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"Jack tried to kiss me last night."

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Are you dragging around, day after day, with a dull, unceasing backache? Are you lame in the morning, bothered with headaches, dizziness and urinary disorders? Feel tired, irritable and discouraged? Then there's surely something wrong, and likely it's kidney weakness. Don't neglect it! Get back your health while you can. Use *Doan's Pills*. *Doan's* have helped thousands of ailing folks. They should help you. *Ask your neighbor!*

An Iowa Case

Mrs. M. A. Percell, 702 W. Main St., Anamosa, Iowa, says: "I had an attack of kidney complaint. My back hurt severely and sharp pains would shoot through my sides. I felt lame and had rheumatic twinges and was all out of sorts. A neighbor advised me to try Doan's Pills and I did. One box quickly relieved me of the trouble."

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PASTOR PLAYS NO FAVORITES IN 'DRY' DRIVE

High and Low Alike Caught In Net Spread by Churchmen

By Universal Service

"When suddenly his mantle wide,
"His hands impatient flung aside,
"And, lo! He met their wondering eyes,
"Complete in all a warrior's guise."

Joliet, Ill., April 27.—Like old Gen. John Muhlenberg, who converted his Virginia church into a recruiting station in the days of the American revolution, so Rev. H. E. Rompel made use of the Methodist church here in war on bootleggers.

In a drive against liquor that started from the church at midnight Saturday night more than 21 raids were made and a count of prisoners at dawn Sunday showed a goodly number.

"It is the place of the church to fight evil and fight it with any weapon at hand," is the sentiment of Rev. Mr. Rompel. He regards liquor as an evil and prohibition laws as the weapons to fight it. He can see no reason, he says, why the church should not get behind the law.

Second Series of Raids

The raids of Saturday night and early Sunday were the second conducted under the leadership of the minister. Six months ago he led a drive that resulted in closing a score of saloons and clubs. He gained the reputation of "two gun man" because of his ability to draw quickly and daring.

When Rev. Mr. Rompel, like old preacher-warrior Muhlenberg, threw his church mantle aside he stood revealed in the star of a pohibition enforcement officer. And at his beck and call stood 21 prohibition enforcement agents.

They met—these enforcement officers should by the preacher and reinforced by a score of members of the Wills county law enforcement league—in the Ottawa Street Methodist church at midnight. They had been dropping in all through the early hours of the night. No one heeded their coming or going.

Play No Favorites

Information as to places where liquor was being sold had been gathered for several weeks by the pastor and his friends. The federal raiders were given all the information.

Bon ton club and lowly saloon alike felt the sop of the "dry" squad.

The Joliet Social club, ultra fashionable place where young men gather and sometimes entertain their lady friends, was the first place visited. There was a scurrying for cover, pleas for suppression of names and numerous alibis—all to no purpose. Liquor was seized wherever found.

Rube's place, the Court cafe, Workmen's palace and so on down the line until all the places of night life in the town had been visited.

Injunctions to permanently close the places where liquor was found will be asked in court Monday. Rev. Mr. Rompell will sign the complaints.

Irving Fisher's Weekly Index

New Haven, Conn., April 27.—Last week's wholesale prices of 200 representative commodities averaged 145.8 per cent. of the prewar level, according to Prof. Irving Fisher's weekly index number. The purchasing power of the dollar is 68.6 per cent., that is the dollar was worth 72.5 prewar cents, this week's index number shows.

Both the commodity prices and the purchasing power of the dollar are relative to the prewar period of 1913. Thus the "low" prices in January, 1922, for instance, exceeded prewar prices on the average by 38 per cent., that is the dollar was worth 72.5 prewar cents.

A summary of conditions follows:

Year	Index Number	Purchasing Power
1913 (Prewar)	100.	100.00
1920 (Peak)	247.	40.5
1922 (Low)	138.	72.5
1923 average	157.7	68.4
March average	148.7	67.2
Last week	145.6	68.7
First quarter 1924	150.5	68.2

(Mr. Fisher is a noted professor at Yale university. His weekly index is appearing exclusively in Sioux City in The Tribune every Monday. It is the only weekly index of general prices in the world.—Editor's Note.)

Scores of Chicagoans See Man Crushed to Death

Universal Service

Chicago, April 27.—Jerry Donahue, 60 years old, was crushed to death between a truck and street car in the "loop" district here Sunday. Donahue employed by the Johnson Service company, was getting off the rear of one of their trucks when a surface car crashed into it. Scores of pedestrians saw the accident.

