

Sewing Week



August 31, 1924.

Dear Madam:

Back in the days of Napoleon, from whence originated many of the new fall styles, it took much material and much more time to make lovely frocks.

And in China, from whence came the inspiration for some of the lovely trimming touches for fall, it takes weeks to complete one pattern.

And think how fortunate is the American woman today! Styles are so simple, patterns are so easy to follow; it requires comparatively little material; there are sewing machines—everything doesn't have to be done by hand.

—and there is Sewing Week! Think of the countless values such an event offers. Sewing Week at Hill's begins next Tuesday. You will find everything from needles to the finest fabrics remarkably interesting in price.

We are telling you of this in advance to give you time to look over your Sewing Cabinet and see just what you need.

We will hope to see you early next week.

Very truly yours,

HILL'S DEPT STORE

A Good Place to Trade

He Swings Wicked Racket



The Prince of Wales occasionally finds a little time for tennis, too. Here he is in action on the courts. Over in Britain they say he swings a mean racket.

HUNT'S LETTER

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employees, come "civil service" correspondence schools which promise to return for a sizeable fee, to fit anyone in short order to open examinations for a position in Uncle Sam's classified service and to land him a job.

"With September just around the corner," says Steward, "and school bells being rung up to attract seekers of wisdom and instruction, these schools are putting up signs for a fine fall business at the expense of ambitious persons who wish to hold government positions."

Any promise held out by such schools for quick and easy employment by the government is somewhat discredited by the fact that the Civil Service Commission itself has found it necessary to issue a warning that such schools have no recognized standing and that:

"Appointment can be secured only through open competitive examination and no school can claim to guarantee to be certified for appointment out of the regular order, as determined by examination rules."

A precedent for the recognition of "unofficial" circumstances in the conduct of persons arrested as "mushers" was established by a Washington police judge the other day.

One of the capital's demure, un-
familiar, police-judges, will

bothering leisurely in the neighborhood of Peace Monument, was accosted by an "auto shark" who suggested a little spin around the Speedway.

Dismissing his advances, she moved away. Half an hour later, on a corner two or three blocks distant, the same number retraced his attentions.

Spurred again, he tried a third time for luck a little later.

The Milton of the law, who had taken the young man's license number, swore out a formal complaint and he was haled to court. But the judge—well, as nearly as he could sense it, he said, the policeman, by following along the street, had invited the musher's attention and not only what might have been expected. Case dismissed!

Wenatchee Fire Captain Is Dead.

WENATCHEE, Wash. — Philip Coffey, age 25, captain of the fire department, operated upon for appendicitis last Wednesday, died at St. Anthony's hospital. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Ida McKay, and a sister, Mrs. H. E. Dancy, both of Priest River, Idaho. Captain Coffey became ill a week ago Sunday while at the fire station. He had been a member of the department since 1921 and served in 1919. On May 1, 1923, he was promoted to captain.

If you wish to know from which section a man moved, what and where, which section he came

SPORT NEWS

HORNSBY NOW KING OF SWAT

Holds Record with Average of .428; Annexes 197 Hits in 120 Games.

CINCINNATI, (AP)—As the pennant leading Yankees swing into the final stretch of the pennant race, Babe Ruth, with his famous bat, Saturday victoriously has given us hope of capturing the record of 59 homers which he held for 4 years before the end of the season.

Ruth, however, holds place in the fact that he appears about certain of annexing the 1924 batting championship of the American League.

The averages, including those of Wednesday, reveal Ruth hitting .291, a decline of five points in a week. Jamison of Cleveland, running second, is hitting .343 while Bob Fink, Chicago, dropped three points to .343 for this place. Ty Cobb is sharing fourth place with Boston, each with an average of .347.

After going almost two weeks without a homer, Ruth managed to negotiate four, bringing his record to 42.

Eddie Collins, the Chicago veteran, is leading in home stealing with 54.

Other leading hitters: Collins, Chicago, .334; Rheehey, Chicago, .334; Speaker, Cleveland, .333.

