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lows get life sentence before it passes.

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their transparent raincoat, and there  
isn't a bit of dust to get in anybody's  
eyes.

Domestic servants are employed in  
more than 800,000 homes in England  
and Wales.

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duced into Germany with great suc-  
cess.

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United States in 1913 was 105,820,000  
acres.

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pany has power to raise \$20,000,000  
through bonds, are expected to be  
completed in 1918-19. The latest  
scheme makes provision for a depth  
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imate number of sidings in the north  
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dry up the tissues. In other words, it does  
not play to the bleachers nor to the "fans."  
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blood remedy, one ingredient of which

**Too Good to Be True.**  
A woman, wearing an anxious ex-  
pression, called at an insurance office  
one morning.  
"I understand," she said, "that for  
\$5 I can insure my house for \$1000 in  
your company."  
"Yes," replied the agent, "that is  
right. If your house burns down we  
pay you \$1000."  
"And," continued the woman anx-  
iously, "do you make any inquiries as to  
the origin of the fire?"  
"Certainly," was the prompt reply:  
"we make the most careful inquiries,  
madam."  
"Oh!"—and she turned to leave the  
office—"I thought there was a catch  
in it somewhere."  
**A Long View.**  
Ted Brown, an American, was tour-  
ing Scotland and one afternoon  
mounted a high hill in company with  
a Scot who began bragging of the ex-  
tensive view.  
"I suppose you can see America  
from here on a fine day," said the  
American jocosely.  
"Oh, ay, farther than that," replied  
the other.  
"Farther than that?"  
"Ay! On a fine night we can see  
the moon."

**Both Cause and Cure.**  
Vice President Marshall has said  
That kissing's a cure for divorce—  
The thought has just entered our head  
That kissing is also the source.  
The Panama canal will save 8000  
miles between New York and San  
Francisco. The distance to the Philip-  
pino islands is not reduced material-  
ly, however.

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The Philippine assembly is consid-  
ering the offering of a substantial  
prize for a means of destroying the  
tobacco insect pest without injuring  
the tobacco.  
Territory around Punta Arenas, at  
the extreme south of Chile, has a  
healthful climate. Much cattle and  
sheep raising is done, and the district  
is rapidly building up.  
A rancher has applied for rental of  
320 acres of the Pike national forest,  
Colorado, to be used in connection  
with private land for raising elk as a  
commercial venture.  
The number of persons killed by  
lightning in the United States during  
a year averages nearly 600; about 400  
cattle are killed and annual damage  
by lightning is \$2,000,000.

For signaling between aeroplanes  
there has been invented apparatus for  
blowing fine black dust from a reser-  
voir in such a way as to form dots and  
dashes.  
A public pest we all despise.  
His actions make us groan—  
He guesses the wrong number  
And rings our telephone!  
The fellows who have stock to sell  
in the new oil fields are unanimous  
that it is "oil right."  
It's a long, hot Sabbath that knows  
no militant in England these days.  
There may be a few new spots on  
the sun, but he can still generate ca-  
loric powers that are quite adequate.  
A bunch of queens visited the city  
yesterday and the local admen stood  
aigh high with them.  
The oldest knight was a recent vis-  
itor and on June 21 we will have the  
longest day with us.

It must be adding insult to injury  
when a motorcycle is run down by an  
automobile and then hit by another  
while making repairs.  
After attempting to decipher the  
writing of some business men a  
fellow appreciates the wonders of  
even an old typewriter.  
If the love of money is the root of  
all evil, blowing a safe and finding  
it empty must be a case of "Love's  
Labor Lost."  
A woman with a new baby is some-  
times like a photograph—she plays  
over the same record of its wonders  
so often.  
**Their Origin.**  
Willie—Paw, where do jailbirds  
come from?  
Paw—They are raised by large bats  
and swallows, my son.—Cincinnati  
Enquirer.  
School teachers in Italy receive less  
than \$600 a year salary.

