

MORE THAN ONE HOUSE A DAY BEING BUILT HERE IN THE CITY

JULIA GROO HOME VISITED BY GIESE

Salem Furniture Store Man Returns From Portland; Managers in Session

C. F. Giese has just returned from Portland where he has been attending a meeting of the store managers of the Ira F. Powers Furniture company branch stores and the officials of that company. While he was there announcement was made of the completion of the buying organization which includes the leading furniture stores of Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland, Tacoma and Seattle of which the Ira F. Powers Furniture company is a member, according to an interview with Mr. Giese today.

"This organization," said Mr. Giese, "will give the member stores a buying power of over \$30,000,000 per year, which will mean a great saving to the customers of all stores. This great buying power will give the organization complete control of the entire output of many furniture manufacturers, and will mean that they have control of the newest designs and styles in furniture a long time in advance of the general retailer in the furniture field."

To the Ira F. Powers Furniture company of Portland, was given the honor of furnishing the Julia Groo Electric home, which was formally opened for public inspection in Portland Sunday afternoon. From all of the home furnishing institutions in Portland this company was chosen as being best fitted to execute the proper furnishings for this modern electric home. The home valued at \$15,000 was awarded to Miss Julia Groo by the National Electric Lighting Educational committee for her prize essay on home lighting.

"Nothing has been spared in making this home beautiful, comfortable, practical and livable," said Mr. Giese, who attended the opening.

"The newest fashions in home furnishings are displayed for general edification in the Julia Groo home," according to Mr. Giese. "Throughout the entire home the Ira F. Powers Furniture company has endeavored to instill an atmosphere of individuality, and the result is one of the most artistic and practical homes possible."

In the living room Louis XV furniture has been used, with a predominating color of green relieved by the use of gold in the drapes. The rug in this room is of Chenille taupe. The furniture in the dining room is of Hepplewhite design where blue and gold hangings and the orange of the Chinese rug makes a splendid contrast with the more formal atmosphere of the living room. The sun room is gay with red Chinese lacquer furniture trimmed in black and the drapes are of Oxford crossed net. The curtains throughout the house are the newest creations in draperies that entirely eliminate the use of fringe and in its stead introduces the use of a flounce skirt. The breakfast room is very comfortably furnished with a gateleg table and Windsor chairs in mahogany.

The bedrooms are models of quaintness and beauty. Rose taffeta hangings, outlined with green are effective in the guest room with the walnut furniture, high lighted with hand painted motifs. A Chinille taupe rug covers the floor.

Miss Groo's room shows a color

scheme of lavender and green, used in the drapes. A black and gold rug matches the black and gold bedroom set.

"The entire city of Portland is intensely interested in the opening of the Julia Groo home," said Mr. Giese. "It will be kept open for three weeks or more, and it is expected that fifty thousand people will visit the home during that time. If during that time any Salem people are in Portland it will be decidedly worth their while to visit this home which is said to be the most electrically complete in the world."

SOCIAL

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"If one had failed to see Dr. Hollins escorted to the console and had only heard him play, undoubtedly the thought that he might be blind would have been the farthest from one's mind. There was a technical mastery, a wide range of expression and color such as you would expect from one who was endowed with full vision. The facility with which he manipulated such a complex organ was almost uncanny."

"An audience of more than 1500 persons greeted Dr. Hollins in this most auspicious debut of his American tour. The critics of the daily press gave the recital enthusiastic reviews."

"Upon meeting Dr. Alfred Hollins for the first time one is impressed with his spirit of tranquility—an atmosphere which so violently contrasts with our American life. He brings a profound musicianship tinged with the inevitable Hollins 'spirit' which seems to displace the quietness of his nature when musical subjects are the topic of conversation. His keen desire for a deeper knowledge of our life, music and great modern organs gives us a clue to the factor which has made for such a remarkable career as his. It must have been that same intense desire for the knowledge of music which led him through the difficult early years of a musical education. Although born blind, Dr. Hollins began the study of music at the age of five years."

Fancy Work Shower

A fancywork shower will be held Thursday, November 12, at the home of Mrs. James T. Heenan, 352 N. Summer street, for the St. Joseph's bazaar.

Junior Guild to Meet

The Junior guild of St. Paul's church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Bell, 145 S. Church street.

Delegates to State Meeting

The following Salem women represented the local branch of the American Association of University Women at the state meeting in session yesterday in Corvallis: Mrs. George H. Alden, Mrs. Roy Klein, Mrs. F. G. Franklin, Mrs. W. Fordyce Fargo, Mrs. L. O. Clement, Miss Lella Johnson, Mrs. C. A. Downs, Mrs. Geo. W. Hug, Miss Leora Carver and Mrs. W. D. Clarke.

