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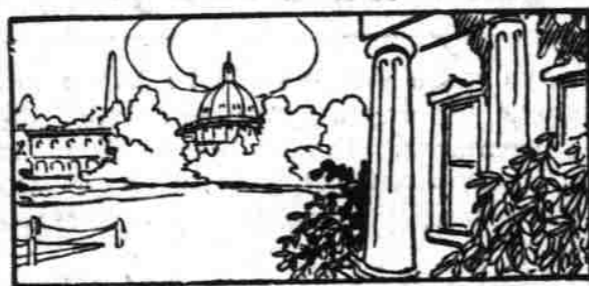
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# WASHINGTON GOSSIP

Is a City of Magnificent Distances



WASHINGTON. — Cities outgrow their clothes just as children do. Washington was known three-quarters of a century ago as the City of Magnificent Distances. The White House was known as the "President's Palace," and the government buildings, planned on generous lines, were considered to be far and away too great for the business of the country. Now the national capital is over 100 years old, and has outgrown everything that was planned for her. Tremendous wings were built to the capitol even before the war. The White House has been remodeled and remodeled until it presents very small appearance of the original. We have outgrown our beautiful treasury building, our state, war and navy building, we have outgrown two postal departments, and we long ago outgrew the ten miles square of the district boundaries. In fact, the residents of Washington have lapped over into Maryland and Virginia at a great rate.

The treasury building is of ancient Greek temple design, and simply cannot be remodeled. To add to or take from it a single stone would be

to ruin it, architecturally speaking. It is said to be the most perfect example of Greek art in this country, but the treasury department had to have more room, and so they unpinned the roof and shoved it up some on the sides and made a little more room skyward. The state, war and navy building always was hideous, being what is called Italian renaissance, and not at all suited to the solid, last-forever necessities of the United States government, and it looks as tawdry as possible when brought, as it is, into juxtaposition with the White House and the simplicity of the Greek temple of finance.

When the building was put up which was to house the United States postal department and the city post office some architects planned a sort of Colosseum Cathedral building, which is a long ways off from being big enough for either department and doesn't match anything in the government building line in Washington. After this structure was put up there was a reform in ideas for government buildings, and since then they have been along the stately, substantial line. The finest recent examples of these are found in the splendid white marble buildings constructed for the house and senate office buildings, which have for the central figure the beautiful white marble national capitol, with the congressional library and its gilded dome in the foreground.

## Government to Start Picture Shows

UNCLE SAM himself is going into the moving picture show business. With the authority of President Taft, a contract has been entered into by the government officials and a Chicago firm for the purpose of reproducing in moving pictures all of the various activities of the nation. The pictures will be shown in hundreds of moving picture houses. Marines at work on battleships, gunners firing at the bulk of an old battleship, cavalry drills, mine and rescue work, plant and animal industry, road building and every single activity of the government will be shown on the films.

The problem of educating the public to the work being done by its own government was carefully considered by the president and members of his cabinet before the contract was entered into. Each cabinet officer was then authorized to make his own arrangement with the film concern, having the right to arrange for such pictures as he wished to have taken and reject those he does not care for.

In the United States office of public roads, for instance, the director, Logan Waller Page, arranged to have pictures taken showing the effects of good and bad roads. In the case of



the latter, the films will show the farmer trying to carry loads of produce over a bad road; how he became sick; how the doctor is unable to reach him, and how, because of the mud ruts, the undertaker finds it exceedingly difficult to get him to his grave. Another film will show another farmer carrying his produce—twice as much—over a model road constructed under the supervision of the government.

The department of agriculture will be able to show, in entertaining as well as instructive style, the effects of pure food and impure food; the secretary of war will be able to show the advantages of army life, and the secretary of the navy the advantages of life on the bounding waves, while the interior department will be showing how forest fires are fought and entombed miners are rescued.

