of taking the census in January is no longer an opportunity for a person to get a temporary job, but it is a patriotic duty devolving upon the citizens of Memphis to see that it is done thoroughly and well.

Reliable men and women over 18 years of age who would be willing to engage in this work should communicate with Mr. W. W. Swift in the Union and Planters Bank Building. Persons wishing employment in the Tenth congressional district outside of Memphis should address L. E. Gwin, Covington, Tenn.

FRED ORGILL

Fred Orgill was straightforward in business, delightful socially and a kindly neighbor. He was an ideal citizen. During the months of failing health his cheerful disposition remained unchanged, and he radiated sunshine wherever he went. He was the kind of man who left the imprint of his individuality upon all with whom he came in contact, and all the memories of him are pleasant.

The downtrodden negro who is receiving $40 a bale for his cotton is not in such a bad fix.

John Bull says he is short of money. Same here. What's his side card?

Oh, Man!—By Briggs

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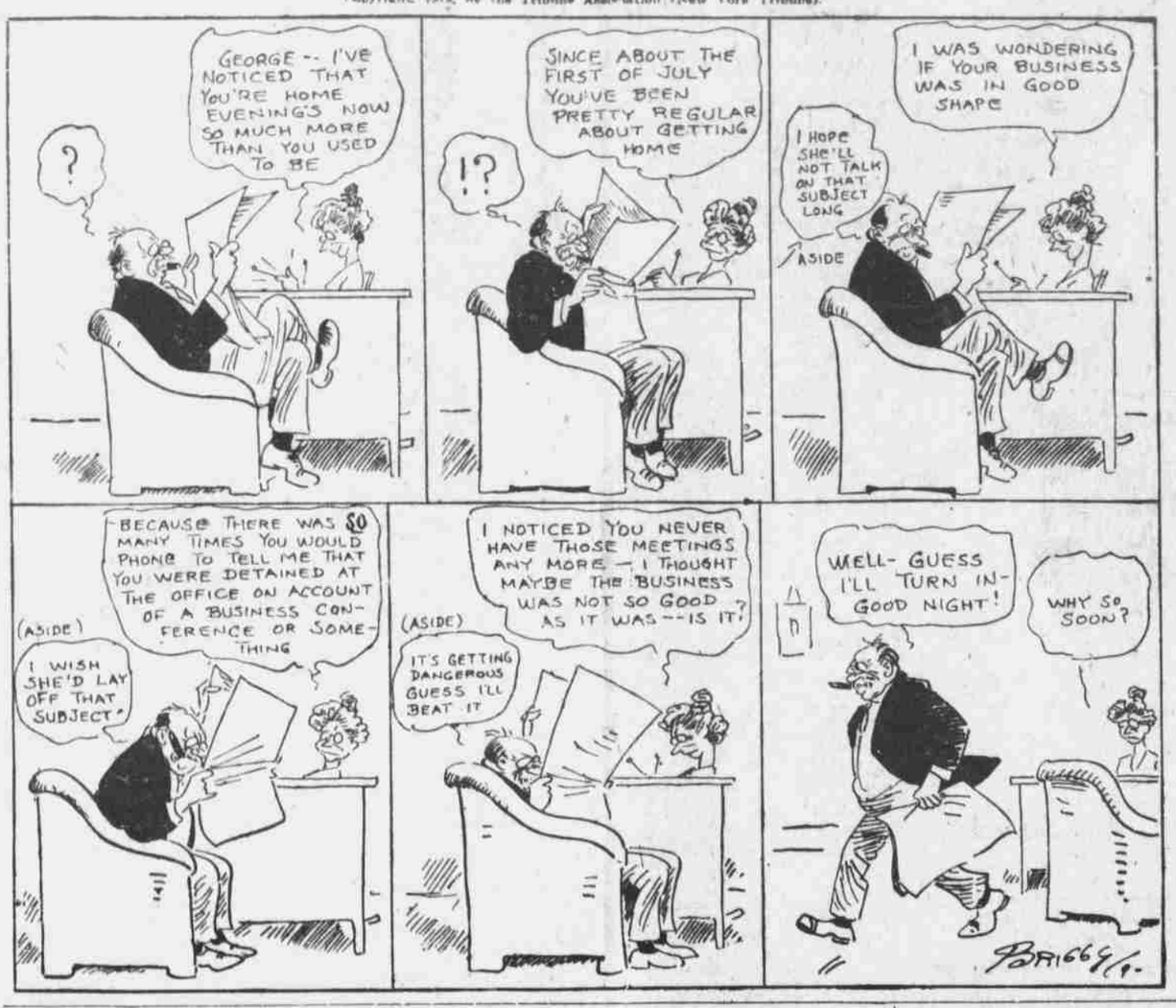

Ye Editor Nods

Jolts and Jests Slipped Past The Blue Pencil

WHY NOT HAIG AND HAIG?

