

Today

Some Minus Signs. Cryptesthesia Saves Woman. War Does Not Pay. Why Not Join?

By ARTHUR BRISBANE

The stock market had a minus attack yesterday, minus signs scattered all along. Something is frightening the gentlemen that live by speculation, but what is it? Consult specialists in mail order business and you will learn that apart from diamonds and a few other luxuries, the people are buying better than ever. Nothing to worry about for the present at least.

Professor Richey of the French Academy of Medicine, says woman possesses a faculty, called cryptesthesia. That's scientific name for intuition, woman's strange power to judge character at a glance, her ability instantly to tell truth from falsehood. "Cryptesthesia" is older than the French Academy of Medicine, older than the pyramids. Women practiced that faculty a hundred thousand years ago, when their husbands came wandering in late from the cave across the valley. It's their one safeguard.

Once more the "solution of the Ruhr situation" starts, with all applauding. Big financiers that control the German government have arranged to get whatever they want. They think that they and many—things coming first—will be able to satisfy France and Belgium.

Those two countries will take a great deal of satisfying. Meanwhile, yesterday you could buy a billion marks for less than a dollar. In other words, the American dollar in Germany money is worth 250,000,000 times what it was before the war. War doesn't pay.

Prof. Irving Fischer of Yale thinks this country ought to join the league of nations, and asks why we hesitate, when 54 other countries have entered the league? Suppose 54 individuals, bankrupt or half bankrupt, entered a bankruptcy club and asked John D. Rockefeller, "Why don't you come in, we are all in?" Rockefeller's answer to that club would be the answer that the United States gives to the league of nations.

"Why did the 54 nations join the league?" asks Professor Fischer. They joined because in addition to being bankrupt or nearly, they were afraid of each other, afraid of themselves. Their attitude was something like that of the man who goes to the police and asks to be locked up because he thinks he is going crazy. This country isn't going crazy, and prefers to stay at large.

Mr. Emmons, who is president of the Electric Railway association, says public ownership means socialist government and an end of "a prosperous, sane nation." Mr. Emmons is unnecessarily worried.

What about the postoffice? That's government ownership, and quite successful. Nobody imagines that any private company would carry a letter from Miami to Seattle for 2 cents.

What about the Panama canal? That's government ownership and government construction, also. Quite successful after private effort failed.

It may be that Americans do not elect officials honest or capable enough to manage publicly owned monopolies. But they may do it some day.

Private capacity and monopoly is a greater menace to national prosperity and sanity than government ownership.

English schools are teaching a new kind of handwriting to the children. And so are some schools in the United States. The new style of writing is something like Greek writing, each letter standing by itself, not fastened to the next letter. It may be better, but it isn't as easy. It is better to write out "cat" in one simple operation, rather than make three letters separately.

However, the time isn't far away when every child and adult will use a typewriter. Pen and pencil will be used only for signature. Handwriting is as much out of date as hieroglyphics.

Those that do not believe in the efficacy of prohibition will be interested in the statement of an English magistrate at Southampton:

"I have more men from the Leviathan brought before me for drunkenness than from any other ship. The Leviathan, as you know, is a dry ship. Sailors on board cannot possibly get a drink until they get ashore. Then they get a big drink. But perhaps what applies to the sailors from the Leviathan and to the port of Southampton doesn't apply to the average American at home.

What effect prohibition will have in the long run we shan't know for a hundred years or so. When alcohol gets thoroughly out of our systems we would know more than we know now. The Indians had alcohol thoroughly out of their systems when the white men came here. Somehow or other they got it in again as quickly as they could.

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Public Too Restless, Says Hughes

Calm Thought and Less Excitable Judgment Need of Hour, Theme of University Address.

Democracies Need Poise

Providence, R. I., Oct. 10.—Public officers are forced to give half of their time to unnecessary contacts and a considerable portion of the national energy is wasted by the dominance in America today of a fleeting vision, a thirst for sensation and a restless need for motion, Secretary of State Hughes declared last night at a dinner to President Angell of Yale university, held in connection with the convocation of Brown university. "We find ourselves," he said, "in the age of the motor, the movie and the radio, which with freeds movement, novel and easy intimacies, and the ever present and constantly expanding enterprise of the press give us a delusive facility in acquiring information. It is the day of the fleeting vision. Concentration, thoroughness, the quiet reflection that ripens the judgment are more difficult than ever.

Waste Public Officers' Time.

"Facility of communication is agreeable and useful, but it leads not only to making more numerous and impetuous the demands of every calling, but to a vast waste of time by rendering easy countless intrusions on serious work. A host of organizations spring up to give an artificial insistence to these demands. "I think that it is the experience of public officials that it is not the proper work of the office that wears, but the increasing requirements of those who have little to do with the public business and by their constant importunities for extra official attention, use up the nervous energy which should be devoted to public service. But so important is the maintenance of good will, so generous are our American expectations, that it may be said that a public officer gives about one-half his time in contacts which are really unnecessary in order that he may be in a position to serve the other half."