AWARD CONTRACTS FOR ADDITION TO SCHOOL

Wynot, Neb., April. 26. (Special)—The contract for the addition to the Wynot school building has been given to F. H. Schlund of this place. His bid was the lowest, being $19,587. The heating contract was secured by a Wynot man, D. J. Luken, who bid $2,375.

Pioneer residents of the Niagara frontier have united in an appeal to the War Department for the preservation of "The Castle," an ancient building at Fort Niagara, [illegible] by the French in 1725.

Difficult to Get Fair Consideration For Public Interests In Wage Disputes

The bill to substitute national boards of adjustment of railway wages for the railroad labor board is unfortunately coupled with the national wages agreement of the wartime. That "agreement" was made by the unions, for the unions, and was imposed upon the country in the time of its distress. The objection to the national wage agreement was not that it raised wages, but that it wasted wages. It multiplied jobs and limited work to those listed in classes of duties divided and subdivided until there were overlappings and endless causes of dispute. There is no more odious cause of quarrels between labor and capital than jurisdictional labor disputes. In railway wage questions the dispute is between those who use the railways and those who work on them, rather than between labor and capital. The prime interest is that of the public, not of the unions, nor even of the shareholders of the railways. As public utilities the railways should not be subject to the reproach of paying wages unfairly low for the sake of profits. nor of wasting the labor procured by wages and not making the labor costs productive of transportation to the ultimate capacity of good administration.

It is easier to state the principle than to apply it to details. For that there is need of an informed and dispassionate judgment, which cannot be expected either from the parties to railway labor bargains or from the public. When the labor board was established, equal representation was given to the three interests, the idea being that the representatives of the public would hold the balance of power and could decide between capital and labor. The board did decide in favor of labor regarding the national unions. The board also decided in favor of the public and the railways by reducing wages, which even now remain high in relation to the cost of living index, or in relation to rates. The indefensible nature of the national wage agreement is shown by the perfectly amazing increase of transportation despite the fewer workers. The railways are not now wasting their labor costs.

So far as the railway workers seek to abolish the labor board, and to restore national agreements and adjustments with waste of wages, it is contrary to public interest and unfair to all labor not included in national unions. Speaking for the railways, Daniel Willard said that they favored retention of the labor board, with some readjustment of the personnel so that the public's representation could control both labor and capital.

AMERICAN METHODS SERVE AS MODELS TO THE RUSSIANS

Moscow.—"What we need more than anything else is Americanized communists," Editor Bucharin of the Pravda told an assembly of Communists the other day. "Our Communists must learn to be as alert as Americans, at least so far as the business and technical side of life is concerned.

This is the general attitude of both press and public. Repeatedly the press points out the technical perfection and achievements of Americans in business matters and urges Russians to follow their example.

Within the plants and factories the management tries to put into practice what the papers and the lecturers advocate theoretically. Many Russians who reimmigrated from America are holding high jobs as directors of large business and industrial enterprises.

The government's efforts to encourage the reimmigration of Russian peasants from America is along the same line. The government is aware that these peasants will do more for the development of the agricultural situation in a very short time than all the lecturers and demonstrations ever will be able to accomplish.

"American" is the password for everything in technical or commercial life.

The press very seldom attacks America with regard to its political activities unless to reply to an attack by American papers on Communism. Once in awhile the Pravda or the Isvestia takes a bite of Secretary of State Hughes or some other American in public life, but this is really rare.

Occasionally the organ of the workingman attacks Gompers and laughs at what it calls the "stupidity" of his followers; but, as a rule, newspaper attacks are aimed more at English life than that of America.

Danish Count Has Livery Stable Job

Spurns Aid of Distinguished Family; "On His Own" to Become U. S. Citizen

Los Angeles.—Spurning financial assistance from his people, who are among the largest landowners of Denmark, Count S. Danneskiold Samsoe, son of Count and Countess Samsoe and on his mother's side a direct descendant of King Christian V of Denmark, has taken a job as horseman and general utility boy at the stables of the Midwick Country Club here.

The Count is a handsome young man of 23. He is athletic and a fine physical speciman.

"It's jolly good sport," he said when he appeared at a local hotel to inquire for Prince Erik of the royal family of Denmark.

