

Baleful Fires to Again Shimmer in Tabor Diamond

Owner of Jewel Pawned by Queen Isabella Again Is in Shoals of Marital Sea With Third Wife.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 31.—Are baleful fires shimmering again in the heart of the famous Tabor diamond? Is it due to the evil fate pursuing the owners of the gem of great price, said to have been pawned by Queen Isabella of Spain to help finance the voyage of Columbus, that J. Fitz Brind, wealthy Denver man, who won the ill-starred jewel in a suit for the estate of his first wife, again is in the shoals of the marital sea?

Third Wife Files.
The superstitious can draw their own conclusion, for on Saturday Emma M. Brind, the third wife of the reputed millionaire, filed action for divorce in the district court. Mrs. Brind, who was Mrs. Emma H. Stewart, widow of a pioneer Denver insurance man, before her present marital venture, charges Brind with numerous cruelties. The Tabor or Isabella diamond was purchased by the first Mrs. Brind from William Barth. Previously H. A. W. Tabor acquired it and lost his fortune. He sold it to Herman Powell, who died shortly thereafter.

First Wife Died.
The first Mrs. Brind died November 8, 1914. Her will cut her husband off with \$2,000 and gave the Tabor diamond and other jewels worth \$75,000 to Denver society women. Brind contested the will and won half the estate and the jewels. Less than six months after his first

wife's death Brind married Miss Antoinette Le Brun, a Chicago artist. This was on April 1, 1915. They separated in August of the same year and on November 14, 1916, Brind got a divorce on the ground of desertion.

U. S. Fleet Reaches Callao On Way to Maneuver Port
Callao, Peru, Jan. 31.—Three United States destroyer divisions, under command of Capt. Kenneth Bennett, arrived here Saturday afternoon, forming the advance guard of the United States Atlantic fleet, which will pay a visit to Peruvian waters. The American ships were given an enthusiastic reception, the docks being crowded with people, who commented on the splendid impression made by the little war vessels.

Santa Elena, Ecuador, Jan. 31.—A Chilean fleet, commanded by Admiral Gomez Carreno, passed this port yesterday and exchanged wireless salutations with government officials here. It went northward to meet the American Pacific fleet, which is on its way to Valparaiso. Radio messages were exchanged by the fleets during the day.

Mistakes Gasoline for Kerosene; He May Recover
Mount Pleasant, Ia., Jan. 31.—George Marcellat, head dairyman at the state hospital for the insane lying at the point of death as a result of an explosion caused when he picked up a can of gasoline which he thought contained kerosene and attempted to replenish the fire in the boiler at the dairy barn. Marcellat was badly burned about the neck, head and hands and is not expected to live.

New Roumanian Minister To U. S. Arrives at New York
New York, Jan. 31.—The Prince and Princess Bibesco of Roumania arrived yesterday en route to Washington, where the prince will be the new Roumanian minister. Princess Bibesco is a daughter of former Premier Asquith of England.

Germany's Value Is Estimated at 330 Billion Marks

Financial Experts Declare Reparation Demands of Allies Mean National Confiscation.

By GEORGE SELDES.
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Berlin, Jan. 31.—Germany's value in gold is 330,000,000,000 marks. The allies demand 238,000,000,000 gold marks as war indemnity. According to Berlin financial experts this action means national confiscation. It is pointed out that Germany has lost one-seventh of her population through the Versailles treaty terms and also, putting France's wealth at 210,000,000,000 gold marks, the experts declare that should France obtain 55 per cent of the indemnity this would equal three-fifths of that nation's national wealth.

Berlin had expected that a sum running into billions of gold marks but the amount set by the supreme council is considered so high as to be ridiculous. Official circles have received the news with little comment, but the general opinion is that the amount is beyond sane discussion and means that Germany will not pay anything. The Catholic organ, Germania, said in an editorial: "Germany will never pay because she cannot. We have only paper money of which the allies demand 2,000,000,000 marks worth."