Jason and Haig will be at the Orpheum next week. The man's name is Haig. Why don't they get married and have a regular name for their act?

SAUSAGE OR CHITTERLINGS?

Between recording the prize winnings of Sweet Inspiration, Marks & Davis' prize sow, and Woodrow, our orphaned English setter, we've become so mixed in our handling of news of hogs and dogs we fear to look a link at the meatshop in the face.

CRIMINAL NEGLECT.

A contributor to these columns, formerly characterized by his associates as a "continuous drunkard," was invited by a prominent lawyer to come by his office and get a "snifter." He forgot it.

The mayor of Darwin came to town with a guest the other night and upon reaching the city it was found that a pint bottle had inadvertently dropped out of the auto "somewhere in Shelby" along the road traveled over.

TURN OVER.

"Yudenitch Reverses," says the latest from the Russian front. Cooties biting in the back?

TOO MANY NODS.

The News Scimitar once planned to run a column, "The Police Force Nods," to augment "Editor Nods." But there's been too much nodding lately it would fill the paper, so it was called off.

DODGING THE BLAME.

To those whose hypersensitive feelings may be ruffed by harmless quips in these columns, be it known there are more than one, yes, more than two contributors thereunto.

BLAME PROHIBITION FOR SUGAR SHORTAGE

Thus runneth a headline in an afternoon contemporary. Well you know it takes 2½ pounds of sugar to help make five gallons of home brew.

DON'T BLAME OTTO.

A request come from Austria to the police to locate Otto Vromsley, Austrian citizen, said to have been a musician in a theater about the time the war broke out. The request adds that he may have become a woodcutter.

Can you blame Otto if he was an Austrian and about the time we entered the war took to the woods?

Sandy Refuses Advice So Now He's Out On Another Beat

"Sandy" Lyons doesn't know whether he's a lucky man or not.

Sandy (John C. is his name, but no one would know him by that cognomen) is the patrolman who was assigned to patrol the two blocks between Main and Third street, on Monroe avenue, after public indignation forced the city administration to make at least a pretense of driving the bootleggers from that location.

But Sandy isn't patrolling that beat now. He was transferred a few days ago clear out to a beat in the extreme northern city limits.

It seems that Patrolman Lyons, who is one of the most fearless officers on the force and a crack pistol shot, thought his orders to clear the vicinity of crooks and bootleggers were meant to be obeyed. He carried out his orders.

Came then a special friend of Mayor Monteverde and hinted to him that he was too hard on the boys and suggested that he let up a little and be a good sport. Furthermore, a police officer discovered a little red, white and blue button on Patrolman Lyons' vest, a Citizens' league button. That was reported.

Patrolman Lyons, when questioned, allowed that he proposed to vote for whom he pleased. His immediate transfer to another beat followed.

He would possibly have lost a star, but for the fact that the mayor and Commissioner Quinn have decided that it might be bad politics to fire every policeman who is not going to vote the Williams ticket. That would show too clearly that even threats of dismissal hasn't made the police department solid for Williams.

CITIZENS' LEAGUE TO HOLD FIVE RALLIES

Five general rallies will be held by the Citizens' league Monday night—unless it keeps on raining.

All the candidates will speak and several other speakers will be heard. Mrs. S. J. Ellis and Mrs. Sam H. Phillips will probably speak at two or three of the meetings.

There will be no meetings Saturday night as all ward charmen and many of the workers will meet at headquarters.

Monday night's rallies will be held at Market Square, at Lamar and Bellevue, at North Parkway and Bellevue, at Jones and Mosby, in the Eighth ward, and at Greenlaw and Fifth for the Ninth ward.

Aerial Honeymoon Trip to Cuba; Crown War Romance

BY L. P. ROBERTSON.

