

MUSIC HAD NO CHARMS TO SOOTHE WM. BRYAN, JR.

(Associated Press Leased Wire) LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 21.—The soothing strains of music were more like notes of discord in the home of William Jennings Bryan, Jr., son of the famous orator, if his successful divorce suit is any indication.

Bryan appeared in superior court here yesterday and told how his wife, Helen Virginia Bryan had allowed her musical career to interfere with their domestic happiness, asserting that Mrs. Bryan had refused to accompany him to Florida to attend the funeral of his father. He further charged that his wife had refused to live with him after December 1, 1925.

A former governess of the three Bryan daughters said that "Mrs. Bryan felt that her musical education and career made it impossible for her to devote her time to household duties."

SUES FOR LOSS OF WIFE'S ASHES

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—Damages of \$100,000 for the loss of the ashes of his wife were asked today in a suit filed in superior court by Arle Mendelson, O m a h a, Nebraska, against the Oak Woods Cemetery association here.

Mendelson claims he told the association to hold the ashes until he gave further orders for their disposal, but last April his brother-in-law, Martin Morris, Clinton Iowa, wrote to the association and asked that the ashes be sent to him. This was done.

The husband claims the ashes are his property, and that he is asking damages for their loss in place of a replevin suit for fear the ashes might be mixed and he would not get those of his wife.

Miss Dorothy Marsters, student at O. A. C., is expected here tonight from Corvallis to visit with her parents, Attorney and Mrs. R. W. Marsters, over the week-end.

LITA CHAPLIN VISITS COOLIDGE

(Associated Press Leased Wire) WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Mrs. Lita Grey Chaplin, divorced wife of Charlie Chaplin, was received today by President Coolidge, who expressed the hope that she was enjoying her visit in Washington.

D. E. VERNON PASSES

D. E. Vernon, who for a number of years published a newspaper in Oakland, and who was well known by many residents of this community, died at his home in Portland, where he had resided for several years, on Wednesday, October 13th. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Cora Vernon, and a daughter, Mrs. F. E. Von Groenwald. Mr. Vernon was a member of the Oakland Masonic Lodge, and was also a member of the I. O. O. F. and the W. O. W. orders. He had been in poor health for several years.—Sutherland Sun.

Solved! A Very Vexing Problem! Skirt's Too Short If It Causes a Commotion



Patrolman Lawlor and pretty little Mrs. Keller. She wears the skirt that caused the commotion and therefore was too short, as Patrolman Lawlor saw it.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—(NEA)—How short may a lady wear her skirt before the law rightly interferes?

More important, how much knee must the skirt cover when the lady sits down?

These questions, which have so sorely perplexed authorities on good order and social etiquette, have been answered fearlessly and confidently by Patrolman J. B. Lawlor of the Washington Park Police.

Patrolman Lawlor's beat is in Lafayette Park, directly across the street from the White House.

"A policeman," announced Patrolman Lawlor, "should interfere when the shortness of the lady's skirt causes a commotion—and not before."

Already the sapient Lawlor, who is just a young fellow and not the hoary and learned sage one might expect, has been endorsed in his stand by Col. U. S. Grant III, the

superintendent of Washington's parks and monuments.

Pretty little Mrs. Rose W. Keller was sitting on a bench in Franklin Square when the great issue confronted Patrolman Lawlor. After it was over, the Kellers—Mr. Keller having been with his wife—complained to Col. Grant that Mrs. Keller had been sitting quite modestly, with no more than her knees exposed, when Lawlor came along and told Keller to "tell that woman to pull her dress down." The Kellers promptly defied arrest, but were not arrested. Grant promptly exonerated Lawlor and upheld his course.

He's No Reformer "They seem to think I belong to some reform society," Lawlor said afterward. "Heck! I thought she was a school girl and tried to protect her, and all I got was a kick in the pants." "Her skirt was six or seven inches above the knees. I sup-

posed she was unaware of this, but then I noticed there were nearly a dozen men congregated opposite her.

"Her companion came back, and I called him to one side. I asked him if the lady was his sister, his wife, his sweetheart, or just a friend, and he replied that he knew her.

"It's no great difference," I said, "but when you go back why don't you tell her she ought to rearrange her clothes."

"If she's violating the law, why don't you lock her up?" he demanded.

More Spectators "I waited ten minutes after he got back and nothing happened except that more men congregated."

"Finally I went over to the lady and said, 'The reason I called this gentleman over was to ask him to ask you to rearrange your clothing so as not to embarrass you.'"

She said: "Is there any law I'm violating?"

"And I said, 'Yes, I'm afraid there is.' And she said 'You'd better pinch me, then.' And I said, 'I will if you stay on that bench five seconds longer.' Then they got up and went away."

Lawlor repeats the public impression in Washington that he's a kill-joy or a censor or an old gent sore on the younger generation.

"I've seen hundreds of women sitting in Lafayette Park showing their knees, and that's all right," said Patrolman Lawlor.

