



DOCTORS KEEP QUITE A SELECTION OF MAGAZINES IN THEIR ANTE ROOMS FOR WAITING PATIENTS TO PERUSE. AND THEY ARE SO UP TO DATE, THE MAGAZINES, WE MEAN. THE YOUNG LADY HAS THE LITERARY DIGEST OF AUGUST, 1918.



THIS YOUNG SPEED MANIAC NEVER HAD TIME TO LOOK OVER THE TRAFFIC LAWS. THE JUDGE, HOWEVER, MADE IT POSSIBLE FOR HIM TO DO SO TO HIS HEART'S CONTENT.



OLGA THE COOK HAS A WEAKNESS FOR NOVELIZED MOVIES, THUS KEEPING POSTED ON THE LATEST DOWNES OF DOUS AND MARY AND RODOLPH. THE DISHES—WHY CERTAINLY THEY'LL BE WASHED, JUST AS SOON AS OLGA GETS THROUGH WITH HER LITERARY PURSUITS.



THOSE SITTING NEXT TO YOU AND EVEN BEHIND YOU IN A STREET CAR WILL READ WHAT YOU READ. IF YOU DON'T CARE TO FURNISH A LITERARY TREAT TO YOUR FELLOW PASSENGERS IT IS WELL TO CONFINED YOURSELF TO MERELY READING THE STREET CAR ADS.



SOME PEOPLE FIND DELIGHT IN READING VOLUMES AFTER VOLUMES ON THE WORLD WAR WHILE OTHERS ARE TRYING HARD TO FORGET IT.



THE MAN ON THE RIGHT IS READING DANTE'S INFERNO. BEING SLIGHTLY HENPECKED, HE PROBABLY FEELS THAT HIS LOT HERE ON EARTH IS MADE MORE SUPPORTABLE BY COMPARISON WITH THE SUFFERINGS IN THE HELL OF THE CHARACTERS IN THE BOOK.

THE PERUSAL OF A MERE BOOK COULD NOT BE THE CAUSE OF A MAN'S UNPRINTABLE LANGUAGE. BUT THIS MAN IS TRYING TO FIND SOMETHING IN THE TELEPHONE BOOK THAT'S DIFFERENT.

BIRTH CONTROL NOW FAVORED

(By Associated Press.)
OSAKA, Japan, Feb. 23.—Under the auspices of the Japan Labor Federation an educational movement has been started in favor of birth control. Professors from the universities have been engaged to deliver lectures throughout the country, while offices have been opened in which the people are advised to go for information. Professor Abe Tso, of Waseda University, who delivered the opening lecture here, told of the miserable life of the poor of Japan and the terrible effect of the crowded living conditions among the many children of the slums. These have been described by an American woman settlement worker as the worst in the world. Professor Abe declared that birth control was not sinful and gave examples of Eugenic practices.

SOCIAL NEWS OF MT. GLENN

MT. GLENN, Feb. 23.—The stake Mr. J. A. of La Grande is going to present a play at Mt. Glenn Friday evening. After the play a dance will be given to which everybody is cordially invited.
Mr. and Mrs. Dan Smith have moved from Mt. Glenn to La Grande where they will make their future home.
Mrs. Emma Chaswick has accepted a position at school teacher at the restoration of Mrs. Smith.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whiting, Mrs. Fred Young and daughter Eva visited Mrs. Laura Park at Hot Lake.
Mrs. V. E. Dorn of La Grande is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Chaswick for an indefinite period.
Mrs. J. J. Dicks has returned from Hot Lake very much improved in health.
Mr. and Mrs. Dell McWay are very happy over the arrival of a new son. The youngster of La Grande are sure that they will never be short of help in the future.
Mrs. Della Cook is visiting at Hot Lake.
Mrs. Andrew Rose, who has been sick all winter, is now better. It is hoped that she will soon recover.
The Mt. Glenn M. E. church is contemplating putting on a play in the near future.
Mr. and Mrs. David T. Hubbard's daughter of Portland is visiting her parents for several weeks.

