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Edward C. Reeves.
Mar. 17.—There's a big comet hurtling itself earth at several hundred miles a minute in excess of limit. Probably won't end the world for comets that are at as not to have the question of snuffing out the comet problem, the comet, the tax question, comets and the like all—with a bang. But comet.
It has no right to in our affairs, any- been re-appearing at three-quarters years to go gliding by a few away. But it's an er- and the attraction of been giving it a mis- of late.
It's swerving from its at a terrific rate and in mid on June 26.
Dangerously Close.
then, will almost in- of the earth," says Dr. one of the world's astronomists. "But the collision are not great. date of intersec- will not be a col- there will be the of meteors ever some damage to be some life about fact that the schools are an exact there are differ-
" says Sir Richard of Nature," a lead- organ, "is that some will come to an with some body space at a ter- of Pons-Winnecke the continuous com- of meteorites world on fire.
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Many an athletic maid is afraid to venture out awheel nowadays from fear of being hit by the speeding motor cars which monopolize the road and even drive old Dobbin into the ditch at the side. Miss Helen Lee Worthing has solved the problem, however, by her "apartment house bike," on which she takes a spin of "several miles" each morning for exercise. All roads are smooth and there is positively no dust and no danger from crowded traffic.

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Turk Capital's Traffic Forces Prize Winner

Washington, Mar. 17.—"Which is the most cosmopolitan city in the world?" American Red Cross workers and American tourists who have been there will heatedly assert that Constantinople wins first prize and will produce one of the most emphatic arguments—the traffic cop.
If the traffic laws of the city were rigorous the entire population, native, tourist and refugee would be in jail, for the native gendarmes are being assisted by American, French, English, Italian, Greek and Rumanian soldiers and sailors, each wearing their own uniform and shouting orders in their own language.
At one corner the bewildered pedestrian will be directed by an Italian policeman wearing a swal-low-tail coat, a red hat and white gloves. At the next an English "Tommy," demonstrating "English as she should be spoke," will tell the traffic when to move and when to stop. At the next, he may find an American sailor, his white hat dipped at the approved angle, waving his arms to the oncoming traffic in the latest fashion decreed by Broadway.
The Greeks in their short skirts and the French Colonial with his baggy trousers add to the picturesque of the scene if not to its simplicity.
Americans are convinced that a six-blocks' walk will convince any skeptic of Constantinople's right to the title "most cosmopolitan city."

Spring Models Startle Paris

Paris, March 18.—Startling are the new spring models of dresses and costumes for women seen in Paris dressmaking establishments. Envious of the success achieved by stage costumers in showing dresses made up of two distinct colors leading dressmakers are bringing out dresses one-half of which will be one color, for example red, and the other half of another color, green. Some dresses will be divided up in quarters and each quarter will be of a different color. Some striking combinations of colors have been shown and costumers anticipate a big success.

Dayton's Hungry Burglar on Trial

Dayton, Ohio, Mar. 18.—Dayton's "hungry burglar" is on trial. If convicted he will get life for burglarizing inhabited dwellings at night. His name is Bradley Smith, alias James Jackson, colored. It is said he robbed more than a dozen houses.
Each night while out at "work" he would take time in a house to eat a meal from the icebox or cupboard. He tarried too long at a midnight lunch and was caught.

Marine Victorious; Wins German Girl, Then Secures Pass

(By International News Service.)
Chicago, Mar. 18.—If the marines want anything they usual get it, Hindenburg's warriors learned at Chateau-Thierry. And the state department has learned the same thing.
Former First Lieutenant James Frank Smith, of the Second division, A. E. F., is back in Chicago and with him his German bride of a few days, formerly Miss Erna Rosa Forstmayer. They were married February 9 in New York after Smith had induced Major-General John A. LeJeune to intercede with Secretary Colby to the extent of having the state department permit Miss Forstmayer to come to America to be married.
When Jimmy Smith, with his Sixth regiment of Marines, left the banks of the Rhine for the States in July, 1919, Erna slipped a small gold mesh bracelet on his left wrist.
"If you love me, James, this bracelet will never become loose from your wrist. Good-bye and good luck," she said.
After the wedding ceremony Lieutenant Smith held out his left wrist to his bride, and she solemnly unclasped the bracelet and they kissed as a token of their sincerity.
Smith went over to France and later to the bridgeheads of the Rhine in Germany as a sergeant. He was decorated with the French fourragere and given a single silver bar on his shoulders.
He was soon made a fleet supply officer, and had charge of one of the vessels on the Rhine. In this work he met Miss Forstmayer. It was a case of love at first sight for them both. Because of the order against fraternizing with German girls, Smith was forbidden to marry her and take her back to the states. Disheartened, Smith left Germany. He told her he would re- turn for her. This she refused be-

cause of "the expense of the trip," she explained.
Meantime, Smith implored his commanding officer, Major General Le Jeune, to intercede with the state department. Le Jeune talked it over with Bainbridge Colby. Colby finally acceded to the request to permit Smith's sweetheart to leave Germany, even though we were technically "at war with Germany." Miss Forstmayer set sail aboard the Lapland from Antwerp.
A Traveler's Aid representative met Miss Forstmayer at the pier and took her to Smith, then to the church.
The county court of Columbia county has \$162,387 to spend on good roads this year.

Truxton Beck Is Fined On Charge Involving Booze

Truxton Beck, a Salem boy who

Shake Into Your Shoes

Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into the shoes and sprinkled in the foot bath. The Plattsburg Camp Manual advises men in training to use Foot-Ease i. -their shoes each morning. It prevents blisters and sore spots and relieves painful, swollen, smarting feet and takes the sting out of corns and bunions. Always use Allen's Foot-Ease to break in new shoes. (adv)

Freckle-Face

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots
Do you know how easy it is to remove those ugly spots so that no one will call you freckle-face? Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength, from your druggist and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid your self of freckles and get a beautiful complexion. The sun and winds of March have a strong tendency to bring out freckles, and as a result more Othine is sold in this month. Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove the freckles. (adv)

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Heinz Demonstration

For Saturday only a representative of The Heinz Company will be with us and demonstrate the quality of their Baked Beans. Come in and taste them even if you do not expect to buy. We want you to know what they are like. They will be especially priced for Saturday.

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