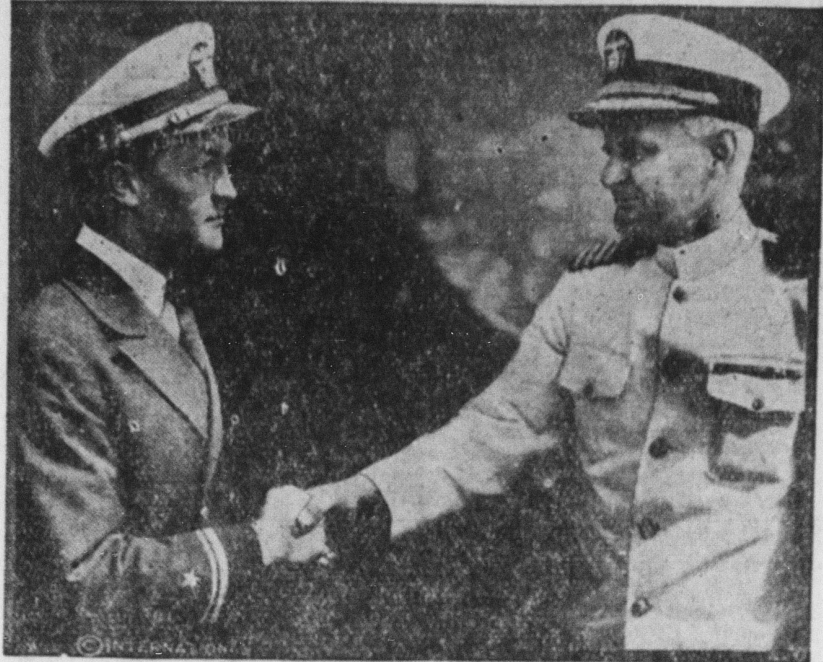


Lieut. Massie Takes Up Sea Duty



Lieut. Thomas H. Massie (left), being greeted by Captain Cocks of the U. S. S. New Mexico when the former reported to his new command. This was Massie's first assignment since his return from Honolulu where he and three other Americans stood trial for the murder of Joe Kahahawai, a Hawaiian.

CANADA PAYS TRIBUTE TO GEN. WASHINGTON

Neighbors Honor Memory of Our First President.

Washington.—From British Columbia on the Pacific to Newfoundland on the Atlantic, Canada is actively participating in the celebration of the two hundredth anniversary of George Washington's birth, according to official reports received by the United States George Washington Bicentennial Commission. Throughout the length and breadth of the land fitting exercises have been held in sincere tribute to the memory of the first President of the United States.

In Toronto the American Women's club, with the co-operation of the Toronto post of the American Legion and the office of the United States consul general, held a Colonial dinner and ball in the Royal York hotel. Dr. George W. Locke, chief librarian of the Toronto public libraries, delivered an address on Washington. Doctor Locke was introduced by Emil Sauer, United States consul general at Ontario. The event attracted wide attention in the Toronto press.

Bear No Grudge.

A service conducted by Rev. H. R. Grant in Saint Andrews church at Fort William was dedicated to George Washington. The editorial column of the Times Journal of that city noted the occasion with approval and said, "Present-day Americans bear no more grudge against George III of England than Englishmen bear against George Washington."

Under the auspices of the American Women's club of Vancouver a birthday luncheon was held in the Hotel Vancouver.

Interesting in its spontaneity is the project planned by the Memorial University college in St. John's, Newfoundland. A request from the college for material and information on George Washington has been forwarded to the United States George Washington Bicentennial Commission with the explanation that students at the institution wish to prepare essays on the life and career of the first President of the United States. The college also plans to present a drama written around the life of George Washington.

One of the most pretentious of all

Original Silhouette



A new placement of sleeve trimming that results in one of the most original silhouettes of the season. A Sunday night frock with delicate lace trim.

WAR CHILDREN SEEK LOST KIN IN FRANCE

Thousands, Ignorant of Their Names, Ask for Help.

Paris.—Thousands of war children separated from parents, brothers and sisters during the world conflict are still seeking members of their families 14 years after the armistice. Their ages range from fourteen to nineteen years. Most of them were too young to remember their names or where they lived when forced out of their homes by raids or bombardments.

Several times a year the Society of War's of the Nation at Saint Quentin publishes lists of the children in its care.

Lancelin Denise, for instance, born at Cambrai and now twenty years old, can remember that his mother was taken to a hospital just before the Germans entered his home town. He has not seen or heard of her since.

Georges Hammer, who lived at Desseville Somain and whose brother died in the war, is seeking his sister, Eva. Georges Wallebrand, now seventeen, was brought up by the Germans as a civil prisoner. He has no idea where his parents are, for he was

taken from them when he was three years old.

