

ON THE SPUR OF THE MOMENT

HERE'S MARY AGAIN. Mary had a little lamb. I had some in a stew. So though I'm inclined to think my lamb was Mary's, too. R. M. T.

Artificial eyebrows to be pasted over the natural ones is the latest fad, and only a short time ago the girls were shaving the eyebrows off. The world do move. We don't know where it is going, but it is on its way.

In order to get good cook a man went to an employment agency and married one. Of course, she left him.

There's many a play that doesn't know its own father on the first night.

REMARKS YOU NEVER HEAR. "We have no good seats left, madam—only a few inferior ones."

"I am complimented by your salary offer, but I fear it is more than I am worth."

"No, Henry, I positively will not go in a taxicab. I always prefer to walk."

"I have never yielded in any well known production. My press notices are not very good."

"Our chorus is not as good-looking as it might be, but the girls are the best we could get."

"This is not the greatest aggregation of stars ever known."

"Put my name in the smallest type possible. I don't want anybody to know me."

"When I get my salary, I can roll it up and it will fit in a cigaret holder. I never got any real money."

"I have a punk show and a lot of bum actors, but I hope to get my money back."

Bandits robbed a bank messenger of a half million dollars worth of non-negotiable paper and are very sore about it. Something should be done to protect these hard working men against paper that they cannot use.

Slacker Bergdoll's brother has changed his name and all those Americans who blame him could be gathered together in a telephone booth.

A man who is in the drug business was owed \$30 by a druggist. The account was long overdue and he decided to visit the druggist. As he came into the drug store the druggist said to him:

"I am glad to see you, because I want you to taste this whisky which I have just received for medicinal purposes. I know that you are a connoisseur of good whisky."

The man then tasted the liquor and urged the druggist to do the same. After the druggist had taken a good drink of his own stuff, he ordered some more drugs, for which he paid in advance.

A health expert advises us to change clothing every day. He must think he is addressing an audience of millionaires.

CHINESE SLAVE GIRL TRAFFIC IS BOOMING

Des Moines, Ia., June 24.—That Chinese slave girl traffic is "going on right under the noses of our city officials" was the statement made by Dr. Charles R. Shepherd of Los Angeles, California, general missionary among the Orientals, at the Northern Baptist Convention in this city today.

"I know from personal experience and not from hearsay that this is a fact," he declared, citing the instance of a Chinese girl 16 years old sold in San Francisco for \$2,700.

In speaking of the tongs of the country, Dr. Shepherd said, "These tongs are not only an insult to the churches of America, they are an insult to the great Masonic order. Over the entryway of one of the bloodiest and most powerful fighting tongs in America, is the sign 'Bing King Tong, Free Masons. It masquerades as a Masonic lodge, while it is made up of those who engage in the traffic in Chinese girls, who labor to frustrate our laws, who plan bloody murder, and pay professional assassins to carry out their plans."

WOMAN'S FATE IN JURY'S HANDS SOON

Chicago, June 24.—The case of Mrs. Cora Isabelle Orthwein, charged with the murder of Herbert Zeigler, was expected to go to the jury late today.

Lloyd Heth, assistant state's attorney, was to conclude his argument this morning and Mrs. Orthwein's counsel expected to finish his final presentation in the afternoon.

In his statement to the jury yesterday Mr. Heth implied that the death penalty should be given. "Zeigler was found shot dead," he said, "She still lives and has her freedom. Both played the same game. Both should pay the same penalty."

WHALE AT NEW YORK

New York, June 24.—A baby whale swam through the Narrows into New York harbor today. While it lay upon a sandbar off Staten Island, a watchman and a restaurant owner, carrying a shotgun and a carving knife, ended the young visitor's life. It was eighteen feet long, and apparently too young to know that an outgoing tide waits for no whale.

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"Tinker Bob" Stories

by Carlisle H. Holcomb

RED FOX SEES THE CHIEF.

When Tinker Bob saw Jack, the Rabbit, pass at top speed he could not imagine for a moment what could be the matter. It isn't likely that Jack ever dreamed that Tinker was so close at hand when he was making his flying trip or he would have stopped. Then Redwing began to scream from the top of the Oak that he saw someone following close on the trail of Jack.

"It's Red Fox," he cried, darting down to where the King was. Suddenly another flash, and sure enough Red Fox darted by. That was a surprise to the King for he left Red Fox tucked in bed with a Billy Mink. But he'd gotten out all right for the bandage was still on his nose and so the King knew it was no strange creature. One eye was uncovered so he could see, but how he got on the track of Jack, the Rabbit, was a mystery. He was hot after him anyway and the King watched.

Jack led him a merry chase right around in a circle but Red Fox began to gain on him and before Jack realized it he was upon him and it was necessary to do some fast running—and do it quickly. Willie Chuck's hole was not far away and Jack made for it with all of his might—over the old logs and through the thicket. It was just as Jack jumped into the hole Red Fox was close enough to pull a few hairs out of his stubby tail.

Suddenly Chief Porky appeared and when Red Fox saw him you should have seen him run, and he never stopped till he was again in the Palace and in the King's bed.

Tomorrow—"Rap, Rap, Rap, 'Who's There?'"

OFFICERS WILL GO TO ARRANGE CAMP

Capt. Melvin G. Caldwell, Lieut. L. C. Ellis and eight non-commissioned officers of the Hornets Nest Rifle company, will leave Charlotte July 5 for Morehead City to prepare for the annual summer encampment of the riflemen. The enlisted men, under command of Lieut. E. C. Boyette, Jr., will follow July 9.

Sixty-eight men are expected to go to camp with the rifle company. The organization had only 54 men when it was accepted by the national guard but since then its personnel has been increased to 68. The maximum strength allowed by law is 72 men.

The company will be in camp until July 24. Captain Caldwell, Lieutenant Ellis and the eight non-commissioned officers will undergo four days of schooling prior to the arrival of the remainder of the company.

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Washington, June 24.—Instructions have been sent to all Federal prohibition directors to re-instate all reliable and trustworthy enforcement agents. It was announced Thursday by the Prohibition Bureau.

NATION-WIDE STRIKE ENDED.

New York, June 24.—The nationwide strike of affiliated marine unions called May 1 Thursday was declared at an end. A referendum vote, taken by local unions of firemen and sailors, showed the men in favor of returning to work without an agreement with the owners.

Seaboard Air Line Railway

Passenger Train Schedule. Arrival and departure of passenger trains, Charlotte, N. C.

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