B. P. and W. Meet

An interesting dinner meeting of that interesting and enthusiastic among Salem's clubs—the Business and Professional Women's—

was held on Wednesday at the Chamber of Commerce rooms with Miss Carlotta Crowley chairman of the dinner committee. During the dinner hour two stories were delightfully told by Mrs. Ivan Bellinger. A business meeting followed, after which Miss Grace Elizabeth Smith told of the importance of making a will. She outlined the history of this invaluable practice from its origin. The group adjourned following a social time.

Chapter AB to Meet

Chapter AB of the PEO Sisterhood will observe "guest day" on Monday evening at the home of Miss Dorothea Steusloff, Mrs. Alice Thompson will have charge of the program.

Department to Meet

The institutions department of the Salem Woman's club will meet at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the educational room of the city library. Dr. Grover C. Bellinger will be the speaker for an interesting afternoon.

Capital Five Hundred Club

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Meyers was opened in a most hospitable manner during the past week for the pleasure of members of the Capital Five Hundred club when they met on Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Max O. Buren were special guests for the occasion. Mrs. W. H. Dancy and Dr. R. E. Lee Steiner were awarded the high playing honors.

The personnel of the club includes Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. George G. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Baumgartner, Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Durbin, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dancy, Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meredith, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Locke, Dr. and Mrs. W. Carlton Smith, Mrs. George Rodgers, Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Lee Steiner, Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Olinger and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Meyers.

W. F. M. S. Tea Meeting

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet on Tuesday—Wednesday being Armistice day—November 10 for an interesting tea meeting at the home of Mrs. A. A. Lee. The new calendars for the year will be distributed at this time. Mrs. C. F. Brethaupt will have charge of the devotions for the day while Mrs. G. W. Hickman will introduce the new text book, "Prayer and Missions." Assisting Mrs. Lee as hostesses will be Mrs. E. J. Swafford, Mrs. F. C. De Long, Mrs. N. S. Savage, Mrs. George Emery, Mrs. Lavender and Mrs. Lloyd Lee.

Merry-Go-Round Club Meets

A prominent group of Salem men and women compose the membership of one of the oldest and most congenial social clubs organized for pleasurable meetings throughout the winter seasons. This group, which makes up the Merry-Go-Round club, opened a new club year on Tuesday of last week when Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Moores entertained with several hours of five hundred, Chrysanthemums and cosmos were arranged in an attractive manner in the rooms. Mr. and Mrs. Bowersox were invited as special guests for the occasion. Mrs. Rollin K. Page and Mrs. William Henry Thielson won the honors of the evening.

At the refreshment hour Mrs. Frank W. Spencer and Mrs. Bowersox assisted the hostesses.

At the next meeting of the club, November 17, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Robertson will entertain.

The club group includes Mr. and Mrs. John McNary, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Allen, Mrs. Henry W. Thielson, Mr. and Mrs. Rollin K. Page, Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Max O. Buren, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Fleming, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Shipley, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben P. Boise, Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Smith, Mrs. Frank Snedecor, and Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Moores.

American Legion Auxiliary

The American Legion auxiliary will meet tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce rooms for the regular social meeting.

French Section on Tuesday

The French section, sponsored by the American Association of University Women, will meet on Tuesday evening at the home of Professor Woodworth at 386 Bellevue street. The class will meet on Tuesday evening on account of the fact that the regular day—Wednesday—will be a holiday this week. Hereafter the French section will meet regularly the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month.

Cards Issued for Tea

Beatrice Crawford-Newcomb has issued cards for a small, informal tea this afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock at her home on the Dallas road, one group of guests being invited for the earlier hour, and a second for an hour later.

Guests at Becke Home

Mrs. Karl Becke is entertaining as her house guests Mrs. Aurelia Powers and Robert Powers of Aurora.

Mrs. Becke Honored

Salem friends of Mrs. Charles Becke will be interested in the delightful party which was given for her pleasure in Aurora Monday. The Aurora Observer recounts the event as follows:

Mrs. Charles Becke was pleasantly surprised Monday afternoon when a number of her friends called to celebrate her birthday. Those present were Mrs. Natalie Keil, Mrs. Nordhausen and Miss Sidonie Nordhausen, Mrs. Joseph Erbsland, Mrs. J. W. Sadler, Miss Louisa Miller, Mrs. George Yergens, Mrs. George Kraus, Miss Georgia Kraus, Mrs. Charles Snyder, Mrs. Catherine Zimmerman, Mrs. Henry Kraus, Mrs. William Kraus, Mrs. Chris Giesy, Mrs. Lorin Giesy, Mrs. E. W. Baird, Mrs. Henry Becke, Mrs. George Gooding, Mrs. Charles Becke and Mrs. Amelia Powers.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Today
"The Man Without a Country," Film appropriate for Armistice Sunday. First Congregational church. Evening service.
Informal tea. Beatrice Crawford-Newcomb, Dallas road, hostess. 4 to 6 o'clock.