BASEBALL

HOW THEY STAND

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Washington	72	55	.570
New York	71	54	.565
Pittsburgh	68	58	.540
St. Louis	65	61	.516
Cleveland	60	65	.480
Boston	55	67	.447
Philadelphia	57	71	.445
Chicago	53	71	.428
Chicago	52	71	.427

National League

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	45	53	.459
Pittsburgh	42	51	.450
Brooklyn	41	54	.432
Chicago	38	56	.402
Cincinnati	36	62	.367
St. Louis	34	73	.317
Philadelphia	29	75	.280
Boston	28	81	.257

American League

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
At New York: New York 2, Washington 1.			
At Boston: Philadelphia 18-7, Boston 7-2.			
At St. Louis: Detroit 6, St. Louis 1.			
At Cleveland: Cleveland 11, Chicago 4.			

National League

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
At Brooklyn: Brooklyn 8, New York 5.			
At Pittsburgh: Pittsburgh 12, Cincinnati 3.			
At Chicago: St. Louis 5, Chicago 6.			
At Philadelphia: Philadelphia 1-10, Boston 1-1.			

The easiest way to keep up with all the new books is to read Dumas in the first place.

There's one good thing about a bunion. Your friends don't urge you to have your teeth out.

ST. PAUL READY TO WELCOME HOST OF LEGIONNAIRES

ST. PAUL, Minn. (AP)—The first convention hall, which will house the national gatherings of the American Legion, the American Legion Auxiliary and the Legion of Honor, to be held here September 15 to 19, will have accommodations for nearly 20,000 delegates, according to Judge Roy A. Stone, general convention chairman.

A stage with a seating capacity of 4000 persons has been placed in the municipal auditorium, where the main sessions of the convention will be held.

The Legion Auxiliary sessions will be held in the Central Presbyterian church and the Forty and Eight will meet at the Junior Pines hall. The special offices for legion officials will be arranged in the senate chamber of the old capital building and in the annex.

Judge Kenneth M. Landis will address the Legion Auxiliary. The outstanding feature will be the state dinner on Tuesday evening at the Masonic temple. National officers, department delegates, national executive committee women and all the chairmen of national committees of the Auxiliary, as well as national officers and department commanders of the Legion will be present.

Memorial services will be conducted by Mrs. Bora Platter of Ellis, Kansas, national chairman of the Gold Star committee.

Home Festivals Escapes Tax.

YAKIMA, Wash. — No federal income tax will be charged against the gate receipts of the Yakima Harvest Home festival, O. C. Smith, commercial club secretary, learned this week while making investigations at the Tacoma office of Thurston Pas, state collector of internal revenue.

Washington manufacturers of respectable number have accepted Yakima's invitation to make a display at the festival, Mr. Smith said. His main purpose in making the trip to the Sound was to interest some of them in the proposition. He visited the Northwest Manufacturers' Association in progress last week and called upon the managers, receiving assurance from a number that they would exhibit.

Coast papers were generous with their publicity notices of the festival, Mr. Smith found, as he succeeded in getting good stories in the Seattle papers. The chamber of commerce in Seattle has decided to put on a railroad excursion to Yakima on Seattle day and expects that 200 or more will come over to Yakima on that occasion.

The Smile That Did Come Off!



How you feel when you are promised \$50,000



How you feel when you collect only \$15,000

What is wrong with this picture? Nothing much. Mr. Tommy Gibbons, American light heavyweight, went to London some days ago to battle Jack Bloodgood. "You will get \$50,000," assured the London promoter. Mr. Gibbons snorted a rich \$50,000 snort. After the fight Mr. Gibbons was handed \$15,000. "That's all we have, we haven't any more," explained the prize fight gent. That explains Mr. Gibbons' sharply altered expression.

Lowest Pique in Germany Ever As Source of Oil and Fertilizer

DOEHOLTZ, Germany (AP)—A plant of locusts has brought a new industry to this region where the insects have been gathered by the ton and oil extracted from their bodies. The locusts came over from Holland, by countless billions, and were caught by women and boys with great baskets. The oil is intended for airplane motors and is said to be particularly adaptable for winter flying because it does not congeal in low temperatures. Good oil locusts retained at about one-fourth of a cent a pound. After the insects passed through the oil extraction process the refuse was used as fertilizer.

Effective Way to Preserve Butts of Telegraph Poles

STOCKHOLM (AP)—An ingenious method to save telegraph poles from rotting has been successfully tried here. Before being planted, the poles are drilled longitudinally with a small center hole and then the opening at the bottom is plugged. This hole runs

to a point about one foot above ground, when the plug has been set up. The hole created, a small side hole is drilled almost one foot above ground to meet the center hole. Crosswise all in the center hole and the outside opening closed. Linemen refill from time to time.

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