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BOY LIKES GIRL LIFE THE BEST

Young Williams Decides to Go Back to Ocracoke and Simple Life.

story of a boy raised to manhood as a that Ocracoke was after all only a little girl without any one but his mother place. suspecting his real sex, comes from In the magazine was the advertisehas found after a brief struggle with an outfit of man's clothing. When it the world he would prefer life at home arrived, he cut his hair, took the money battleeld of Chateau Thierry, France. as a girl to the struggle and tempta- he had earned by sewing and rowed to

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Williams, according to the accounts, he got home Williams sent to it for the mainland in a small boat. From When Williams was born his mother here he wrote his mother, telling her

light hair, was of fair complexion and Baltimore was selected by Williams tists of world-wide renown. To all, first twenty-one years of his life Wil- is back at Ocracoke, and glad to be there. During his absence he worked in a restaurant, and while he was that, when completed, will form a unit there, he says, he saw enough to make of what is declared will be one of the

> to the island and his skirts. will accept gladly if he can have with

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liams lived on his island without ever having crossed the waters to the STORE CLERK NOT LURED BY FAME

Model for Famous Statue, Has Many Offers from Sculptors But Refuses.

Muskogee, Okla., Sept. 23.-Although fame as a sculptor's model awaits him, Olin L. Stone of this city prefers the modest place of a store clerk. Soon, the isolated Island of Ocracoke. Charles ment of a mail-order house, and when his image will be emblazoned on a memorial that will overlook the historic

doughboys who represented the best was so disappointed that he was not a girl that she called him 'Vera" and turn, Mrs. Williams told him that his peditionary Force, Stone has since had numerous opportunities to pose for aras "she" grew up developed into a decidedly good-looking "girl." For the man, but after two months of it he quietly continued his duties in an "army store" here.

Selected from a hundred American

Stone's image will adorn a statue him love Ocracoke more than ever, most artistic battle monuments erected more than enough to make him return in commemoration of the World war. It will be cut in stone 18 feet high and Girls for companions, sewing and the 8 feet wide. Stone will represent an other domestic virtues for occupations American soldier standing on a pedestal and the name of Vera, all these Charles taller than the image of a French soldier, who stands at attention. The figthem the simple life of Ocracoke's fish- ure of a French girl with one hand resting on the Frenchman's shoulder and the other extending a farewell handshake to the American, will com-

> The memorial will be the work of Constant Roux, French sculptor and of Howard Davis, an American sculptor. It is expected it will be completed next

Stone saw service in the battles of Cantigny, Montdidier, Aisne, Marne, Meuse and Argonne. He also served with the Army of Occupation and in December, 1918, was returned to France to receive decorations.

When it was decided to erect the memorial at Chateau Thierry, a careful selection began for the American whose figure was to adorn the monument. The selections finally dwindled to a hundred and these men were sent to Paris for a final choice by artists. Stone was the unanimous choice of Roux and Davis.

IS HURT AGAIN

Assessed Smaller Sum for League Expenses Than Some Other Members.

Rome, Sept. 23.-Much indignation as been aroused in Italy by the proposal that, in determining the penses of the League of Nations, Italy should be assigned to the second cate-

The Italian's national pride has been hurt by the suggestion and columns have appeared in the press protesting against the idea of relegating the country to a position inferior to other great Powers. According to the suggestion, Great Britain and France would be placed in the first category while Italy and Japan would occupy the second. The price of being registered in the first category is 2,300,000 francs a year while those of the second pay but 1, 600,000 francs a year. The Epoca gave expression to its

feelings in this manner: 'The affair is exceptionally unpleasant. Italy which has so potently contributed to the victory cannot see herself assigned to the second category, as people who spend little are assigned to a restaurant of the second class.

Then, too, the fact that most of the organization and secretaryships of the League are in the hands of the British constitutes another source of complaint. It is pointed out that the secretariat of the League consists of 170 members. of whom 90 are English and 50 French while Italy has no more than a dozen.

"After France and England have monopolized nearly all the offices, after the British Empire has succeeded in having seven votes in the assembly, it could not happen otherwise than Italy is assigned in the second category says one commentator. "If others have a greater material potentiality, it is at least necessary that Italy safeguard her moral position by not allowing herself an inferior position to the others.'

WOMAN CHOSEN ALDERMAN Macon, Ga., Sept. 23 .- For the first ime in the history of Macon, a woman was chosen alderman in Wednesday's The official count showed that Mrs. Charles C. Harrold had noe

only been elected but ran third in the race. M. E. Elliott was elected mayor

DR. M'NAUGHTON RELEASED Milledgeville, Ga., Dr. W. J. Mc-Naughton, one of the most famous prisoners at the eGorgia State farm, was given his freedom Thursday on a parole signed by Governor Hardwick. Dr. McNaughton was convicted twelve years ago of the charge of murder in connection with alleged poisoning of Fred Flanders in Emanuel county.

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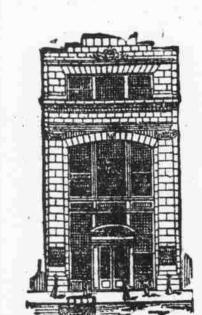
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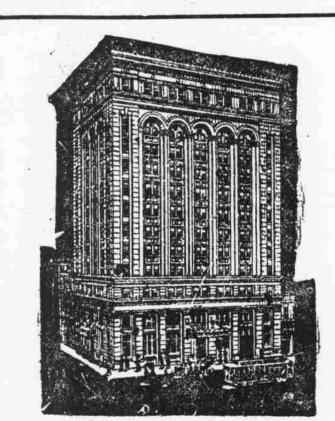
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