

Dinner Stories

Oh Fudge. Flapper—George, if you don't stop I'll scream—I'll call mother!

A Feminine Discovery. Blinks—Have women ever made any great discoveries?

To Hold the Butter. Willie—Pa sent me for a piece of rope like this.

High Cost of Living. "Why so depressed, Brown?" "The horrible cost of living, old chap; constant bills for materials, paint and shingling."

Setting the Example. It came to the lot of one of the stewards to silence her finally.

When the Bleachers Went Wild. Editor—"What shall I say about the two peroxide blondes who made such a fuss at the game?"

The May Physical Culture Magazine. a Macfadden publication, tells among other things, how Carl Temple, better known as "Young Gutch," is "Preparing Blue Blooded Boys to Be Red Blooded Men."

TODAY'S EVENTS

Tuesday, April 13, 1926

One hundred and fifty years ago today Washington and the American army arrived at New York from Cambridge.

Today is the eightieth anniversary of the organization of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

The 183rd anniversary of the birth of Thomas Jefferson will be observed today at the University of Virginia, of which he was the founder.

Illinois holds primaries today for the nomination of candidates for offices to be filled at the November election.

The Thomas Jefferson League, recently organized in Washington, will hold a Jefferson birthday celebration tonight at which Democrats of national prominence will speak.

Prominent engineers and scientists from fourteen nations will gather in New York today for the opening of the Third International Conference on Standardization.

Mount Pleasant Is Winter By 16 to 8. Mount Pleasant, April 10.—Belmont Abbey lost to Mount Pleasant here today by the score of 16 to 8.

Hats were first made by a Swiss at Paris in 1404.

Stewart's WASHINGTON LETTERS

Monopolies? Alaska Could Justify to One or Two.

Washington, April 12.—If Secretary of Commerce Hoover dislikes monopolies as much as he appears to in declaiming against the monopoly of British rubber interests, why does he stand for them in Alaska on a scale that enables them to ride the territory half to death?

The question is Dan A. Sutherland's, Sutherland's the Alaskan territorial delegate in Congress.

"It really is a spectacle for people to behold," he observed in a recent speech—"the high priest of American monopoly twisting the British lion's India-rubber tail."

If a decline in population's any proof that a territory's being mismanaged, then Sutherland appears to have made out a case, for Alaska's population has declined in the last few years.

"The war started it," he explains. "We had an unusual proportion of adventurous, young, husky, unmarried men—just the soldier type. They began leaving, with the Canadian forces, long before the United States went in."

"Neither did they very generally come back," he continued. "A great many were killed. Placer mining was about played out, too, so, of the survivors, large numbers, once away, scattered to other fields."

"When the falling off had reached bedrock, the territory, for various reasons, didn't immediately begin to fill up again.

"It will, however. Low grade mineral workings are taking the place of the placers. And, in my judgment, the cityward movement away from the farms has nearly reached its peak. I believe Alaska's agricultural development isn't far in the future."

SALISBURY'S SCHOOL OPEN FOR INSPECTION

Many Attend House Warming of New Half Million Dollar Structure. Salisbury, April 10.—Several thousand citizens attended a house warming at the new \$500,000 high school Friday evening.

The large auditorium was not sufficient for the audience which crowded in to see the high school children demonstrate their ability along special lines of endeavor fostered by the school.

The May issue of Own Your Own Home, a Macfadden publication, is filed throughout with articles of interest to home-makers.

Rev. Thomas Dixon has returned to the lecture platform and will speak in Greenville at an early date.

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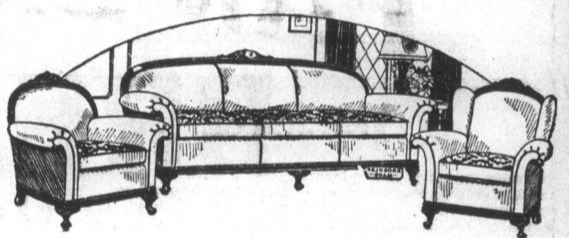
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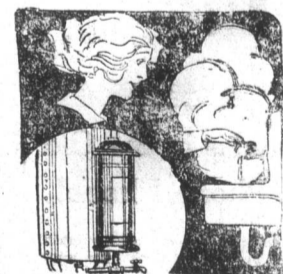
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