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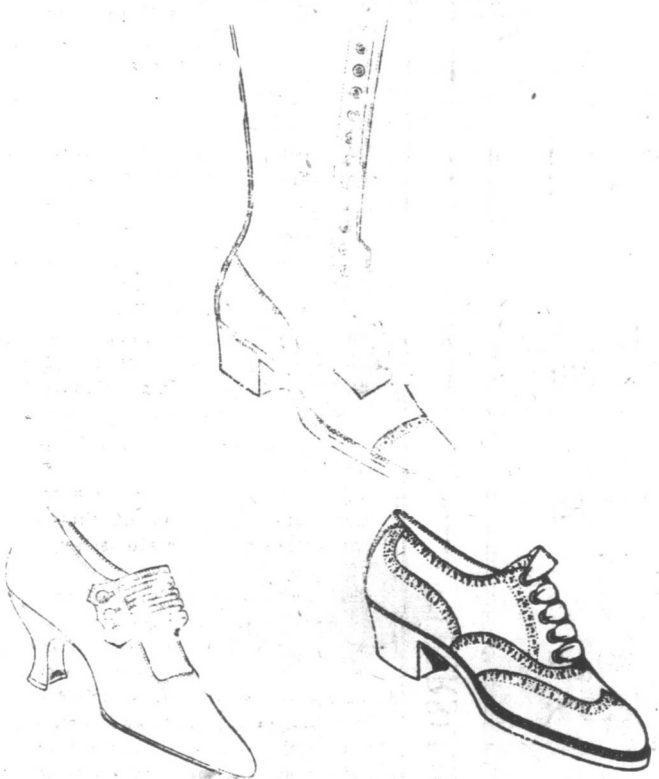
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## Facing the Facts.

INROADS OF FOREIGN COMPETITION—BRITAIN'S ONLY ROAD TO RECOVERY.

Noteworthy criticism of our present economic position, and equally noteworthy views on the road to improvement, were contained in the speech delivered by Mr. L. B. Lee at the general meeting of the Calico Printers' Association. One of his most arresting points was in regard to cotton exports. Before the war these actually paid for all our food imports. The balance is now very much the other way. This change might not greatly matter if some other export industry had been built up to take the place of cotton; instead, we find that many of our export industries are suffering from a similar decline. Broadly speaking, in Mr. Lee's opinion, the trouble is due to increased cost of production at home, and diminished purchasing power abroad. By way of illustrating the former point, he mentioned that while, in 1914, the rates and taxes of the company amounted to £26,000, for the past year they were £256,000. In connection with this huge increase in overhead charges our governmental methods were arraigned.

Politicians, instead of confining their attention to the essential elements of good government, devote themselves to bribing the electors with the taxpayers' money.

Reduced taxation, improved management, and more efficient labour are all essential, in Mr. Lee's opinion, to the recovery of the markets abroad in which we were pre-eminent before the war. Great Britain's consumption of raw cotton in 1924, showed a decrease of over 1½ million bales as compared with 1913. Can we recover this lost trade? As regards the cheap, or bulk, trade, Mr. Lee thinks not, for the reason that in the low grades the countries which we used to supply now compete with us. In 1913 China had only 2,000 looms; in the early part of this year she had 14,000, and another 4,000 on order. Chinese workers are not yet as efficient as the textile workers of Lancashire, but the gap is gradually being bridged. In the spinning section a 12-hour day is the rule in China, and in weaving mills 13½ hours is not uncommon; in both a seven-day week is often worked. The low rate of pay is a further factor, the average being only 1s. 1½d. a day. Japanese competition is also an important factor. Between 1914 and 1924 the number of mills in India increased from 271 to 335; the spindles by over a million and a half; the looms by 47,000. The output by approximately 36 per cent.

Japanese activity is being felt in India as well as in China. In 1913 Japanese imports of cotton goods into India represented only a small fraction of 1 per cent. of the total; in 1924 they were over 8 per cent. Meanwhile the percentage of cotton imports from Great Britain fell from 96 per cent. to 89 per cent. While the Asiatic countries are thus making rapid strides, our European competitors are not making time. Italy has doubled in two years her export of piece goods. The fact that in 1924 Italy imported double as much textile machinery as in 1922 conveys its own warning for the future. Side by side with the development of the cotton industry in foreign countries, which formerly depended solely upon external supplies, mainly British, must be set the handicap of tariffs. On piece goods the Indian duty has risen from 3½ per cent. ad valorem in 1914 to 11 per cent. in 1924, and the Chinese duty by almost 300 per cent. All the time British firms, struggling desperately against these adverse factors abroad, are being rated and taxed at home almost out of existence.