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west call upon BEHNKE-WALKER  
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**Smokeless Powder Visible.**  
An important discovery has been  
made by the bureau of ordnance of  
the navy department as a result of a  
series of experiments and investiga-  
tions, which have been conducted by  
order of Rear Admiral Strauss. A  
certain color of glass has been found  
to serve the purpose of rendering vis-  
ible the smoke from the smokeless  
powder discharges of a rifle.—Army  
and Navy Register.

**A Plunge.**  
Hicks—I've just taken a plunge in  
the stock market.  
Wicks—I always heard that there  
was a lot of water there.

**Obliging.**  
"Have you obliging neighbors?"  
"We have. They are obliging us to  
move by the infernal racket they keep  
up nights."

**Effective.**  
"Do you think criminal tendencies  
can be overcome by a surgical opera-  
tion?"  
"I am certain of it."  
"You think that, say, a pickpocket,  
for instance, can be cured of the de-  
sire to pick pockets by an operation?"  
"No, not on his brain. Amputate  
his hands."—Houston Post.

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**Disturbing Elements.**  
"A sailor told I'd like to be,"  
I heard the farmer roar;  
"For I would like to plow the sea  
And then raise Cain on shore."  
—Cincinnati Enquirer.  
"I wish I was the Prince of Wales,"  
Declared a country swain,  
"In answer to my people's 'hails,'  
I'd turn around and reign."  
—New York Mail.  
"I'd like to be the president,  
To save the land I'd burn;  
Then flood it all with eloquence—  
The smouldering hate to spurn!"  
—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Dr. Grace Feder Thompson's Kor-  
etonik for men and women relieves  
nervous exhaustion and debility. One  
month's treatment for \$1. Address  
348 Post street, San Francisco, Cal.  
English papers announce that the  
world's biggest ocean liner is to be  
built at Belfast. It will be of 60,000  
tons, whereas the Vaterland is of 59,  
000 gross tons, the Imperator 52,171,  
the Britannic 50,000, the Aquitania 47,  
000 and the Olympic 46,369 tons. Con-  
sul Sharp reports that the Britannic  
was launched at Belfast on February  
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them fitted with powerful engines.  
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sea** quickly disappear with the use of Wright's  
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It was a mean thief who stole a  
preacher's sermon the day before  
Sunday and no time to prepare new  
ones.  
The state education department has  
adopted denatured spelling and we'll  
have to try to learn to spell all over  
again.  
Here's a new paradox: The Atlantic  
seaboard is burning, although it isn't  
board, but sand, and is flooded with  
water.  
The garden contest will be shown  
in moving pictures. The promoters  
seem determined to keep the thing  
moving.  
It really sounds quite superfluous to  
hold a housewarming at a fire station.

The boy, who stood guard for candy  
theives, realizes now what Milton  
meant when he said: "They also serve  
who only stand and wait."  
Saturday was Decoration day; the  
treets were brilliantly illuminated and  
were a number of the spectators.  
The plunge had a busy day for its  
season's opening, but, after all, Satur-  
day is tub day for a lot of people any-  
way.  
Putnam Fadeless Dyes are the  
easiest to use.  
A railroad official says we should  
sit down in cars, but they keep right  
up front.

**Parole Denied Ref.**  
San Quentin—The state board of  
prison directors by a vote of 4 to 1 de-  
nied the application for parole of  
Abraham Ruef, the former political  
boss of San Francisco, who is serving  
a 14-year term in the penitentiary as  
the result of a conviction in 1908 in  
the so-called graft prosecution on a  
charge of offering a bribe to a super-  
visor. According to the rules of the  
board Ruef's application cannot come  
up again within one year, except on  
the recommendation of the warden or  
a director's motion to reconsider.