Monday
Members of Rebekah lodge. Social meeting and pot-tuck supper. Lodge room.
American Legion auxiliary. Social meeting. Chamber of Commerce rooms. 8 o'clock.
Chapter AB of the PEO Sisterhood.

Tuesday
Chadwick chapter of the Eastern Star. Guests in Woodburn.
Institutions department of the Salem Woman's club. Educational room, city library. 3 o'clock.
Dr. Grover Bellinger, speaker.

Wednesday
French section of the AAUW. Professor Woodworth's residence, 386 Bellevue street.
Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First M. E. church. Mrs. A. A. Lee hostess.

Thursday
Junior Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal church. 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. William Bell, 145 South Church street, hostess.

Thursday club, Mrs. William McCall, Mrs. W. A. Cusick and Mrs. C. A. Park, hostesses, Mrs. McCall's home. 10 o'clock breakfast.

Friday
Fancywork shower, Mrs. James T. Heenan, 352 N. Summer street, hostess. For St. Joseph's bazaar.

Friday
Alfred Hollins. Organ concert. First Methodist church, 8 o'clock.

Saturday
Salem Woman's club. Club house, 2:30 o'clock.

Thank Offering Service At Mrs. Hendrick's Home

The annual praise and thanksgiving meeting of the First Congregational church was observed in a most happy manner on Friday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. R. J. Hendricks on North Summer street. The loveliest of the late autumn flowers in the golden shades—chrysanthemums, marigolds and helenium—were used attractively throughout the rooms. Assisting Mrs. Hendricks as hostesses for the day were Mrs. E. Cooke Patton, Mrs. Robert Fleming, Mrs. Charles Elgin and Mrs. Harry Elgin. Mrs. Karl Becke and Mrs. Paul Hendricks assisted at the tea hour in the serving.

One of the most memorable features of an afternoon beautifully spent was the candle-lighting ceremonial with Mrs. W. C. Kantner in charge. Mrs. Kantner placed candles, 15 in all, for missionary workers throughout the world which have been sent out by the church. When Mrs. Kantner finished her part of the ceremonial the hostess took her place and lighted additional tapers—one for Dr. W. C. Kantner, retired pastor of the church, and one for Rev. Charles E. Ward, present pastor, and another for all workers of the congregation.

Mrs. Charles E. Ward had charge of the devotional for the day, after which many of the members gave reasons for their great gratitude to the Giver.

The total thank offering for the day reached a gratifying sum—\$130 in all. Mrs. Harry Harms sang two solos, each appropriate for the day, with Miss Louise Findley accompanying.

During the afternoon plans were made for the sending out of generously filled missionary boxes.

Mrs. Montgomery Honored

Mrs. J. B. Montgomery, who was an honor guest at the outstandingly successful reception which was sponsored on Friday evening at the Salem Woman's club house by the members of Chemeketa chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Salem Woman's club, was honored at a small informal dinner at the Marion hotel preceding the meeting. In the group were Mrs. Montgomery, Mrs. C. C. Clark, Mrs. Seymour Jones and Mrs. H. T. Love. Mrs. Montgomery, who is of Portland, is state chairman of the international relations committee. A reception for the Willamette university Cosmopolitan club was chosen as the fitting manner in which to celebrate International Relations' day.

Portia Mansfield Dancers

The Mansfield Dancers, who appear here in a dance concert the night of November 16 at the Helig theater, are noted for their technical skill as well as for their grace and beauty, and several of their numbers abound with daring. Each year this unique organization spends the summer at the Perry-Mansfield camp in the Rocky mountains, where their time is given up to dancing, riding and athletic sports of all kinds and they revel in the dances that permit them to exhibit their athletic daring skill, such as the "Saurialia," the "Picnic Day in Holland," and the "Etruscan Screen" dance. Among the company are such well known dancers as Jeanne

Fuller and her partner, Harold Ames, Virginia Mansfield, Alice Mickey and Erma Chase. The dance program is divided into three parts, opening with a visualization of "Pastorale," by Frederick Knight Logan. The scene is a moonlit glade where the shepherdesses and their lovers dance to the piping of Pan. Diana, however, jealous of their innocent happiness, casts a spell over them which transforms it into a mad revelry, which ends with the coupling of dawn. One of the loveliest of the ballets is an "Episode de Carnival," danced to the music of the "Secret of Suzanne," and which brings before us the beloved Pierrot, Columbine and Pantaloon.

