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### SKETCH OF PRE-HISTORIC MAN

Early Painting Proves That Thousands of Centuries Ago Humanity Walked on Four Feet.

The Paris Figaro gives an account of a recent remarkable discovery of paintings in a prehistoric cave of South France. In particular, a sketch has been found of a man who went on all fours and possessed a tail. The account runs, in part:

"Count Begouen and his sons discovered on the walls of the subterranean galleries some engravings estimated to be 30,000 years old, and in such quantity and variety that the extraordinary ensemble of prehistoric art work constitutes a veritable museum.

"The animals figured in the cave are considerable in number, and include reindeers, bisons, horses, both isolated and in groups; bears, elephants and rhinoceroses. The representation of felines are very rare in pre-historic art, but Count Begouen has photographed in their cave a genuine lion, executed in bas-relief. They have made out, also, several birds, including swans and ducks, as well as three predatory night flyers.

"The human figure is likewise represented in the cave, which, in recognition of the sons of Count Begouen, has been baptized 'the Cave of the Three Brothers.' A silhouette is particularly remarkable, almost baffling. It represents a man in motion—a man of powerful body, whose head and shoulders are joined by an enormous neck; a man whose upper and lower limbs and whose hands and feet are perfect-

ly human, but whose vertebral column is prolonged in an exterior appendage resembling that of the anthropoids—a man at last, 'who walks on four feet!'

#### Classifying the Apartment.

The apartment, in spite of wide physical differences, belongs to the same family as the lead razor and the wooden nutmeg. It is built to get rid of; and the persons who acquire one usually find that it isn't what they thought it was. In the popular mind the apartment belongs to the great family of homes, and can easily be made into a true home by the addition of a rubber plant and an enlarged photograph of the Colosseum. This is as much of a fallacy as to think that a bluejay can be made into a bluebird by giving him a bluebird house to nest in. The bluejay belongs to the crow family; and while his plumage may please the esthetic senses for a time, his raucous screams and his bullying pugnaency will inevitably offend every one. The wise man, in acquiring an apartment, views it as a branch of the wooden nutmeg family and determines to pass it on to someone else with all possible speed.—Judge.

#### Our Language.

A French soldier, enthusiastic over the beauties of his best girl, was endeavoring to convey an idea of some of her charms to an English comrade. "She is pretty," the Frenchman said. "Yes, I see, fairly pretty, eh?" the Englishman replied. "Ah! that is the word! She is fair." "O, yes, pretty fair!" the Englishman responded.—Cartoons Magazine.

### MEANS END OF ALL THINGS

Number "30," Originally Newspaper Symbol, Has Come to Have Significance of Dire Import.

By frequent reference to it, noted by newspaper readers, doubtless the meaning of that cabalistic symbol "30" has become familiar to many, but this incident and explanation is printed in connection with the obsequies of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in the Montreal La Patrie. "What does that signify?" was asked by thousands who filed past the casket of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and had remarked the bouquet of flowers upon which lay the symbol "30" in red figures. This floral tribute was given by members of the press gallery in the Dominion parliament. For them this number means the same as the words which the great departed pronounced some days after being stricken by his malady: "It is ended." (Crest flut.) The origin of this conventional symbol has been lost in the traditions of journalism, but after each night and at the end of every day the conventional "30" traversed the continent from end to end. Editors in time adopted the sign "30" to inform the staff, the various news departments and the

composing room that all the "copy" was finished and that there would be nothing additional. Finally, for newspaper men, the number "30" became the symbol of the end of all things of earth, and even of life.

#### Yanks Like French Souvenirs.

Yankee soldiers are keeping the French shops busy these days. Souvenirs of France and various regions and cities of France are all the go. Among these souvenirs are brooches bearing the arms of different cities. The head of the famous Lion of Bel-fort, the statue of Bartholdi, the sculptor who designed the goddess of Liberty, is another favorite. The Lorraine cross has also proved very popular with the Yanks. This symbol has two sets of cross arms instead of one. It appeals particularly to the Americans because of the part which the Yanks played in Lorraine during the war. The Red Cross dog and the lucky white elephant charm are other French souvenirs which the Americans are procuring in large numbers to take back to the States.—From The Spiker, France.

Hogs always seem to be ten cents higher.

### 23 Years Ago.

(From the Press of July 11, 1896)

Levy Estes and the Stanton boys departed for Teel Springs Monday morning for a few weeks outing.

Fred Rosenzweig and family are rustiating in the mountains this week. They will locate huckleberry patches for future reference.

Born, near Athens, July 12, 1896, to Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Page, a girl.