Marcelhale and his sister Madeleine were picked up as orphans by officials at Laon. They proved they had been in various parts of France searching for their parents, whom they had not seen since the outbreak of the war.

Eugene Henri Cagny, from Chauny, will receive an inheritance if he can be found. Official records show that his father was killed at Verdun in 1916.

There are thousands of similar cases. Twenty parents have been found by their children in recent months, but the percentage of reunions 14 years after the war is pathetically small.

HOUSEHOLD NOTES

Use kerosene to clean white enamel or porcelain bathtubs and bowls.

To save polishing forks and spoons wash them in hot soapy water immediately after use. Dry them with a soft cloth.

To remove grass stains try rubbing lard or butter on the spot and let stand a few hours, then wash in the usual way. If stain does not disappear, repeat.

To keep brass plates and handles untarnished rub a new potato over them after they have been cleaned. This will keep them bright for several days.

When washing greasy dishes add a few drops of ammonia to the water. The work will be more quickly and thoroughly done.

When cleaning your refrigerator use one teaspoonful of sal soda to four quarts of cold water. This will keep the drain pipe clean and free.

POTPOURRI

Boiling Water

The boiling point of a liquid depends upon the atmospheric pressure of the immediate locality, and is therefore not uniform. At sea level the boiling point for water is 212 degrees F. The atmospheric pressure diminishes the boiling point 1 degree F. with every 550 feet altitude. Thus on Mount Blanc, 15,000 feet above sea level, the boiling point is 185 degrees F.

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Ralph Kress



Ralph (Red) Kress, who was obtained by the Chicago White Sox from the St. Louis Browns, has been warming the bench much of the time, but when given a chance has proved himself a good third baseman and a strong hitter.

GABBY GERTIE



"Folks who sit in aisle seats know all about the ups and downs of film-dom."

Tavern School Teaches

Dumb Man to Read Lips

Ide, Devonshire, England.—For 24 years Walt Luke was deaf and dumb. Every night he visited the public house drinking cider with his fellow villagers, saying nothing. This became too much for them, so they decided to teach Luke to talk.

Amid smoke and tankards of cider they made syllables with their mouths and passed words written on pieces of paper to him. Watching and studying their lip talk, Luke used to repeat the signs after them. Their endeavors, although tedious, proved successful. Walt Luke could speak. The very first words he said were: "Pint, please," and the next, "Half pint." Lip talk continued and Luke has become very efficient.

Current Wit and Humor



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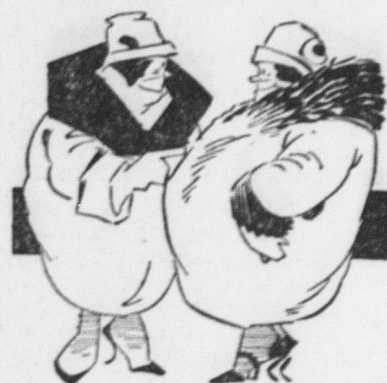
Husband and wife were seated in the garden in the dusk of a summer evening. He was doing most of the talking.

"Very interesting," she said, when he finally concluded.

"I'm glad to find you're so interested and impressed, dear, by these explanations about banking and economics," he told her presently.

"Yes, darling," she replied. "It seems wonderful that anybody could know as much as you do about money without having any of it."

RIGHT COURSE



"Did Mrs. Swift take her husband's failure in the right spirit?"

"Oh, yes. Just as soon as she knew he was going to fail she went out and bought her entire spring outfit."

Down in the Deep

The Diver—Why do you girls look so blue this morning?

Mermaid—Why, some one invited Mr. Octopus to our bridge party and he held so many hands he won all the money.

Coming Events—

Miss Rabbit—My dear Mr. Snake, I just can't look at you without feeling charmed.

Mr. Snake—And if I look at you much longer I know there will be a lump in my throat.

Not So Thrifty

"Old Ben Franklin was thrifty."

"Not very," answered Miss Cayenne. "He did a little early kiting with electricity, but he did not seem to have the faintest idea of its financial possibilities."—Washington Star.

At the Beach

Joggs—What happened to that handsome guard they used to have here?

Boggs—Oh, his wife came out to be rescued so often he had to resign.

Safety First—Last

Cop—What do you mean driving 50 miles an hour?

Pretty Motorist—My brakes don't work, and I was hurrying home before I had an accident.

Overheard at a Riding Club

"I want to rent a horse."

"How long?"

"The longest one you have. There are four of us."

TOOK HIM DOWN



Friend—"That passenger tried to treat you in a high-handed way, didn't he?" Elevator Man—"Yes, but I took him down."

Friendliness in War

A Scot was accosted by a military picket.

"Who are you?" challenged the soldier.

"I'm fine," answered the Scot. "Hoo's yerself?"

Proof Positive

Housewife—Are you certain those eggs aren't old?

