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children apparently filled almost to

Today

Movies Today and in 1904. We Move Rapidly Here. Would Japan Fly? Why,

Goodby, Dear Old League. By ARTHUR BRISBANE.

This is written in the early morn ing, at Los Angeles, where the mov ing pictures are made in the sunshine on the edge of the Pacific. William Fox comes in to break fast, and to moralize about the

rapid growth of anything that Americans take up in earnest. In 1904 he entered the moving picture world, in a small way-the only way, for it was then a very

Twenty-one years ago the biggest moving picture ever made contained about 325 feet of film. It up 1,000 feet of film. The "show" lasted 13 or 14 minutes. A little earlier, New York's Eden Musee, where works of famous murderers presidents, etc., delighted the crowd, the management amazed the public with a moving picture film LIQUID FINISH IS 50 feet long. It showed a tree with the leaves actually blowing in the wind. The public decided, however, that it was a "fake" like "Ajeeh, the Chess Automaton," and that they rattled the screen to make the long, showing ocean waves rolling of various solvents. in on the beach. The public was overwhelmed with amazement.

In those days the regular price paid the author of a moving picture story was \$50. The producers felt that was enough, the industry could not stand more. Now you couldn't buy a picture like "Ben Hur" for a million dollars. And to pay \$150,-000 or \$200,000 for the right story is considered nothing.

000 people went once a week to the moving pictures. The price of admission was usually 5 cents. Now between 17,000,000 and 22,000,000 to see the moving pictures regularly, and the prices run up to \$3 a Enterprises grow rapidly in the United States when people be- Frontier Towel and Linen Supply come really interested.

Have you noticed the persistent propaganda about Japan's aircraft situation. One gentleman, a for-eigner, assures you that Japan is really not interested in flying ma-She hasn't 17 factories building them, only five factories.

Another individual, also foreign. announces that Japan is not good at flying. In fact, for every airplane she builds, another airplane "crashes," destroying its crew.

That seems just like Japan, quite in keeping with her traditional inefficiency, to build machines and break them as fast as built.

A third individual, inspired and informed," tells you that while Japan, immediately after the war, hired the best French and Eng- Middletown yesterday. There was lish fliers to teach young Japan to fly, that was all theoretical work. The Japanese really don't mean to take up flying in any big, practical

Nobody accuses Japan of plan-ning an attack on this, or any other particular country. An attack on the United States in its present defenseless condition, might gratify the attackers for a little while. Many American individuals and cities could easily be wiped out by a small flying fleet. But in the long run such an attack wouldn't pay.

If this country were attacked through the air, and found as de-"fenseless as it is now, even that desperate situation could be remedied. Those responsible for the country's defnseless condition would dealt with at first, not too gently it is to be feared. And then ways would be found to fight back effectively.

The interesting question is: Who and what is behind this propaganda concerning Japan's indifference to aircraft building? Who wants the United States to remain asleep?

Nothing could exceed the folly of this nation, neglecting aid defense, upon which all other civilized nations are now concentrating with intense earnestness.

But providence takes care of fools, national and individual. And the aircraft work that the nation has not had brains to do for itself will be done by the two Fords, Henry and Edsel. And, luckily for this country, those men know how

England has rejected the League of Nations protocol, and that memorable league becomes now a memory and a hollow shell.

Austen Chamberlain, summing up the whole policy of the British empire in two words, "British security," seems to have settled the suggestion that one nation should agree to conscript its men and money at the demand of another nation.

With the peace protocol disap-pears also the rather flimsy League of Nations scheme plan of general disarmament.

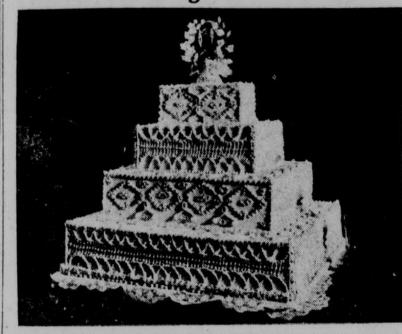
Such a scheme was preposterous, for while sweet theorists were talking at Geneva, the nations were building fighting machinery, and financing the fighting plans of smaller nations around them, to the tune of billions.

Europe's nations now decide against compulsory arbitration, as the labor unions of this country did

It is fortunate that Woodrow Wilson, returning from Europe with his conviction that he was destined to solve the world's problems and use the United States in doing it, was not able to carry out pledges that he had made, without the con-tent of the United States congress or people, and therefore without legal authority.

Fortunately for this country, it intered into no agreement to send men and money at the demand of foreign nations to help them out of troubles that they bring upon them-

Model Wedding Cake in Window



ling cake, displayed in the window feet high and displaying intricately D. Rhoades of Omaha. of the Weich restaurants, at 1706 beautiful design work, this model por Douglas street, is John Welch's con- trays the fine work possible in the Railroad Director From tribution to "Omahas Week of Won- Welch "Sunlit Bakery,

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may be put to, is the perfecting o a liquid finish, "Duco," for autome leaves move. Next came a mag- bile bodies. Duco is made from purinificent, astounding film 100 feet fied cotton made liquid by the action

matic praying machine. Among the sistance against water, extreme hard- space has been added to, until no ness and rapidity of drying. It is now being used in hundreds of stations over the country for refinishing automobiles. Locally it is being used experienced dentists, they are in

by the Pfeiffer Top and Body corporation, 2525 Leavenworth street. Mr. Pfeiffer says, "This new finish, Duco, actually lives up to the Twenty-one years ago about 250,- unusual claim made, that it improves

To. J. M. Jensen, proprietor of the company, 1819 California, the primary rule of health is "wash and keep

To follow this rule properly, one, just observe sanitation. Towels play ng used but once before they are re-

Engineer Slavs Self

With Dynamite Stick have, or have had, some vehe Lakeport, Cal., March 15.-Suicide y the explosion of a stick of dynamite was the fate chosen by Jesse T. Wright, 49, a mining engineer, whose mangled body was found in the American quicksilver mine near evidence that he had slashed his wrists with a razor blade before set ting off the powder.

