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THE AUTOCRAT.

The famous critic, Gilbert Gudgeon, he seldom says a pleasant word, he swats poor authors with his bludgeon, and says their efforts are absurd; poor writing stirs him up to dudgeon whose fulminations oft are heard. He has a gift for red hot phrases, his adjectives leave trails of smoke, and he shows insolence that dazes mild-mannered, gentle-hearted folk; and now he ranks among the crazes—we read him, gibbling till we choke. We like to hear the critic's bellows if we are safe from his attacks; we like to see the other fellows go limping home with beaten backs, and nothing softens, nothing mellow this Gilbert Gudgeon's mighty whacks. We marvel much and we admire him, as he denounces mutt and skate, and hope that naught will ever tire him; that nothing may his zeal abate; may wrath unmeasured ever fire him, anointed messenger of fate. We're always glad to see the others compelled to sip venomous juice; we have small sympathy for brothers whom some one rises to traduce; we laugh when some poor author smother in Gilbert's flow of rank abuse. And then some day we ope the paper, to see whom Gilbert deigns to swat; he says our brain's a tallow taper, and al we write is seedy rot; oh, then, behold us sweat and caper, and swear that Gudgeon should be shot!

PRUNE PICKINS

BY BERT G. BATES

GOOD EVENING FOLKS— Judgin' from the way The gals are dressin' For the cold weather They strip to Conquer.

DUMBBELL DORA THINKS A circus thrower is a phonograph record dealer.

Dinner was late in being served. "The Misus" went out into the kitchen and came back weak from laughing.

"Oh, Katrina looks so-o funny, John. The brandy is all gone and she's trying to knit a sweater out of the spaghetti."

Young Bride: "Sweetheart, the grocery store were all closed today, but I made you some nice bean soup out of some jelly-beans I got at the confectionery."

FOR THE KIDDIES It rains alike upon the just And on the unjust fellows, But more upon the just because The unjust swipe umbrellas.

You may kid yourself as to who runs the house but you can't kid your children.

A public safe bill appearing in a paper has the snappy introduction: "As the migratory season is drawing near, in order to go south with the other geese, we will sell the following property at public auction at the Clyde Dade place in Dade county."

Man or monkey doesn't matter. What interests the benedict is whether he is man or worm.

Uncle Sam doesn't want any more foreign relations until he can get along with those he has at home.

More sleep will make you live longer, but what's the use of living longer just to sleep.

Historical note: It has now been three and one-half years since our girl's eyebrows met.

Free. The Inez D. Strange Beauty Studio over the Roseburg National Bank and Beauty Shoppe in the Seaman Bldg., will give a free shampoo with each marcel until Christmas. Phones: 212-J and 296-J.

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COL. MITCHELL FOUND GUILTY BY ARMY COURT

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war and navy departments. He was forbidden to publish further such articles without permission from Secretary Weeks and President Coolidge endorsed the order. However, Mitchell later published a book, "Winged Defense," without submitting it to the war department.

From December of 1924, to last spring, before a special house aircraft committee, Mitchell gave sensational testimony concerning the air service, repeating his demand for a separate air force, and department of national defense.

Weeks Caused Demotion. President Coolidge declined last March to reappoint Mitchell as assistant air chief and he was transferred to San Antonio as commander of the eighth corps area air force, reverting to the rank of colonel. The court martial developed that Secretary Weeks had advised the President against reappointment, characterizing Mitchell as "lawless."

From San Antonio last September Mitchell issued his two statements accusing the war and navy departments of "incompetency, criminal negligence, and almost treasonable administration of the national defense, singling out the Shenandoah voyage and the PN-9 No. 1 flight from San Francisco to Hawaii. Court martial was then ordered and President Coolidge shortly afterward appointed a special board to study the aircraft situation.

VERDICT NOT TO HALT CRUSADE, MITCHELL SAYS

(Continued from Page 1.) representative Frank Reid of Illinois, who was chief defense counsel for the air officer during his trial.

"The general staff," Mr. Reid said, "grabbed at the long sought opportunity of prosecuting Mitchell in the name of the new step which the advancing truth was about to take. This everybody knows.

"If he was tried, it was because they wished it, not because he did anything to the prejudices of good order and military discipline.

"It is they alone who made the president and the secretary of war their tools."

The fight for "an adequate national defense," Mr. Reid said, "has only begun."

He denounced the court for failure to pass upon the question of whether evidence was accepted in proof of truth of Colonel Mitchell's statements or whether it was received merely in extenuation or mitigation of his alleged offense. It

Diet and Health By Lulu Hunt Peters, M.D.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS

SMALLPOX IMMUNITY. Mr. H. — One attack of smallpox usually renders a person immune so that it is never experienced again.

