

# WOMAN POWER ON FARM IS WASTED

Government Records Show That One Menace to Rural Life Is Lack of Conveniences.

## EQUIPMENT IS ADVISED

If Same Attention Were Given the Household Machinery That is Given Farm Machinery, Work Would be Easier for Women.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—The waste of woman power is one of the greatest menaces to the rural life of the nation, according to deductions that specialists of the United States department of agriculture draw from a farm-home survey conducted in the 33 northern and western states. The survey was made under the direction of Miss Florence E. Ward, in charge of extension work with women, office of extension work, north and west, states relations service. The record covers 10,015 farm homes, averaged by taking typical communities of the counties in which the survey was made. Much of the information was gathered personally by home demonstration agents, who are the field representatives of the United States department of agriculture and the state agricultural colleges.

**Picture of Farm Woman's Work Day.**  
The survey discloses a number of the reasons why many women do not find farm life attractive. The working day of the average farm woman, as shown by the survey, is 11.3 hours, the year round. In summer it is 13.12 hours. And 87 out of each 100 women have no regular vacation during the year. On the average, the farm woman has only 1.6 hours of leisure during the summer and only 2.4 in winter. Half of the farm women are up and at work at 5 o'clock in the morning.

Forty per cent have water in the kitchen, but the other per cent must go to the spring or the pump to bring water for cooking breakfast. Thirty-six per cent help with the milking. On the average the farm woman has a seven-room house to keep in order. Seventy-nine per cent have kerosene lamps to trim and fill. Ninety-six per cent do the family washing about half of them having washing

machines and the other half doing the work with tub, wash-board and boiler. Twenty-six per cent have gas or electric irons to make more comfortable the task of ironing. Ninety-two per cent do some or all of the family sewing. Garden work is done by 56 per cent, 94 per cent make all or part of the family bread, and 60 per cent have churning to do. Eighty-one per cent of all poultry flocks are cared for by women. One-fourth of the farm women help to feed and bed the livestock, and 24 per cent of them spend over six weeks in the year assisting with some part of the old work. All of this is in addition to cooking the family meals and caring for the children.

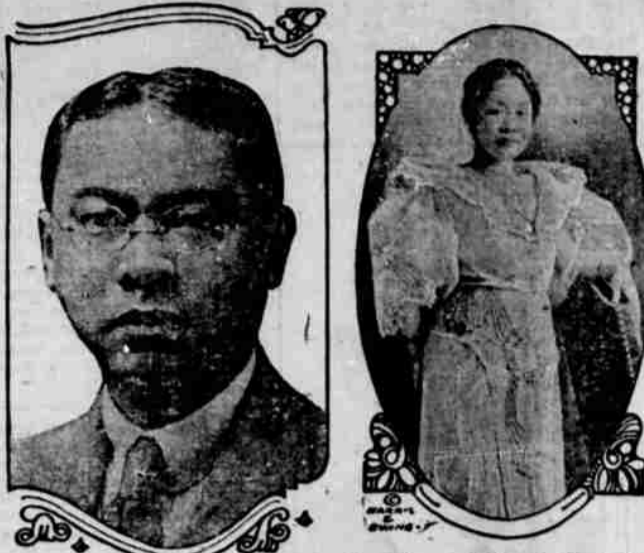
This, of course, is the dark side of the shield. It does not take into consideration the many compensations that come with the woman's daily round of work for the comfort of her family, and anyone who has experienced the satisfaction of living in the open country knows that the average farm woman is more fortunately placed than her average city sister. But the task is sufficiently grinding, as Miss Ward says, to send the farm woman to bed "breathing a prayer that her strength may be equal to tomorrow's duties."

**Labor-Saving Equipment Important.**  
What is to be done about it? The department suggests some very definite things. "The interest of the department of agriculture in the returns from these studies as to labor, working equipment, and compensation of the farm woman are as practical," says Miss Ward, "as its interest in farm studies regarding labor, machinery and crop returns, and for the same general reason." The farm woman's working hours might be shortened, she continues, if the principles of modern business were applied to the farm home. Running water for the 61 per cent who now must carry water, and bath rooms for the 80 per cent who now have none, are other things that would lighten the woman's labor and add to her comfort and contentment. Labor could be lessened if the farm house were as well equipped as the up-to-date barn, which the farmer looks upon as so much currency with which to buy efficiency. The installation of modern lighting systems would release some of the time of the women in the 79 per cent of homes where kerosene lamps are used. The initial cost would be small when weighed against convenience and comfort. The installation of heating systems would release some of the time of the 54 per cent of women who care for two coal or wood stoves.

**To Teach People of Oregon Goods**  
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# MEET THE DE VEYRA FAMILY!

They Are Putting the Philippines on the Map in Washington



Hon. Jaime C. de Veyra, Who Has Just Been Re-elected as Philippine Commissioner to the U. S. Mrs. Jaime C. de Veyra. She is Doing Important Work for Her People in America.



THE CHILDREN OF THE PHILIPPINE COMMISSIONER. The Baby of This Group Speaks Three Languages—Visayan, Spanish and English.