It is no prosaic, metamorphic, platitudinous "sea of matrimony" into which young Lieut. G. S. Crockett, Jr., of Norfolk, Va., and his fair bride-to-be, Miss Margaret Willins of Raleigh, Tenn., intend to launch their nuptial craft for the spoony, looney, sugar-coated honeymoon excursion. They will sail away in the great sea of atmosphere, like birds, between the stars and the nether world, in a sturdy fantail biplane, just as cozy and comfy as ever was Venus in her chariot of blue-eyed violets drawn by her famous double team of turtle doves.

The unromantic rain has held Cupid in leash for 24 hours, but conditions improving, the young couple intend to fly sometime Saturday from the landing field of the Memphis Aerial company, at North Memphis Driving park, to Park field, at Millington. They they will alight and when a parson has pronounced the sacred words and whispered, "Bless you, my children!" they will get into another "ship" belonging to the bridegroom, and sail for Cuba.

The honeymooners will go to the sugar cane republic by easy stages as they will be in no great hurry to finish the trip.

The romance between Lieut. Crockett and Miss Willins is another example of the perfect teamwork of Mars and Venus. Lieut. Crockett was sent from Norfolk to Park field during the war to study the fine art of overcoming gravity. He met Miss Willins and now there is to be another Tiffany band of plain gold, orange blossoms, blushes, et cetera.

Lieut. Crockett was discharged from the army at Park field a short time ago and since then has been a pilot for a commercial airplane company at Sikeston, Mo. He is a thorough aviator and has his own biplane, which for the past few days has been undergoing an overhauling at the North Memphis Driving park to put it in shape for the nuptial voyage.

Miss Willins is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Willins, of Raleigh, Tenn.

Upon the return from the honeymoon it is expected the bridegroom will establish a commercial aerial company at Hot Springs, Ark.

Roosevelt Memorial Fund Making Steady Progress

Satisfactory progress was reported from headquarters of the Roosevelt memorial campaign Saturday at noon when official figures of receipts during the past 24 hours were announced. The effort on the part of the Shelby county committee to maintain an average of $1,000 each remaining day of the campaign was being maintained.

The total amount so far subscribed is $8,271.25, an increase of $708.75 since Friday's report. It was pointed out that while this amount was considerably below the desired thousand, Friday's report was sufficiently large to maintain the average.

No slackening of their efforts on the part of O. K. Houck, chairman for Shelby county, or any member of his committee is to be permitted during the coming week, on the contrary, their efforts will be redoubled in an attempt to reach the Shelby county quota of $20,000 before the official closing date.

Only one subscription of $100 and only one for $50 were received Saturday morning. However, a large number of smaller subscriptions were received as shown by the attached list:

Previously reported	$7,562.50
John W. McClure and T. M. Cathey	100.00
Paige Co., of Memphis	50.00
A Friend	25.00
Empire Motor Car Co.	25.00
Moseley-Robinson Drug Co.	25.00
Warnock Drug Co.	25.00
William N. Coulson	25.00
A Friend	25.00
M. E. Carter	25.00
O. M. Hamilton	25.00
Walter P. Armstrong	25.00
I. Samelson & Co	25.00
Hubert K. Reese	25.00
James M. Beley	20.00
Charles A. Price	17.25
R. Cohn, Forest Hill	15.00
Frank D. Fuller	15.00
Milton S. Binswanger	10.00
E. V. Sheely	10.00
Henry J. How	10.00
Lovick P. Miles	10.00
E. B. LeMaster	10.00
James Alexander	10.00
W. S. Biles	10.00
Clarence W. Griffith	10.00
W. J. Britton	10.00
H. J. M. Jorgensen	10.00
G. L. Meyers & Co.	10.00
Miss Mary Weiss	5.00
Kantor, Lyon & Co., Inc.	5.00
W. J. Young	5.00
Lee D. Jones	5.00
L. J. Searcy	5.00
H. A. White	5.00
Dr. M. Goltman	5.00
S. Burford	5.00
Southern Cafe	5.00
Mike Hutkin	5.00
J. R. Kinnie Co.	5.00
A. G. Manning	5.00
Ben S. Polskee	5.00
A. W. Pearce	5.00
Dr. C. E. Duvall	5.00
Dr. Henry Posell	5.00
Mrs Samuel J. Ellis	3.00
Katz Brothers	3.00
C. C. Castle, Kerrville	2.50
E. L. Jordan	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Jacques	2.00
Sam Schneider	2.00
Mrs. St. John Waddell	2.00
Thomas Ellis	2.00
Dr. Elizabeth C. Kane	1.00
N. J. Jones	1.00
J. W. Patton	1.00
C. A. Dachsel	1.00
Dr. Sidney Meeker	1.00
Lloyd L. Gough	1.00
L. H. Hatley	1.00
Bishop M. Kelly	1.00
Total	$8,271.25

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I hereby promise to pay within thirty (30) days from date ..... dollars to Fred Collins, treasurer of Shelby county for the Roosevelt Memorial association.

