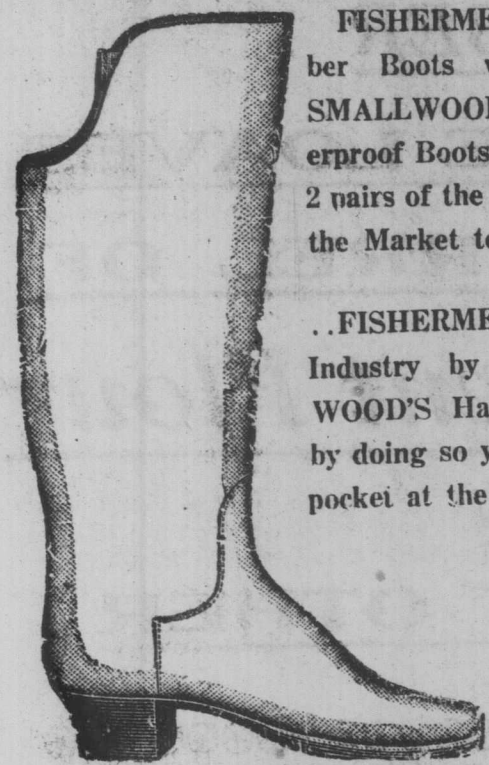


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## KU KLUX KLAN

A lot of papers throughout the country are now exposing Ku Klux Klan. This piece of journalistic enterprise was commenced by the New York 'World' and we'll say that the 'World' has handled this story in a thorough fashion. There won't be much mystery left in Ku Klux Klan when the 'World' is through with it. The 'World' appears to criticize this strangely named organization for three main reasons:

1. It excludes Catholics, Jew and negroes.
2. It has secret names, such as the Imperial Wizard, the Klaxle, the Klaxle, the Klaxle and secret rites and oaths.
3. It has an initiation fee of \$10, a considerable portion of which is said to stick to the hands of the organizers.

The avowed purpose of the modern Klan is to promote what it calls "100 per cent. Americanism." For such a purpose the organization has chosen a strange name, because the original Ku Klux Klan was founded by Confederate officers who had recently desisted from a four-year attempt to shatter the United States of America into two parts and to make of their part a slave empire. D. W. Griffith gave considerable unwarranted romance to the Klan in his film "The Birth of a Nation." In fact, the Ku Klux Klan, rather than the Little Colonel, was the hero of that film.

Perhaps the most important thing about this country is that it is the land of religious liberty. This liberty includes the right of persons of one sect or creed to form into societies, excluding persons of another sect or creed. For example, the exact method is unimportant, but the fact remains that the Masonic orders in general exclude Catholics, the Knight of Columbus excludes Protestants and B'nai B'rith excludes Gentiles. There are societies of colored people which do not admit whites.

One can go a step further and show that the Sunday Evening Club of such and such an Episcopal Church contains no Methodists, Baptists, etc. This right of association must be conceded or there can be no religious liberty. But this right of associating with those of the same creed does not include the right to commit or to incite the commission of unlawful acts against those of other creeds. It has been said that the modern version of the Ku Klux Klan has committed unlawful acts, particularly in the South; that it has horsewhipped women of whose method of living it has disapproved and that it has tarred and feathered men for the same reason.

There is where the line should be drawn. If the Ku Klux Klan commits unlawful acts or incites the commission of such acts against any resident of the United States, then the full power of the law must be set into operation against the Klan.

As to the criticism that the Klan uses mysterious words, rites, oaths, etc., nearly every secret society does the same thing, from high school fraternities up. As to the fact that an initiation fee is charged and paid, we assume, that most secret societies charge an initiation fee.

To most sane grown-up living in the North the Klan is ridiculous. Laugh it off. Don't take it seriously. Don't be scared of it. Don't get hysterical or act as the up-State Republicans did to the legally elected Socialists in the Legislature.

Of course the advertising that the exposures give the Klan will recruit its membership among small-bore people of the blue law, "Main Street" type.—New York Daily News.

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A case of illicit selling of intoxicating liquor was before Court here on Wednesday last. It seems that the master of a coasting schooner from a nearby centre of trade secured some liquor somewhere by some means and on the arrival of the schooner here disposed of part of his stock. The police got wind of the trade, and paid a surprise visit to the schooner, where in a trunk was found a keg containing one and a half gallons of rum. This formed the basis of charges to which the owner pleaded guilty. There were two charges—one for selling intoxicating liquor and another for having it in his possession illegally. The offender was convicted and was fined one hundred dollars on each charge and in default one month's imprisonment for each offence.—Hr. Grace Standard.

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## Lindsay Crawford Will Have Opposition

MONTREAL, Sept. 10. — Lindsay Crawford, national president of the Self-Determination League for Ireland in Canada, who has announced his intention to run as a candidate in the federal elections for St. Ann's division, this city, may have to fight a flock of fellow Irish candidates, according to the political gossip, related by the Gazette.

Among those who the newspaper says have been asked to run in St. Ann's are Dr. J. J. Durin, Dennis Tansey, former M.L.A., and Alderman Thomas O'Connell.

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