

CENTRAL GIRLS WHO SOME DAY MAY "STUMP" JUST LIKE THE BOYS



Not that the Telegraph has any reason to believe that the group of lassies above are suffragists. But if they are and some day get the vote, every one of the fair ones will be just as capable of "stumping" as their brothers. The eight girls this afternoon are competing for the A. Carson Stamm prizes in oratory and each of the contestants is said to be up to all the tricks of impressive speechmaking. The contestants are from left to right: Top row: Eva Selheimer, Sara Faunce, Jeanette Claster, Marjorie House and Lucile Smucker. Bottom row: Gertrude Wilson, Cornelia Brown and Sara Maloney.

MANY FARMERS ARE BUYING AUTOMOBILES

Majority of Those Who Do Not Have Machines Are Thinking Seriously of Purchasing

An investigation by Farm Life, covering seven counties in southwestern Indiana, shows that twice as many cars are being sold this year, as compared with last; and that about 75 per cent. of the machines going out this season are being sold to farmers.

The investigation seems thorough enough to establish a basis for the whole country. The licenses issued by the State were first considered, running about 64,000 against 35,000 for the same date in 1914. The dealers were interviewed, as well as more than seven hundred farmers.

Farm Life declares that not only are average farmers buying machines, but that every fourth or fifth man interviewed, if he had no car, is planning to buy one—this year or next—if his crops and his live stock ventures turn out according to his reasonable hopes.

Is this unusual investment in automobiles by farmers a sign of prosperity? It is attributed by Farm Life largely to the decrease in the price of machines, and the need felt by the farmer for a time saving and pleasure giving vehicle. In no instance was it found that the farmers neglected their flocks to go joy-riding; on the contrary, the machine owners were prosperous and happy.

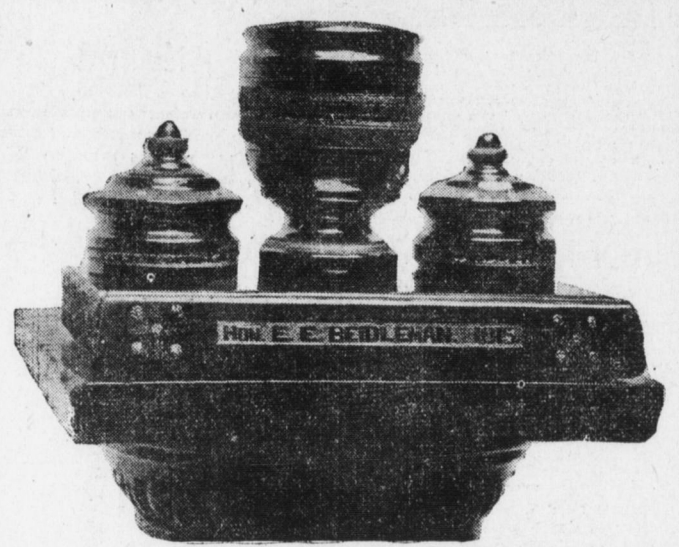
A machine helps to keep the boys and girls on the farm it does away with the loneliness of rural life by making a suburbane of its owner, and puts the town and the country in closer touch, both in a social and a business way.

Prominent Men Speak at Arbitration Conference

By Associated Press. Mohonk Lake, N. Y., May 21.—The delegates appointed to attend the Lake Mohonk conference on International Arbitration by Chambers of Commerce and similar business organizations in most of the large cities of the country aligned themselves to-day with the advocates of greater military preparation for national defense. These delegates included manufacturers, merchants and officers of the country's principal commercial organizations. Their part in the activities of the conference has been emphasized this year by speakers, among them General Leonard Wood, who declared that the most prolific cause of war was the interests of trade.

William A. Weir, justice of the Supreme court of the Province of Quebec, praised the "calm wisdom" of the United States government in its diplomatic relations with the European belligerents and Simeon E. Baldwin, former governor of Connecticut, spoke on "Avoiding Occasions For War."

MINERS PRESENT INKSTAND TO SENATOR E. E. BEIDLEMAN



INKSTAND OF SOLID ANTHRACITE COAL PRESENTED BY MINERS TO SENATOR BEIDLEMAN

The anthracite mine representatives who were here to look after the interests of the United Mine Workers of America during the legislative session yesterday presented Senator E. E. Beidleman with a testimonial of their good will and appreciation for his splendid efforts in behalf of the miners during the session just closed. During the final hours of the session Roger Dever, of Wilkes-Barre, counsel for the United Mine Workers; William Toner, of Plymouth, and David Folwer, of Scranton, visited Senator Beidleman and asked him to accept as coming from the mine workers as a whole a beautifully carved and engraved inkstand made from a piece of

CHURCH NOTES

Addresses Brotherhood. — The Brotherhood of Christ Lutheran Church was addressed by Dr. J. M. Francis, of Zion Lutheran Church, Sunbury.

