

DOMESTIC SERVICE JOBS ARE SHUNNED BY BRITISH GIRLS

By William McLaughlin
AP Feature Writer.

LONDON.—Scarcity of domestic servants has reached such grave proportions in the British Isles that the government itself is tackling the problem of finding household help for Mrs. John Bull.

Only-poly, black-mustached Minister of Labor Ernest Brown is considering organization of a "league of good household mistresses" to attract more girls into servants' jobs. One London newspaper even credits him with a proposal of a marriage dowry for servant girls—but he denies that. One reason why so few English girls choose to be maids nowadays is the poor chance of marriage in jobs where there is neither time for place to meet or entertain a boy friend.

Not only that, but the eligible young men of modern England reportedly look upon servant girls as beneath them.

The dowry idea is an old one. The latest suggestion would have government and employer contribute a few cents a week toward a \$150 dowry which the servant, if she wishes to marry, would be entitled to after seven years.

The league of good household mistresses would be a voluntary organiza-

tion open to all employers of servants who would accept a charter of good conditions for maids. Each member would get a badge to display in her house, proving to prospective servants that the house was a good one to work in.

Badged houses would offer more leisure for maids, better living conditions and greater social comfort.

Domestic service, the labor minister finds, ranks at the very bottom of the girls' list of preferred jobs. They would even rather be factory workers than domestics. As a rule they earn only about \$6.25 a week in the factory, compared to the \$5-a-week average, plus board and room, in a household job. But factory girls have evenings, Saturday afternoon and Sunday free. As maids they would get only a half day off each week, with alternate half Sundays free.

Then, too, a domestic often has to work in the country where movies are scarce.

Thousands of new industries—including the lighter work in the re-arrangement drive—are providing girls opportunities for jobs they did not have in the old days.

Many English families have thrown up their hands and sold or shut down the large, old-fashioned houses which require a huge staff of servants.

Families are moving into modern flats which are springing up like mushrooms. In the smaller space of a flat, a maid can do her own work, aided by modern household equipment and perhaps by a twice-a-week maid furnished by the management.

ASTORIA, Nov. 19.—(AP)—Theft of a ton of dressed chum salmon from the Port Adams cannery fish docks was reported yesterday.

2400 ACRE RANCH IN ASHLAND REGION SOLD TO CALIFORNIA FOLK

ASHLAND, Nov. 19.—(Sp.)—One of the biggest real estate deals in many years in the Ashland area was completed when Ben Gerwick, of Berkeley, California, purchased the Wade Wallis stock ranch of 2400 acres for a price that is understood to have been approximately \$20,000.

Mr. Wallis will remain on the ranch until April 1, when he will give possession to the new owner. The ranch will be operated by Mr. Miller, Mr. Gerwick's son-in-law, according to the announcement.

The Wallis ranch, one of the largest in this area, was formerly the old Murphy place and is just north of Soda Springs on the Dead Indian road.

Mr. Gerwick and his wife have rented the Sawyer residence at 478 Allison and will move to Ashland to reside.

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BRAZIL FALLS INTO STEP under a new Latin American dictatorship set up by short, swarthy, soft-spoken President Getulio Vargas. Embellished with some totalitarian ideas borrowed from Europe, the new government nevertheless follows South American precedent. Here is Vargas surrounded by officials in a recent public appearance.

MOVIE DIRECTORS MOST INTERESTED IN LOVE SCENES

By Robbin Coons
HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Strange it may be, but the person most vitally concerned in a movie love scene is neither of the principals but the director.

Your stars, unless they're very new at the business, may be quite blasé about exchanging glances and embraces for the camera, but your director never is. His realization of the importance of sincere and beautiful love scenes to his picture makes him, for the time, a Lofthart without portfolio. He knows so thoroughly the mood he wants that you are sure, watching his sideline excitement, he could give a better performance than his stars.