"I'm not old-fashioned. I can stand a pair of beautiful legs. I don't blame the men for looking. But we can't have commotions."

BORN

RUSSIE—To Mr. and Mrs. Archie Russie at their home at 420 Mosher street, Thursday, October 20, 1927, a son.

NEW MANAGER FOR PORTLAND DISTRICT

(Associated Press Leased Wire) PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 20.—Management of the Portland district of the West Coast Theaters, Inc. was today placed in charge of northwest division office at Seattle, under Herschel Stuart, J. J. Franklin, who has been manager here is to be manager of the Los Angeles district. S. T. McDonald became assistant northwest manager located at Portland.

Announcement of the addition of Rivoli and Alta Theaters in Penikese to the West Coast chain was made today. A 15 year lease on the houses was signed yesterday. The deal was about \$275,000. Guy Matlock is owner and former operator of the theaters.

Special on all velvet hats for Friday and Saturday, Bell Millinery.

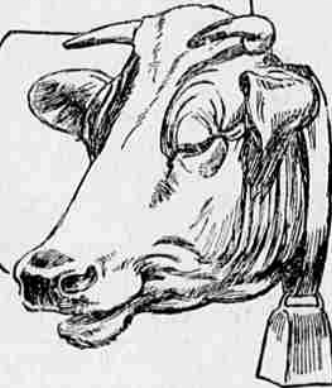
Fire Lays New Jersey Resort in Ruins.



The manner in which a \$4,000,000 fire laid the New Jersey resort of Ocean Park in ruins is portrayed here. The photo shows the center of the fire zone. Big hotels were among the buildings destroyed, but there were no fatalities.

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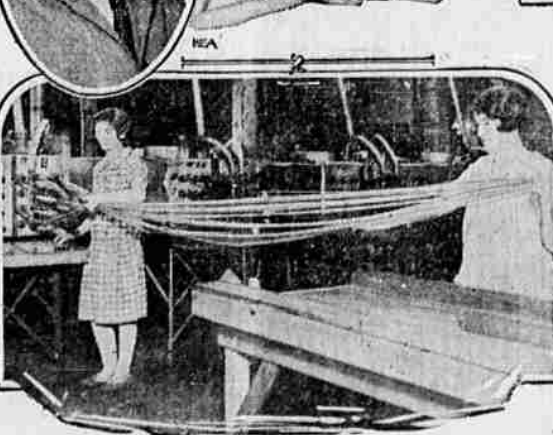
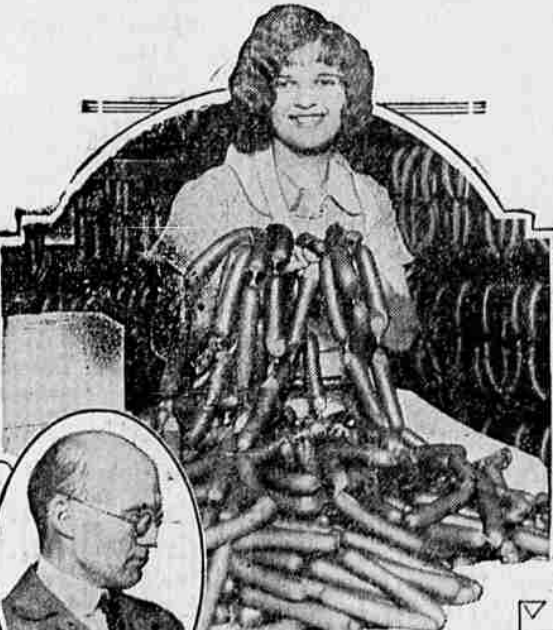
Sealed in clean containers—air-tight—and sterilized—Alpine comes to you always sweet and pure. Alpine improves all cooking—saves butter, too. And it's so convenient.

Try it for icings, cakes, biscuits, desserts. So delicious in coffee! Get Alpine from your grocer today.

Caramel Filling—2 cups brown sugar, 1 tsp. butter, 4 tspa. grated chocolate, 1/2 cup Alpine Milk. Put all ingredients in sauce-pan over fire and cook until thick.



Aw! It's Just a Lot of Boloney!



The facts have come out, every effort to hide them having miserably failed. Hot dogs will not wear heavier this season! But why? Well, W. F. Henderson (inset) has invented a nice light suit for the Wiener. The pictures, from a Chicago Bologna works, show Irene Kaczmarek (above) with a "lot of boloney," and (below) factory girls taking the casings out of the dryer to be stuffed.

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Table listing various food items and prices at 20th Century Stores, including Postum Cereal, Instant Postum, Wesson Oil, Snowdrift, Muffets, Cream Rolled Oats, Raisins, Del Monte Cat-Oats, Sliced Beef, Lard, Shortening, Cocoa, Pineapple, Prunes, Karo Syrup, Post Bran Flakes, Flour, Libby's Milk, Crystal White Soap, and Peanut Butter.

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