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French Socialists Decline to Support Government Led by Briand

French President Calls on Paul Doumer—Town in Michigan Held Up by Armed Bandits.

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of the River Elbe, yesterday, floated to-day with the assistance of a number of tugs and is proceeding to this port.

EARTH PASSED THROUGH A COMET.
CHICAGO, Nov. 24. The earth passed through Bielas Comet last night and might not have known it except for a shower of meteors which burned up brightly and harmlessly in upper air.

G.W.V.A. Circus Popularity Contest

OFFICIAL STANDING

	Notes
Mrs. M. V. Kinsella	19,175
Miss Marion Moore	16,428
Miss Stella Crane	13,135
Miss Fannie Condy	12,550
Miss Dorothy Ebsary	10,400
Miss Belle Dunn	8,550
Miss Olive Turner	8,950
Miss Dot Black	5,400
Miss Margaret Firth	5,125
Miss Mildred Cadwell	4,800
Miss Sophie Coultas	4,100
Miss Margaret Dooley	4,450
Miss Louise Q. Smith	3,400
Miss Mary Harvey	2,825
Miss May Furlong	1,750
Miss Clara Sparks	2,575
Miss Nellie McFarlane	2,350
Miss May Furlong	1,750
Miss Florence Hutchings	2,100
Miss Helen Noonan	2,075
Miss Lulu Crossman	1,925
Mrs. W. B. Fraser	1,525
Mrs. J. Shannon Clift	1,525
Mrs. Sadie Hennessey	1,500
Miss Lillian Dwyer	2,200
Miss Hannah Murphy	1,200
Miss Flora Down	1,100
Miss Bride Sheehan	1,125
Miss Jean Eadie	875
Miss Mary Tracey	850
Miss Florence Escott	575
Mrs. G. W. Chaney	475
Miss Jean Reid	400
Miss Margaret Fleming	375
Mrs. Julia Salter Earle	250
Miss Molly Brown	150
Miss Olive Baggis	150
Miss Irene O'Brien	150

Those interested in military matters will be glad to meet at Queen's College Concert with Corporal Brewster, who fought under the Duke of Wellington. nov21,51

Last Performance Of "The Unwanted Child"

SEASON'S GREATEST BILL BY BALFOUR STOCK COMPANY.

Accoladed by all as the best play of the season is the Balfour Stock Co's production of "The Unwanted Child" which enjoyed such a phenomenal run at the Casino since Monday night. This bill is without doubt the strongest and most popular of the company's repertoire so far. Brimful of laughs and beautifully interspersed with thrills and heart-touching situations, this piece easily takes first place in stage productions. There is a beautiful plot and a most interesting story which is worked up brilliantly by a capable cast. Everybody plays well and the interpretation is all that an audience could wish for. Loreta Nicholson is most charming in the character of Justin Ditson, and her acting is a commendable piece of work. She does not merely act her part—she lives in every moment she is on the stage. Charles Hiler plays the popular role with much emphasis. J. E. Balfour gives a masterful performance of the aristocratic father. Billy Phillips again accepts the responsibility for the laugh situation and has very little trouble in putting them over in good style. He is assisted in this work by W. W. Hankins, who is in his usual form. Lillian Hampton and Marie Fischer play their respective roles brilliantly.

The vaudeville specialties between the acts by Messrs. Hankins, Phillips and McKenna were attractions in themselves. To-night is positively the last opportunity to witness this play. To-morrow's bill will be the funniest of all comedies, "Baby Mine." This is a play worth going miles to see, so you are advised to book early. Next Monday "Cappy Ricks" will be played. You know what to expect from a play of this sort taken from the most popular of the works of Peter B. Kyne.

Cure that cough—take Stafford's Phoradone. nov18,11

Ponzi to Carry Out Land Deals

BOSTON, Nov. 19.—(U.P.)—Charles Ponzi to-day had the permission of Judge Sisk of Superior Court to continue the Florida land enterprises from which he hopes to make millions to reimburse those who lost in his "get-rich-quick" scheme of 1920.

Despite protestations of Assistant District Maurice Caro, who sought to have Ponzi's stay of sentence revoked, the court refused late yesterday to take the action which would send the "fraudster" to prison to begin a seven to nine-year sentence as a "notorious thief."

Judge Sisk decided that the matter was one of utmost importance to Ponzi and that Ponzi should be given ample time for filing his bill of exceptions.

The Annual Collection for the Christian Brothers, will be held next Sunday. nov23,51

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Recovery of French Cotton Industry

France's industrial consumption of raw cotton in 1924, according to figures compiled by the Exportateur Français and transmitted to the Bankers Trust Company of New York by its French Information Service, totaled 284,000,000 kilograms, the total importation aggregated 302,000,000 kilograms but of that 18,000,000 kilograms were exported. (The kilograms—2.204 lbs.).