Sometimes he does, too—better and funnier. That is when he undertakes to "show them how." Archie Mayo frequently acts out scenes to demonstrate the effects he wants. Archie weighs around 200, unless he's reduced some more. He did not take Gary Cooper's place with Sigrid Gurie in the "Marco Polo" rehearsals, but he would recite the love lines to himself, and the replies, emphasizing the desired inflection. Archie thinks inflection is the big thing in movie love passages.

Michael Curtiz, excitable Hungarian, does not "act out" movie romances. He comments, criticizes, suggests. "That kiss—she would not melt butter. Don't hold her like she was a hot potato. Crush her. Maybe you break a rib. That is all right if we get a good scene!"

DeMille, hawk-eyed on every scene, is the same when his players must make love. Sometimes he uses ridicule along with blandishments to spur them into the "mood." Another showman-director, Von Sternberg, has found ridicule useful.

Busby Berkeley belongs to the act-it-out school. He acts it out in rehearsal, then during the "take" he stands behind the camera, going through the motions while his players perform before the lens.

Irving Cummings, once an actor himself, uses the soft voice method, and beams benignly as he watches his scene, step by step. You can almost hear him as he mentally reads the lines. Mervyn LeRoy's that way, too.

Ernst Lubitch lets out the actor in his occasional. It's funniest when he emotes through a love scene with his cigar in his mouth—to demonstrate an inflection, a matter of timing, a movement of the head or arm he wants.

Gigantic William Dieterle—in achievement as in stat-ure, what with "Zola" behind him—gets excited. He has been known to walk up and down the set, between scenes, waving arms over his head and shouting: "No, no. You luff her. You understand? Make it real, make it honest. Giff me more, more closer, more enthusiasm, more luff!"

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Menus of the Day

- A Winter Dinner**
Menu Serving Five
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Roast Pork Corn Pudding
Buttered Turnips
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Biscuits
Cranberry Fruit Marmalade
Pumpkin Custard Meringue
Coffee
Cranberry Fruit Marmalade
- 3 cups berries**
1 1/2 cups water
1 1/2 cups crushed pineapple
1 cup raisins
1/2 cup dates
2 oranges, chopped
1/2 cup almonds
1-3 cup chopped preserved ginger
2 1/2 cups granulated sugar
- Boil berries and water together for five minutes. Add pineapple and raisins. Add rest of the ingredients. Boil gently until thick and jelly-like. (This will require about 20 minutes.) Stir frequently. Pour into sterilized jars and seal.
- Pumpkin Custard Meringue.**
1 1/2 cups cooked pumpkin
1 cup granulated sugar
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1/4 teaspoon cloves
1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon vanilla
1-3 teaspoon salt
3 egg yolks
2 1/2 cups milk
2 tablespoons butter, melted
2 tablespoons orange juice
- Mix pumpkin with sugar, spices, vanilla, salt, yolks and milk. Beat well and add rest of the ingredients. Pour into a buttered baking dish. Bake for one hour in a pan of not water in a slow oven. Spread with meringue and bake 20 minutes. Cool and serve.
- Meringue.**
3 egg whites
1-3 cup granulated sugar
1/4 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon orange rind.
Beat whites until stiff. Add sugar and beat until creamy. Add rest of the ingredients and roughly spread over the pudding.
- Toasted doughnuts make a tasty breakfast snack with fruit or cider. Cut the doughnuts in half. Toast them until they are well browned and spread them with a thin layer of orange marmalade.

La Grande Sisters Planning Hospital

LA GRANDE, Ore., Nov. 19.—(AP)—The Sisters of St. Francis announced today that a contract has been awarded to McCormack-Poley, builders of Portland and The Dalles, for the construction of three units of a hospital center here that eventually will consist of six buildings.

Coat of the three buildings to be erected at present is estimated at \$180,000 by Tourtelotte and Phillips, Portland architects.

BARKING DOG SAVES SAWMILL FROM FIRE

SALEM, Nov. 19.—(AP)—The vocal alarm of a mother dog, whose pups were hidden under a lumber pile, saved the C. K. Spaulding mill from possible serious damage by fire last night.

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