Will Lecture Before Athletes — Members of the Albion Athletic association will listen to a lecture by J. Early, teacher of the Bible class of Otterbein Lutheran Church this evening, at the association's headquarters, Fifteenth and Walnut streets.

Cheerful Workers Elect. — Officers were elected as follows at the annual meeting of the Cheerful Workers for Home Missions of Pine Creet Presbyterian Church. Miss Rachael Pollock, president; Mrs. E. Z. Gross, treasurer, and Mrs. John E. Garner, secretary.

LUCKY. My hubby never kicks at the expense of maintaining a wife. But then I was lucky. How's that? Before I was married he had six months' experience in maintaining an automobile.

GOOD THINGS IN GROCERIES

Fresh Tomatoes, Head Lettuce, New Peas, Stringless Beans, Cucumbers, Cauliflower, Beets, Carrots, New Potatoes, Strawberries, Asparagus. Our vegetables and fruits are displayed in our store room where they are protected from the dust of the streets.

Our fresh meats are displayed under glass in refrigerator cases. We aim to carry the best meat obtainable and sell at market prices.

Our Delicatessen and Home Baking Department was planned to help housekeepers when short of help, when unexpected guests arrive, when for any reason you want something good and have not time to prepare it yourself. Only the best materials used. Phone us for Chicken Croquettes, Fancy Assorted Cakes, Layer Cakes, Pies, Rolls, etc.

S. S. POMEROY Market Square Grocer

Austrian and German Envoys Advise Submarine Curb



Washington, D. C., May 21.—The diplomatic activity of Dr. Constantin T. Dumba, Austrian ambassador, and Count von Bernstorff, German ambassador, both of whom are understood to be endeavoring to prevent a rupture in the friendly relations between the Germanic nations and the United States, is attracting much attention.

Both the Austrian and German ambassadors are understood to have telegraphed to their governments urging suspension of submarine attacks on passenger ships while diplomatic discussions were in progress because of the serious situation which had resulted from the sinking of the Lusitania. They have cautioned extreme care lest the sinking of another ship endangering American lives might lead to an immediate break between Germany and the United States.

"COP" HAS PURCHASED HALF INTEREST IN JITNEY BUS. Patrolman Theodore Fehleisen has got the habit. To-day he purchased a half interest in a jitney car. He is preparing a schedule and will make public on Monday the route his car will travel.

Advertisement for Miller & Kades Furniture Department Store. Features: 'You Pay Less For Better Quality at Miller & Kades', 'House Cleaning Calls For New Furniture, Rugs, Carpets and Draperies', 'Fulfill These Needs at Miller & Kades on Your Own Terms', 'SPECIAL---This Beautiful Three-Piece Bedroom Suite for \$47.50 Saturday', 'Porch Swings \$1.39 Saturday Morning Only', 'When You Buy a Gibson Refrigerator \$4.85 up', 'Miller & Kades Furniture Department Store, 7 N. Market Square'. Includes illustrations of furniture and a refrigerator.

Advertisement for Cohen & Son Jewelry Sacrifice Sale. Features: 'THE GREAT Jewelry Sacrifice Sale', 'Is Still Going On With Enormous Cuts in Prices', 'SPECIAL SATURDAY ONLY', 'Alarm Clocks worth from \$1 to \$1.75, choice while they last 25c', 'Cuff Links, value from 75c to \$1.50 19c', 'Tie Clasps, assorted styles, value from 50c to \$1.00 9c', 'Emblem Buttons, values up to 75c 14c', 'Great Watch Specials Ladies' and Gentlemen's Watches, beautifully engraved cases, American movements, guaranteed 5 years for \$1.95', 'Elgin and Waltham movements in 20 years' stamped gold filled cases, excellent timepieces, while they last \$4.98 only', 'SILVERWARE 26 pieces table ware in neat case \$2.49, 26 pieces table ware, Rogers' Genuine "1881," only \$5.49', 'Free! JEWELRY GIVEN AWAY SATURDAY ONLY Free!', 'Cohen & Son Jewelers and Pawnbrokers 431 Market Street, at Subway', 'Open From 7.00 A. M. to 10.30 P. M. COME EARLY FOR CHOICE'.