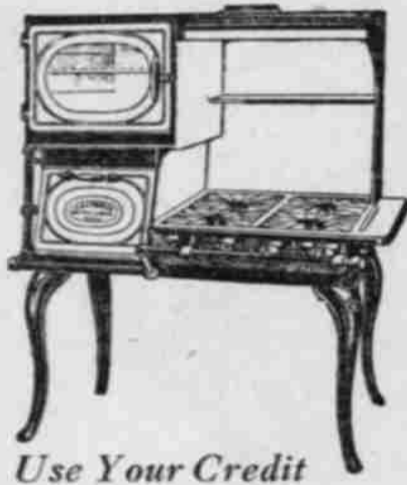


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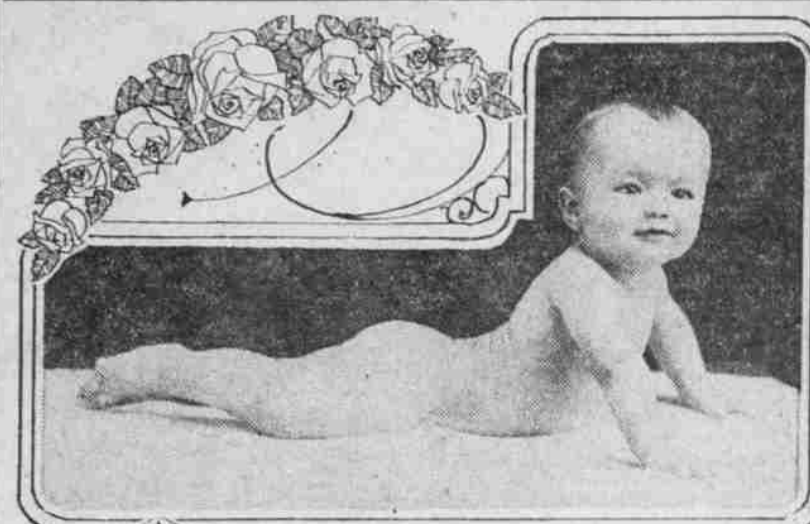
**18 PATTERNS VELVET CARPETS**  
We are offering this week our regular \$1.85 Velvet Carpet, 18 patterns to select from, with stairs to match if desired, laid on your floor at, per yard..... **\$1.47**  
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Six patterns 9x12 Seamless Velvet Rugs..... **\$27.50**  
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**\$1.50 INLAIN LINOLEUM**, on your floor, the yard..... **\$1.23**  
**\$1.75 INLAIN LINOLEUM**, the yard..... **\$1.45**



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## BABIES ARE EXAMINED FREE AT THE EDUCATIONAL BUREAU

Oregon Congress of Mothers Believes Welfare of Youngsters Is One of Most Important Phases of War Work.



Junior Howlett, 2 1/2 Years



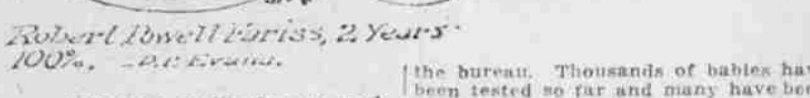
Cleo Maxine Granigan



Lorraine Platt, Prize Dancer, Aged 4



Mary Jane Waterhouse (Upper) and Jean C. Waterhouse (Lower), Children of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Waterhouse, Atappa, Or., 100% - Wisconsin



Robert Howell, 2 Years

While the auxiliaries are working for the soldiers and all the women are knitting helmets, sweaters and wristlets; while the Mayor and the city officials are making Portland a clean, fine city, the Oregon Congress of Mothers has not forgotten the most important phase to them, the welfare of the babies of the community. To see that good health is the basis of all children's lives the Parents' Educational Bureau is established in the Courthouse and at this place the babies are examined and scored and advice is given free for the asking. Rich and poor are treated alike. Many of the leading doctors give their services at these examinations and the faults that are found are very often corrected when the parents find out just what is wrong. It may be improper feeding, clothes too tight, too warm or too cold. It may be adenoids or tonsils or some minor trouble. Often little people come from a long way to be examined. Frequently the bureau takes tests to towns that apply for them.

Mary Jane and Jean C. Waterhouse are two Knappa babies that when examined by the Parents' Educational Bureau were found to score 100 per cent. They are children of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Waterhouse.

Robert Powell Fariss, of 507 East Fifty-fourth street North, is a perfect babe. His father is J. R. Fariss. His mother was Blanche Powell, one of the old Powell family after whom the Powell Valley road and ever so many other things and places were named. Junior Howlett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Howlett and he came within half a point of making the 100 per cent mark.