**Yellow Rain Explained.**  
Seward, Alaska—Reports from Cook  
Inlet points received Sunday may ex-  
plain a widespread fall of yellow pum-  
ice over Southwestern Alaska and in  
the interior as far as Fairbanks. A ter-  
rific wind storm early in June along  
the Alaska peninsula blew immense  
clouds of volcanic ash thrown out by  
Mount Katmai, in the volcanic erup-  
tion two years ago, high into the air.  
The atmosphere along Cook Inlet ap-  
peared smoky for days, and when the  
rain fell the surface of the sea was  
covered with the yellow dust.

**Gila Monster Bites Man.**  
Medford, Or.—James King, a car-  
nival snake charmer, was bitten by a  
Gila monster Sunday night in the pre-  
sence of scores of women and children,  
dozens of whom fainted. King be-  
came hysterical and fell in a collapse  
in the pit. Attaches tried the rep-  
tile's jaws apart and rushed King to a  
hospital. His life is despaired of.

## PLANE HITS AIRSHIP

**Nine Men Lose Lives in Aerial War  
Maneuvers in Austria.**

**Army Officers Obey Orders to Con-  
duct Themselves as in Actual  
Combat in the Air.**

Vienna—Nine terribly burned and  
mutilated bodies, the splintered frag-  
ments of an aeroplane and the charred  
remains of a big dirigible balloon are  
the mute records of one of the most  
tragic disasters since man learned to fly.

The catastrophe, which resulted in  
the death of all concerned, followed a  
mimic attack by the aeroplane on the  
dirigible at a great height at the Aus-  
trian army maneuvers, and it served to  
show, more than any previous accident  
to flying machines has done, the hor-  
rors that would be likely to attend  
aerial warfare.

The dirigible military balloon Koer-  
ting left Fischenand, a market town  
11 miles from Vienna. She was in  
command of Captain Johann Haus-  
wirth. At the lapse of half an hour a  
military aeroplane of the biplane type,  
with Lieutenant Platz and Lieutenant  
Hook aboard, started in pursuit.

It was the intention of Captain  
Hauswirth to take photographs of the  
movements of troops below and then  
to join in the maneuvers. At the  
same time he was to keep out of range  
of any of the mosquito craft which  
might seek to attack him. The news  
had gone abroad that something in the  
nature of a sham aerial fight would  
take place, and at Koenigsberg, the  
scene of the engagement, a big crowd  
had gathered.

Quickly the smaller but much speed-  
ier craft overtook the big airship.  
As might a wasp bent on attacking  
some clumsy enemy, the aeroplane  
circled several times around the bal-  
loon, now darting close to her, and  
then away.

Meanwhile the balloon continued to  
rise until it was about 1300 feet from  
the ground. The aeroplane, at a still  
greater height, maneuvered until it  
appeared to be nearly over the airship.  
Then it made its descent. It was the  
evident intention of the pilot of the  
aeroplane to take up a position di-  
rectly above the dirigible within strik-  
ing distance, but, owing to a fatal  
miscalculation, either of the distance  
separating the two craft or of speed,  
the nose of the biplane struck the en-  
velope of the airship and ripped it  
wide open.

A tremendous explosion followed;  
the balloon burst into flames, which  
enveloped the biplane, and in a mo-  
ment the wreckage began to drop,  
crashing at length like lead to the  
slope of a hill.

**Male Suffragist Pitched  
Into Lake by Crowd**

London—A nearby artificial lake  
gave a big crowd a unique opportunity  
Sunday to vent its wrath on suffragist  
interrupters of David Lloyd-George,  
chancellor of the exchequer, who spoke  
at Denmark Hill, in the south of Lon-  
don, but chivalrous discrimination was  
employed as between the men and  
women disturbers, the women being  
chased off the grounds and the men be-  
ing ducked in the lake.

The man who fared worst was a  
clergyman, said to be a member of  
Sylvia Pankhurst's East End army.  
Undeterred by the fate that had be-  
fallen other disturbers, he demanded  
to know why the government had not  
given votes to women. The spectators  
were infuriated and he was pitched  
into the lake, from which, after frequent immer-  
sions, he was rescued in a half-drowned  
condition.

