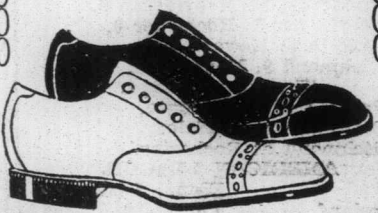


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HERE are few calligraphers. Women are Scheherazades by birth, prophets by instinct and arrangers of the vocal chords.

In New York there is an old, old hotel. You have seen wood cuts in the magazines. It was built—let's say—above Fourteenth street except the old Indian trail to Boston and Hammerstein's office.

At this hotel always stopped Mrs. Maggie Brown. Mrs. Brown was the roughest black, dressed in the boniest black, and carrying a handbag made, apparently, from the hide of the original animal that Adam decided to call an alligator.

The stenographer and typewriter of the Acropolis hotel—there, I've let the same of it out—was Miss Ida Bates. She was a holdover from the Greek classics. There wasn't a flaw in her looks. Some old timer in paying his regards to a lady said, "To have loved her was a liberal education."

One day I walked past Miss Bates' little sanctum Remingtonian and saw in her place a black haired unit—ummis, talkably a person—pounding with each of her forefingers upon the keys.

"Well, man, how are the stories coming?" "Pretty regularly," said I. "About equal to their going." "Good type!" "I'm sorry," said she. "Good type!"

she did? Loosened up like a March wave in the surf at Coner. She took me to a swell dressmaker and gave her a carte to fit me out—money no object.

"Then we moved to—where do you think? No, guess again. That's right—the Hotel Bonton. We had a six room apartment, and it cost \$100 a day. I saw the bill. I began to love that old lady.

"I've been out before, Aunt Maggie," says I. "But I'll come out again. But you know," says I, "that this is one of the swellest hotels in the city. And you know—pardon me—that it's hard to get a bunch of nobles together unless you're trained for it!"

"Don't fret about that, child," says Aunt Maggie. "I don't send out invitations—I issue orders. I'll have fifty guests here that couldn't be brought together again at a reception unless it were by a king or a trust busting district attorney. They are men, of course, and all of 'em either owe me money or intend to. Some of their wives won't come, but a good many will!"

(To be concluded Friday.)

CANUCKS FORCED TO HELP MAKE HUN MUNITIONS

Some Prisoners Sent to Prison for Refusing to Do So.

By Special Wire to the Courier. Ottawa, Ont., July 12.—Canadian prisoners in Germany were sentenced to a year in jail by the Germans for refusing to make war munitions, according to a letter received here from Corp. Dan A. Simons, formerly a prisoner in Germany and now transferred to the internment camp in Switzerland.

Ever when times were normal throughout Canada moreover, it was always necessary to bring from twenty-five to thirty thousand laborers from Eastern points for the harvest season.

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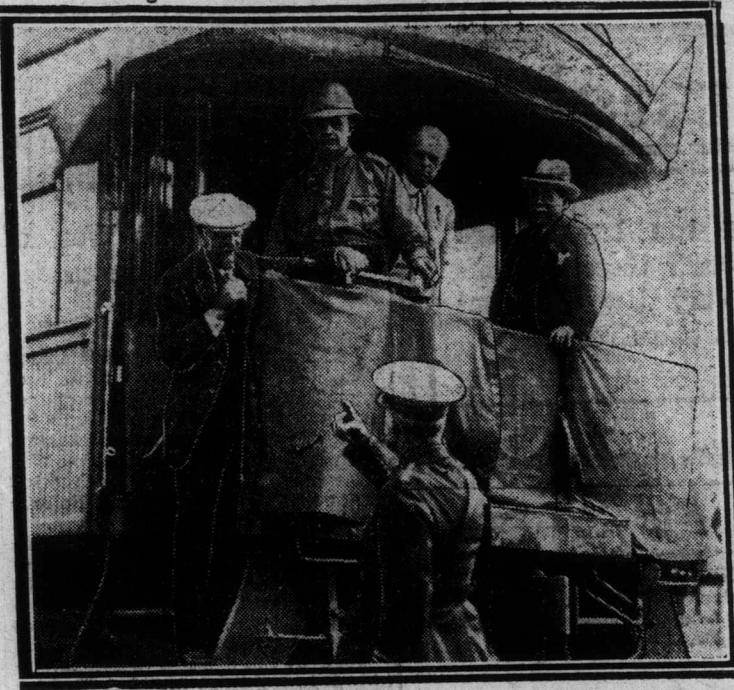
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WHERE SIR SAM HUGHES GOT A VERY MIXED RECEPTION.

Sir Sam on the back of his private car as he left Camp Borden after reviewing 31,000 Canadian troops, part of whom heeded the Minister as a result of some trouble arising out of the bad conditions at camp.

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

EAST OAKLAND

From our own correspondent. Mrs. W. Stevenson has gone to the hospital at Brantford.

Mr. O. Beals and family were the guests of his parents on Sunday.

Mr. Frederick O'Riley has been cutting hay for Almas and Son.

SCOTLAND

From our own correspondent. We are very sorry to report the death of one of our oldest residents, Mr. G. Merritt, on Wednesday, July 5th in his 79th year.

The Ladies' Aid of the Congregational church meets Wednesday at Mrs. McCutcheon's, and are having a talent tea.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright, who have been visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. G. Merritt, have returned to the home at St. Catharines.

LANGFORD

From our own correspondent. Mr. George Shaver and Mrs. Ira Shaver and little daughter, Ancaster, spent one afternoon last week with Mr. Truman Westbrook.

Mrs. R. Markle, city, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. Misener, one day last week.

Mrs. M. E. Vanderlip, Hunter entertained company last week from Buffalo.

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