Need for Calm Public.

Secretary Hughes asserted it was the primary need of the American university—now more than ever—to inculcate the desire for severity, reflection, sobriety of reason and calmness of judgment. "But," he added, "in some way America must continue to provide the opportunities of liberal education for the average man. We must train leaders, we must give of the best to the best, but democracy needs not simply a chosen few but the elevation of the standards of life and thought among the masses of the people to the fullest extent practicable."

World Temper Menaces.

Educational aims, he declared, remain unchanged, asserting that teachers should not fall prey to the search for "notoriety by sensational methods and by purveying hasty generalizations and imperfectly considered observations." "If democracy is to achieve its aims," he continued, "it peace among the nations is to be assured, it will depend upon supremacy of the dispassionate and reasonable and just; that is, upon the influence of reasonable men.

Associated Press news is always dependable. Its dispatches appear in The Evening Bee.

Gold Star Mother Chosen for Oregon



Mrs. Laura Fallin of Salem, Ore., has been selected as Gold Star Mother of Oregon and will represent that state in the national convention of War Mothers to be held in Kansas City.

Wild Uproar in Stokes Trial

Chauffeur Alleges Improper Relations With Former Mistress—She Cries for Gun.

New York, Oct. 10.—A terrific uproar was created in the court room today when Elmer E. Henshaw, a chauffeur, testified in the trial of W. E. D. Stokes' suit for divorce from his pretty wife, Helen Elwood Stokes, that he and his mistress had been "improperly friendly." Henshaw was formerly employed by Mrs. Stokes.

No sooner was this amazing statement made than pandemonium broke loose in the court.

Mrs. Stokes leaped to her feet, screaming: "You lie! You lie! You dirty chauffeur!"

"I am going to get a gun," she screamed hysterically. "I'm going to get a gun and put an end to this."

She started from the room but was restrained by court attendants. Finally they had to remove her from the court room as she became hysterically faint.

Stokes himself, 73 years old, then began sobbing. Tears rolled down his cheeks.

Above the uproar of the amazing scene, thundered the voice of Samuel Untermyer, chief counsel for Mrs. Stokes.

"Tell us what your improper conduct was," he said to the chauffeur, "she framed me up. She gave me money to frame evidence. Isn't that improper?"

He was obviously unnerved by the uproar he had caused.

Graveling, Grading Road Contracts Are Awarded

Contracts for the improvement of two roads were let by the Douglas county commissioners yesterday. J. G. Parks received the contract to gravel 49,399 cubic yards on road No. 18, known as the Priest Lake or Loop road, from the city limits north to the Washington highway. Work is to begin not later than October 20 and to close before November 20.

Contract for the grading of Sixteenth street from Road 25 north for one and one-half miles was let. This work also is to be completed before winter.

Bids were opened on paving Q street through Ralston, a distance of approximately one and one-half miles.

Forests Blaze in 3 States on Great Lakes

Child Burned to Death at Moshawk, Mich.—National Guardsmen Ordered Out in Wisconsin.

Houghton, Mich., Oct. 10.—Forest fires surrounding Ontonagon which threatened destruction of the village, were believed to be under control today. At Green, six miles away, it is believed all residents are safe.

All the men of Ontonagon joined the village fire department last night in fighting the flames on all sides, from five to seven miles from the village. At Green farmers were driven from their homes, but were reported to have taken refuge in a school house in a large cleared section.

By Associated Press.

Duluth, Minn., Oct. 10.—With one dead, five towns threatened by fire, navigation on the Great Lakes and bus line service alike, hampered by a pall of heavy smoke, several settlers' cabins burned out, and thousands of dollars in property loss, forest fires raging in the northern part of three states started their second day of major destruction today.

Hundreds of fires which have been burning for some time, fanned all yesterday by a west wind, reached dangerous proportions, uniting and sweeping onward with renewed vigor.

Mildred Kolvu, 3 years old, who wandered into the woods near Moshawk, Mich., and was burned to death, was the first person reported killed by the flames.

Late last night Governor Blaine of Wisconsin ordered out the superior units of the Wisconsin National guard to fight the fire raging through the state park at Manitowish Waters.

Hundreds of men are back-firing through heavy brush to try to save the villages of Blueberry, a small Douglas county community, and Lake Nebagamon. Hawthorne also is in jeopardy. Three farms north of Brule have been burned out and all cattle destroyed.

Ontonagon, county seat of Ontonagon county, is threatened by fires surrounding the village, and the town of Green, six miles away, is in danger. Lumbermen estimate 60 square miles already have been burned over. Farmers in that locality as well as several in Houghton, Keweenaw and Baraga counties, are moving to open spaces for safety.