We believe a successful vaccination will protect for at least five to seven years. If you were exposed to smallpox, however, it would be better to be vaccinated again, even though the five-to-seven year period had not elapsed.

"Black" smallpox is a severe type of smallpox, with hemorrhages in the sores. The case of ordinary smallpox would protect you from this as well as from the other type.

Yes, vaccination or having the disease is the only known method of immunization. In vaccination you have one scar with a slight inconvenience for a few days, and in smallpox itself you may have thousands of scars and a loathsome disease. I was re-vaccinated last summer. I'll tell you about it later.

COME ON! SHE DID YOU CAN, TOO. "Dear Doctor: I first heard of your 'Key to the Calories' about six months ago. I was in a store buying a dress pattern and was complaining that they never have any nice patterns for stout folks (I wore size 50 because I weighed 226) when a little woman across the way from me piped up: 'You don't have to be stout if you don't want to!' I answered back: 'Is zat so?' So she told me she had lost 35 pounds in six months and hadn't starved either. 'Oh, tell me how,' I begged. Then she told me of your book on reducing."

I got it and started right in good earnest. I had been having so much trouble with my knees that I decided to start some baking treatments at the same time, thinking the sweats would help the knees and also the reducing. Before they would give me the bakes, I had to have my heart examined.

was for this reason, he said, that the defense decided not to make any closing argument before the court.

Case Echoes in Congress. WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The first congressional echo of the court martial conviction of Colonel William Mitchell of the air service took the form today of a bill by Representative La Guardia, socialist, New York, to greatly curtail the authority of court martials in pronouncing sentence on those convicted of violation of the 96th article of war.

Under the measure 30 days suspension from the army would be

amined by the doctor. He found my heart so choked with fat that he was almost afraid to let me take the bakes. He said not to take them unless the doctor at the hospital watched me and only for 10 or 15 minutes at the most. I started in and took two bakes a week.

"As I knew it would take at least six months to get anywhere, I bought me a day book and kept records of myself. I said I'd been the elephant at the circus for years, but I wasn't going to be the freak with his face looking like a balloon with the wind let out. If a few facial treatments would help, and I was fortunate enough to get into a beauty parlor where the young lady became very much interested in me. All my friends say that my face doesn't show that I lost 54 pounds in six months.

"I have laughed to my friends (you have to laugh when you are fat, for every one laughs at you and you might as well laugh, too!) and said I was going to lecture and get back some of my money I've spent on baths and facials.

After carrying this burden of fat over 15 years, I feel like dancing and shouting from the house tops: COME ON! I DID, YOU CAN, TOO.—Mrs. B."

You have a lot to be thankful for to that little woman who started you, haven't you?

You didn't say whether the baking treatments and the reducing helped your knees, but I believe they must have. We have so many letters from those who have had joint trouble and have been benefited by reducing, and the bakes certainly should have helped considerably. You were wise to take the facial treatments.

(Those of you who want our instructions on reducing, may have them in a condensed form by sending a self-addressed, stamped envelope and ten cents in stamps.

the maximum sentence for violation of that article, under which Colonel Mitchell was convicted. The present statute leaves the punishment to the "discretion of a court." In the case of Colonel Mitchell the penalty was five years suspension.

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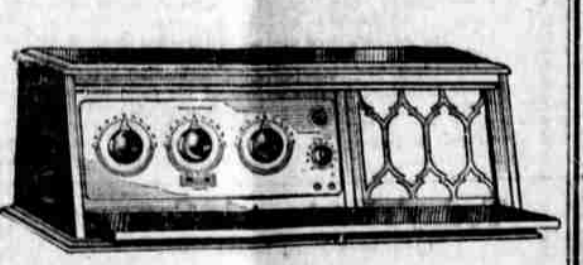
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with your request.) Mr. P. — Please see a physician. I can answer questions of general interest in the column and it is impossible for me to answer personally. If you had enclosed a self-addressed, stamped envelope we could have sent you a prepared one of your questions. Do see a competent physician. You need a thorough physical examination and treatment. Tomorrow — Answers To Mothers: Put that personal touch to your Xmas greeting cards by having your name printed on each card. See the News-Review office for a nice line of samples at a reasonable price. Heat with gas. RADIATORS FREEZE: Densured alcohol ready bottled at front or back door and we can tell you how much you need. Priced right. Lloyd Crocker's Drug Store. Don't delay—order your Xmas greeting cards from the exclusive job printing department of the News-Review office. We can serve you right.

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