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Ship in Distress Near

Entrance to Puget Sound Bremerton, Wash., March 15 .-Messages caught today by the radio station of the Puget Sound naval yard here indicated that an unidentified ship was in distress, though in large part in this, they must be no immediate danger, in the straits ulways clean and germ proof. The of Juan de Fuca, at the entrance of Forntier Towel and Linen Supply Puget sound. The vessel, described empany furnish both individual and as a five-masted schooner, was ashore Towel Rack" towels, the latter be- west of Clallam bay, the messages

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MISSIONARY TELLS OF WORK IN JAPAN

leadership in Japan today, Miss Ruby Anderson of Gothenberg, Neb., missionary to Japan, told members of the congregation at the First Baptist church Sunday morning.

"In the Japanese are found the qualities of patience and industry and keen sense of humor," said Miss Anderson. "The spiritual realm is sponant to the Japanese, the religious realm is subordinate.

"There are still 30 times as many shrines as churches in Japan and 200 times as many priests as there with the educated class in Japan." tion of certain persons who were out inquiring for me. She uttered no

evening at the church. The mission ary is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H.

He had large financial in patiently pitting that against her ma?"

Shall Tell Both Madge and had startled her when the sedan advancing from the kitchen, and the This morning, however, the remem As the name, Lee Chow, came from sedan must be connected in some the ample figure of Mrs. Ticer came with hers, struck us as absurdly funtre missionaries. Among the outcast Junior's lips, I saw Lillian's eye- way. All at once the ridiculous ex- into view around the projecting corbrows contract ever so slightly, and planation of the whole thing flashed ner of the hall. there are no Christian workers. The knew that with her usual quickness upon me, and I had to compress

greatest success in Christian work is of perception, she had linked the my lips tightly to keep from laugh- folks," she said cheerily, "because it's Lillian said, name with the Chinese whom the ing outright. Miss Anderson told the congrega- man at the hotel had reported to be standing leaders in Christian work in word of interrogation, however, but a news reporter was he. I knew that in justice to her I

Wilkinson, widely known merchant, that the child was torn between two us. He just shook his head-so-

passed us. Then Lee Chow and the next second, the beaming face and brance of our own quotations coupled

then for explanations, so enthusiastic

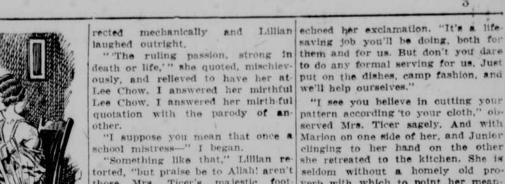
be ought not long to postpone the ex- he answered, while I reflected that to pickle them as curiosities." if we ever settled down to normal neart, weren't you?" I asked, ban- mystery hanging over us, I must lose mirt ally saying the first thing which no time in eradicating from my small came into my mind. My eyes were son's speech the atrocious idioms starved," she said, and all her love Denver Dies in St. Louis fully, glancing from me to her versation upon all occasions, "But, kindly voice Denver, March 15.-Melville L. mother, and all at once I divined Ma-ma, he wouldn't stop to play wiv gram to officials of the Denver Dry Chow's presence at our beach picnic, 'How do little boss man,' and went formal serving. You don't mind?'

Lee Chow, I answered her mirth-ful "I see you believe in cutting your puotation with the parody of an pattern according to your cloth," ob "I suppose you mean that once a Marion on one side of her, and Junior chool mistress-" I began. "Something like that," Lillian re she retreated to the kitchen. She is

torted, "but praise be to Allah! aren't seldom without a homely old pro those Mrs. Ticer's majestic foot verb with which to point her mean

piping hot now and it ought to be which only a long drive through

"Mrs. Ticer," Lillian said solemnly, no time in speech, but devoted our if ever there were people more whole attention to the delicious mea "You bet your boots I was glad," ready for your good food, you ought which Mrs. Ticer had prepared. there was a note of concern in the the bursting point, had come to us



Lillian slipped her arm around Mar "Sweetheart girl," she said, "play upon Marion, who was flushing pain- with which Katie interlards her con- for little people sounded in her with Junior until after mother comes banker, and railroad director, died loyalties. Remembering my injunc- Junior bobbed his own head ener- the kitchen, children, and I'll fill you. Auntle Madge and me all about the today in St. Louis, Mo., says a tele- tion concerning silence about Lee getically up and down-and said Then you won't have to wait for the sedan. Goods company, of which he was because of Mother Graham. She was uet: it's the habitual over-indulgence terests in St. Louis and Columbus, O. mother's command to tell her what "'Isn't Junior, not sin't." I Cor- "Mind!" Lillian returned, and I that plays hob with our hearts.

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