Mr. Lee's final message is that to win back our old-time prosperity we must rely upon quality rather than quantity, quality derived from efficiency raised to the highest pitch.—News of the World.

## Household Notes

If a bronze inkstand is lined with paraffin, it will not become so stained. Apricot fritters are delicious served dusted with powdered sugar. Rooty vegetables for winter use should be stored in a clean, dry place. With chilled maple sponge serve a cucumber sauce flavoured with vanilla. Try candying a few cranberries as a confection and for decorating food cakes.



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## Proof of Czar's Death Required

Russian Prince Seeks Personal Estate Dead Monarch Owned In U. S. NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—(A.P.)—The stories and rumors of the death of Czar Nicholas II. of Russia and his immediate family following the Russian revolution must be sifted until actual proof of death further than has been presented and the order of decease of the members of the family is produced, before local courts will take action regarding the personal estate of the late Czar in this country. Surrogate John O'Brien yesterday named three requirements when Prince Serge Georgievitch Romanovsky now a resident of New York, applied for letters of administration for credits held in the United States. The prince claims to be a blood cousin and nearest living kin of the Russian monarch. The court required the order of death of members of the family, stating that upon the point whether the Czar or the Czarina died first would rest the order of precedence of the heirs of the estate. No value was placed upon the estate and this information also was required by Prince Serge.

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## Opportunity for the Scholar

In the struggle of modern society for wealth the finer ideals are lost, and no one is better fitted to bring back these ideals than the college-bred man. It is a temptation for the scholar to hold himself aloof from action, but he need not yield to the temptation, and he ought not. It is the scholar who is best fitted to grapple with great public questions. He ought to teach society that there is not so much need in the world of more charity as of more justice. Charity clothes and feeds the poor, but if there were justice between man and man in all the walks of life there would be but few poor to clothe and to feed. But the efforts of the scholar, and of every one who seeks the good of the world, must be based upon religion, or success will not come.—Dr. G. C. Lorimer.

## If You Use Lamps—

You will find that if the wick is soaked in vinegar and dried before being used the lamp will not smoke. Camphor or a pinch of carbon added to the oil will make it burn brighter. The oil will last longer if a tablespoonful of vinegar is added to it. As the vinegar does not burn away it should be poured off occasionally and replenished with fresh.

Before using a new chimney it should be placed in a pan of cold water and brought to the boil. Allow it to cool before drying it. This will harden the glass and it will last much longer.

A smoky chimney is best cleaned by being plunged into warm vinegar and water to which a little salt has been added. This will loosen the soot, and it will be easy to clean and polish the chimney with tissue paper.

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## When Convicts Quarrel

LAW-BREAKERS AT LOGGER-HEADS.

In the exercise ground of Wormwood Scrubs there was recently a savage fight. The prisoners were walking in circles under the supervision of warders when one man, leaping from his place, sprang upon another and threw him to the ground.

So sudden was the attack that the man on the ground had a number of teeth knocked out before the nearest warder could reach the spot. Not one of the other prisoners attempted to interfere, and there were matters of "Serve him right!" from most of them.

The victim was that most unpopular of all prisoners, an informer, and his sentence had been shortened because he had turned witness for the Crown at a recent trial.

## An Informer's Fate.

In the Indian prison of Allpore a man named Goswami, who had turned informer, was actually shot dead by two other prisoners, who had somehow obtained possession of revolvers.

A well-known burglar or bank robber is usually quite a hero in gaol, and other convicts are as pleased to be noticed by him as an ordinary person would be if singled out by one of the Royal Family. But there are other convicts so hated by their fellow prisoners that they have to be constantly guarded by the officers.

We all know how unpopular the sneak is at school. Any prisoner who complains to the officers of a fellow prisoner is from that moment a marked man. No one will speak to him. He is scorned by all, and such a man is lucky if he is not sooner or later the victim of an "accident."

## "Sent To Coventry."

Much depends upon the sort of offence for which a man has been committed to gaol. A certain man was sentenced to penal servitude for life for causing the death of his wife, who had succumbed to a long course of bullying and starvation.

