HAND 15 HUSBANDS,

Illinois Woman, Crazy About Soldiers and Sailors, Has Collected \$400 Monthly on Allotments.

Chicago, Dec. 7. — Helen Ferguson Drexler of Waukegan, Ill., daughter of a Brooklyn family, who admits that she is a "nut on soldiers and sailors, but doesn't like marines," is the county jult trying to recall the names of eleven of her fifteen husbands.

teen husbands.

The government alleges that Mis, Dreader, who has one child, has collected as high as \$400 a mouth in soldiers' allottment checks from the government for three years. The baby was listed as the child of each successive husband and drew an allotment, too.

In 1917, she says, she married Wilfred Taylor, a soldier, and they had a son, now three years old. Next she married Paul Moler, a soldier; then Thomas Meehan, a sailor at Great Lakes, and next Albert Dreader, a soldier at Camp Grant.

Although she has retained Drexler's name, there have been at least cleven husbands since, she figures. She never obtained a divorce from any of them, she says.

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Government agents who arrested Mrs. Drexler say that she spent her spare time not needed to marry hero husbands and collect allotment checks in

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BRITISHER CLAIMS INVISIBLE PLANE

Asserts He is Discoverer of a Transparent Metal.

London, Dec. 10.—An invisible aero-plane may make its appearance in the next war. Ernest Welsh of Hull claims to have

discovered a metal with the transparent properties of glass, which he proposes to use in the construction of aeroplanes.

Welsh is of an inventive turn. During the war he experimented with anti-Zeptelin rockets, submarine signals and silent suns. Since then he has marketed a device to improve the lighting of ships and a system for gassing rats.

So far Welsh's newest invention has not caused much of a stir. London scientists are sceptical 'Phone M 130

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Dr. Rosenhelm of the National Physical Laboratory, a well-known authority on glass and steel, declares it is impossible to make metal transparents, nor, he said had any progress been made in the said had any progr

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INDS LIFE ON ROAD

Note of Dr. Elizabeth L.

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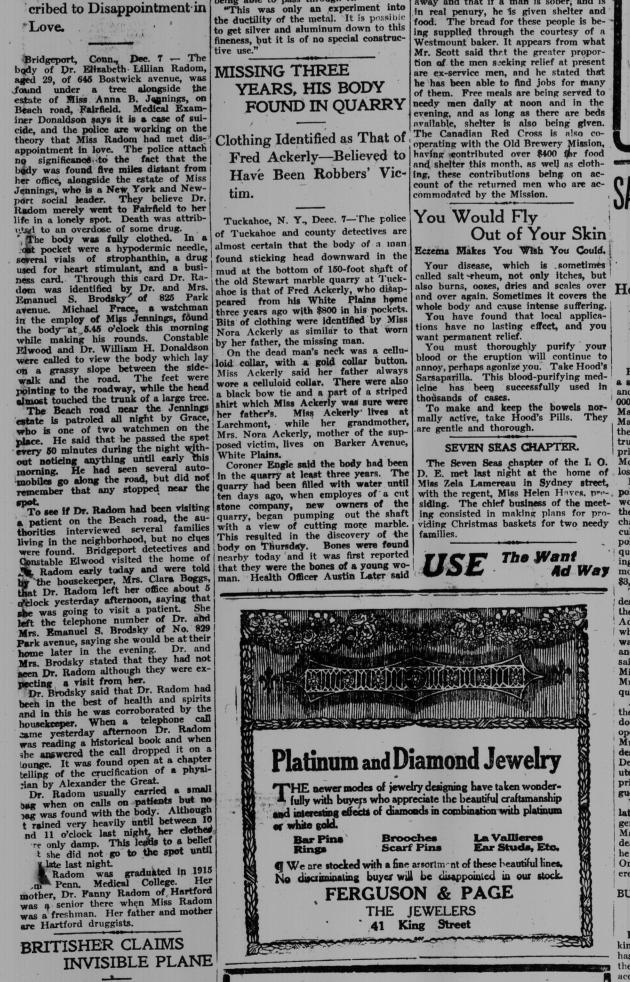
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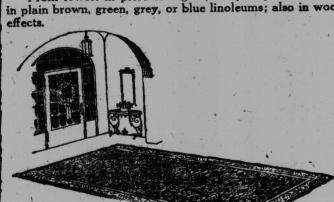
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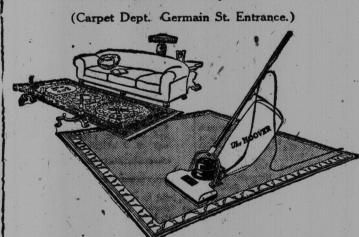
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Head of Firm at Desk 6 Feet Away as Sneak Thief Carries Off Loot - \$2,500 Reward Offered. (New York Times)