Permit us to present the De Veyra family. The Hon. Jaime C. de Veyra is the Resident Commissioner from the Philippine Islands to the United States and has just been elected to a second term of three years. As Resident Commissioner he has a seat on the floor of the American Congress, the privilege of taking part in debates, although no vote.

Commissioner de Veyra has an interesting wife and four bright Filipino kiddies. The De Veyra family, individually and collectively, constitute the best argument as to the tact and capabilities of Filipinos that the Philippine Islands have in Washington.

The commissioner is a 100 per cent Filipino, a Visayan, and is one of the foremost leaders of the party in power in the islands. During American occupation he has been successively governor of his province, member of the Philippine legislature, cabinet member and executive secretary of the islands.

Like many statesmen of the Philippines, he was originally a newspaper man. He was one of the founders of El Nuevo Dia of Cebu, the first Filipino paper published advocating Philippine independence. The paper came under the censorship of General McIntyre, and on the appearance of the first number the editors were left in the singular position of seeing every prominent article blue penciled.

Mrs. de Veyra, like her husband, is a "live wire" in the Philippines' cause. She is the best known Filipina in America. She is an interesting public speaker and is constantly giving illustrated lectures at women's clubs and other gatherings. Mrs. de Veyra is a publicity bureau all in herself and has put the Philippines on the map, so far as the women folk of Washington congressional circles are concerned.

"I find that the Filipino people have been much misrepresented in the United States," says Mrs. de Veyra. "I do not mean to infer we are perfect, for we are not. My people have most of the defects, I suppose, that other humans have, but at the same time we are far from the people that many Americans have been made to believe. Not only are we a Christian people, but our race has a history that we are not ashamed of. Throughout the Philippine Islands the people are now working earnestly to improve themselves and their conditions so they will be prepared to take over their own affairs. We all love America for giving us a chance to help ourselves and for having promised us our independence, which is one of the dearest desires of the entire citizenship of the islands."

To American women whose ideas of Filipinos have been founded on Sunday supplement descriptions of wild tribes, Mrs. de Veyra's gentle manner and evident culture have been a revelation. She is sought by women's clubs because of her charming manner as an impromptu speaker on the subject nearest her heart—the women of her country.

At a recent Washington gathering she gave in perfect English a concise account of the work of a woman's club in Manila which supplies milk to the babies of the poor and trains mothers to care for their young children. She told of another woman's club which has branches all over the Philippine Islands and which maintains day nurseries for the children of the working women, provides Christmas cheer for the lepers, the insane and the convicts, and gathers data to influence legislation for the benefit of Filipino women and children.



Here's indisputable evidence that the Filipino people have been Americanized! The great American game of baseball is the rage in the islands. This photograph shows a parade which preceded one of the big games in Manila. Baseball is played from one end of the archipelago to the other, and, as in other branches of athletic sports, some classy players have been developed.

# EUROPE LOSES HEAVILY BY WAR

English Financier Says That Cost to Fighting Nations Over 20 Billion Pounds.

## GERMAN LOSS GREATEST

United States and Japan Prospered During the War the United States Gaining Over 40 Per Cent in National Wealth.

LONDON, July 9.—The actual cost of the war to European belligerents was in excess of £20,000,000,000, represented by property destroyed, losses in investments abroad, depreciation of properties, and by pensions, Edgar Crammond, English financier, told the Bankers Institute at a recent meeting here.

He fixed the following as the real losses of the European belligerents: Germany, £8,700,000,000; France, £6,250,000; the United Kingdom, £5,200,000,000; Italy, £2,100,000,000; Belgium, £550,000,000.

To only two belligerent countries—the United States and Japan—did the war bring prosperity. Mr. Crammond said, but Spain, Holland, Switzerland, Greece and Scandinavia also have grown wealthier. He believes the "liquid capital of the world, now distributed in centers which are unaccustomed to the exercise of their new power," would eventually again find its chief outlet through London.

"The war has produced an extraordinary change in the economic relations of the United States and Europe," he said. "Whereas, in 1914, America owed Europe £2,000,000,000, at present Europe owes America £2,000,000,000.

Assuming that the post-war purchasing power of the dollar was 70 per cent of its pre-war value, Mr. Crammond said during the past five years there had been an actual increase in the national wealth of the United States of approximately 30 per cent, and he estimated this wealth now in the neighborhood of £60,000,000,000 to £80,000,000,000.

The national wealth of Japan, he estimated, had been doubled by the war.

On the basis of a post-war market ruled at 50 per cent of its pre-war value he estimates Germany has lost, apart from the indemnity, 25 per cent of her national wealth, the whole of her mercantile marine, all of her colonial possessions, and practically the whole of her investments abroad. If the figures suggested at the Hythe conference, £5,250,000,000 were fixed as the German war indemnity, he declared the total losses of the German people arising out of the war would be equivalent to about £15,000,000,000, or one-half her national wealth.

"So far as the world as a whole is concerned, the principal loss is in the net that Europe is not yet 'a going concern,'" he continued, "but the underlying economic forces which made her the great center of the world's commercial activities are still at work and will rapidly transform the economic situation in Europe."

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