

Today One Foolish French Paper A Japanese Advises Us, The Judge Is Puzzled, Wonderful Bricklayer. By ARTHUR BRISBANE

The Paris Journal des Debats ordinarily a sane newspaper, suggests that America is responsible for troubles in the Ruhr because American sympathy encourages German resistance...

Mr. Mineichiro Adachi, able Japanese statesman, representing Japan as minister to Belgium, is busy at Geneva preparing a plan that would enable the United States to join the world court...

A Chicago judge is puzzled, and wonders what Solomon would have done. A man and two ladies appear, one lady bringing a small child. So far, all is natural...

Clarence Demar, 35, won the 25-mile marathon race at Boston, his third long distance victory. There is no sense in the running...

In that same race appeared a middle-aged, gray-haired man named Kennedy, bricklayer by trade. Doctors warned him not to run because of his heart...

One of the most useful branches of John Hopkins, an institution that honors Maryland, and the whole nation, is the psychiatric clinic, built and maintained for 10 years by Mr. Phipps...

A few years ago Mr. Phipps was selling gunpowder and other useful things in a little Ohio general store...

The evening he walked eight miles and back to make a little extra money, helping a blacksmith to keep his books...

Frederick the Great's father, seeing a look of fear on some boys in the street, chased them with his cane, shouting 'I'll make you love me. I'll find you probably.'

The dancing craze continues. One man dropped dead, just as he finished his long dance. Various young dancing women are in hospitals with hearts in bad shape...

'Woodrow Wilson will make repeal or modification of the Volstead act the rallying cry of the democrats in 1924.' That's what a Washington dispatch says...

That might be, if Mr. Wilson were the candidate, a possibility that is said to consider seriously. But if his son-in-law, McAdoo, were candidate, or W. J. Bryan (anything is possible) there would be no prohibition attack...

Man Killed and Woman Wounded in Brawl at Home

Mike Bolano Dies From Two Gunshot Wounds Inflicted by Former Partner, Found With Spouse.

Santoro Salerno, accused slayer of Mike Bolano, walked into the police station at 235 Sunday morning and gave himself up.

Mike Bolano, alias Mike Bell, was shot and killed and Lucile Lombardi, his common-law wife, was wounded in the right leg by Santoro Salerno, 1925 South Sixteenth street, during a fight at the Balano home, 1102 South Twentieth street, Saturday night.

Balano and the woman separated six months ago after a dispute arising over her alleged relations with Salerno. Balano and Salerno were business partners at that time.

Last night, according to the story told to police by the woman, Balano came to the house and rapped at the door. Salerno was in the house at the time.

Demands Entrance. 'Let me in. I want to talk to you,' Balano demanded, as he pounded on the door. The woman opened the door and Balano entered. She was so afraid of Mike, she said, that she paid no attention to what he said when he tried to hurry him from the house...

There were no other witnesses to the shooting and no one knows just when Balano was killed. Salerno apparently suffered no injury. Balano was shot in the left hip and in the head. The bullet that killed the man entered just back of his right ear but did not pass entirely through the skull.

Miss Lombardi was unconscious for several minutes after she had been shot. When she regained consciousness she screamed but none of the neighbors heard her. She finally managed to get to her feet and to the telephone and called police.

When the police arrived they found Balano lying dead in a pool of blood in the kitchen floor. Near the body they found the dirk that he had carried and four empty cartridges were found about the floor of the room.

Can't Find Salerno. Salerno left in his car immediately after the shooting and no trace of him could be found for nearly one hour. Then two detectives found his machine parked near Thirtieth and Dorcas streets. The machine was near the home of Salerno's brother, but a search of that house and several more in the vicinity failed to find him. Police declared that they expected the man to give himself up.

Miss Lombardi was taken to the police station and after her wound was dressed, was held in the hospital ward of the city jail as a state's witness. The body of Balano was moved to the Cole-McKay funeral parlors.

Woman's Club Plans Memorial Avenue. Mrs. L. M. Lord, chairman, and Mrs. J. M. Lowe, member of the conservation committee of the Omaha Woman's club, will confer Monday with J. B. Hummel, commissioner of parks and public properties, on the designation of a site for a proposed memorial avenue to deceased members of the club.