## Bulk of Concealed Assets Recovered



THE United States has recovered nearly \$750,000 from the concealed assets of Gaynor, Greene and Carter, who defrauded the government out of \$2,000,000 in Savannah harbor improvement contracts in 1897. The actual amount unearthed and attached was \$636,966.69. This does not include \$40,000 forfeited surety of John F. Gaynor. This sum the government is endeavoring to recover by civil suit in the United States district court for the northern district of New York. More than half of the recovery came from the concealed assets of Capt. Oberlin M. Carter, the engineer officer in charge of the work at Savannah harbor and co-conspirator of Greene and Gaynor, the contractors. The total assets of Captain Carter seized by the government amounted to \$501,355.39. From B. D. Greene \$105,460.25

was recovered, and from John F. Gaynor \$29,651.05.

Most of the assets of Captain Carter were in trust funds. They were traced to and corralled in the hands of receivers for the estate of Captain Carter. These trust funds included real estate, bonds, stocks and cash. The government made attachment in this case. Of the \$501,355.39 recovered from the Carter concealed assets the Supreme Court of the United States allowed \$111,054.28 for Carter's counsel expenses.

All the proceedings in the courts in the Carter case have been terminated, but all of the assets turned over to the government have not been converted into cash. The total amount of cash in the Carter assets turned in is \$227,852. The balance is in real estate in New York and New Jersey, and certain securities in Georgia. They now are in process of being sold. In every case the assets corralled had been transferred by Greene, Gaynor and Carter to other persons or held by persons for them in concealment. The tracing of the assets was most difficult.

## Uncle Sam Builds Prison for Women

A PRISON within a prison is being built at Leavenworth, Kan., and it will be the first exclusive federal prison for women in the United States. The new jail is being built within the walls of the United States penitentiary, but it will have a wall of its own and the inmates will be more securely shut off from the world than the more desperate men confined in the men's prison.

This inside prison will have room for about 500 women, there being now about that number in the various state penitentiaries in the United States, the government paying the states for their keep. These women have been convicted mainly of violations of the postal laws, smuggling, counterfeiting or white slaving.

While the women's prison will be under control of the warden, there will be a woman superintendent and under her a corps of subordinates. Because of being confined behind double walls no guards will be necessary. It will be a rule that no men, especially men prisoners, be allowed



in the women's prison. The women will be more completely shut out of the world than cloistered nuns. The women will be kept too busy to think about men, however, for upon them will devolve the making of all the bed clothing, tablecloths, towels and other things of that nature used in the prison and the repair of the men's clothes. They will make their own clothing, of course, although no type of uniform has been decided upon. It probably will be a one-piece blue dress, but without numbers or anything to denote the wearer is a prisoner. The women will have their own chapel and various entertainments will be provided for them.

# DOULTRY

SUNFLOWER SEEDS AS FEED

Value Is Not Fully Appreciated by All Poultrymen—With Grain Make Excellent Ration.

The fact that sunflower seeds make good poultry feed is not fully appreciated by all. With any grain they make a well balanced ration. These flowers grow well upon all irrigated tracts. The growth is very rapid and the large broad leaves afford excellent shade for the young chicks. It is always a wise policy to plant the seeds so that they can be conveniently used. The falling seeds are thus saved and the shade afforded is very valuable.

Sunflowers grow and produce the largest heads when planted in rows and cared for like corn. It is always advisable to allow the heads to become thoroughly ripe before harvesting. Cut as little of the stalk off with the heads as possible. The heads are conveniently fed whole, especially during the winter months. When fed in this way it will be found that the seeds are relished by the fowls.

When the poultry is molting there is no better feed known. Wheat and millet are sometimes fed with the sunflower feed. This makes a ration very valuable, not only because of its affording a variety, but because of the valuable feed constituents that these grains contain. This ration, with an occasional feed of fresh meat, will make the hens lay. Corn should never be fed more than once a week for egg production, but it is very valuable as a fat producer.

## EXCELLENT BREEDS FOR EGGS

Leghorns, Minorcas, Andalusians, Houdans and Hamburgs Will Prove Profitable on Any Farm.

