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CARNEGIE MEDAL HEROES

John Reed Helfrick.
Bronze medal—Helfrick, aged forty-one, lineman, attempted to save

THE WOMAN OF POISE.

Once a rarity, is now to be observed and admired upon every hand. Indeed, no other woman can nourish long in the midst of this modern, complicated life. In the home, in business, in social life, the woman who is serene and confident wins, while the nervous, flustered individual wastes her talents and gets nowhere. Of course, poise is dependent mainly upon sound health and steady nerves. If you feel that you are being kept back in this way, why not turn to that great woman's remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which was manufactured from a thorough understanding of the nervous system of women?

Marianno Landri, aged twenty-four, lineman, from being fatally burned.

New Haven, Conn., March 2, 1919. Zandri was working on a metal-tipped ladder twenty-eight feet above the ground when the ladder, which leaned against cables carrying electric current, touched an adjacent iron pole, causing an arc of great intensity. He was held to the ladder and cables by a safety-belt and was almost enveloped in smoke and flames. Helfrick ascended the ladder to Zandri, whose clothing was burning; and, while cables were burning and arcs were flashing, he unfastened Zandri's belt. Helfrick descended a short distance on the ladder, with Zandri holding to him, and Zandri then grasped a pole standing near by and slid to the ground. Helfrick was slightly burned. Zandri died the following day from his burns.

NAVIGATION IS HANDICAPPED

TRIESTE, Italy, Jan. 20.—(A. P.)—The severe winter which the whole of Central Europe is experiencing has seriously handicapped the navigation of the Danube. The cold wave was so sudden that more than 60 vessels belonging to several nations have been caught in the ice and will be forced to tie up for the whole winter unless an unlooked for thaw comes in the meantime.

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FOR EXAMPLE

Operating LOSSES in 1921, if correctly reported, may be applied against operating PROFITS of 1922 and 1923.

Taxpayers may effect considerable savings by being conversant with these changes when compiling their Income Tax Returns.

Whitfield Whitcomb & Co.

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SCROGGS FAMILY HAVE MOVED TO SUNNYSIDE

(East Oregonian Special.)
HERMISTON, Jan. 20.—Maurice Scroggs after several years service with the reclamation has been transferred to Sunnyside district, where he will have the same position on a much larger scale.

Hermiston will miss Mr. and Mrs. Scroggs and family. They were active socially and Mr. Scroggs was an active member of the Commercial Club and also a member of the school board.

B. L. Beals and Mr. Small were Hermiston visitors Tuesday from Tillamook. Mr. Beals is a former resident of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Dodd entertained a number of friends with a dinner and dancing party last Friday evening. The Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Co. received a new sign for their office building.

The Masonic lodge held a banquet in honor of M. D. Scroggs, Monday evening. A grand masters' apron was presented to him by the lodge. About thirty members were present and all wished him success in his new position.

For Colds, Grip or Influenza and as a Preventive, take Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets. The genuine bears the signature of E. W. Groves. (Be sure you get BROMO.) 33c.

FATHER GOES TO JAIL.

NEW PHILADELPHIA, O., Jan. 20.—(U. P.)—Public schools teach a "lot of lies about Humpty Dumpty and such nonsense," Joel Yoder thought. So he kept his children, Fanny 19, and Albert 8, at home. Joel's version of modern education, however, failed to coincide with Justice John Stevenson's. So he went to jail.

"The schools teach a lot of junk, but they don't teach the bible," Yoder still contends.

GURDANE CITIZENS GO TO SALE AT PILOT ROCK

(East Oregonian Special.)
GURDANE, Ore., Jan. 20.—Frank Gilliland and Dave Wymore attended the Jones sale at Pilot Rock Wednesday.

Betty Lightfoot has been ill for several days with a cold. Roy Montgomery and wife and daughter Marjory spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Frank Jones at Pilot Rock.

Joe Corley returned last week after a visit with friends and relatives at Pendleton.

Frank Gilliland and family motored to Pendleton last week for a few days. Chas. Nelson, Jim Nelson, Baker Chapman and Frank Chapman, and family attended the sale at the Jones ranch at Pilot Rock Wednesday.

CONFERENCE DATES SET FOR FEBRUARY 3 AND 4

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—(U. P.)—Steps intended to wipe out the "black spots" of illiteracy in the Pacific coast and Rocky Mountain states will be discussed at a conference to be held here February 3 and 4.

Delegates from educational, political, social and civic interests of 11 western states are expected to attend. The conference is to be held under the auspices of the illiteracy commission of the United States.

Illiteracy can be reduced by a systematic campaign of education, according to Arthur H. Chamberlain, secretary of the conference committee.

"Contrary to popular belief, large numbers of illiterates are not foreign-born," Mr. Chamberlain said. "Many native Americans have escaped the educational advantages offered and, although they apparently speak and conduct themselves intelligently, they cannot read or write. In California alone approximately 33 per cent of the total population is illiterate."

Among the speakers at the conference will be president David P. Barrows of the University of California and Will C. Wood, state superintendent of education.

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



Better Leave Bad Enough Alone.