The committee decided to plant trees in honor of the memory of departed members of the club, but chose no location. The avenue plan was suggested and will be presented to Mr. Hummel.

I. W. W. Planning to Call Strike in Lumber Camps. Portland, Ore., April 22.—Reports received at headquarters of the Loyal Legion of Loggers and Lumbermen indicate that from 10 to 50 per cent of the workers in various logging camps in Oregon and Washington are preparing to strike at the call of the Industrial Workers of the World on May 1, according to an announcement made here by W. C. Ruegnitz, an investigator for the organization.

Feminist Leader, Wife of Noted Lawyer, Visits Here

Dudley Field Malone, Former Collector for Port of New York, Introduces Life Mate as 'Miss Doris Stevens,' Her Maiden Name—She Works for Equality of Womanhood.

Miss Doris Stevens, wife of Dudley Field Malone, formerly collector of the port of New York and now an international lawyer with offices and homes in both New York and Paris, is in Omaha, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Stevens, 2547 Charles street.

It is her first visit home since her marriage in New York, December 10, 1921. Miss Stevens is one of Omaha's brilliant young women. She has taken and still takes a leading part in the feminist program. Her book, 'Jailed for Freedom,' written of her experience after her arrest for picketing the White House, is well known.

Miss Stevens is not only brainy, but she is beautiful with faultless complexion, wavy hair, smiling eyes, sweetly mouth, a musical voice, and trim figure, stylishly gowned. Clings to Maiden Name. 'No,' she said, 'I am not Mrs. Dudley Field Malone. I am Miss Doris Stevens. Dudley Field Malone is my husband. When he introduced me, he says, 'This is my wife, Miss Doris Stevens.'

'That is sensible, isn't it? Why should the woman give up her name, lose it, forget it, just because she happens to be married? That custom is part of the inequality of woman which still remains.'

And Miss Stevens smiled in a way which convinced the masculine reporter that this custom must and shall be changed. 'I see you don't wear a wedding ring,' he remarked. 'Another foolish custom,' said Miss Stevens. On her 'engagement finger' she wears an enormous green Russian sapphire. Asked about her 'engagement ring,' she showed it—on the little finger of her right hand. It is a large emerald, the band of the ring encrusted with diamonds. 'Did you give up your career for marriage?' she was asked. 'Indeed I did not. Ever since we came back from Paris in October, I have been making speeches in New York for the new feminist program to make women equal to men before the law and in custom.'

'So you think a woman can have both a home and a career?' 'Yes, in fact,' said Miss Stevens. 'A woman's love chances are much better if she doesn't sin her identity, if she has some outside interest. She won't get tired of her husband, nor he of her.'

At this point Mother Stevens, who had been beaming love and admiration on her daughter, could contain herself no longer. 'Doris has lots of admirers when she was scarcely out of high school,' she said, 'and when they got too persistent, she would tell them all they were just friends and she didn't intend to get married for a long, long time.'

Doris laughed and reached over and took hold of her mother's arm. 'Now, mother, mother,' she protested. 'You see she's just like all mothers. Well, I did hold off from marriage quite a while and I'm glad I did.'

Miss Stevens is about 35, but looks no more than 25. She will leave tonight to join her husband in New York. They will sail next Saturday on the Olympic for Paris.

Mr. Malone's law practice in New York and Europe brings him an enormous income. 'We have our home in Westchester, just outside of New York, and an apartment in Paris,' said Mrs. Malone—pardon, Miss Stevens. 'I believe in making something just as practical as possible and won't have an establishment that requires more than two servants to keep up,' she concluded.

Bank of France to Repay British Loan in Installments. Paris, April 22.—The loan of 60,000,000 pounds by the Bank of England to the Bank of France, on April 25, 1916, which fell due this year, will be repaid in installments covering a period of seven years from date, it was officially announced, under an agreement reached between representatives of the two banks, the British treasury and the French ministry of finance.

The negotiations which covered a period of several weeks, were conducted 'in a most cordial spirit,' the announcement says. Sixteen Arrested in Two Raids; Beer Is Confiscated. Fifty quarts of beer were confiscated and 10 persons arrested by Detective Sergeant Trapp and his central squad in a raid at the home of Edward Janowski, 2313 Shirley street. Janowski was charged with keeping a disorderly house and with others as inmates.