As usual, every man in the prison knew all about the case, and not one prisoner would have anything to do with him. He was set to work with a farm party, but not one would walk or work near him, and in the end the Governor was obliged to remove him and give him a menial job inside the prison, where he could work alone.

Another type of convict who is generally loathed is the "receiver." When one is caught and sentenced there is sure to be someone in the prison who has been swindled by him in the past; the word goes round, and the wretched man finds nothing but black looks from all. His punishment is a very heavy one.

## Cured His Cough.

Prisoners do not like a man whose personal habits are dirty and objectionable. At Pentridge, the big convict prison of New South Wales, a man of this type was boycotted. The others refused to work when he came into the shop, and in the end the fellow had to be transferred to another prison.

In another case a man who coughed all night and so kept other prisoners awake became so unpopular that he was shifted to a solitary cell under the roof. He then speedily gave up coughing.

Prisoners will not tolerate hectoring or bullying. For some weeks a member of a quarry gang bossed and bullied all the rest. At last one, a quiet-looking fellow, turned and hit him. A fight followed, the warden in charge refusing to interfere until the bully was knocked out.

## Gas Cloud Attack

## SEASIDE SMOKE SCREEN.

WEYMOUTH—Thousands of holiday makers here recently saw three warships take part in experiments with a new type of smoke screen containing a secret poison gas.

The three ships—the battle cruiser "Tiger," the light cruiser Champion, and the destroyer Rob Roy—were enveloped in the poison smoke with the object of discovering what the effect would be.

The vessels anchored off the Admiralty Pier, on which 600 of the smoke and gas cylinders were lined up in rows, and a small group of Royal Engineers wearing gas masks waited for the signal to light them.

At 4 o'clock the smoke began to pour in a great white mass across the bay, completely obscuring the ships.

This screen, however, did not contain any gas. For 40 minutes it rolled across the bay, parts of which were obscured, widening and thinning as it approached the mainland. When it struck the cliff it spread over the land and caused some discomfort to the people near Lulworth Cove.

## Two Fold Object.

At 6.30 another screen was set up. This time it contained some gas.

This new smoke screen has a two fold object. It obscures the warship which sent it out and, enveloping the enemy ship with its deadly gas, penetrates to every part of the vessel. The heavy smoke creeps across of the sea until it reaches the object, when it rises.

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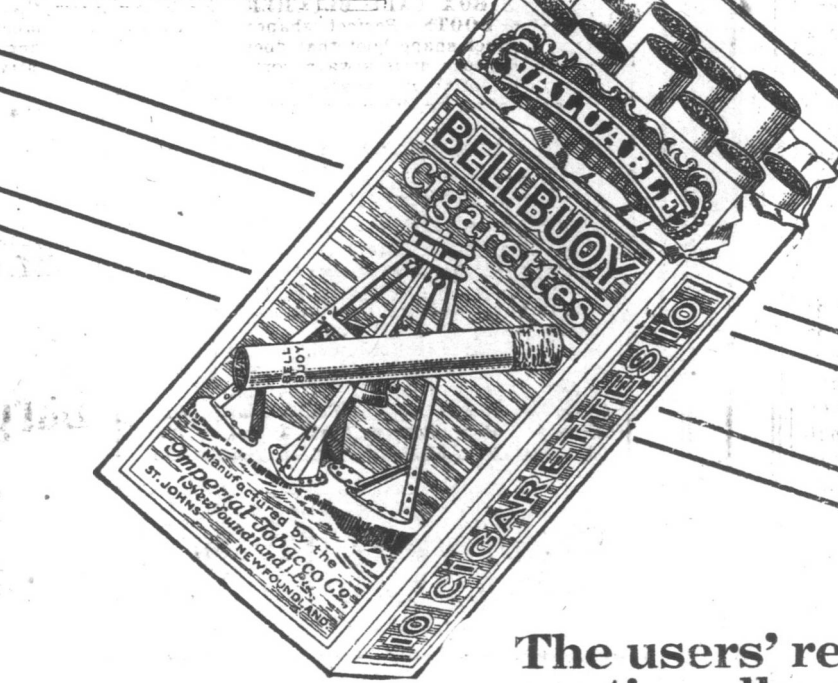
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bank of cloud that it would deceive the enemy. Although mariners had been warned that smoke screens were to take place in September. The smoke penetrates to every mask off for a considerable time.