Douglas, Ashland, Bayfield and Ironwood counties in Wisconsin, are dotted with flames. Breathing there is described as tortuous and heavy smoke hangs low over the land. Navigation on Lake Superior has become a serious problem, the smoke covering the water more densely than the heaviest fog.

Near Kimball, Ashland county, considerable loss from burning of out-lumber was reported. Brush fires rage between Saxon and Lake Superior. A number of buildings have been destroyed by the fire near the Wisconsin-Michigan boundary, between Houghton and Keweenaw, Mich.

All the news first in The Evening Bee.

Woman Travels 1,800 Miles in Search of Alleged Bigamist Mate

Mrs. Stella Mund, after traveling 1,800 miles in search of her husband, who, she declares is a bigamist, is now at the Hotel Rome.

Wednesday morning she asked Omaha detectives to aid her in her search.

Her journey started, she said, at Atlanta, Ga. Her husband was a street car conductor.

Speaking with a southern accent, she announced her intention of overtaking her fleeing spouse if she had to travel the rest of her life.

She refused to file charges against her husband, but she has been in Omaha, but that he is no longer here.

Johnson Petition in Mail Oct. 11

Name of Californian to Be Presented for State Presidential Preference Primary.

The Johnson petition committee, 204 South Eleventh street, Lincoln, will mail petitions today in behalf of Hiram W. Johnson of San Francisco, for the Nebraska presidential preferential primary April 8.

The petitions, addressed to the secretary of state, read: "We, the undersigned, qualified electors of the republican party, residing in the congressional district of the state of Nebraska, request that the name of Hiram W. Johnson of San Francisco be placed on the official primary ballot of said party for the primary election to be held on the 8th day of April, 1923, as a candidate for the office of president of the United States."

Mr. Johnson carried this state at the republican presidential preferential primary in 1920, although he did not carry all of the congressional districts.

Range Cattle Partly Shipped Overland

A. J. Kniseley of Shoshone, Wyo., who brought a shipment of yearling cattle to the Omaha market, said most of the steers from the Cody and Thermopolis districts had been shipped in as yearlings and 2-year-olds the last few seasons.

"Last year," said Mr. Kniseley, "my yearlings sold for from \$7.35 to \$8.25, but this season I sold them for \$7.50 a hundred. "Rather than ship our cattle around by Billings we took them overland to Shoshone, Riverton and Wolton and sent them over the Northwestern, although we usually shipped out of near Thermopolis.

"There is a general shortage of hay in our section and some of the stockmen are discouraged over the failure of prices getting better and are figuring on getting out of the business."

Fire at Bluffs.

Council Bluffs fire department was called this morning to extinguish a blaze at the home of H. H. Harrison, 1807 South Ninth street, when a kitchen cabinet caught fire.

Poincare Spurns Berlin Ruhr Aid

Refuses Offer of Co-Operation—Says Germans Must Make Proposition on Reparations.

By Associated Press.

Paris, Oct. 10.—Herr Von Hoesch, the German charge d'affaires, called on Premier Poincare today and offered the co-operation of the reich toward the resumption of the normal economic life of the Ruhr.

Premier Poincare replied that inasmuch as negotiations were in progress in the Ruhr with groups of industrialists and labor leaders, he did not consider it advisable to begin further conversations on the same subject. He informed Herr Von Hoesch that when Germany was ready to make a proposition covering the entire reparations question he would be glad to consider it.

It was explained at the German embassy that the proposal was based on the fact that it was necessary to provide work and food for the Ruhr population now that the payment of wages to the unemployed by Berlin has been stopped and also to arrange for the resumption of deliveries in kind on the reparations account.

The surprise felt at the German embassy over the French refusal was apparent. It was remarked that Germany had complied with Premier Poincare's conditions. The Germans pointed to his promise that the French government would consider resistance ended when Germany revoked her ordinances forbidding intercourse by the Ruhr officials with the occupying authorities and when the Berlin government suspended the payment of wages to the unemployed.

The Germans consider that both these conditions have now been fulfilled but feel that the Ruhr question is apparently no further advanced toward a solution.

Berlin, Oct. 10.—The nationalists and communists in the reichstag, voting jointly, succeeded today in effecting postponement until Thursday of the third reading of Chancellor Stresemann's authorization bill giving him wide authority in the dicta-

tion of measures for economic rehabilitation. The indication was they hoped ultimately to defeat the measure through filibustering tactics.

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Sweater Sets \$10.75

For Young Fresh Air Fans

No matter how sharp the weather, small persons from two to six can take their daily airing if snugly tucked into the sweater, leggings, cap and mittens of a sweater set. These new ones of brushed wool have coat sweaters that button close around the throat and the cap can be pulled down to protect tender little ears. In tan, brown, blue and white.

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THURSDAY

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Smartest of import copies and the cleverest of American dress conceptions; featuring a delightful range of the new colorings.

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