Georgia Williams, 2304 North Twenty-fifth street, was charged with keeping a disorderly house and illegal possession of liquor after the squad raided the house. Five persons were arrested as inmates.



Miss Doris Stevens.

Economists See Good U.S. Demand for Farm Products

Less Favorable Foreign Market Predicted in Report on Conditions Made to Secretary Wallace.

Washington, April 22.—At least no reduction in the supply of American farm products this year, a slightly less favorable foreign demand and an active demand at home as long as the present business conditions continue, were forecast by a committee of 18 prominent economists and statisticians in a report to Secretary Wallace of the Department of Agriculture after a two-day conference here.

'It is of the most vital interest to American agriculture,' the report said, 'that the United States demand in every way possible to the settlement of the reparations and other European problems. The favorable factors with respect to foreign demand are: First, the influence of American prosperity upon the demand for European goods and second, the possibility that the slight business recovery that has occurred in a number of European countries may gradually gain momentum.'

Unfavorable Factors. 'The unfavorable factors are: First, the progressive piling up of government debts on the continent of Europe, with its offset upon exchange, currency and business; second, the Ruhr situation. 'With some overflow of the business activity of the United States to the rest of the world, particularly the non-European part of the world, the prospect would rather be that there will be some increase in the production of foods in foreign countries. We cannot, therefore, confidently offer any reason for the expectation that our farmers will meet any less severe competition in European markets during the coming year than they have met during the last year.'

Predicting the domestic demand for agriculture products would be active as long as the present condition of business with full employment continued, the committee said most competent observers seem to agree the country may expect general business prosperity to last at least six to nine months longer.

In Unfavorable Condition. The enormous net movement of \$1,120,000 persons from farms to towns and cities in the two years ending December 31, 1922, leaves the farms in an unfavorable position to meet emergencies, the committee declared. With European countries making efforts to place their grain production on a prewar basis, the heavy wheat exports of the last two years may be expected to decline and the committee advises that American production should be readjusted to meet these changing conditions. The condition of winter wheat is unfavorable, reported plantings of spring wheat are 5.5 per cent below spring planting. The corn situation is about normal, the committee found, but between now and the time the new crop is harvested there will be some tendency toward corn shortage because of the larger number of pigs on feed. Hog production has been heavy and is still in a state of expansion. Unless bad weather and other conditions have reduced the number of spring pigs to an unusual degree, the price of hogs may be depressed next fall and winter.

Man Confesses to 3 Robberies

New Yorker Implicates Another in Statement Made to Omaha Police. J. A. McKinney, alias Alvin Bushnell, New York, was arrested by Detectives Frank Killian and William Davis on a charge of highway robbery at Twenty-fourth and Poppleton avenue.

At the police station McKinney confessed he had held up and robbed Steve Hertzina, 4132 South Twenty-fifth street, Thursday night. He declared he obtained \$4 from this robbery and that half of that amount went to his pal.

On the night of April 15, his co-offense went on to state, he and his pal robbed H. T. Meyers, 2516 St. Mary avenue, of \$15. This robbery was remembered because the victim requested the bandits to leave his watch which was an heirloom. The man complained and later regretted it, McKinney said.

The last robbery mentioned in the confession was at the H. Kaplan garage Twenty-fifth and Q-streets, Friday night. The loss was reported as 'something over \$50.' McKinney confessed to having obtained \$165. McKinney told the detective that when he was arrested he was waiting for his pal. They were to rob the Cross-town drug store, Twenty-fourth and Poppleton avenue, he said. Another 'job' planned for the night was a gasoline filling station on a 'boulevard.' The man did not know the name of the place or the exact location, but declared that he 'could find his way there if he had to.'

McKinney came to Omaha from New York, where he said he had a police record. On his way here he met a man from Chicago and it was explained to him that the man had perpetrated the robberies.

Estate of Bishop Tuttle Not Expected to Be Large. St. Louis, April 22.—The estate of the Right Rev. Daniel S. Tuttle, presiding bishop of the Episcopal church in the United States, is not expected to be large, intimates of the late prelate said, following the filing of his will for probate here Saturday. The will contained a statement in the nature of a posthumous valedictory, offering thanksgiving to God.

The bishop's numerous beneficiaries in life, many of which were covered by a trust fund, are expected to make the value of the estate much less than it might have been. The will gave no intimation of its value. The prelate's salary was more than \$5,600 annually, it was stated.