CHRISTIANIZING ECONOMIC LIFE

(By Associated Press.)
CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 23.—The more systematically and scientifically you investigate the present economic and industrial institutions of this country the more you are convinced that many of these institutions are non-Christian, some un-Christian and a few are anti-Christian. Dr. M. F. Burns, of New York City, told the Sixth Annual meeting of the Council of Cities of the Methodist Episcopal church here today.
"As nearly as we can discover through government statistics," said Dr. Burns, "thirty-two millions of our people are on incomes of \$2,000 or less per year, twenty-seven millions are on incomes of \$1,500 or less per year; fifteen millions are on incomes of \$1,000 or less per year; ten millions are on incomes of \$500 or less per year, practically ten million others are without incomes; while only five millions of all the income producers of America enjoy incomes over \$2,000 per year."

"Just after the great World war had started, I sat at lunch with a fine Christian gentleman. He said, 'Doctor, I have made a net profit during the last twelve months of practically \$5,000,000.'"
"How many folks do you employ?"
"About 15,000."
"Who are they?"
"Women and girls."
"How much do you pay them?"
"From \$8 to \$15 per week."
"Mr. Blank, do you think a woman or girl can live virtuously, dress as the maid to meet your clientele and such food as she should on from \$8 to \$15 per week?"
"He replied: 'Doctor, I am not concerned as to that item; I am living well within the business ethics which the church has laid out during the last two thousand years.'"
"I said: 'You have a fine opportunity to establish a new precedent.'"
"He replied: 'I expect the minister to do that.'"
"I then said, Mr. Blank, who would happen if your minister should preach sermons on social justice condemning the present social and economic order, the demanding such changes as most economists believe should take place?"
"He replied smiling: 'I suppose we would have a change of ministers at the coming session of our Annual Conference.'"
"There also is the glaring fact of unequal distribution. We are told that in 1929 there were fifteen men in the state of Illinois whose combined income was twenty million dollars."

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NEW BILL OF RIGHTS NEEDED

(By Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—A current era of increased governmental demagoguery in utterance, flouting of radical doctrines, harping of non-cooperation and letting of lawless action by the selfish power of labor leaders," was Mr. Averne "Citizen's" pamphlet in picture by Charles G. Dawes, former director of the national budget, in an address before the Union League club tonight.
Mentioning no names, save a tribute to "our great, strong and determined President Harding," Mr. Dawes said:
"The average American citizen has witnessed the pandering of men connected of reason against their government in times of war, done with the ancient purpose of carrying political favor with the disreputable element of their population."
"That the Chicago he has been a lawyer elected upon a republican ticket announces a platform which would do credit to Soviet Russia and seek to force it through a republican state convention."
"If continued, he has witnessed the last few years more demagoguery in utterance than ever before has characterized it."
"He has witnessed a newly elected senator rush into the senate debates with radical, inflammatory and untrue statements."
"He was shocked by the human beasts at Berlin and the lawless acts at Barcelona, Ave."
"We have seen tremendous power yielded by certain labor leaders who understand men psychology and the influence of radicals who lead masses of people to lawless action."
"Mr. Average Citizen is demanding a new bill of rights, Mr. Dawes declared, "because the power of organized minorities has become as dangerous to the liberty of the individual as ever was the power of a prince."
"He who reasons that a halt to weakness in law enforcement and demagoguery is not about to be called and that conditions will become worse, little understands the American people. Some per progress has been made—that from the Adamson law to the Daugherty injunction, which in my judgment, future generations will regard as the best of laws and the best of progress."
"He said: 'I am not a man to stop work.'"

SALES OFFICER OUSTED
SALEM, Feb. 23.—Robert C. Parent, who has been a member of the Salem police force for several months, today was dismissed from the service on a technical charge of neglect of duty.
Parent later said that he was the victim of a frame-up and that he will demand a hearing before the council. The technical charges against Parent were preferred by Walter Birtches, chief of police.
It was said today that Parent's dismissal was based on the charge that he had entered a woman's department at the city hall and had taken undue liberties with one of the two girls who are now held as prisoners.
Parent admitted that he had entered the woman's department of the hall, but he did so at the request of the chief of police.

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GOODING DEBATE TEAM TO SPOKANE

(By Associated Press.)
GOODING, Idaho, Feb. 23.—The debate team of Gooding college will meet Gonzaga university, Spokane, Feb. 25. Other schools entered in the competition include Idaho State Normal, Idaho Technical Institute, Idaho State Normal and the College of Idaho.
Our dictionary is an old one and defines a potato as a deputation instead of a potato.
Old age creeps on, and soon the war grinders will go to their graves unwept, unhonored and unlamented.

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