Signed .....

$..... Address .....

MORE APPLICANTS FOR CENSUS TAKING NEEDED

A total of 42 applicants for positions as census enumerators were examined Saturday morning at the custom house, while 10 were examined Friday. W. W. Swift, in charge of the examinations, stated Saturday that further examinations would be held the latter part of next week and that 50 or 60 additional applicants were needed.

The taking of the census will begin on Jan. 2, and will last for two weeks in the city and 30 days in the county. High school students and students at the University of Tennessee and State Normal school are especially desired, Mr. Swift stated, if they could possibly arrange to engage in the work. Both men and women, between the ages of 18 to 70, are eligible for positions as enumerators and Mr. Swift requests that anyone interested apply at his office in the Union and Planters Bank building.

CRANE TO SPEAK TO CHAMBER FORUM

His famous special address to chambers of commerce will be delivered by Ross Crane, of Chicago, at the weekly forum of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce Wednesday at 12:30 p. m.

Mr. Crane, who is an artist and eminent authority on city and home planning, was persuaded to remain over until Wednesday by W. H. FitzHugh, president of the chamber, who wanted the members of his organization to hear Mr. Crane. Inasmuch as the Chamber of Commerce is planning to erect a new home, Mr. FitzHugh thought the lecture would be of direct interest and very helpful to the members.

Mr. Crane has just completed a series of lectures at the Goodwyn Institute on the "Home Beautiful," in which he explained to the housewives of Memphis just what beauty and utility and good taste mean with reference to a home.

WILLS RETIRES FROM WATER CO.

Two of Commissioners Favor Appointment of Hydraulic Engineer as Successor.

Wirt J. Wills left the employ of the artesian water department Friday night as superintendent, after having served in that office, and three years as chairman of the board of commissioners, for more than 13 years. He resigned nearly a month ago to engage in private business.

The entire office force gathered at closing time Friday and presented Mr. Wills a typewritten testimonial of the esteem in which he has been held by every employe of the department.

It was intended also to give him a more substantial testimonial, but Mr. Wills heard of it, and told the employes that in these days of the high cost of all necessities, he knew that none could afford any extra expense and he would prefer not to be given any valuable present.

No successor has been appointed and none will be for a few weeks. J. Thos. Welford, chairman of the board, and Milton J. Anderson, both have said that they intend to combine the offices of general superintendent and chief engineer, which would allow a sufficient salary to enable them to secure an expert hydraulic engineer as general superintendent. The two salaries would amount to slightly more than $7,000 a year.

They believe that efficiency would thus be added to the department and they also believe that no political appointment should be made. They have intimated that they do not propose to allow the office to be used for any political purpose.

A survey of the entire water system has been begun and probably no appointment of a superintendent will be made until it has been completed, which will require possibly a month. J. N. Chester, hydraulic engineer, of Pittsburgh, Pa., is in charge of the survey, but has not personally taken up the work, the preliminary work being in charge of several of his assistants.

SCHOOLS OBSERVE ARMISTICE DAY

Hour Will Be Given Throughout County for Appropriate Exercises.

Between the hours of 11 a.m. and 12 noon on Nov. 11 every school in Shelby county will celebrate with appropriate exercises the signing of the armistice which marked the closing of hostilities and practically the end of the great war. Special programs will be prepared for each school.

This was announced Saturday morning at 10 a.m. by Miss Margaret Williams, assistant superintendent of the county board of education, at the roundtable meeting of the county high school teachers.

At 9:15 a.m. Saturday the manual training teachers of the county schools met with C. H. Wilson, in charge of manual training at the West Tennessee Normal, and organized for the year.

The home economics teachers held the regular meetings with Miss Cara Harris, supervisor of that department, and the agricultural teachers met with W. M. Landess, agricultural supervisor.

At 10 a.m. the elementary teachers met. Miss Mary Tom Clarke, of Lawler school, gave a demonstration of first grade class reading, after which the regular round table discussion followed.