**Peace Mediators Gain  
New Lease of Life**

Niagara Falls, Ont.—Instead of ad-  
journing abruptly, as had been expect-  
ed, the mediation proceedings will be  
prolonged for perhaps another week.  
The change was brought about as a  
result of the visit of Minister Noon,  
of Argentina, to Washington, where he  
conferred with President Wilson and  
Secretary Bryan. Dr. Noon brought  
back a spirit of optimism and some  
new ideas which he imparted to the  
other conferees.

The determination which seems to  
have been reached is to keep the  
mediation board from formal adjourn-  
ment.

**Militant Dons Shackles.**

London—A suffragette created a di-  
version in the center of the city by  
chaining herself to the statue of the  
Duke of Wellington in front of the  
Royal exchange. She then shouted to  
the passing business men, calling on  
them to intervene in behalf of impris-  
oned women. She was removed by the  
police amid the jeers of a large crowd.  
Suffragettes carrying sandwich boards  
to advertise their cause were attacked  
by a crowd of working girls as they  
were parading through Whitehall.  
Two of the militants were beaten.

**Fancy Trunks Are Doomed.**

Detroit—Freak trunks, embellished  
with conical protruberances, slant sides  
and unusual tops, soon may be unpop-  
ular among the best trunk society.  
The American association of General  
Baggage agents opened its annual  
convention here with the avowed pur-  
pose of taking concerted action to urge  
the Interstate commerce commission  
to consider a plan for the standardiza-  
tion of trunks, both as to size and con-  
struction.

**"Eugenic" Law Sustained.**

Madison, Wis.—The Supreme court  
upheld the so-called "eugenic law,"  
which had been held unconstitutional  
by a lower court in Milwaukee. The  
eugenic marriage law requires male  
applicants for marriage licenses to un-  
dergo blood tests as to a condition to  
granting of a license and was enacted  
by the last legislature.

**Fierce Tribe Dispersed.**

Oudja, Morocco—Columns of French  
troops under General Baumgarten and  
General Gourard, after four days of  
almost continuous fighting, have dis-  
persed the fierce Riata tribe. The  
troops burned the villages and killed  
and wounded hundreds of tribesmen.  
The French lost 11 killed and 53  
wounded.

**20-Year Bill Advanced.**

## Federation of Women's Clubs Ends Meeting

Chicago—The 12th biennial conven-  
tion of the General Federation of  
Women's clubs passed into history  
Thursday night as one of the most suc-  
cessful ever held.

Features of the day were a protest  
against the indorsement of suffrage  
for women and a burst of giving which  
poured \$20,000 in comparatively small  
sums into the treasury of the federa-  
tion and completed the endowment  
fund of \$100,000.

When the women started out to get  
the fund they evolved a plan whereby  
for \$50 the giver may name some per-  
son or organization to be listed on  
the honor membership roll; \$100 ad-  
mits to the roll of honor, and \$500 to  
the founder's list.

Mrs. Percy V. Pennypacker, the  
president, started things with an elo-  
quent plea for funds and New York  
state responded with a statement that  
the women of that state had completed  
their share of the endowment with  
\$4700. Other states followed suit and  
several women paid for the distinction  
for their husbands.

Mrs. Robert J. Burdette spoke for  
the Commission had no authority  
to issue "blanket" or "zone" orders,  
and might act only on the reasonable-  
ness of specific rates. In overturning  
that contention and holding that the  
Commission did have such power, the  
Supreme court decided a point which  
lawyers and close observers of the In-  
terstate Commerce commission's pro-  
cedure say is of equal importance to  
the intermountain rate case itself, if  
not greater.

Opposition to the 5 per cent increase  
in freight rates being asked by the  
Eastern railroads, and upon which the  
Interstate Commerce commission is  
expected to announce its decision at  
any time, had been based principally  
upon the contention that the commis-  
sion did not have authority under the  
law to grant such a "blanket" in-  
crease. Copies of the court's decision  
were sent immediately to the commis-  
sion for its guidance.