By Allman

BRIGHT COLORS THIS SEASON ROUT BLACK

BY HEDDA HOYE
NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—(U. P.)—The color scheme at the Metropolitan Opera one night this week would have warmed the heart of any seafaring man. Tones of red and green were so profuse and by some peculiar coincidence had so assembled themselves—red on one side and greens on the other—that it certainly appeared to be a safe harbor for one seeking a port.

Bright colors are surely triumphing over the jet beaded effect and sombre tones of last season. Yellows and sapphires are seen in profusion as well as that indescribable shade of green that looks so well under electric lights.

The silhouettes for evening gowns are favoring the clinging lines, simple and often free of trimming. Materials are so exquisite in texture that ornamentation would tend to destroy their charm. At the same time, chiffons, heavily beaded in beads of their weight and clinging by means of their weight to the figure, give that supple slowness that is so desired.

Very few jewels are worn by the society celebrators of the Metropolitan's golden horseshoe this year. But one notices that when certain favorites sing the costumes in the audience shows a greater attempt at elaborateness. Maids of gold and silver leaves becoming to shorn locks and use them as their sole ornamentation. The Spanish comb which was predicted to be the popular headdress of the season seems to have been discarded and in its place, if there is a headdress at all, one sees only the head-bandeau. A few of the matrons, however, cling to the trim of diamonds.

There are feather fans in profusion marching the gowns or the linings of the evening wraps which drape the seats. These evening wraps, by the way, are made of gayly colored velvets and seem to have replaced the ermine and chinchilla wraps. Many of them are embroidered in pearls in marvelous designs. Others are heavily banded with fur.

Chests and throats are duly protected from drafts, if one may judge from the cut of the evening gown. Seen from the front most of them are round in neck line and are as simple as a child's ferris wheel. But backs—well, backs remain in vogue.

A beautiful evening gown is made of silver cloth and has an overskirt of wide silver lace. The bodice of the plain silver cloth.

With the mode hinging between the short and the long skirts, the wise woman buys a gown with an elastic waist band which she can shorten or lengthen at will.

Hats are showing a tendency toward brighter colors. Black, the ever popular standby, is by no means losing its foothold, but is trimmed with flat rosettes in colors or with tiny clusters of bright hued feathers.

Stores are all showing hats which are made especially for the bobbed headdress. Naturally the bobbed head demands a much smaller head size than the ordinary head of hair. These hats are all small and some of them brimless, allowing that fascinating little fringe of hair to peep from under the back of the hat.

Fuschia is one of the latest colors for afternoon gowns and is being used by some of the most fashionable houses. It is especially becoming to the dark eyed women.

Rainy day costumes are becoming more beautiful each winter. No longer do we go about in galoshes and last year's left-overs. One of the best looking models seen in New York this season was a two-tiered cape effect of patent leather cloth worn with a smart mushroom-shaped hat of the same material. A bright red umbrella and a red bouilloniere gave a touch of distinction to the outfit.

LAD PLANNING BRIGHT FUTURE FOR HIMSELF

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 20.—(U. P.)—Somewhere in Lansing there is a 16-year-old lad who is picturing something of a future for himself.

The boy dropped in at the postoffice and asked that he be permitted to take the civil service examination for a position as postal clerk.

"How old are you?" asked Custer E. Rush, assistant superintendent of mails.

"Well, you're too young," answered Rush. "Come back again when you are 18 or 20 and we will give you a chance."

"Nothing doing," the boy replied. "When I am 18 I will know enough so I won't want a job in the postal department."



MRS. MINA RABER, Aurora, Ill.

"A short time ago I was one of the most nervous and miserable persons on the earth, but thanks to Tanlac I'm well and happy now," said Mrs. Mina Raber, 446 Farnsworth Ave., Aurora, Ill.

"It was just about two years ago that I began to be distressed after every meal. I had awful smothering spells at times and my heart beat so irregularly that I often thought I wouldn't live through the attack. Headaches were the lane of my excitement and I shudder even now when I think of them. My back hurt me, too, and it was just agony for me to bend over and straighten up again.

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WAR CAUSES STRANGE HAPPENINGS TO RUSSIANS

PARIS, Jan. 20.—(A. P.)—Passengers by the boulevards were surprised to see a distinguished looking man fall on the back of a taxicab driver and kill him on both cheeks, the regulation salutation between Russians. The passenger was a Russian admiral and the chauffeur was a former Russian general, celebrated during the first period of the war, now earning his living by driving a taxicab.

Students who take their meals in a very modest boarding house in the Latin Quarter had a similar surprise recently. As the serving woman, a woman of middle age whose worn garments could not conceal her distinguished appearance, approached a table, a young girl student suddenly arose, knelt on one knee and kissed the hem of the waitress' apron. The student has recognized her as a former lady in waiting of the Russian court.

Fruit Canners Helped

Northwest fruit canners and packers have a chance to attend the first canners school ever offered in the north Pacific district, beginning January 30 and ending February 24. This is a service course designed to take the college horticultural products section, the first and oldest in the United States, to the canner. How to control organisms in fruit and vegetable products, their relation to ripening and preserving, bacteria in food preservation, and other problems fundamental to the canning industry, will be explained in the light of recent investigation by the college experiment station. Adjustment and repair of canning machines will be in charge of a representative of the American Canning Company.

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