The high school teachers met at 10 a.m. with Miss Laurie Cash, of Treadwell school, who gave a demonstration for supervised study in her eighth grade English class. This was followed by round table discussion. Miss Margaret Williams, acting superintendent during the absence of Miss Charl O. Williams, presided over the meeting. Miss Williams announced that Thanksgiving holidays in the county schools would fall on Nov. 27 and 28 this year. She also asked that suitable programs be arranged for Nov. 11, celebrating the signing of the armistice, in order to carry out the wishes of President Wilson.

CITY PLANNING LEADER SELECTED

Wassell Randolph Choice of President of C. of C. for New Committee.

Aggressive endeavors to the end that Memphis' future expansion will be along the most approved lines of city planning and beautification are assured by the acceptance by Wassell Randolph, of the chairmanship of the Chamber of Commerce city planning committee.

The appointment was announced Saturday morning by W. H. FitzHugh, president of the chamber, who declared that the committee was created because of a suggestion made in an editorial published in The News Scimitar shortly after Mr. FitzHugh went into office.

"I have been working on the idea for the civil improvement and beautification which was outlined by the editor of The News Scimitar since the editorial appeared," said Mr. FitzHugh, "and have now found the man whom I think is ideal for the city planning committee. Mr. Randolph is an aggressive, efficient gentleman, and I think his work will mean much for the future welfare of Memphis. The Chamber of Commerce will back him with adequate funds in whatever efforts he may make to see that the city's growth follows the lines of beauty, utility and health. He will interest himself in such propects as community centers, parks, opening of new streets and any other matter that has to do with a more beautiful Memphis."

Mr. Randolph will begin immediately to select members of his committee.

WOMAN TALKS FOR IRISH REPUBLIC

Miss Katherine Hughes, secretary of the Irish National bureau, at Washington, one of the most prominent leaders of the supporters of the Irish republic in America, will speak Saturday night at 8 o'clock on the sixth floor of the Chamber of Commerce. Her subject will be "Ireland, Today and Tomorrow."

Miss Hughes spoke Friday night on the economic situation in Ireland at the Chamber of Commerce. She is on a lightning tour of the South in a campaign for organization for the national headquarters of the "Friends of Irish Freedom."

Rosebud Cafe And Motor Boat Listed In Smiddy Estate

The Peoples Bank and Trust company was appointed administrator of the estate of the late William Smiddy, Mrs. Arline Smiddy, the widow failed to qualify on account of being under legal age.

The estate consists, according to the widow's statement, of an interest in the Rosebud cafe on Monroe avenue, valued at $1,000, and one-half interest in a motor boat valued at $600.

AMUSEMENTS

"The Naughty Wife."

A wholesome lesson to husbands prone to let business or profession fill their lives to the neglect of duties to a wife, yearning for attention and an equally pertinent lesson to wives going without the pale of the family hearth in quest of happiness is taught in "The Naughty Wife," a bright little farce comedy which opened a two-days' engagement at the Lyric Friday night.

The lines are exceptionally clever and the situations well worked out. One can readily understand it was a bang-up show with a metropolitan cast. The cast is fairly a good one, however, and the show is well worth seeing.

"The Naughty Wife" is not so naughty after all, and those husbands and wives desiring to spend a more happy Saturday will make no mistake in witnessing the performance which will be repeated Saturday matinee and night.

Incidentally 12 highballs and cocktails are drunk during the action of the play. What is hard to understand, though, is why one cocktail is left untouched on the mantel.

Gordon Eldrid as the husband enunciates well, acts to the best of his ability, but he is a little too stiff and not enough of the matinee idol to be entirely satisfying.

Reva Greenwood is a little too ingenuously ingenuous for the part of the naughty wife. When naughty she is not naughty enough, when nice she looks nice enough but does not put enough fire into her love making. Lord knows there is enough fire in the lines! When crying she does so from epiglottis to orbicularis palpebraum but there is not enough simulation of the tearing emotions of illicit love and subsequent spite and cattishness to make the part compelling.

To Gertrude Wathers is assigned some of the brightest bits of the play. As the widow she is satisfying.

"The Naughty Wife" is a little like cold-storage chicken. Wings, drumsare there, but the fresh piquant flavor sticks, breast and all the choicest bits is lacking. NED COURTNEY.