The above figures show the recovery made by the French cotton industry after the heavy damage sustained during the war when factories were systematically damaged and destroyed by the invading armies. It has been estimated that from 1914 to 1918 more than 3,880,000 spindles and nearly 27,000 looms were destroyed. At the present time most of the damage has been repaired and the French cotton industry, Alsatian factories included, now numbers 10,840,000 spindles as well as 190,000 looms of which 8,000 only are hand-looms.

During the year 1924 the French cotton industry showed great activity, purchases of cotton thread being 4,293,000 kilograms and exports 16,029,000 kilograms. Purchases of cotton woven goods amounted to 2,871,000 kilograms and exports to 67,108,000 kilograms.

"Two-heads are better than one," so vote for FANNIE McNEIL and MAY KENNEDY. nov23,11

Children have an aversion to milk will often take it through a straw.

DO

you know that 15,000 people were killed or injured in motor accidents last year—most of them were preventable.

Police authorities say "60% of automobile accidents are due to faulty brakes." This means that the average car owner neglects his brakes.

What about your brakes? Have you had them inspected or adjusted recently? Are you doing your part to make motoring safe with good brakes and good brake lining?

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is the original asbestos lining. Made from selected long-fibre asbestos, interwoven with wire to assure strength. After weaving, Raybestos is thoroughly impregnated with a wear-resisting compound—this, together with the long-fibre asbestos, gives that degree of wear which enables its manufacturers to guarantee one year's service—or new lining without charge.

Star Movie To-Day

Peter Minuit, a wealthy young idler, longs for romance and adventure. He is bored by the dull routine of society life, the aimless amusements of his set. What he needs, he decides, is a definite purpose in life—something to live for, work for and be worthy of.

A newspaper headline, telling of a gang fight outside of Bud McGinnis' pool-room in Hell's Kitchen, arouses Peter's interest. In another column he finds details of the flight of notorious Gentleman George, a safe-blower, sought by the police of four states. It dawns on Peter that the island of Manhattan is fairly teeming with adventure and danger. He arrays himself in an old suit of clothes and starts cheerfully for Hell's Kitchen, determined to take a hand in anything that promises excitement. But everything is strangely still and orderly, and Peter, sadly disappointed, returns home.

Back in his own library Peter is about to open his well-saved "chance" when he hears the sharp command "stand up." He turns to face an automatic in the hands of a cool young gunman who answers to the name of Spike and belongs to Bud McGinnis' gang. Minuit gets a bright idea; he convinces Spike that he is none other than Gentleman George and suggests that they team up. Spike agrees and takes him back to Hell's Kitchen.

Peter persuades Mary and Spike to leave the old life in Hell's Kitchen and go with him. He takes Mary to his palatial Fifth Avenue house, but Spike is caught by McGinnis' gang and forced to reveal his sister's whereabouts. Bud orders his gunmen to shoot the young millionaire on sight.

Learners of this story slip away from the Minuit mansion and returns to Hell's Kitchen to sacrifice herself to McGinnis. Peter follows as quickly as he can, and takes Mary home to his Fifth Avenue mansion to begin life all over again.

THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY. THERAPION NO. 1 THERAPION NO. 2 THERAPION NO. 3

London's Street Pageant

The first Lord Mayor's Show was held in 1215, and for more than 700 years Londoners have been treated to this remarkable street parade. True there have been occasional breaks in the continuity of the pageant. During the Commonwealth, when the Puritans abolished even the May Day and Christmas festivities, there was, of course, no Lord Mayor's Show. Nor was it held in 1665 and 1666, the years of the Great Plague and Great Fire respectively.

Like most of our ancient institutions, this one has developed along quite informal lines. It originated in the custom which sprang up amongst the principal citizens and burgesses of escorting their new chief magistrate from the City to Whitehall, to be sworn in by the King and his judges.

Richly dressed and gorgeously mounted, they made up a most imposing cavalcade. Later on, when the London trade guilds began to take part in it, they furnished cars emblematic of their callings. The Armourers, for instance, would send along one manned by "knights," steel-clad, and bearing swords and maces.

To this day the City guilds and companies take part, each helping to make the "Show" as bright and imposing as it was in the days of old.

CONFEDERATION LIFE. nov23,11

Improvement in Trade

The weather the past week was, on the whole, suitable for business, and as a consequence the store hands on Water Street had a very busy week, which was in direct contrast with the weather in October. Active trade in the fall months is largely a question of the weather. The better the weather the greater will be the volume of business done on Water Street. One business man informed the Trade Review that his store had had the best week since last May and most of the business done was city trade.

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THE KARN PIANO—A most reliable Piano.
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ORGANS—Both new and slightly used. Prices from \$85.00 up. See them and get our prices.

Charles Hutton