Cleo Maxine Granigan, of Mayer, Or., is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Granigan.

Lorraine Platt, a dainty little dancer, aged 4, is healthy and good, therefore happy. Every week tests are held in the bureau that is conducted by the Oregon Congress of Mothers in the Courthouse. Mrs. A. Bayley is in charge of

the bureau. Thousands of babies have been tested so far and many have been found to score well.

### TAX INDICATES WEALTH

**James Buchanan Left Property and Jewels Valued at \$1,000,000.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The estate of James Buchanan ("Diamond Jim") Brady was worth only \$1,219,809 net, instead of about \$5,000,000, as estimated at the time of his death. Brady's collection of jewels, usually believed to be worth more than \$1,000,000, was appraised at \$507,448.

### FUMES LEAD TO DISCOVERY

**Whisky Found Concealed in Tombstone Is Confiscated.**

WICHITA FALLS, Tex., Jan. 25.—The fumes of whisky leaping from among a number of tombstones which had been jostled about while being shipped from this city to the "Blary Des Cemetary, Mountain View, Oklahoma," attracted the attention of officers and resulted in the discovery of a considerable quantity of liquor packed in a box among a number of tombstones and labeled in large letters, "Tombstones."

Two negroes have been arrested, charged with violating the internal revenue law by transporting liquor into dry territory.



**\$97.50 This 4-pc. Windsor Bedroom Suite**  
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This is, without question, the largest and best constructed period Dining-Room Suite that we have ever been able to present to our customers. You may select the entire suite, as pictured, or any of the separate pieces, as you may need. Think of a suite with a 54-inch buffet, a 48-inch dining table, a large three-panel-front china cabinet, a serving table and six genuine leather slip-seat diners being sold at a price so low.



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## WAR GIVES AMERICAN MUSICAL TALENT OPPORTUNITY FOR FULLER APPRECIATION

Songs and Operas by Composers From United States Now Gain Hearing and Approval by New York Audiences. Henry Hadley Wins New Honors in Operatic Field.

BY EMILIE FRANCES BAUER.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—(Special)—The effect of the war on music has been depressing in some instances, but a gratifying reaction is approaching and American composers are fast coming into their own. American songs of great merit in the East and in the West are not only springing up, but are finding a real hearing, orchestral numbers by our own countrymen are taking their place on the great symphony programme and now operas by American composers are bidding fair to find a lasting place in the repertoires of the great opera-houses.

Henry Hadley, whose musical career is so closely interwoven with the musical life of the Far West, is winning new honors in the operatic field, his three-act opera, "Astra," having been produced on December 24 by the Chicago Opera Company in Chicago and later will be given in New York City. The composer conducted the premiere performance and was acclaimed by an enthusiastic audience who presented Mr. Hadley with a silver wreath. Not only the audience, but the critics were enthusiastic and on every side one heard commendation for the American and American musicianship that made such a splendid performance possible.

The Philharmonic Society of New York is also giving American composers a prominent place on its programmes. Three times this week their numbers appeared. The first composer to be introduced was Nicola Lavecchia, a member of the orchestra since 1909. His composition bears the odd title of "Whitehouse," which will recall happy memories to many music lovers—for "Whitehouse" is the name of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stockel in Norfolk, Conn., who founded the Litchfield County Festival. In fact the music was composed for the festival given last June. "The Rain," by Emerson Whitthorne, of Cleveland, is another American composition finding a hearing, and "Slumber Song" and "Morning Serenade," by George P. Boyle, an Australian, who is living in Baltimore, were received with much favor. Mr. Boyle is a pianist and conductor and a member of the Peabody faculty in Baltimore.

pervades the story of Elizabeth, as told by Otto Roquette, and, though the author doubts could trace his heroine through history and legend to the Wagnerian Elizabeth, whom she in many ways recalls, her family tree is said to rest deep-rooted in the freccoes in the Wartburg castle done by Moritz von Schwind. The story briefly is that of Elizabeth, a saintly woman, who had been betrothed in childhood to Ludwig, the son of Landgrave Hermann, of "Tanhauser" memory.

The second act finds Elizabeth the mother of two children, dispensing charity to all, though frequently against the wishes of her husband. To prevent domestic disturbances, marriage occurs which thrillingly change bread and wine into roses; mystical leaves come fluttering down upon the people who wander through the forest paths, and through it all runs the charming vein of the supernatural.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—There will be no honeymoon chill in Brooklyn if Fuel Administrator Frederick G. Gunnison has his way.