Mrs. Raines Rained Blows Upon Her Is Mrs. Brown's Plaint

Mary L. Brown and her husband, A. Brown, Saturday filed suit for damages in circuit court through their attorney, Charles M. Bryan, against Cladie Raines and her husband, R. D. Raines, for the sum of $15,000.

For cause of action the Browns allege that on Sept. 13 Mrs. Raines assaulted Mrs. Brown without warrant or reason, knocked her spectacles from her face, beating her severely and pushing her over a chair, putting her in bed from that date until Oct. 14.

EX-SERVICE MEN ENLIST IN NAVY

The short-term enlistment of two years in the United States navy for ex-service men attracted many recruits during October, according to Chief Yeoman's Mate Cox, of the local recruiting station. Other enlistments included many for the three-year period in the aviation mechanics' school.

Among the enlistments at the local station were William F. Amend, Eugene S. Bramley, Gable C. Ice, Louis Prescott, John H. Slayton, Laurence C. Givens and Laurence M. Erwin, all of Memphis; Dewitt L. Slay, Waynesboro, Miss.; Sanford T. Haney, Lyod M. Thompson and Hollie J. Plylar, Jasper, Ala.; Floyd M. Justice, Tupelo, Miss.; William O. Brack, Sharon, Tenn.; Drew Allen, Ethel, Miss.; Wesley Bramley, Drew, Miss.; Ida J. Hill, Adairsville, Ga.; Arthur L. Smith, Lepanto, Ark.; Alvin T. Reeves, Caruthersville, Mo.; Tom C. Lewis, Caruthersville, Mo.; Edmond W. Hill, Munford, Tenn.; Albert Washman, Trimble, Tenn.; Harry W. Taylor, Akron, O.; George T. Waldrop, Griffin, Ga., and Levi Hamilton, Trimble, Tenn.

HOLD UNION SERVICE.

RIPLEY, Miss., Nov. 1. (Spl.)—A union service to be held under the direction of the Red Cross, will be held in the Methodist church in Ripley Sunday, Nov. 2. Mr. A. A. Graham, prominent banker and business man of Blue Mountain, will be the main speaker of the occasion.

DAILY TEMPERATURES.

United States Weather.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 1, 1919.

	7 a.m.	Low.	High.	Rain.
Abilene	42	42	78	.00
Atlanta	66	66	74	.00
Birmingham	78	70	—	.00
Cairo	52	52	74	1.34
Chattanooga	68	68	76	.01
Cincinnati	62	62	70	1.12
Corpus Christi	76	74	—	.00
El Paso	44	42	72	.00
Fort Smith	50	50	76	.68
Galveston	76	76	84	.00
Hatteras	74	72	80	.30
Knoxville	66	66	78	.22
Little Rock	64	64	80	.82
Louisville	64	64	72	1.96
Macon	68	68	—	.00
MEMPHIS	66	66	78	1.50
Montgomery	68	68	84	.00
Nashville	68	66	78	2.04
New Orleans	76	76	86	.01
Oklahoma	38	36	64	.38
Parkersburg	62	60	72	1.10
Pensacola	78	76	—	.00
Pittsburgh	62	60	72	.62
Raleigh	66	64	78	.00
San Antonio	64	62	86	.96
Shreveport	68	68	88	.62
Vicksburg	72	70	82	.82
Washington	66	64	80	.00

FREDERICK ORGILL GRIEVOUS LOSS TO NATIVE CITY

Leader in Business, Civic, Social Circles Dies at Home After Illness of Twenty-four Hours.

His many friends in the highest social and business circles of Memphis in which he has been a conspicuous member for several decades, were shocked at the sudden death of Frederick Orgill, president of Orgill Bros. & Co., on Friday afternoon. Mr. Orgill died of pneumonia after an illness of only 24 hours, at his home, 1544 Carr avenue.

Though he had not been in good health for some five years, Mr. Orgill had been steadily able to remain with his business, and was going about his affairs with his usual vigor and cheer when stricken down late Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Orgill was a leader in a versatility of pursuits. At the time of his death he was vice-president of the Hernando Insurance company, as well as the active head of the Orgill firm. He was a member of the Chamber of Commerce, of the Country club, the Tennessee club, the Tri-State Fair association and a vestryman at Calvary Episcopal church. He once served as president of the Tennessee club, and was one of the founders and a president of the Tri-State Fair association.