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By means of a cleverly executed ruse, a sneak thief on Nov. 15 stole diamonds and other precious stones valued at \$24,-000 from a safe in the office of C. G. Malliet & Co., 14 Maiden Lane. Mr. Malliet himself was within six feet of the safe during the five minutes the intruder, who represented himself as a printing solicitor, was in the office. More than an hour elapsed before the loss of the gems was discovered.

Details of the robbery, on which the police of the Old Slip Station have been working, became known yesterday when the Luise Investigating Company, 16 Exchange Place, sent out a descriptive circular to dealers, pawnbrokers and the police of other cities, offering \$2,500, "on questions asked," for information leading to recovery of the jewels. The diamonds ranged in value from \$10 to \$3,450.

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The suspected person, who was described as being well dressed, entered the Malliet offices shortly before noon. Addressing Miss Josephine Delamater, who was in an outer room, he said he was a salesman for a printing concern and inquired about an order which he said had been placed with his firm. Miss Delamater ushered the visitor into Mr. Malliet's office while size made inquiries

A large safe stands near the door of the office. It happened that the outer door and inner chest of the safe were open. While the stranger was waiting, Mr. Malliet was busily engaged at his desk not more than six feet away. Miss Delamater was absent about five minutes. She reported that no order for printing had been placed. The stranger guessed he was mistaken and departed. When Miss Delamater closed the safe later, she noticed that two wallets of gems were missing. Recalling that Mr. Malliet had gone to the office of another dealer in regard to setting, she thought he had taken the two wallets with him. On Mr. Malliet's return it was discovered that the gems had been stolen.

BUFFALO'S NEW COUNTY CLERK REFUSES A SALARY RAISE

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 7—Arthur A. Atkinson, Republican County Clerk-elect, has notified the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors that he will not accept a salary increase during his term of office. The committee had before it a salary increase during his term of office.

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"I was elected on a basis of \$5,000 as year salary and will abide by that," Mr. Atkinson told the Chairman.

The final meeting of the C. G. I. T. leaders course was held last night in the Germain street Baptist Institute. After a supper had been served a sings and physical exercises were enjoyed and Miss Mary Allison, maritime girls' work secretary, was the leader at a meeting. Votes of thanks were passed to Miss McPherson, Miss Allison and the societies who had provided the suppers. It was decided to hold two or three meetings through the winter meetings and a revolver from the residence of samuel Wood, where she had obtained the theft last Friday of jewelry, clothed the societies who had provided the suppers. It was decided to hold two or three meetings through the winter meeting and a revolver from the residence of the old of the old or depth the manufacture of the old or depth the meeting was found in the meeting of the C. G. I. T. leaders course was held at night in the Germain street Baptist in the street of the old or depth to the first and the more than a score of homes. He after orbotry, police asserted, and sand the morbital she was sorry. Mrs. Hell's story, the police said, was that she had spent her monthly allow-stants the head spent her monthly allow-stants the was songht employment at the Wood residence.