What the effect, if any, of the de-  
cision upon the rate case may be can  
only be the subject of conjecture.  
As to the intermountain rate orders  
themselves, however, their effect is  
that such Western cities as  
Rocky mountains as Reno, Spokane  
and Phoenix will not be forced to pay  
upon their freight from the East the  
regular rate through to the Pacific  
Coast and then also another rate from  
the Pacific back to their stations, be-  
cause the railroads are competing with  
water-borne traffic around Cape Horn  
or through the Panama canal.

**Roosevelt Will Not Enter  
Fall Political Campaign**

London—Colonel Theodore Roose-  
velt is suffering from an affection of  
the larynx as a direct result of the  
hardships he endured in his recent  
Brazilian trip, which will effectually  
prevent him from taking part as an  
orator in the political campaign in the  
United States this fall and compel  
him to exercise the greatest care for  
some months to come.

"This is my answer to those who  
wanted me to go into a campaign,"  
said Colonel Roosevelt in describing  
the condition of his throat. "If any-  
one expected me to do so, I cannot  
now."

The announcement of the ex-presi-  
dent's disability was after he had paid  
a visit to Sir St. Clair Thompson, pro-  
fessor of laryngology and physician of  
diseases of the nose and throat in  
Kings College hospital, a specialist  
whom he had consulted when he was  
in London in 1910.

The exertion of addressing the  
Royal Geographical society recently  
brought about a culmination of the  
weakness which Colonel Roosevelt's  
friends observed on his arrival in  
London.

It was on account of throat trouble  
that he insisted on speaking in a small  
hall instead of a large one in which  
the society had wished to hold the  
meeting in order to accommodate the  
great number who had sought to ob-  
tain seats.

**Threatens Arrest of Carden.**

Verva Cruz—British subjects who  
arrived here from Mexico City report-  
ed a recent clash between President  
Huerta and Sir Lionel Carden, the  
British minister. The dispute arose  
over the advice volunteered by Sir  
Lionel that the de facto president  
should resign and leave the country  
immediately. The British minister  
also offered General Huerta safe con-  
duct and a warship to take him and his  
family to any port he might name.  
Huerta is said to have become enraged  
and threatened to arrest Carden.

**Yale Rowing Crew Beats  
Harvard by Four Inches**

New London, Conn.—By a margin of  
four inches Yale won the varsity four-  
mile eight-oared race in the Thames  
river Saturday after a struggle which  
will stand out in rowing history.  
Through a four-mile lane of steam  
yachts and motorboats the 16 crewmen  
toiled at the crimson-and-blue-tipped  
oars as no palley slave ever labored  
under the lash, while thousands of  
spectators shrieked hysterically.

When the knife-like prows of the  
racing shells had cut past the final line  
of flags and oarsmen dropped with  
heaving chests, few of the thousands  
knew whether victory had perched  
upon the bow of the Yale or the Har-  
vard racing craft.

**Railway Sues Man it Hit.**

Newark, N. J.—As the result of a  
recent collision at Bloomfield, N. J.,  
between a team driven by F. V. Wil-  
kinson, of this city, and an Erie Rail-  
road locomotive, the road has sued Wil-  
kinson for \$100 damages because "di-  
vers slats" of the cowcatcher of the  
engine were broken, the paint on the  
locomotive was bruised and the track  
"strewn with litter." This unusual  
suit is an answer and counter-claim to  
an action for \$25,000 damages brought  
against the railroad by Wilkinson, who  
says he suffered a broken hip.

**Baseball by Girls "Bad."**

San Francisco—Playing baseball in  
public by young girls is bad for their  
morals, bad for their physically and  
bad for the crowds of male spectators,  
according to Mrs. J. C. Levy, past  
president, and Miss Frederica Meyer-  
stein, secretary, of the San Francisco  
Juvenile Protective association.

They have entered a protest against  
a team of girls being permitted to con-  
test against a team of men on the  
city's recreation grounds in connec-  
tion with the Panama-Pacific exhi-  
sition next year.

