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### The Peerless Olympic.

The German-built Leviathan, transformed into a transport, has, according to the Brooklyn Eagle, achieved a record for the carrying of human beings across the ocean such as has never been approached by any vessel in the history of the world. In a space of less than a year the Leviathan carried to Europe 94,189 American soldiers. She did this in ten voyages, averaging 9,418 soldiers to a voyage. Every time she crossed the ocean she was doing the work of four or five ordinary transports. She took to the battlefields of France about three and a half American divisions, notwithstanding the fact that the Germans were employing every effort to "get her" and that their submarine commanders were instructed to sink the Leviathan at all costs. She went her way back and forth across the Atlantic almost with the regularity of clockwork, passing unscathed a score of times through the war zone, in which so many fine vessels met their fate. Since the war the Leviathan has brought back 35,381, making the total carried both ways 129,570.

This is a fine record, but it is still a long way behind the record of the Olympic, "the premier troopship of the world." The Olympic transported from Halifax alone 70,000 Canadian soldiers. She has brought back almost as many more, and the sum total of the troops carried by the giant White Star liner during the war is not far short of 300,000 men, all of whom were transported in safety and without mishap of any kind.—Morning Chronicle.

ILLUSTRATED LECTURE, Wesley Basement, May 27th, 1919: "In the Land of the Maori and the Moa." Sketches of Life in the Backwoods of New Zealand, by Rev. D. B. Ashford. Concert 7:30. Lecture 8:00. Chairman, Hon. J. A. Robinson. Admission 25 cts.—May 20, 21

### But Who Are

#### the Jugo-Slavs?

Strange human nature! The more we get the more we want. Before the war, the Italians would have gone into hysterics of joy to get half the distance to Fiume, and the Jugo-Slavs would have turned somersaults of delight to be allowed to get together short of touching the Adriatic coast at all. But having each got a great deal, both want the last pound of human flesh, and despite their recent joint horrible sufferings are ready to fight each other for it and upset the peace of the whole world. Of course, the sympathy of the world in this issue ought to be with the Jugo-Slavs. Apparently they can get no good port save Fiume on the Adriatic or Mediterranean.—Ottawa Journal.

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### Poles and Poles.

The fool-killer might with propriety get busy occasionally among the scientists. Word comes from London that plans are under way for another expedition to the Antarctic; that an airplane will be taken along and a "flight to the South Pole is contemplated." That imaginary pole was discovered some time ago, and the search for it cost the life of Captain Scott. No good came to humanity by its discovery, and mighty little may be expected from this new plan to determine whether it is still there. The money might be better spent in reconstructing the live Poles in Mr. Paderewski's domain, or in helping other disheveled sections of the habitable globe.—Philadelphia Record.

### Obituary.

#### RICHARD FENNELL.

The passing of Mr. Richard Fennell came suddenly and unexpectedly at his home about midnight. When the summons came Mr. Fennell was discussing certain business affairs with his wife, having but an hour or so previously come in from outdoors. Deceased was well known and widely, both in St. John's and the outports. For a number of years he was a member of the firm of St. John & Fennell, and later carried on a provision and grocery trade under his own name. Up to the hour of his death he was engaged in the commission and brokerage business. A widow and three daughters—Mrs. P. C. Mars and Isabel, of this city, and Clara, graduate nurse at the Boston City Hospital—are left to mourn, to whom the sincere condolences of the community are tendered.

Don't miss the T. A. Band's Grand Annual Dance, C. C. C. Hall, Friday, May 23rd. Tickets, Double, \$1.60; Gent's, \$1.20; Lady's, 60 cts. Teas included. May 21, 21, w.f

### Brigade Rally.

#### AT BELL ISLAND.

The big rally of the C. C. C. at Bell Island, on Sunday, by "C" (Wabana) Company, proved to be a wonderful success, a total of 150 being on parade, comprising many returned soldiers and sailors. A church parade was held in the morning at St. Michael's Church where an eloquent sermon was preached by the Chaplain, Rev. Father McGrath; and in the afternoon the Company assembled in the Armoury for the enrollment of recruits, when thirty were added to the roster. The drum and bugle band under Sergeant-Instructor J. Stone made its first appearance and was very favourably commented upon. Following the conclusion of regular business, Capt. J. M. Green, O.C. "C" Company, announced that the annual inspection would take place on Sunday, May 25th, when Lieut.-Col. C. O'N. Conroy would be present officially, accompanied by Major G. T. Carty, Capt. and Adj. J. O'Grady, Capt. G. Byrne, M.C., and Capt. Leo C. Murphy.

