



MRS. ELVA CAULKINS

"I have gained thirty pounds since taking Taniac and never felt better in my life than I do now. Mother says she hasn't seen me looking so well since I was a girl," said Mrs. Elva Caulkins, 303 Blandina St., Utica, N. Y.

"For eighteen long years I suffered from stomach trouble and sluggish liver, and during all that time I hardly knew what a well day was. As I almost starved myself trying to avoid indigestion, I fell off until I was hardly more than a shadow, and was so weak I was barely able to drag myself around the house. As a result of my long suffering I became almost a nervous wreck.

"This was the condition I was in when I started taking Taniac, but today I am strong and well, feeling and looking like a different person from what I did a short time ago. It is no wonder to me that so many people praise Taniac to the skies."

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\$350,000 ROAD BONDS JACKSON CO. ARE SOLD

County Judge Gardner and Commissioner Bursell Conclude Deal—Call for Bids On, 13 Miles Crater Lake Highway This Week.

County Judge Gardner and County Commissioner Victor Bursell returned from Portland Sunday where they disposed of the \$350,000 road bonds at part to the Chicago firm of C. W. McNair and company. Two hundred thousand dollars of these bonds are for work on the Crater Lake road and \$150,000 for the Ashland Klamath road. They also attended the meeting of the commission. Mr. Gardner says that while the federal road bureau has not received definite instructions to go ahead and let contracts on the Crater Lake road between Trail and Prospect, they expect to do so this week. The government and state highway commissions will each spend \$150,000 on this project, this year, a total of \$300,000. They will grade, macadam and build cement bridges from Trail, 7 miles toward Prospect or to McCloud and from Prospect this way about 6 miles to Cascade gorge, which will include all bridges between Trail and Prospect.

This will leave about a nine mile gap to be taken care of next year, which is known as the Fioncée Rock section, a fairly good road, built by convict labor and county work a few years ago.

The Crater Lake road from Medford to Trail and Prospect to Crater Lake is either built or under contract to be built this year.

District Highway Engineer K. M. Hodgman has also returned from Portland where he attended a session of the highway commission, and says arrangements have been made to advertise for bids at the next meeting of the commission to pave Sexton mountain, otherwise known as Smith hill, and through the Cow Creek canyon. This work, when let will complete all the Pacific highways, either paved or being paved, in his district, from the California line to Roseburg.

HYLAN CLAIMS STANDARD OIL CONTROLS U. S.

New York Mayor Harks Back to Roosevelt's Invisible Govt. in Chicago Speech—Declares Both Parties Puppets to Money Power.

CHICAGO, Mar. 27.—Mayor John F. Hylan of New York, after a speech last night during which he looked forward to the next presidential election and charged that "invisible government" represented by the Rockefeller-Standard Oil interests and a group of international bankers was menacing the United States government, today was passing his second full day in Chicago with a round of sightseeing and social incidents. He arrived late Saturday and will return to New York tomorrow.

The New York executive in his speech before a large body of members of the Knights of Columbus, criticized the ratification of the four power Pacific treaty by the senate and referring to the next presidential election declared that independent men were needed in the race for the office of chief executive of the land.

Referring to Theodore Roosevelt's condemnation of "invisible government," Mayor Hylan said the quotation was timely now, adding, "for the real menace of our independence is like a giant octopus sprawls its slimy length over city, state and nation."

"To depart from mere generalizations," continued the mayor, "let me say that at the head of this octopus are the Rockefeller, Standard Oil interests and a small group of powerful banking houses generally referred to as the international bankers."

The Rockefeller interests control the Standard Oil company, a corporation composed of several hundred associated and affiliated concerns transacting a combined business of more than three billion dollars a year. The Standard Oil flag floats over a fleet of ocean-going vessels larger in number and tonnage than the United States navy and the pennant of Standard Oil is followed and supported by the flag of the United States all over the world.

"The little coterie of international bankers practically runs the United States government for their own selfish purposes. They practically control both parties, write political platforms, make cats' paws of party leaders, using leading men of private organizations and resort to every device to place in nomination for high public office only such candidates as will be amenable to corrupt big business."

"They connive at centralization of government on the theory that a small group of hand-picked, privately controlled individuals in power can be more easily handled than a larger group, among whom there will most likely be men sincerely interested in public welfare."