**1000 Lard, Vessel Sinks.**

## RATE CASE DECIDED

**Contentions of Spokane Upheld by  
U. S. Supreme Court.**

**Pending 5 Per Cent Increase Rate  
Case Result Believed Fore-  
shadowed by Ruling.**

Washington, D. C.—The Interstate  
Commerce commission's so-called "in-  
termountain or Spokane" rate orders  
were sustained as valid Tuesday by  
the Supreme court, which held, at the  
same time, that the long and short-  
haul clause of the interstate commerce  
law was constitutional. Both had been at-  
tacked by the transcontinental rail-  
roads.

The defunct Commerce court, pass-  
ing over the constitutional question,  
had annulled the orders on the ground  
that the Commission had no authority  
to issue "blanket" or "zone" orders,  
and might act only on the reasonable-  
ness of specific rates. In overturning  
that contention and holding that the  
Commission did have such power, the  
Supreme court decided a point which  
lawyers and close observers of the In-  
terstate Commerce commission's pro-  
cedure say is of equal importance to  
the intermountain rate case itself, if  
not greater.

Opposition to the 5 per cent increase  
in freight rates being asked by the  
Eastern railroads, and upon which the  
Interstate Commerce commission is  
expected to announce its decision at  
any time, had been based principally  
upon the contention that the commis-  
sion did not have authority under the  
law to grant such a "blanket" in-  
crease. Copies of the court's decision  
were sent immediately to the commis-  
sion for its guidance.

What the effect, if any, of the de-  
cision upon the rate case may be can  
only be the subject of conjecture.  
As to the intermountain rate orders  
themselves, however, their effect is  
that such Western cities as  
Rocky mountains as Reno, Spokane  
and Phoenix will not be forced to pay  
upon their freight from the East the  
regular rate through to the Pacific  
Coast and then also another rate from  
the Pacific back to their stations, be-  
cause the railroads are competing with  
water-borne traffic around Cape Horn  
or through the Panama canal.

**Hindus on Japanese Vessel  
Retuse to Let Ship Sail**

Vancouver, B. C.—Rights of 375  
Hindus aboard the Japanese steamer  
Komagata Maru to enter Canada as-  
sumed a serious aspect Saturday when  
the Hindus took absolute command of  
the vessel and intimidated the 30  
members of the crew, who had made  
preparations for getting up steam and  
leaving the harbor. The Hindus  
warned the crew they would fight  
rather than allow the anchor to be  
lifted. The crew was held in terror.

Furthermore, it was announced that  
newspapers in India had bared an al-  
leged conspiracy to overthrow the  
British government in that country.  
This plot, it is alleged, has been abet-  
ted by Hindus who have succeeded in  
gaining entrance to America.

This, coupled with the fact that the  
two Japanese warships which have  
been touring the Pacific Coast and vis-  
iting American cities are due there  
Sunday morning, has given an unex-  
pected turn to the situation, which  
threatens to take the controversy out-  
side the pale of immigration laws.

**Modern romance—M. Callaux came  
through a duel unscathed and was  
then all massed up by an automobile.**

While breaking records as we do,  
With ninety in the shade,  
We love to cool our arid with  
Ice cream and lemonade.

Native runners in South Africa re-  
ceive 60 cents a day.  
Canada's cultivated area in 1911  
was 32,404,110 acres.  
Nine thousand Scotchmen went to  
Canada last year.  
Switzerland now makes 69 hours a  
legal working day.  
India levies a tax on all incomes of  
\$165 a year and upward.

Pennsylvania has refused to abolish  
hanging as murder penalty.  
Moving pictures were recently ad-  
mitted in evidence in a Boston court.  
Los Angeles has 140,000 telephone  
subscribers, served by two companies.

In 1913 Bermuda shipped more than  
35,000 pounds of onion seed to the  
United States.

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and had not  
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suffering great pain. I tried doctor's  
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cines but failed to get relief. My hus-  
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