

New Method of Reducing Fat



Good News From Paris. A news item from Paris informs us that the American method of producing a slim, trim figure, is meeting with astonishing success.

This Washer Must Pay For Itself

A MAN tried to sell me a horse once. He said it was a fine horse and had nothing the matter with it. I wanted a fine horse. But I didn't know anything about horses.



SOCIETY-BEEHIVE

By MELLIFICIA. Tuesday, February 11, 1913.

HOW WOULD you like to take an excursion to a foreign land; a land where you would completely forget the rush and flurry of every day business life in America—in a land like your forefathers lived.

Of course, a great many can not conveniently do this and to make the best of it they must cloak their surroundings in a fashion redolent of the "old country."

"Gesternabend war ich in Deutschland," wrote Thomas J. Kelly one day after he had listened to a musical program given at the club.

Yet everyone sees life in his own particular way, but if there is one thread of German blood in you and you enjoy music you are bound to experience the same thrill.

For the country's social slogan tells it in just a few words: 'Wer nicht liebt wein, wein und gesang; der bleibt ein narh sein leben lang.'

Lincoln-Swartz Wedding. The wedding of Miss Sarah Swartz, daughter of Mrs. Marie Swartz and Mr. Harry Lincoln took place Sunday evening at 8 o'clock at the Metropolitan club.

Club Members Entertained. Miss Edith Petersen and Miss Ann Rock entertained the A-Kaloo club Monday evening at the club rooms.

Eat-A-Virp Club Smoker. The Eat-A-Virp club gave a stag smoker in the parlors of Metropolitan hall Saturday evening. The following were present:

Bridal Luncheon. Mrs. C. B. Olin and Miss Edna Otis entertained at dinner last evening for Miss Etelie Elder, who will be married to Mr. Urban Crawford of Des Moines Wednesday at noon.

Dance at Jacobs' Hall. Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Alpin entertained at a large dancing party Monday evening at Jacobs' Hall, in honor of their daughter, Miss Goldie Alpin, who is a senior in the High school.

SPECIAL TAXES HELD ILLEGAL

Life Baker Says Water Board Acted Without Authority.

CHARGE ONLY FOR BENEFITS. Opinion, if Correct, Puts the Water Board in a Serious Dilemma, as Contractors Have Been Paid in Part.

City Corporation Counsel Baker, answering in writing a request of councilman McInerney as to the legality of the water board's assessments to cover its cost of private water mains, holds that the section under which the water board acted is unconstitutional and that the proceedings of the board in assessing property owners 50 cents per front foot or extensions are without legal sanction.

This opinion, if correct, throws the water board into a new and serious dilemma. For \$15,000 has been assessed under section 16 of chapter 213 and the water board has paid contractors the difference between these assessments and the cost of the mains.

It is my opinion, however, that section 16 of chapter 213 is in conflict with section 16 of the constitution of this state. It will be observed that under said section 16 the legislature has undertaken to require a levy of all the costs of laying water mains up to 50 cents per foot regardless of benefits to the lot.

Under said section of the constitution a levy can only be made equal to the benefits to the lot. The supreme court of this state has held special assessments can only be levied on property to the extent of benefits therefrom in my opinion the provision of the statute in said section 16, directing a levy to be made, regardless of benefits, is in conflict with the constitution and is void.

City commissioners, asked by the water board to approve these assessments and collect them, have delayed, referred the request to the legal department and show a disinclination to in any manner interfere now.

Reno Attorney Says Divorce Laws May Change in Nevada. G. M. French, attorney of Reno, Nev., was a passenger on Union Pacific No. 1 this morning en route to his home from a business trip to New York.

"A change in the law, as proposed," said Mr. French, "would kill off entirely one of our most flourishing industries. It would be a body blow to the hotel men of Reno and to many of the lawyers, especially those who fatten upon the money they receive in digging up family skeletons and shaking them in court."

The courts in Reno are handling most of the divorce business of the state, but in every county the dockets of the courts are burdened with this class of cases. Reputable attorneys have never sought the divorce cases, but once in a while get them. They are easy to try and therefore good money in most of them.

Our divorce law has been a blot upon the statutes of the state, and most of the attorneys feel the humiliation that attaches to it. Besides, while it brings in people with money, generally they are an undesirable lot. They never associate with them, and generally they are ostracized as much as if they were criminals.

Appeal for Sunday Observance Comes Before Commission. An appeal to Mayor Dahlman and the city commissioners for a "just enforcement of all Sunday laws," has been made by the Omaha Church Federation through its secretary, Rev. Nathaniel McCliff.

"We appeal to all of us to the press of this city, whose mighty and continuous influence reaches every home in Omaha. We ask you to publish this statement and appeal to all people if possible by your editorial pens to advocate a sane and liberal response to this plea."

Four Hundred Creighton Students Are Vaccinated. Approximately 400 students of the Creighton Medical and Pharmacy college, were vaccinated at the clinic rooms of the medical college Monday afternoon and yesterday morning.