S. D. Burrell, a former pastor of this city, but now of Sprague, Wash., was recently married at Mt. Morris, Illinois.

County Clerk Burroughs has issued 388 marriage licenses during his two years term of office.

At the municipal election in Walla Walla Tuesday, Jacob Betz defeated Dr. N. G. Blalock for mayor by a majority of 50 votes.

Born in Athens, July 14, 1896.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Maloney, a boy, "Bob" says the young man is a democrat. Believes in free coinage and will bear through life the name of Bryan.

While playing in Kirk's pasture one day last week, "Tot" Miller effected the capture of a giant grasshopper. The insect measured just 4 3/4 inches in length.

Bertha A. Bales and William Potts were united in marriage by Rev. G. Rushing, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Walker, Sunday afternoon. The young couple are well and favorably known to our readers.

At the N. A. Miller residence Tuesday evening, several ladies witnessed a beautiful sight. A rare cactus, which blooms but once a year, was the attraction. The bloom, of which there were three, was of a rich creamy white, trumpet shape and 9 inches in length.

Miss Mattie Wood of Weston and Mrs. Florence McDonald of Summer-ville, had a narrow escape from drowning while bathing in the swimming pool at Lehman springs last Monday. The first scream of a bystander brought Joe Wood to the rescue, but his efforts alone were fruitless against the frantic struggles of the ladies. Fortunately Tom Montgomery and Charlie McFarland reached the spot in time to raise the three drowning people from the water and to save their lives.

### The KITCHEN CABINET

If we are commonplace and indifferent, we will find other people so. Mind finds its level just as water does. A really original and sympathetic person will find others interesting and agreeable. To complain of those we meet is really to admit ourselves dull.

#### SALAD DRESSINGS AND GAR-NISHES.

For those who will not learn to like the delicious oil dressings there are others which will prove satisfactory.

**Cream Dressing**—Put two table-spoonsful of butter into a sauce-pan, and when melted add three table-spoonsful of flour, when smooth add a cup of sweet cream, let boil, stirring all the while. After cooking five minutes, remove from the fire, add a half cup of sour cream, the juice of half a lemon, salt and sugar to taste. Serve this on fruit of various kinds; apples and bananas are good with this dressing. When serving it with vegetables or with fish or meat add a bit of mustard, onion juice and any seasoning liked.

**Mayonnaise Dressing**—Mix together half a teaspoonful of salt, and a teaspoonful of sugar, a dash of cayenne and add to a beaten egg yolk, beating all well. Then add a few drops of olive oil, keeping the bowl standing in ice; add a table-spoonful of each of lemon juice and vinegar, alternating with the oil until half a cup of oil has been used, then add the oil faster until a cupful has been beaten in. Just before using the mayonnaise a generous amount of whipped cream may be added and more seasoning.

**Tartare Sauce**—This is mayonnaise dressing with the addition of chopped pickles, olives, parsley, capers and onion. Use a fourth of a cup to one cup of the dressing. Never mix mayonnaise with meat or fish until ready to serve. All salads that need marinating before serving should be marinated with French dressing and the thicker mayonnaise used just as it is served. Mayonnaise may be colored with pounded spinach or lobster coral.

**Garnishes**—Edible garnishes are the only ones which should be used except perhaps at weddings. The custom of tying up food with ribbons is most undesirable. Millinery is not in place as a rule on the dining table. Brains and ingenuity are the best recipes for attractive garnishes.

*Nellie Maxwell*

**Marries Brother's Widow.**

Topeka, Kan.—An unusual feature developed at the marriage license desk in the probate judge's office here when Ernest D. Day, thirty-two years of age of this city, secured a license to wed Katie Day, twenty-one years of age of Topeka, Mrs. Day was the widow of his brother. This is said to be the first time in the history of Topeka that a man has married his brother's widow.

## Standard Theatre

Saturday, July 19



MARY PICKFORD, *Amarilly of Clothesline Alley*

An AIRCRAFT Picture.

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Sunday, July 20

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Wednesday July 23

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### Sails With Largest Cargo Ever Carried

Galveston, Tex.—The distinction of carrying the largest cargo ever contained in the holds of a vessel for the British steamship Indore, which left here for Liverpool with 28,595 square bales of cotton. This was accomplished by a method of scientifically compressing the bales until they occupied minimum space. The closest approach to the record was made by the Russian steamship Quak, which in December, 1917, carried 27,130 square bales from Galveston to Liverpool. A strict news censorship would not permit mention of that record.

The genius who evolved the soviet did not invent much.

From what country did they get the name for Turkish baths?

The high cost of explosive material never discouraged an anarchist.

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