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the resolution was almost two to one; on the second attempt the opponents won by three votes and the resolution was finally passed by an overwhelming majority.

Washington newspaper stories say the change is the Senators was forced by public opinion. The public wants the strike settled and the Senators was they must change the origination will be in the throes of a state and county views or be contrary to the wishes of the constituents.

Here in the South the effects of the strike have not been marked, for soft coal is used almost exclusively and about the only effect has been an increase in the price of soft coal, due to the fact that more soft coal is being used in the larger cities which usually have a ban on it. The public in this section of the country does not feel keenly the strike's effects. In the large cities of the conditions are not so favorable. People in the large cities of the conditions are not so favorable. People in the large cities of the conditions are not so favorable. People are actually suffering for coal in New York and the supply is so in limited there that one hospital was without coal feel and the supply is so in limited there that one hospital was without coal feel and they are beginning to feel the pinch of want. They are demanding a settlement. The consumers in the larger cities of the settlement. The consumers in the larger cities feeling the settlement. The consumers in the larger cities of the settlement. The consumers in the larger cities primary, and then for every large the conditions are demanding a settlement. The consumers in the larger cities primary, and then for every large settlement. The consumers in the larger cities primary, and then for expection. All of them except Judge B. J. May and the settlement. The consumers in the larger cities also are depanding coal. They are just as anxious as the miners to see a resumption of work in the hard of a want. They are demanding a settlement. The consumers in the larger cities of the settlement. The consumers in the larger cit

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all of the other Churches, worked for the enactment of the prohibition measures and the public found it hard to understand how one of its societies could come out in opposition to the law. The statement from the society member and utterances by Bishop Manning and other leaders in the Church have set the public right.

THE PRESIDENT TO LET IT ALONE.

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The Democratic Primary Election

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Prince Michael Yervedoff, wealthy
Russian philanderer in Paris, thred
of his useless life and parasitical
friends, becomes interested in Colette, a pretty, unworldly, poor
girl—protecting her from her
Apache brother-in-law. Michael's
innocent brother, Paul, is symped
for revenge by Dolores, one of
Michael's cast-offs. Michael enjoys
a simple picnic to Versailles with
Colette, who timidly asks him if he
ever really loved Dolores. so they water again, anrough the mellow afternoon.

"I have a little surprise for-you." he said, later. "I ordered my car to pick us up at the Grand Tri anon."



"You mustn't say things like hat, Colette," he whispered.

easket, M'sieu," Colette laughed, folding out to him a fork with an

"Thank you," Michael said, but nstead of taking the elive he bold-y kissed the hand that offered it. Colette withdrew it in quick con-

husion.

Michael, strangely, was just as tonfused by his own temerity; an incommon emotion for him, in-

"You should not ask that question," she scoleded, "but to be frank, M'sieu, I have always hated quarreist".

"Then your fate is scaled!" said Michael gaily.

The glow of their mutual discovery of impending serenity and happiness lasted like a benedicion through the rest of their walk, and through the rest of their walk, and through the rest of their walk, and whirled with useful plans. He resolved to devote his time and wealth to some humanitarian project. What it would be he had not decided. He wanted Colette's advice on that, later.

All toe soon they reached the drab tenement in the Rue Chantignon. Colette invited him in but he declined.
"I must hurry my final effort testraighten out this question with Paul. And now—goodbye, little comrade! Tonight I shall drink a toast to the future of the two Big Babes in the Woods."

Her trim legs seemed to possess the facileness of wings in bearing Colette swiftly up the stairs. She threw open the door of their apartment and called:

"Billy—Billy! Where are you my pet? I've such a wonderful story for you!"

No answering little voice sounded in the still apartment. They Colette heard someone coming ut the stairs: It was the woman she had hired to look after him.

"Where is Billy?" Colette asked then clutched her breast.

What were these tears, this look of terror, on the woman's face?

A horrible suspicion come to Colette. "Where is he?" the scream ed, "tell me quickly!"

The woman sobbed hysterically.

mcommon emotion for him. Initeed. So he talked again, softly:
"Things are going to be very difiterent, with me from now on. The
hid order has changed. The old
fife with all its shallowness and
nockery is sliding away. I'm gong to see if I can't get some gentine happiness. That is, we are
toing to—you and I!"

"We? But our lives are very difserent, M'sieu!" Colette was emserrassed and incredulous, but
leased. "You are Prince Michael
fervedoff, a man of wealth and
oostiton; I am—just Colette, strugling for a living. In a little while
ou will tire of my simple pleastrees and will return, to your old
fife with increased seet. Pout!
Dolette will be forgotten!"

"Never!" he said earnestly,
suching for her hands.
Laughing uneasily Colette evaded
aim, then sprang to her feet and
fried severely:

"Gome, come, sir! Clear up here
and let us resume our walk!"

Michael humbly lent his asstance. As she watched him out
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whimsy struck Colette: "My faith!

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