Burlington is Asked to Build New Nebraska Line. It is more than possible that during the coming season the Burlington will build south from O'Neill to Ericson, or Burwell. With the branch built to either town, it would give Omaha another connection with the H&N lines in the north part of the state, bringing that country quite 100 miles closer than now.

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BRANDEIS STORES

BASEMENT SHOE SECTION Wednesday We Place on Sale a Great Purchase of Women's Shoes

At the Most Remarkable Bargains Offered in Omaha in Years Women's \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$3.00 Shoes \$1.25 excellent qualities and correct styles, at 1 PAIR



750 pairs of women's high class, dependable, up-to-date high shoes, bought from a prominent manufacturer at a wonderful reduction. They will give splendid service. Best of Leathers, Gun Metal, Patent Leather, Tan Calfskin, Vici Kidskin, Worth \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$3.00 a pair. \$1.25 A PAIR

Men's extra high cut, \$3.50 shoes with 14 and 15-inch tops, in tan and black, at the pair \$2.25. Men's high grade shoes in tan and black leathers—worth \$3.00 a pair, at the pair \$1.98. Boys' \$3.00 and \$3.50 shoes in tan and black, leathers, with solid oak soles—lace or button styles, at the pair \$1.48. Infants' \$2.00 shoes—plain or fancy colors, with patent leather collars, special, at the pair 98c.

Children's Pants and Velvet Leggings—regular \$1.00 values, at, a pair, 50c. ALL ON SALE WEDNESDAY IN BRANDEIS BARGAIN BASEMENT. NEW CURTAINS and DRAPERIES from ORCUTT STOCK. Immense new lots piled on bargain tables from the Orcutt stock, in basement. Orcutt's Full Size Lace Curtains, worth up to \$3.00 a pair, at each 49c. 250 Pairs Orcutt's \$1.25 Colored Swiss Curtains, in basement, at, each 39c. Orcutt's Portieres, worth up to \$4.00 a pair, in basement, at, each \$1.49. Orcutt's guaranteed Sunfast Madras, worth up to \$1.00 a yard, at yard 39c and 59c.

NEW RUGS BROUGHT FORWARD from ORCUTT STOCK. Every day sees new lots and new bargains from the Orcutt stock. Extra specials Wednesday on third floor. 9x12 Axminster and Wilton Velvet Rugs, worth to \$20.00, third floor, at, \$12.98. Room Size Brussels Rugs in new patterns, worth to \$16.50, third floor, at, \$9.98. Rich Brussels Rugs up to 9x12 in size, worth to \$15.00, third floor, at, \$7.98. Seamless, Room Size Brussels Rugs, worth up to \$8.50, third floor, for, \$4.98. \$1 EMBROIDERED SKIRTINGS, ON MAIN FLOOR at 59c A YARD. 45-inch Embroidered Sheer Voile Skirtings in blind relief and Japanese effects, 45-inch, fine batiste embroidered allovers in dainty English eyelet designs; also 27-inch embroidered baby flourings with hemstitched and scalloped borders—worth up to \$1.00 a yard, at yard 59c. 50c FLOUNCINGS and CORSET COVERINGS, 18 AND 27-IN. WIDE, 25c A YD. Swiss and batiste—new designs in eyelet, floral, blind and combination effects—many worth 50c a yard, at yard 25c.

10c Edgings and Insertions, 5c a Yard Embroidered on cambric and nainsook in a hundred pretty designs, excellent needlework, up to 7 inches wide—worth 10c a yard—bargain square, at yard 5c. 25c Women's Hosiery at 15c a Pair Lisle and cotton hose, mercerized finish, with wide hem tops, double soles, high spliced heels and toes, full fashioned, black, white, tan and colors, at pair 15c.

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COLD IN HEAD CATARRH

INSTANTLY RELIEVED BY THE OLD DR. MARSHALL'S CATARRH SNUFF



Why My Baking's Can't Fail With CALUMET Baking Powder

—She has tried Calumet in every sort of baking test and she knows. —This experience has taught her that Calumet is pure—that its leavening qualities are perfect—that it never varies in uniformity. The economy of Calumet she has also proved—it costs less—goes further—prevents waste of materials.

—This is the pleasing experience of every woman who has used Calumet. Have you tried it? Grocer gives you money back if not satisfactory.

RECEIVED HIGHEST AWARDS World's Pure Food Exposition, Chicago, Ill., Paris Exposition, France, March, 1912.



Ross Hammond, a collector of internal revenue for the district of Nebraska, has been used by the West Point Butter and Creamery company, which hopes to recover \$48, being the sum of money plus interest collected from the creamery company by the revenue collector as a tax for producing butter with more than 16 per cent moisture. The tax was collected September 30, 1911. The company, through its attorneys and through its secretary and manager, J. P. Knapp, denies that the amount of moisture in the butter manufactured was abnormal, and further denies the right of the revenue department to determine what per cent of moisture shall be considered abnormal.

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