The Kreutz Zeitung declares: "The figures are beyond discussion. The amount is higher than the whole German national property and all possessions, both personal and public." Experts have counted 113 varieties of hardwood trees in Jamaica's 500,000 acres of forests.

Three Firemen Killed When Wall Collapses

Providence, R. I., Jan. 31.—Three firemen were killed and eighteen seriously injured when a wall of the building at 88 Methewson street collapsed during a fire early today. Two of the injured are expected to die. The property damage was estimated at \$150,000. Trapped on the roof when flames suddenly severed the front wall, a company of firemen were hurled into a fiery pit. Their comrades in the streets were showered with blazing debris, but they rushed into the ruins and brought out the living and the dead. The building, of four stories, was owned by the Lederer Realty company.

Guardsmen Held on Murder Charge Placed on Trial

Hamilton, Ala., Jan. 31.—Sergeant Robert L. Lancaster, one of nine members of Company M, Alabama national guard, was to go on trial today in connection with the lynching of William Baird, a miner, for whose death nine guardsmen were indicted. The prosecution decided to give the men separate trials. Citizens of Tuscaloosa, the home of the guardsmen, who were on duty in the miners' strike zone, have raised a defense fund and employed counsel for the accused, who are little more than boys.

Mystery Surrounds Finding Of Babe in Unattended House

San Jose, Jan. 31.—A 6-month-old baby found in an unattended house here, was identified today as Harry E. Smith, jr., whom San Francisco police said was kidnapped in that city January 28. The child's mother, Mrs. Alice Smith, hurriedly brought here in an automobile when the boy was found, made the identification. No demand for ransom for the child had been made and the motive for the affair is a mystery.

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- February is a great month for home sewing and women will find that prices this year are pleasingly low.
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Trefousse Sends Kid Gloves for Spring Wear

—one and two-clasp gloves of pliant, sleekly-fitting French kid are offered in black, white, gray, navy and beige for \$4 and \$5.50.

Clearances of Wool Hosiery

Women's wool heather mixtures will be sold Tuesday for \$1.50 a pair. Boys' wool half hose with fancy roll tops, Tuesday, \$1.50 a pair.

Lower Prices on Sateen and Percaline

Fast color sateen—a full yard wide. The most desirable weight for quilts, comforters, petticoats, bloomers and linings, 75c and 85c a yard. The very best Percaline, thirty-six inches wide, 85c a yard.

Pongee Silks

Attractive prices on new pongees that are clean and even in texture (33 inches wide)—98c, \$1.25, \$1.35 and \$1.50 a yard.

Inexpensive Bloomers

Jersey Bloomers Are Now \$2.39. A fine mercerized jersey in flesh color, a very good quality for \$2.39 a pair.

Black Jersey Bloomers, \$1. Black cotton jersey of a serviceable quality.

Lining Section—Main Floor.

Face Powders for \$1.25 a box

La Trefolle and Azurea face powder will be sold Tuesday for \$1.25 a box.

North Aisle—Main Floor

Second Floor

Center Aisle—Main Floor

A New Cotton Suiting for Spring

It is called Carolina suiting and is shown in plain shades of blue, tan, pink, rose, green, cream and lavender. (For street dresses and children's rompers.) 36 inch, 48c a yard. Second Floor

New Prices on Marabou

Our scarfs and capes of marabou in black and natural are being offered Tuesday for prices that range from \$8.50 to \$38.50.

Seamless Sheets 81x90 for \$1.69

Made of heavy round thread muslin, free of dressing.

Spring Wear The Men's Shop

New shirts—the first ones of the season. Good looking and very moderately priced.

Neckwear in the styles favored for spring. Four-in-hands and bats.

Interwoven hosiery is now priced as follows: Mercerized lisle hose, 40c; silks, 75c; heavy silks, \$1.25.