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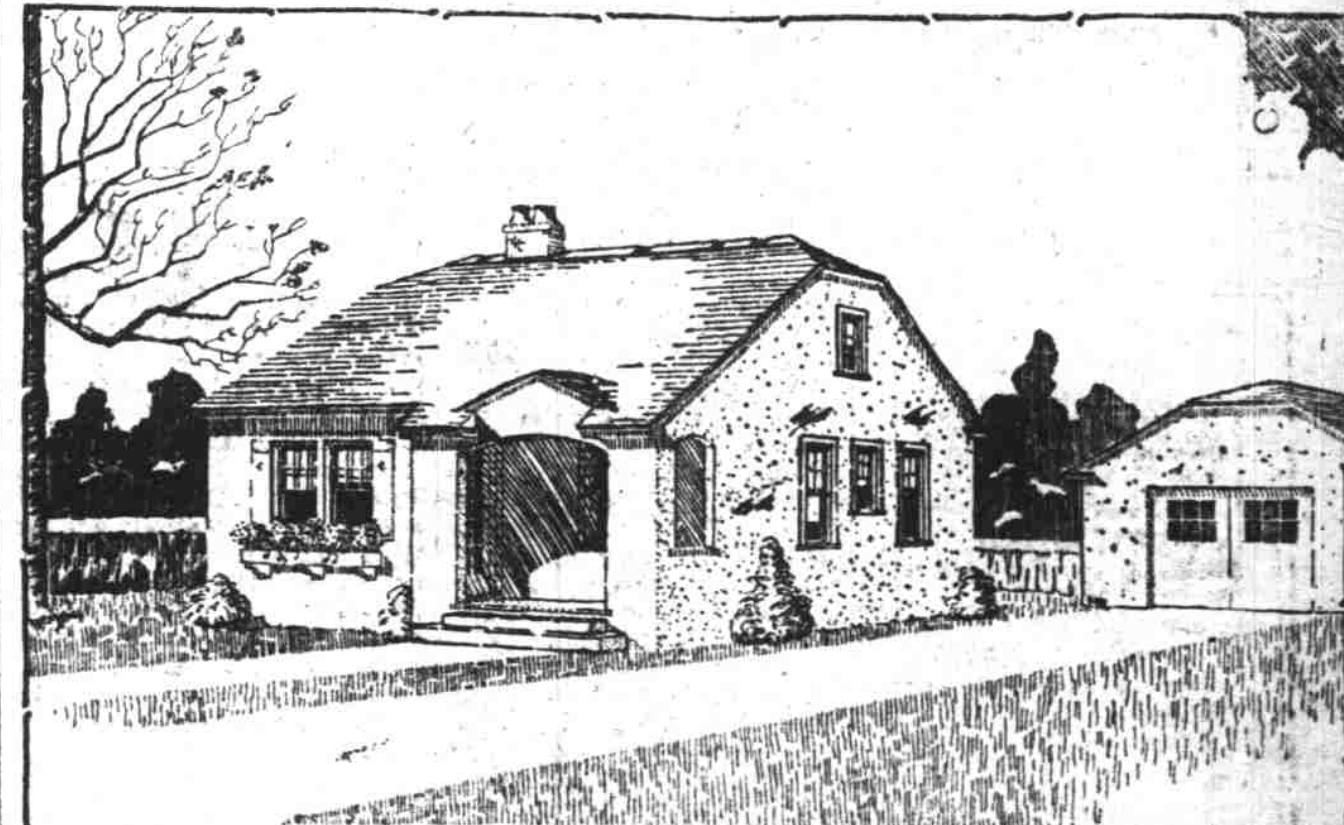
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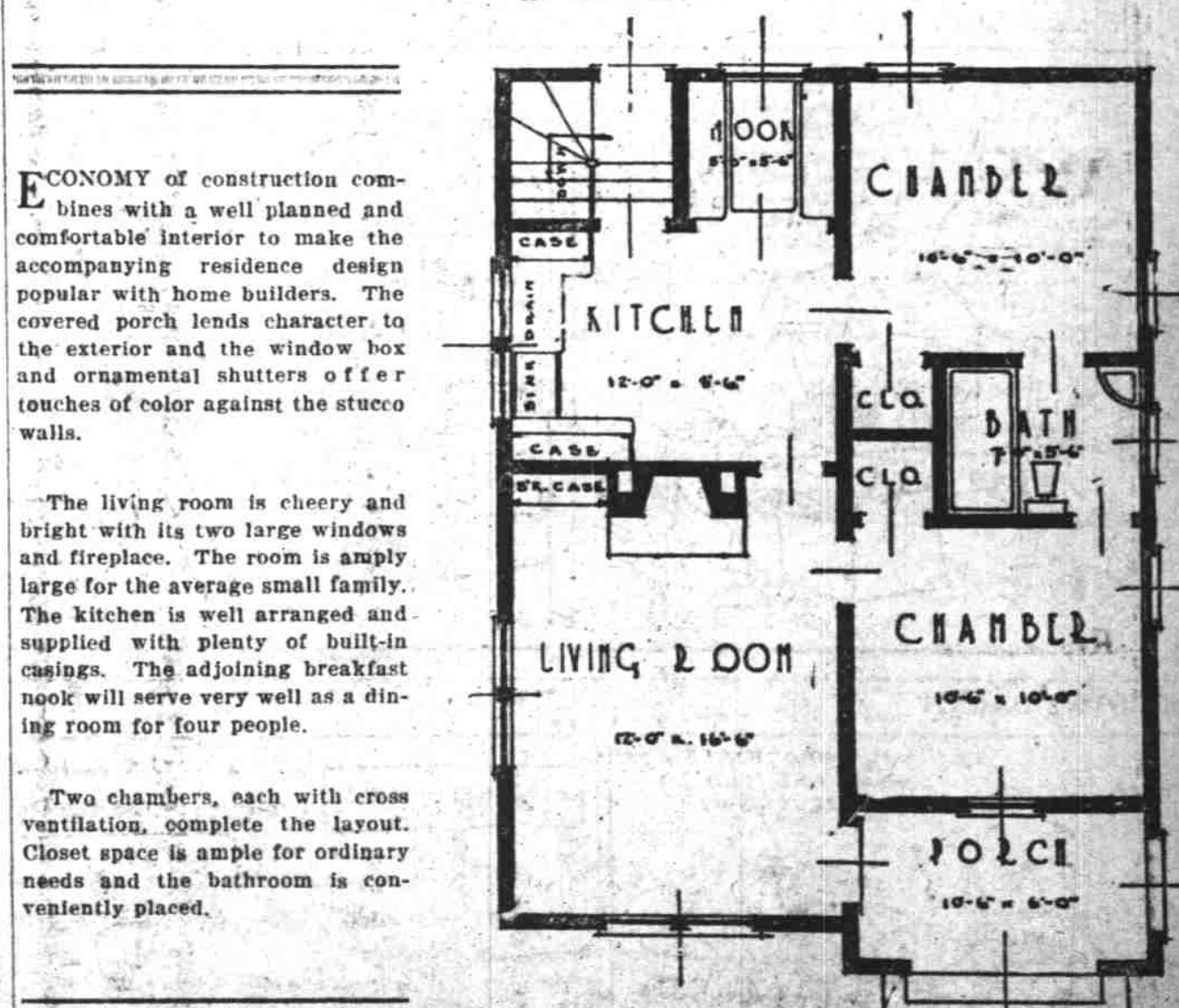
