

# This Week



By Arthur Brisbane

**PRESIDENT FACES WEST.  
THE DINOSAUR PARTY.  
STUDYING MUMMIES.  
MEN WILL DIG.**

President Coolidge will spend his vacation in the West, in response to many invitations. He should drive in a big automobile from Kansas City to Seattle down to San Diego, fishing here and there. He would see millions of Americans that like him.

The biggest wars are soon forgotten. Over a direct cable from the United States to Germany, opened last week, President Coolidge wired President Hindenburg his hope that "this additional means of communication will promote mutual understanding and good will between the two countries." And President Hindenburg replied most politely. Germany, rid of an expensive fleet, expensive standing army and extremely expensive Kaiser, attends to business and goes ahead more rapidly than any other country in Europe.

Mrs. Henry Fairfield Osborn entertained friends at the Museum of Natural History, in honor of the tyrannosaurus, in Dinosaur Hall.

That monster is 47 feet long from his beak to the end of his tail, 18 feet high at the hips, 21 feet around the waist, with bones that weigh more than two tons.

He was a powerful animal, but couldn't last because he didn't have a brain big in proportion to the size of his body.

Civilization has developed a more powerful creature, which is the two-legged billionaire, able to control and command the work of 200,000,000 men for one day.

That billionaire will soon be numerous and the interesting question concerning him will be, "What about his brain?" Will it be big enough to keep him safe?

The learned Dr. Sack, of Heidelberg University, studying thousands of Egyptian mummies, finds that high living killed off rich Egyptians as it kills off rich Americans now.

Foolish eating, lack of exercise.

## Mary Brian's Style

Spring Fashions



A charming Spring ensemble costume for wear now and later. Youthful to the last degree, it is equally as becoming to the young matron as to the younger girl. The dress is of Apple Green crepe de Chine. The coat, of the same shade, is of Kasha cloth.

especially lack of deep breathing, have through the centuries been skimming the scum off the boiling pot of civilization.

Mummies of the fifty dynasty show signs of tuberculosis, affecting the spine, and gout, swelling the joints.

The Supreme Court decides unanimously that Texas' laws forbidding negroes to vote at Democratic primaries is unconstitutional. It is a most important decision, and not to the South only, since it may mean Federal control over local primaries.

Where money is, men will dig. It was proved in Italy, before architects had learned how to make great domes like that on St. Peter's hold themselves up as they rose in the air. One dome was built and filled with earth to support it, as it rose, until the sides met at the top. Putting in the earth would be much less expensive than taking it out. So they mixed the earth beneath the dome with small coins of a total value much less than the cost of removing the earth. When the dome was finished the population was told it could bear away the coin-bearing dirt. The great dome stood empty.

This country last year imported more than \$50,000,000 worth of precious stones, \$5,000,000 more than the year before. And those purchases were made without the assistance of the extinct race of bartenders, to each of whom a large diamond was as necessary as a white apron.

M. Millet, French scientist, would tear down the honey bee's reputation built up by Maeterlinck, Lubbock and many others, back to Aristotle.

The bee is a dull, mechanical creature, says Millet; it does not know that it pollinizes flowers and

## Hasn't Missed a Day

School Contest



Bertha Kurtzhals, 10, Cedar County, Neb., with three years, six months and twenty-two days to her credit, at this writing, is entry No. 1 in a national contest to learn which boy or girl has the most perfect 5-day-a-week school attendance without being tardy or absent. Is there a boy or girl in this county who has a better record? Tell this newspaper. Send us your picture and let us enter you in this contest.

## Who'd a-Think It

BASEBALL



Last October the idol of baseball fans as leader of the first World Champ Cardinals—and five months later in New York Giant uniform, Roger Hornsby—greatest of National League batsmen, can tell you the wheels of fate turn fast.

Blossoms, does not even know which flowers have honey, thinks only of getting sugar.

You can say the same of our human honey bees of industry. They build up civilization, make wealth, leisure and culture possible, but they don't know it, or don't care. They also are "only looking for sugar."

But like the bee, they are doing the work for which the Lord created them, and that's sufficient.

## About Your Health

Things You Should Know



(by John Joseph Gaines, M. D.)

### PHYSICAL CULTURE

With millions of our people spending nine-tenths of their lives in offices, studios, sanctums and trade marts, some sort of artificial exercise becomes necessary to even moderate health. The reader will pardon me, if I devote this article to timely observations on the subject, rather than to technique.

### Tilden's Choice

Tennis



Wilbur F. Coen, Jr., of Kansas City, Mo., Boys' Tennis Champion of the United States, has the best net form in the world, says America's ace, Will'am Tilden. He created a sensation in Southern tournaments—and is looked upon as a future star for the American team.

There is no substitute to take the place of out-door activity as a congener of long life and healthy function, and as remarked before, all violation of the law of right living is penalized in length of days. Your "daily dozen" is capable of doing harm if overindulged. My friend, sixty years old, carried his effort to extreme; he bathed every morning in near-ice-water; then he put in a half-hour of violent "crawls," "dips," and "swings," until almost exhausted to "produce reaction". He now has a stroke of paralysis which will disable him for life. He did no outdoor work, having retired; he followed all sorts of fantastic notions in eating the no-breakfast folly, and the two-meal-a-day vagary; at his age, he took walks in zero temperature; he was a faddist.

Arterial changes due to age will not stand violent exertion. The warm bath before retiring takes much strain off the heart; a few moments deep breathing when first up in the morning is always useful. Moderate exercise before breakfast—the best meal of the day—is a promoter of appetite and digestion; five or ten minutes of tip-toeing and swinging of the arms and limbs, taking deep breaths, is a fine tonic, if indulged several times a day; it will counteract the cramped position at the desk, the poring over "the books," the attitude at the linotype or other machine. It is against excesses of artificial movements that I would warn. And, no exercise will take the place of the proper amount of sleep!

Next week: Intravenous Medication

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