If eggs alone are wanted, it will be best to keep only non-sitting breeds, of which Leghorns, Minorcas, Andalusians, Houdans, or Hamburgs will do well on the farm. If necessary, the eggs may be hatched in incubators, which, in careful hands, now do good work; or a few may also be kept of some sitting breed. Pure bred fowls, useless for showing, can usually be obtained at a low price; and after all is said against "fancy" birds, as a rule they will pay better, selected with intelligence, than average farm mongrels. But any decently fine farm stock can be greatly improved by



White Leghorn Hen.

purchasing every year merely one or two young cocks of the breed selected. Thus, if the cocks are Minorcas, the farm stock will gradually be converted into hardy black fowls which seldom or never sit, near the Minorca type; while if Dorkings be used, there will soon be a fine race of table fowls. Often, when there is any one on the farm who cares about it, it will be best to make up every year a special breeding lot of fine birds. No farmer would expect to make his other live stock pay unless he saw to such things; and he cannot expect fowls to pay either, unless he will give the same ordinary thought and care to them.

# DOULTRY NOTES

They seem like pretty thin diet, but it is really better than nothing in the line of milk.

The harder the hens dig, the less you will have to dig.

A weak chick never makes a profitable hen.

When your birds get big enough for the market, let them go. That ends the worry about hawks, crows and diseases.

Share the fresh lettuce with your birds. Good plan to sow some just for the poultry.

The hen that does the best with the least labor on your part, is the one you are after.

Some folks have their houses so that they can open them up all around the foundation walls when it is hot and let the air circulate everywhere.

Provide clean quarters, pure water and wholesome food for the chicks, and disease among them will be a thing unknown.

It is not wise to change breeds every spring. All the standard breeds are good. Make the one you already have do its best.

It is a mistake to wash eggs or to make them clean. It is better to have the nests clean so that the eggs need not get dirty.

Call out the poor layers and give the prolific hen more room to work.

Ducks should have a plentiful supply of sharp grit.

## WAS NOT THE WHOLE THING

Sweet Girl In Error When She Imagined Herself Sole Empress of "His" Heart.

She imagined his room with her photograph smiling down at him from over the mantel, while another of her photos looked demurely at him from a leather case on the dressing table. She could see him often standing in front of her mirrored likeness and making vows of constancy and fidelity. She knew he would rather part with anything he had than those likenesses. But they had quarreled and she felt she must ask him to return her photographs, and she wrote him accordingly.

When she received his reply she nearly fainted. Here is what the wretch wrote:

"Dear Mabel: I would like awfully much to return your photos, but, honestly, you girls all dress and pose so much alike for the camera that I can't tell any two of you apart. If you like, I will send you over 300 or 400 photos that I have of miscellaneous girls and you can pick yours out. Hoping this will be satisfactory, I am, sincerely, etc., etc."—Royal Magazine.

## HANDS WOULD CRACK OPEN

"About two months ago my hands started to crack open and bleed, the skin would scale off, and the good flesh would burn and itch dreadfully. When my hands first started to get sore, there were small blisters like water blisters which formed. They itched dreadfully, it just seemed as though I could tear the skin all off. I would scratch them and the skin would peel off, and the flesh would be all red and crack open and bleed. It worried me very much, as I had never had anything the matter with my skin. I was so afraid I would have to give up my employment.

"My doctor said he didn't think it would amount to anything. But it kept getting worse. One day I saw a piece in one of the papers about a lady who had the same trouble with her hands. She had used Cuticura Soap and Ointment and was cured. I decided to try them, and my hands were all healed before I had used one cake of Cuticura Ointment. I am truly thankful for the good results from the Cuticura Soap and Ointment, for thanks to them I was cured, and did not have to lose a day from work. I have had no return of the skin trouble." (Signed) Mrs. Mary E. Breis, 2522 Brown Street, Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 12, 1911. Although Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold everywhere, a sample of each, with 32-page book, will be mailed free on application to "Cuticura," Dept. 6 K, Boston.

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"Yes, my child."  
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