Motor Cars Ruining Women's Beauty, Famous Portrait Painter Declares

Paris, April 22.—'In my 25 years of painting I have never seen a perfect model nor a really pretty woman,' said Sir William Orpen, great portrait painter, today.

Sir William's pronouncement will no doubt cause a sensation in social circles, in view of the large number of famous women he has painted. 'Ten or 15 years ago artists had little trouble to select paintable arms and legs, but now they have to search frequently for weeks,' said the painter. Sir William lays the blame for this to automobiles. Women use automobiles so much, he says, that their legs become thin and their feet and arms wanly artificial.

'They substitute paint for the glow of health,' he said, 'so how can painters be expected to portray their beauty when it is artificial. 'From my observations I would say that women's legs are steadily getting thinner, their waists flatter, their shoulders bony. I have seen photographs of the winners of newspaper beauty contests, and I have also combed the movies, and I have not found one genuinely lovely woman. 'On account of this condition we are up against a great difficulty, for while we paint portraits in a strong natural light, the majority of models look wan and listless in anything but artificial light.'

Sheriff to Bring 'Tiger Woman' Back to America

Man Who Relentlessly Pursued Hammer Murderess Will Leave for Central American Republic Soon.

Los Angeles, April 22.—Clara Phillips, escaped hammer murderess of pretty Alberta Meadows, will be returned to Los Angeles from Honduras in custody of her nemesis, Sheriff William I. Traeger, who has relentlessly pursued the former chorus girl since her flight from the county jail here on December 5.

Sheriff Traeger is returning from Sacramento, where he hastened to secure extradition papers from Governor Richardson immediately upon being notified by cable that Mrs. Phillips was under provisional arrest at Tegucigalpa, Honduras. As soon as the extradition papers are filed out and approved, Sheriff Traeger will leave for the Central American republic for his prisoner. Dispatches from the Honduras capital indicate that Mrs. Phillips will be turned over to California authorities for deportation upon proper identification.

'Tiger Woman' Silent. Quick work on the part of California authorities, with the cooperation of the State department at Washington, the American consul at Tegucigalpa and Honduran officials resulted in the 'tiger woman's' arrest and the starting of extradition proceedings a few hours after she was definitely located.

With the same cold reserve that characterized her throughout her trial here, Mrs. Phillips is reported in dispatches to have met with stubborn silence all attempts to question her as to her identity. Whether or not Jesse C. Carson, reported to have been with Mrs. Phillips when she was apprehended, will be returned to California, was not indicated by county authorities.

Husband Out on Bond. Meanwhile, Armour L. Phillips, husband of the fugitive murderess, was freed from the county jail on \$3,000 bail furnished by his attorney, Berttram Harrington. Phillips was taken into custody Friday night following the receipt of the news by the sheriff's office that Mrs. Phillips had been placed under surveillance in Honduras. Phillips denied that he had assisted his wife's escape and subsequently financed her flight.

'I don't know Jesse Carson,' Phillips declared shortly before he was released. 'I never met him or gave him money as they say I did. I never sent her money in Mexico or any place else. In fact, I have never known how she escaped or where she went, or who she was with, if anyone.'

Pawnee City Council Is Working for City Manager. Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Pawnee City, Neb., April 22.—The mayor and the city council of Pawnee City have voted to give the administrative force of the city so that a big step towards city management has been taken. For many years, progressive citizens have advocated city management for the municipality. The council has placed J. H. Tracy, former city clerk, in charge of all the clerical work of the city power plant, including collections of water and light rents and the checking of materials and stock on hand. The plan is working so effectively that it is very probable that a city manager will be procured.

Dynamite Used in Attempt to Save Town From Flood

Engineers Trying to Blast New Channel for River at Portage La Prairie, Man.

Winnipeg, April 22.—Engineers resorted to dynamite Saturday in an attempt to blast a new channel for flood waters of the Assiniboine river and check the threatened inundation of Portage La Prairie. The waters, already spreading over the outskirts, were rapidly climbing toward the center of the city. The city hall was being surrounded when volunteers of the Canadian Pacific railway began blasting in the downtown section in the hope of diverting the flood.