Grocer—You can see for yourself, madam. They haven't a wrinkle.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Any Time, Any Place

Padget—I always said that Slumgullion would come out on top.

Gadget—Why, the man's too lazy to get anywhere.

Padget—He didn't have to go anywhere for his hair to fall out.

Timely Household Topic

"But listen, dear, spending more money is the way, you say, to end unemployment."

"Yes, but, my dear wife, dressmakers aren't the only ones out of work."

Neighbors Honor Memory of Our First President.

The Canadian programs in connection with the bicentennial celebration was carried out in Kingston where an entertainment held in the Hotel La Salle under the auspices of the American Women's club opened the observance. Many prominent officials and citizens of Kingston attended the reception and it was reported an outstanding success.

Lasting Friendship.

The speakers referred to the cordial relations between Canada and the United States and expressed the belief that such occasions as the George Washington bicentennial celebration could result only in a better understanding between these two English-speaking countries of North America.

The Kingston Whig-Standard paid high tribute to George Washington. The article concluded in the following words: "Old antagonisms have been forgotten. Canada and the United States have existed side by side for a century without forts or warships and this Washington bicentennial observance will further cement the friendship that has existed for years between the two countries."

Receptions and programs in honor of George Washington have also been held in Montreal, Winnipeg, Sault Ste. Marie, and other places. Service clubs throughout the Dominion have observed the bicentennial celebration in various ways, and radio talks have eulogized George Washington.

Oldest Mother



Nah-tie-tie, one-hundred-and-nine-year-old Apache Indian woman of Apache, Okla., who was hailed as "the oldest mother in the United States" by the General Federation of Women's Clubs in session in Seattle. The federation found seven other mothers all more than one hundred years old. Nah-tie-tie, who is blind and nearly deaf, is the mother of two children; a son, Jason, who lives in Oklahoma, and a daughter who is dead. She is a first cousin of Geronimo, famous Apache chieftain.

SUCH IS LIFE
by Charles Hughes
EASY ON FLEAS BUT ROUGH ON THE NEIGHBORS!

MRS. SMITH SAYS YOUR DOG TRIED TO BITE HER.
WHY, POP, HE WON'T HURT A FLEA!

THE STORY OF McMINN
By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Emeritus Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

I'd like to tell briefly the story of McMinn with the hope that it might help some other boy or act as a deterrent of some indulgent parent who is tempted to make life too easy for his child. I've just come from talking to McMinn, and I feel pretty low in spirits for there wasn't really very much that one could say to him. He seems to have played most of his cards and lost.

McMinn has never done anything that he found unpleasant or difficult. His father is rather a preoccupied business man who lives in one of the suburbs of a great city and who goes off in the morning usually before the boy is up, and who comes home at night tired and too much taken up with other things to give the boy much attention. Mother has had the direction of the boy, and she is so fond of him that whatever she shows a desire for she gets him immediately, for there has never been any need of economy in the McMinn family and no tendency toward practicing it.

McMinn has never shown any particular interest in study. He was sent to a boys' private school at first, but he did not do well there, and so was transferred to the public school where he finally made the grade to enter high school. His preparatory school record was rather a hectic one. He had all sorts of experience—local high school, two or three high-grade preparatory schools in New England, and

SURELY! I BELIEVE THAT, JUDGING BY THE COMPANY HE KEEPS.
BUT HOW ABOUT BITING MRS. SMITH?

then back in high school again to graduate two years later than the average boy does, and even then with only a mediocre record.

And then McMinn came to college. He had really never studied any; he found no joy or satisfaction in study. He was warned, but he paid no attention to the warning, and, of course, he has failed hopelessly.

What is he to do? he asks me. He has no background, no preparation for college work, no idea of what it is all about. He would make out sadly at manual labor. He would have a hard time to get a job unless he got it through his father's influence, and he has developed habits which it will take him years to break if he ever succeeds in doing so.

Father Sage Says:
How easy it is for one benevolent being to diffuse pleasure around him, and how truly is a kind heart a fountain of gladness making everything in its vicinity to frothen into smiles.

Perfumed Air
To eliminate disagreeable odors, and to give a carnation fragrance, burn in a tin dish a small handful of cloves upon small pieces of orange or apple peelings.

ODD THINGS AND NEW—By Lane Bode

YOU CANNOT LIFT A 12-INCH CUBE OF PLATINUM...

A BALL TRAVELS FROM PITCHER'S BOX TO HOME PLATE IN 2 1/2 OF A SECOND..

JULIUS G. DAVIDSON— WAS BORN ON THE 11TH DAY OF THE 11TH MONTH AT 11 MINUTES PAST 11.. WEIGHING 11 POUNDS. Shenandoah, Pa.

HARRY WILLIAMS— RAVENLESS DRIVER of Dayton, Ohio. HAS RACED FOR YEARS WITHOUT AN ACCIDENT..