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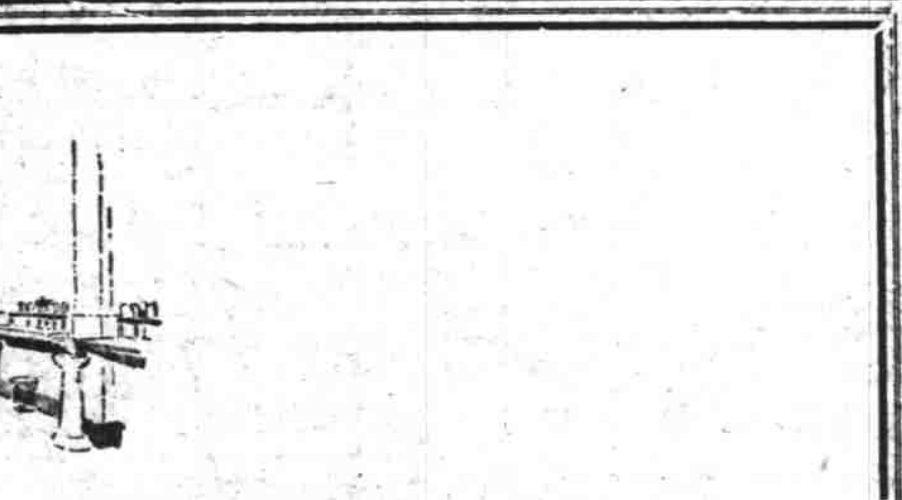
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