

LIFE SKETCHES BY ARTIST WHO SENSES SPIRIT OF THE DAY



"OH MY DEAR!
DO YOU MEAN
TO SAY YOU THINK
NOBODY SHOULD
HAVE MORE THAN
FIVE MILLION? WHY YOU'RE
GETTING TO BE OUT AND OUT
SOCIALISTIC!" VALERIE AND PAULINE
DISCUSS A LECTURE ON ECONOMICS TO THE UTTER DISGUST OF
MISS MOONEY THE MALESLADY, WHO NEVER HAD MORE THAN FIFTY DOLLARS
IN THE BANK AT ONE TIME.



AMONG US MORTALS AROUND TOWN

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"YES MAN, MY SISTER IN LAW HAS A BROTHER WHO KNOWS
A BRAKEMAN ON THE B. & O. AND HE SAYS THE REASON
THERE ISN'T ANY COAL IS BECAUSE THE RAILROADS HAS
HID IT, TO GET EVEN WITH THE GOVERNMENT FOR
TAKING THEM OVER."



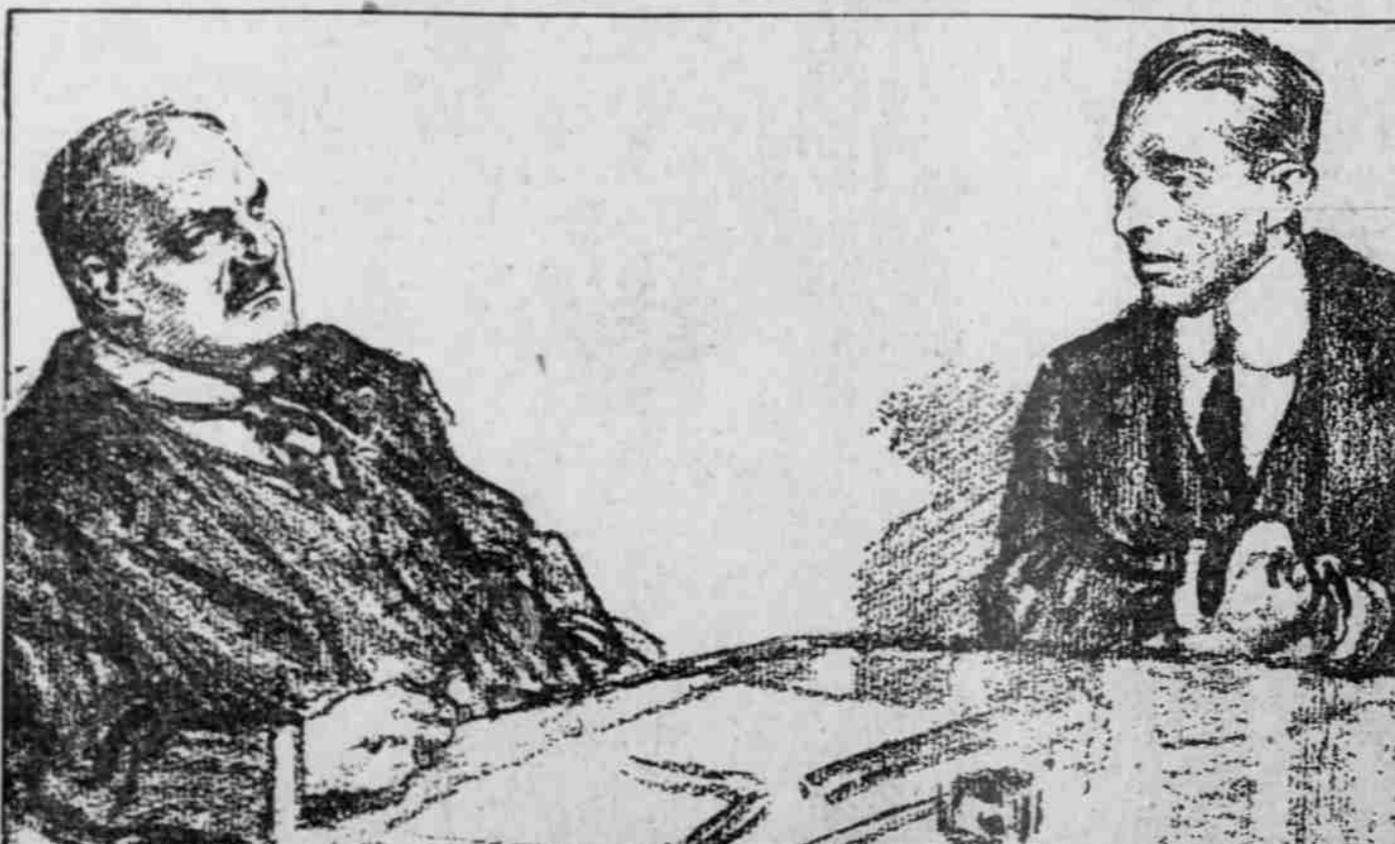
A LITTLE KNITTING, A LITTLE TEA AND A GREAT
MANY RUMORS (ALL WRONG) ABOUT THE RED CROSS.
MRS. BAGLEY IS TELLING ABOUT A FRIEND OF SOME
ONE SHE KNOWS (ALWAYS A FRIEND OF SOMEONE) WHO
MADE A SWEATER AND TUCKED A MARKED ONE
HUNDRED DOLLAR BILL IN THE POCKET AS A SURPRISE
FOR SOME SOLDIER BOY. "WELL MY DEAR," SHE SENT
IT TO THE RED CROSS AND A YEAR LATER, — A YEAR
LATER, — SHE WENT TO BUY A SWEATER IN A DEPARTMENT
STORE AND SHE PUT HER HAND IN THE POCKET AND
THERE WAS HER MARKED BILL!"



MRS. LILLIAN WEE,
AMATEUR SONGSTRESS,
SINGING "LESS THAN THE DUST,
BENEATH THY CHARIOT WHEELS,"
AT A JUNIOR ENTERTAINMENT
FOR SOLDIERS ON LEAVE
WHO WOULD MUCH
RATHER
HAVE GONE TO
THE MOVIES



"WHAT'S YOUR WEIGHT
STRIPPED" PROVED
THE STUMBLING BLOCK
IN CLIFFORD'S QUESTIONNAIRE.
AFTER SOME MOMENTS
OF HARD THINKING ON
THE PART OF THE
FAMILY, BROTHER
BILL REMEMBERED
HAVING SEEN A
WEIGHING MACHINE
DOWN STREET,
IN FRONT OF THE
SHOE SHINING
PARLOR, MUCH TO
THE CONSTERNATION
OF SISTER
EDNA, WHO WANTS
TO KNOW HOW
CLIFF COULD
POSSIBLY
DRESS
IN SUCH A
PUBLIC
PLACE



JOE LA PORTE, TRYING TO CONVINCE A MEMBER OF THE EXEMPTION BOARD THAT OUT OF
THE FORTY DOLLARS HE MAKES A MONTH, THIRTY FIVE DOLLARS IS SENT REGULARLY
TO HIS OLD MOTHER IN ITALY.

IT IS MEATLESS
DAY AND THE
WAITER IS
RECOMMENDING
SWEET BREAD COMPOTE
A LA POINSETTA,
TWO TWENTY FIVE
PER PORTION,
TO MR. RUCK WHO
IS SEARCHING
THE MENU FOR
THE
FIGURES
45, 50
OR
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