The rendition of "God Save the King" by the band brought this most successful rally to a close.

LAST CHANCE of seeing "THAT BLONDE PERSON" in Presbyterian Hall, TO-NIGHT. Entertainment is in aid of Jensen Camp Fund, and will include selected Darkey Solos, Duets, Chorus and other interesting features. Admission 50c. Concert starts at 8.15.—May 21, 11

### Enjoyable Dance.

A highly successful dance was held at the C. C. C. Hall last night by members of St. Andrew's Auxiliary in aid of the New Building Fund, a large gathering was present and all thoroughly enjoyed themselves. The C. C. C. Band furnished the music. During the night refreshments were served by the promoters of the affair.

The results of Humane work in Newfoundland have not been encouraging. Philanthropists are too full of sympathy for human woes to have much left for the sufferings of dumb beasts. But we can do something to rectify this omission by giving generously on Friday, May Day.

The credentials of the German delegates to the Peace Conference, says a Paris despatch, are written on parchment, and bear the signature of Franz Ebert, President of the German State, and that of Philip Scheidemann, the Chancellor, together with the seal of the President, says an article in The Temps, giving details regarding the verification of these credentials. The credentials are bound in red satin, and the document is enclosed in a case of watered silk, with a golden band.

### Women as Electricians.

It was really most impressive, when attending a lecture on laundry methods in America, to note how exceptionally clearly and simply the lady lecturer discoursed upon the advantages of electric washing-machines and electric irons. Practical demonstrations proved, too, that the duty of getting clean clothes became almost a pleasure.

It is said that a woman's delicate touch and her sureness—which is not found in man—makes her almost indispensable in electric-lamp factories. What is called in San Francisco "the expert in illuminations" is a woman. She specializes in the interior decorating department, and also is "illuminating engineer." She understands the placing of fixtures in harmony with various interiors.

One cog-wheel factory in the U.S. failed more than once under management; but when the American Association of Mechanical Engineers admitted a manageress, the factory prospered at once.

At one time it was regarded as highly dangerous for anyone but a "mighty male" to touch anything electrical; but that was before the war came, and proved conclusively that women had the ability and courage to take on almost any class of "man's work."

Electricity is an interesting and delicate science, and the ready and sharp brains of woman should make her an acquisition to the calling.

### Noah's Leading Place.

Ararat, a Province of Armenia, is Now a Republic.

The recent appeal made by the newly-established republic of Ararat for recognition will be better understood, at least geographically, when it is explained that the region in question is a province of Armenia.

It takes its name from the mountain on which the Ark made a landing after the flood—Ararat meaning Noah's Mountain.

The whole world, according to the Bible story, was submerged during the period of the deluge and Ararat's topmost peak was the first dry land to appear above the waters, for the simple reason that it was the loftiest—in Armenia, at all events.

As viewed to-day it gives a notion of the depth of the flood, inasmuch as the peak is more than three miles above sea-level. It is dome-shaped, and its slopes for 9,000 feet from the top are covered with everlasting snow and great fields of glittering ice.

The climb down must have been rather difficult for Noah, his family and all the animals disembarked from the Ark. As for an ascent to the top, it was formerly believed to be impossible. The Armenian monks declared that remains of the Noahian bark still existed on the summit, and that by reason of their sanctity a supernatural influence forbade approach.

Nevertheless, in September, 1929, a bold climber, Dr. Johann Parrot, succeeded in reaching the top of Ararat, and on coming down stated that he had found not even the keel of the Ark up there. Since then the feat has been repeated by several other adventurous persons.

Ararat comes pretty near to being the most beautiful mountain in the world. It is a long-extinct volcano, standing almost isolated save for a lesser peak, called Little Ararat, which (really part of it) is a cone of exquisite symmetry—an ideal volcano of a type plainly recognizable as an ash-pile formed about an eruptive chimney.

Below, in the valley of Araxes, was the Garden of Eden, according to Armenian tradition. At Marand, in that neighborhood, was (so say the monks) the burial place of Noah's wife. At Arguri, a village near a great chasm that runs into the heart of the mountain, Noah planted the first vineyard.

### Modern Marriage

#### Markets.

The Azandi, a tribe living in the North-East of the Belgian Congo, sell wives amazingly cheap. There is no need for the intended bridegroom to wait months before he can pluck up courage to "pop the question." A knife, costing about three shillings, will procure him a life's partner.

Another "marriage market" thrives in the mountainous district of the Mafalees, in New Guinea. The price of each girl is one pig, augmented with dogs'-teeth necklaces, and so on. What is called in San Francisco "the expert in illuminations" is a woman. She specializes in the interior decorating department, and also is "illuminating engineer." She understands the placing of fixtures in harmony with various interiors.