Born in Memphis in 1860, Mr. Orgill remained here until the close of the war of the states in 1885 when his parents moved with him to Brooklyn, N. Y., where he attended school in his early boyhood. Later his father sent him to Trent college, in England, where he completed his education. Returning to his native land, he entered the hardware establishment of Wiebush & Hilder, in New York city.

After three years he felt the call of the Southland and moved back to Memphis, going to work for Orgill Bros., in which his father still retained his financial interests.

Mr. Orgill's father, Edmund Orgill, was one of the founders of Orgill Bros., when the firm was created in Memphis in 1844. Both his father and mother were natives of England.

At the death of the elder Orgill, 14 years ago, Mr. Orgill succeeded to the presidency of Orgill Bros., holding that position without intermission until his death.

Mr. Orgill is survived by his widow, Mrs. Anne D. Orgill, who was Miss Anne Dennington when he married her in 1883 in Brooklyn, N. Y., just before returning to Memphis. He is also survived by his mother, Mrs. Lucy Orgill, who resides in Memphis, and three sons, all Memphians. His sons are Frederick Orgill, Jr., president of the DeSoto Hardware company; Arthur Reginald Orgill and Kenneth Orgill, both connected with the firm of Orgill Bros. His two brothers, William and Joseph Orgill, are members of the firm and residents of Memphis, as is also Mrs. S. R. Montgomery, a sister.

The funeral services will be conducted at the residence by the Rev. Walter D. Buckner, rector of Calvary church, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be in Forest Hill cemetery.

The pallbearers will be:

ACTIVE.

Irby Bennett	M. E. Carter
J. S. Dunscomb	W. I. Moody
J. P. Edrington,	C. B. Frazer
Levi Joy	J. S. Robinson

HONORARY.

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Frank Hayden	George Phillips
John Shortridge	W. Poston Maury
S. H. Stout	Sim F. Clark
W. L. Smith	R. R. Ellis
E. R. Barrow	

Both the active and honorary pallbearers have been asked to meet at J. T. Hinton & Son's at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

PRICE BIG, BUT SUGAR COMING

Granulated, New Crop Louisiane, Available at 21 Cents Pound.

Relief from the sugar shortage that has been prevalent for several weeks is in prospect, but the ultimate consumer must pay dearly for the relief, according to information gathered from local jobbers Saturday.

Granulated sugar of the new crop is obtainable in Louisiana at 21 cents per pound, provided the cash accompanies the order. When freight is added, together with a margin of profit for the jobbers and another profit for the retailer, the ultimate consumer is going to pay very close to 30 cents per pound for granulated sugar.

Unrefined or Y. C. sugar of the old crop is also to be obtained in the Louisiana markets, but the price at the present times is 16 and 17 cents per pound f. o. b. shipping point. This sugar will retail for about 22 cents.

A number of local jobbers have sugar ordered for delivery during the first part of November and the prospects are for at least temporary relief within the next 10 days or two weeks.

The Piggly Wiggly stores of Memphis placed approximately one-half of one carload of unrefined sugar on sale Saturday morning, limiting each customer to two pounds. An official of the Piggly Wiggly stores stated to The News Scimitar that the demand was so heavy that a number of the stores were forced to close their doors.

One of the greatest difficulties encountered, he stated, was from people who had automobiles going from store to store and buying two pounds at each place. Another factor that hastened the disposal of the supply was several members of families each buying a package of sugar.

Whether or not any move will be made by the government to lower the price of sugar had not been determined locally, but jobbers are unanimous in expressing the belief that the price of sugar is scheduled to increase materially in the very near future.

LARGE REFINERY FOR OIL ASSURED

Construction of one of the largest oil refineries in the South in Memphis by the Seven States Oil company is assured with the purchase by the company of 20 acres of ground in Hollywood, adjacent to the Cudahy Packing company's refinery from the Chamber of Commerce.

The sale was confirmed by the board of directors at a meeting late Friday afternoon and while a price was not officially given out, it is thought the oil company paid about $15,000 for the land.

The company proposes to put up a refinery on the site to cost about $175,000, duplicating a large refinery owned by the company in Texas.

The company expects late to pipe oil from the Texas fields.

PINE BLUFF COTTON REACHES HIGH POINT

PINE BLUFF, Ark., Nov. 1. (Spl.)—A record price was paid here for cotton when Chief of Police J. F. Stewart sold a bale for 70 cents a pound. The cotton was grown from selected seed, and Mr. Stewart says the seed from this cotton is not for sale.