LOCAL WOMAN IS GIVEN \$25 GIFT BY K. KLUX KLAN

The sight of two members of the local Ku Klux Klan riding down Main street and out South Central yesterday in an auto in full Klan regalia attracted much attention of people on the street, who at once jumped to the conclusion that "something is doing."

The auto proceeded on South Central and stopped in front of No. 245, where the Ku Klux men got out, entered the house for a moment, handed Mrs. R. E. Johnson \$25 and drove away again. Mrs. Johnson has had much trouble the past year and is trying to make a living for herself and children by keeping boarders.

The whereabouts of her husband is unknown. After Johnson, who is a tobacco salesman, was found not guilty in court of a criminal charge preferred by his employers, for whom he looked after the Medford business of the concern, he went north. In his last letter to her he wrote that he was laid up with a broken leg and asked his wife to address him in the future in care of general delivery, Portland. That was long ago and her several letters sent to him have never been answered.

Much sympathy is felt for Mrs. Johnson by all persons familiar with her troubles and her husband's disappearance. She called at the Mail Tribune office this noon and left the following card of thanks:

"To the members of the Medford Ku Klux Klan: I wish to express my appreciation and thanks for the interest you have shown in myself and child."

MRS. R. E. JOHNSON, "245 South Central."

12-YEAR-OLD BOY HALTS JAIL BREAK

MARION, Ill., Mar. 27.—Pushing a revolver from his breast, Ralph Thaxton, 12 year old son of Sheriff Melvin Thaxton last night ran six blocks to the city hall, summoned policemen and frustrated an attempted jail delivery.

The police arrived at the city jail while eight prisoners were pummeling Sheriff Thaxton. A shot fired by Policeman Tom Freese killed George Wilson, 18, a prisoner.

The prisoners, 13 in all, had been exercising when the sheriff, his son and a negro employe entered the enclosure to lock them up for the night. Wilson hit the sheriff in the face with his fist and the fight started. Dent Hinkle, an alleged forger dashed to the city hall and called help. Hinkle was the only prisoner to escape. The sheriff's wounds were not serious.

SIR AUK. GEDDES AND LADY GEDDES ARE CITY'S GUESTS

Sir Auckland Geddes, British ambassador to the United States, and Lady Geddes, were the guests of the Medford Chamber of Commerce for a few hours this afternoon. When it became known to the officers of the local chamber that this distinguished Englishman and his party was to pass through this city en route from California to Portland, an invitation was dispatched through E. O. McCormick, vice president of the Southern Pacific, for an automobile ride over the Stakiyoua from Hornbrook to Medford. The invitation was accepted. The local chamber invited the Ashland Chamber of Commerce to join in the trip and this invitation was accepted.

A local committee, consisting of Vernon Vawter, George T. Collins, Ben C. Sheldon, Alex Sparrow, Mayor Gates and M. Montgomery left by auto shortly after lunch for Hornbrook, picking up a delegation from Ashland, consisting of E. V. Carter, Bert Greer, Mayor Lamkin, John H. Fuller and others.

A tour through Ashland's Lithia park and possibly a short stop for an informal greeting in that city, will be a part of the program. The uncertainty of the time of arrival here and as to any time allowance before the train pulls out, together with the fact that it will be dark just preceding the departure from Medford, made it seem unwise to attempt anything in the way of a formal greeting in this city.

JAP AMBASSADOR LEAVES FOR HOME

WASHINGTON, March 27.—Ambassador Shidehara of Japan called at the White House today and said good bye to President Harding preparatory to leaving tonight for San Francisco to sail, April 2 for Japan. The Japanese minister on leaving the White House said he would be gone several months and might possibly have to undergo an operation in Japan.

ALLIES ISSUE ULTIMATUM

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The people or the government that would reject these propositions through prejudice assumes the responsibility for the continuation of the conflict.

Dealing with Armenia the document says: "The situation of the Armenians has received special consideration as much on account of the obligation contracted by the allied powers during the war as on account of the cruel suffering endured by that people. Consequently the aid of the League of Nations is sought in addition to provisions made for the protection of minorities, with a view to satisfying the traditional aspirations of the Armenian people and the establishment of a national home for them."