The preliminaries to courtship among the Mafalees are rather picturesque. When a young man, wishing to marry, goes out to seek his "ojande" (literally, his flower), he will light a fire on a still day in a bush, or in an open space outside his village, and wait till a slight breeze carries the flame or smoke in one direction or another. He then takes that point of the compass as an indication, and walks to the next village to find his "flower."

The Santali Indians must literally purchase their brides. They pay a sum of money to the girl's parents—usually about a hundred rupees—and, in addition, they present the mother and the female relatives with new saris or shawls.

Should the bridegroom choose a widow for his wife, she will only cost half the sum mentioned. The reason why the Santali Indians hold widows in less regard than unmarried females is because they assert that in the next world man and wife are reunited, hence a widow who marries again is only "lent" to her second husband. When a young man courts a girl who does not favor his suit, he adopts an eccentric way to cure her stubbornness. After having dipped his finger in red paint, he goes in search of the lady and imprints his mark on her forehead. He may claim her as his wife.

### Who Owns the Air?

Do you own the bit of air over your back garden?

Has an aviator any more right to fly over your cabbage patch than a stranger has to trample over it? Similarly, many foreign aviators fly as they please over this country, and vice versa, do British aviators enjoy a similar liberty and privilege?

Freedom of the air is a question as vitally important as freedom of the seas. A nation's rights over the sea are supposed to extend three miles into the ocean from its coasts, and ownership of land to whatever is beneath it for half the distance through the earth.

#### Free Passage.

Now the Peace Conference says that each nation owns the air above its own territory, but that it can only own it on condition that it allows free passage through it for all other countries.

That means to say, said Mr. Handley Page to the writer, as we discussed the development of the air services of the world, that aerial alliances will have to be entered into with all foreign countries, and until they are ratified we have no more right to fly over foreign kingdoms than we have to free use of their railways and ports.

It is an interesting fact that up to the outbreak of the war our Government always maintained that every State should claim full and absolute sovereignty in the air above its territory. This principle was recognized by practically every country except Germany.

Animals are so defenceless against the cruel man's brutality, that it ought to stir up the humane man to greater efforts to protect the helpless creatures all about us. Help them by giving to the S. P. A. on Tag Day, May 21, 21

## A GRAND CONCERT,

BY LOCAL TALENT.

Thursday, May 22nd,

In Methodist College Hall,

In Aid of Jensen Camp Fund.

A special feature of the evening will be the presentation, by His Excellency, to Sergt. T. R. Ricketts, V.C., of the Amnity Bond given by the people of the Dominion of Newfoundland.

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### Household Notes.

A bit of beautiful tapestry can be used as a spot of lovely color in a hall.

Children must learn to eat wholesome food whether they like it or not.

Cool colors such as gray, green, blue, should prevail in summer furnishing.

Always wash a painted surface with an up and down stroke—not circular one.

Wilted berries, too wilted for table use, can be stewed and served as cereals.

A barrel of sawdust kept in the cellar is very useful for sweeping dampen it before using.

Never do indoors what can just as well be done outside—for instance, plan an outdoor kitchen.

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### How Do You Walk?

There is an old saying that a bandaged boy will never lack warm stockings, meaning that he will never be in want of money, so that folk whose friends are apt to be rude about their manner of walking may find consolation therein. On the other hand, persons who walk in a fashion which quickly wears down their heels, are likely one day to be in need of cash, while knock-kneed folk, though they have the ability to get wealth, have not the power to attract love—so it is said. A long stride and a swinging walk are good—they imply that there may be ups and downs, but good fortune will never get far away, and will come out on top eventually. Bad luck follows in the train of vented. Those who habitually turn in their toes, have a habit of turning their backs on the world, and are likely to find themselves in a bad way.



## "I Am So Afraid"

VERY many people live in a dread of heart trouble, when the heart is in no way diseased.

There is perhaps no organ in the human system which is worked so hard, yet the heart seldom goes wrong, as it is supplied with plenty of rich blood.

In fact the heart repairs its own walls and plods on, lifting tons of blood each year and pumping it through the body.

But the heart's action is the result of the contraction and expansion of the muscles, and these muscles are operated by the nervous system. When the blood is thin and watery and the nervous system is starved the action of the heart, just as that of the stomach, bowels and other organs, is slowed down.

As a result, you are easily tired, experience shortness of breath, palpitation of the heart and general debility.

The quickest and most rational way