The Danish nobleman is also a direct descendant of several of the most heroic and famous characters of early Danish history. The family name, Deneskiold, was a famous one when Vikings ranged the seas. He is rapidly improving his English and says he intends to become an American.

Count Samsoe is an expert horseman and has shown his ability in that respect with the fine-bred polo ponies at the country club. He rises at 5 a. m. and begins his duties at the club stables at 5:30 every morning.

At the Midwick stables the count is known as "Dan." In fact, few of the club members and none of his stable workers know of his blue-blood ancestry. The count declares he is "on his own," making his way in the world, and says he intends to continue doing so. The count is a college graduate and has specialized in animal husbandry and agriculture.

BRITISH WARSHIPS WILL MAKE TRADE TRIP AROUND WORLD

London—Six British warships left Davenport the other day on the most extended cruise ever attempted by a naval squadron.

The cruise, which will extend over 300 days and carry the six vessels into all seas, is a part of the great "Empire program" adopted at the recent Empire conference in London. The ships will visit all the important ports in the British Empire and assist in the expansion of British trade.

The squadron consists of the battle-cruisers Hood and Repulse and the light cruisers Delhi, Danae, Dauntless and Dragon.

Leaving Davenport the British men-of-war voyaged directly south to the Cape, where Christmas will be spent. The squadron will then steam northward, up East Africa and across the Indian Ocean to Singapore, which will be reached on Feb. 14. Crossing the seas of the Asiatic Archipelago, Sydney, Australia, will be reached about Easter time.

Going to Canada.

Thence the voyage will continue direct across the Pacific to Honolulu, and into Canadian waters, Vancouver and Esquimalt, where there will be a stop-over of about two weeks, extending into July. Then the squadron will steer southward, the battle-cruisers proceeding through the Panama Canal, the light-cruisers going towards Valparaiso and Callao to round Cape Horn. The cruisers will visit Jamaica and proceed north to Halifax before beginning the last leg of the voyage back to England across the Atlantic.

This is the first time in forty years that a British naval squadron has cruised around the world. A great part of the last one was done under sail.

AFGHANISTAN TO BE MODERNIZED BY GERMAN EXPERTS

Moscow.—Afghanistan is going to be "Europeanized" and the Germans have engaged to do the trick.

A group of 35 German experts passed through Moscow the day this was written, en route to Afghanistan.

They were forced to choose this route because of the refusal of England to grant them visas through India. Thus the trip will take about two months, including 40 days' ride on horseback.

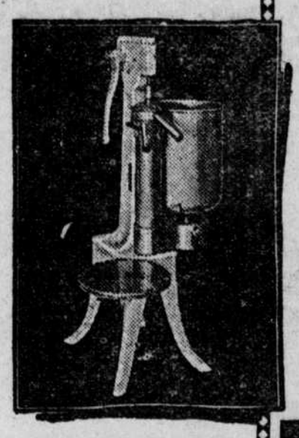
All together, over 100 experts have been engaged by the Afghanistan government, through the medium of the Afghanistan representation in Berlin. Some of them have already arrived at their destination. They comprise all professions, from roadmakers to physicians. Among them are engineers.

Their first task will be to build a complete modern city adjoining the capital, Kabul, in the same fashion as the English built the cities in Egypt and India. The old city of Baubul will be used as shelter for the inhabitants of the surrounding peasants, who always come flocking into the cities during the winter period.

The city will contain all the achievements of modern civilization of today, including radio stations, telephones, electricity, etc.

Moscow.—The Soviet is investigating reports from China that the Chinese government has established a death penalty for certain crimes applying "to Russians only." The order expressly exempts other nationals from the death penalty.

Dean Inge protests against the movement for a celibate clergy in the Church of England, pointing out that Nelson, Drake, Sir John Moore, Warren Hastings, Sir Christopher Wren, Sir Joshua Reynolds, Jenner Charlotte Bronte, Oliver Goldsmith, Tennyson and Cecil Rhodes were all children of clergymen.



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A Slip Up

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"Why, Jane, whatever made you do that?"

"But, honey, I didn't know you were going to turn round," was the gentle answer.—Exchange.

Yes, Why?

The Boy—Do you know, dad, that in some parts of Africa a man doesn't know his wife until he marries her?

Dad—Why single out Africa?

Illustrated Proverb

North—Dobbs has discovered that rich widow he married.

West—A fool and his money parted, eh?—New York Sun.

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