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N. Y. BRIDEGROOM SHOTS AT BRIDE HITS HER FRIEND

SEATTLE, March 27.—Patrolman Frank W. Speir was wounded, perhaps fatally and Mrs. Blanche Baker was shot in the back here today by John G. Alonge, insurance adjuster of New York, who fired twice at his bride of four months whom he said he had traced to Seattle after she had deserted him in New York. Mrs. Alonge escaped injury. Alonge was taken an hour after the shooting and lodged in the city jail.

Mrs. Baker, who occupied an apartment near that of Mrs. Alonge, called Speir when Alonge appeared at his wife's apartment, Mrs. Alonge told police. As the policeman started to enter the room followed by Mrs. Baker Alonge fired twice at his wife, one shot striking Speir and the other Mrs. Baker. At the hospital where Mrs. Baker was taken it was said she would recover.

PARDON FOR IRISH AGITATOR DENIED

ALBANY, N. Y., Mar. 27.—Governor Miller has denied the application for a pardon for Jim Larkin, the Irish agitator, convicted of criminal anarchy, he announced today.

Larkin's attorney had told Governor Miller that if Larkin were set free he would return to Ireland where it was said, he had a large fortune and would be a potent force in uniting the Collins and DeValera factions.

Bill Poster Case Dropped. WASHINGTON, March 27.—The government moved in the supreme court today to dismiss its case brought under the Sherman anti-trust law against the Associated Bill Posters and Distributors of the United States and Canada.

A basis of settlement satisfactory to the government has been reached, it was said.

German Exchange Drops. NEW YORK, Mar. 27.—German exchange broke all previous low records here today, marks falling to 29 1/2 per cent. The previous minimum quotation for this remittance was 29 1/2 per cent made last week.

Selling of marks today was again largely for foreign account.

MRS. PHILIP LYDIG MAY BE FORCED TO TAKE STAND AGAIN

NEW YORK, March 27.—Supreme Court Justice Cohalan today threatened to issue a body attachment for Mrs. Philip Lydig, former wife of E. D. Stokes, unless she appeared within a reasonable time to testify further in Mrs. Helen Elwood Stokes' suit to recover dower rights she claims the elderly hotel man tricked her into signing away.

Mrs. Lydig, who already has testified in the case was summoned by Stokes' counsel for further action. Instead of appearing, she sent a physician's statement that she was too ill to testify. Stokes' counsel ridiculed the claim but Justice Cohalan cut him short with the statement that the usual process to compel her attendance could be taken unless she appeared within a reasonable time.

Mrs. Lydig, who divorced Stokes in England several years ago, recently announced her engagement to the Rev. Dr. Percy Stickney Grant, rector of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Ascension.

Woman Kills Her 3 Babies, Then Suicides

GREENWICH, Conn., Mar. 27.—Mrs. Henry Barker, whose body was found in her home late last night, killed her three small children by cutting their throats before bringing about her own death by the same means, the police stated today. The children were Marguerite, aged 5; Johanna, 3, and Henry, aged 18 months.

The first intimation of the tragedy was the discovery by a passerby of an insurance policy on the sidewalk in front of the Barker home upon which was written "I am going to kill myself and the children." The police found the bodies.

REX BEACH CHARACTER WITNESS

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gambling house in the days of the gold rush may have been an honorable man."

Asked if he taught gambling in his Bible classes he answered: "I have never made gambling the thesis of an argument."

The witness testified that after the charges had been brought against Rickard, he conversed with Mortimer Schiff and others in the welfare movements.

ERIN SWEEP BY VIOLENCE

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colleagues tonight as the first responsibility for the northeastern situation rests with the British government. It is they who brought the Belfast parliament into existence. It is they who have given it power and money, which it is using in its campaign of wholesale murder and outrage against our co-religionists."

"DIZZINESS DISPELLED BY INTERNAL BATHS"

Mrs. Geo. Matthew, Carthage, S. D., writes Tyrrell's Hygienic Institute of New York, as follows: "With reference to your J. B. L. Cascade, will say that I wouldn't part with mine under any circumstances; it is simply wonderful what it did for me less than a year ago; I was in very poor health, short breath, dizziness, headache, heartburn, rheumatic pain and bloating, but after using the 'J. B. L. Cascade' for a few weeks faithfully, those ills have left me and I feel like a new person."

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