The danger became imminent early today when an ice gorge in the Assiniboine jammed and the waters backed up, breaking through the river banks and inundating a wide farming area to the southwest. Bridges have gone out; farmers who did not desert their homes have been surrounded; lines of communication were cut off and downtown section of Portage isolated. The water was four feet deep in some places and many families were imprisoned.

Improvement Reported. The situation at Brandon and surrounding districts was reported improved with the water receding slowly and the ice in the Assiniboine moving freely. Morris and other points threatened with inundation during the last two days were believed to be out of danger. In the west end of the city, where nearly every street is under water, several families were reported marooned in their homes.

In some sections, especially along the railroad, the water is so deep that it is undermining houses and one of two structures have collapsed. All railway service has been cancelled. Floods in Michigan. Potoskey, Mich., April 22.—Northern Michigan rivers are running wild, many districts are inundated and both rail and road traffic are halted or seriously threatened by floods from the rapid melting of heavy winter snows. Damage is heavy. Ice jams in the Ontonagon river were being blasted away at Ontonagon, Mich. in an effort to lower the flood which has covered the business district there with 18 inches of water, the highest on record in 40 years.

Oldest Mormon Dies. Salt Lake City, April 22.—John Michael Redmond, age 109 years and 10 days, and who, claimed to be the oldest living member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints (Mormon), died here. He was born in England and is survived by two sons and two daughters, 23 grandchildren and 55 great-grandchildren.

Jewish Students Wounded. Bucharest, April 22.—Forty Jewish students were seriously wounded today in clashes with Rumanian students in the grounds of the University of Bucharest.

Rome Labor Day Marked by Huge Fascisti Ovation

National Militia Troops Reviewed by Premier Mussolini—20,000 Workers in Parade. Rome, April 22.—Labor day, in past years marked by rioting and bloodshed, was the occasion of an enthusiastic ovation to the fascist government and its accomplishments. Twenty thousand fascisti of its national militia were reviewed by Premier Mussolini in Rome and took the oath of allegiance while 100,000 more went through a similar ceremony in other leading cities of the country. Mussolini, in the uniform of a fascist corporal rode a spirited sorrel horse and was accompanied on his right by general Armando Diaz, minister of war, and on his left by Signor De Bono, director-general of police.

As the review was taking place friends of the premier remarked that the composition of the fascist militia is the most tangible proof of the psychological change Mussolini has wrought in the minds of the people in that the majority of the militiamen are peasants whom even Garibaldi's influence did not succeed in arousing.

After Mussolini, the most cheers went to the war chaplain, Carletti, whose breast was covered with medals awarded for his exploits at the front. One of the decorations was in recognition of his bravery in taking command of a detachment of men, all of whose officers had been killed and leading them in a victorious charge.

One of the features of the day was the parading of the fascist syndicates, 20,000 workers taking part in the demonstration and cheering for Mussolini and fascism. Sought Drink, Robbed. Edward Dulge, 1813 Capitol avenue, reported to police that he had been robbed of \$15 while in a house at 214 South Thirtieth street. He declared that he had entered the place in search of a drink of whiskey and that while he was talking with a woman someone picked his pocket.

'Inhale, Don't Eat Food,' Professor's Secret of Perpetual Flapperism. Philadelphia, April 22.—'To stay young and fresh, don't eat your food—inhale it.' This is the secret of perpetual flapperism, as imparted to members of the American Philosophical society by Dr. Paul Haupt, professor of semiotic languages in Johns Hopkins university.

Dr. Haupt declared that over-eating was the principal cause of the haggard appearance of many 'modern goddesses' at the age of 25. 'A study of mythology shows,' said Dr. Haupt, 'that the gods and goddesses never ate and remained, in consequence, perpetually youthful. When a god or goddess wanted a meal he hovered over a burning sacrifice and inhaled the fumes from a roasting bullock. That satisfied him. 'Now our modern goddesses are fading before our eyes because they can't tame their desire for food.'

Advertisement for Nairn Straight Line Inlaid Linoleum. Includes text: 'Easily Cleaned', 'Do you know?', 'Premium Soda Crackers', 'Uneda Biscuit', 'Radio Apparatus Co.', 'You will enjoy Sweet Potato Croquettes', 'Use your rice croquette recipe, substituting boiled sweet potatoes for rice but omitting cheese. Fry to a golden brown in deep fat and season them with...'