To the Left As You Enter

Brown Oxfords New for Spring

An attractive walking oxford of dark brown vic kid made over a modified orthopedic last with medium military heels, \$11 a pair.

Another dark brown vic kid oxford has a narrow receding toe and military heels. A desirable weight for early spring wear, \$12 a pair.

There's Real Pleasure in Seeing These New Undermuslins

Chiefly because they are so very fresh and new and dainty and furthermore because the prices are so surprisingly low. Ask to see them Tuesday.

Real Hand Embroidery on Gowns That Are Priced from 90c to \$2.25

A white batiste gown with rows of blue shirring in front and blue hemstitched neckline and sleeves has a spray of pink and blue French knots across the front. A flesh batiste gown has a brief yoke embroidered with large pink dots. Hemstitching defines the very low V neck, short sleeve and high waistline. This gown is \$2.

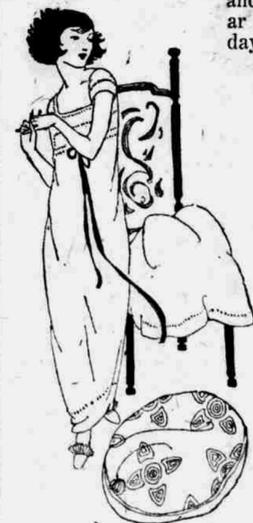
Bloomers are 90c, \$1.25 and \$1.35. Of flesh colored or white batiste and cotton crepe.

A Cotton Crepe Gown in pink of a very pretty coral tint is sprigged with rosebuds and shirred and hemstitched in blue, \$2.35.

Gaily Striped Billie Burkes

Pink or blue striped cotton crepe pajamas, shirred at the waist, in a charming one-piece style are \$2.75 a pair.

Muslin Underwear Second Floor



Out to-day New Victor Records for February

Though Heifetz and McCormack are abroad, both are heard in new and delightful numbers in this list of Victor music. And here is Kreisler playing the favorite "Love Nest," investing it with a new and exquisite charm. Added to this month's program are the first records by Sothern and Marlowe whose dramatic achievements parallel the musical triumphs of the great singers and instrumentalists who make Victor Records. Look over this list and you will appreciate the wealth of new music and entertainment presented. Mark the numbers you would like to hear and have any Victor dealer play them for you.

	Number	Size	Price
A Dream	Enrico Caruso	87321	10 \$1.25
The Fountain (Jeu d'Eau) Piano	Alfred Cortot	74659	12 1.75
Passopied (From "Le Roi s'Amuse") Violin	Mischa Elman	64903	10 1.25
Silfjals Jardindir (Were I Gard'ner)	Geraldine Farrar	87322	10 1.25
Come Ye Disconsolate	Mabel Garrison	64920	10 1.25
Sicilienne and Rigaudon Violin	Jascha Heifetz	64917	10 1.25
Love Nest Violin	Fritz Kreisler	64924	10 1.25
'Tis an Irish Girl I Love and She's Just Like You	John McCormack	64925	10 1.25
Romeo and Juliet—Balcony Scene—Part I	E. H. Sothern and Julia Marlowe	74662	12 1.75
Romeo and Juliet—Balcony Scene—Part II	E. H. Sothern and Julia Marlowe	74663	12 1.75
Eighth Symphony in F Major—Allegretto Scherzando	Philadelphia Orchestra	74661	12 1.75
Spinning Song (Mendelssohn's "Songs Without Words") Piano	Sergei Rachmaninoff	64921	10 1.25
O Primavera (Spring Time)	Renato Zanelli	64923	10 1.25
Deep in Your Eyes	Lucy Isabelle Marsh	45214	10 1.00
Once Upon a Time	Lambert Murphy		
When You're Gone I Won't Forget	Peerless Quartet		
There's a Vacant Chair at Home Sweet Home	Charles Harrison	18705	10 .85
I'm a Lonesome Little Raindrop	Victor Roberts	18709	10 .85
For Every Boy Who's on the Level	Victor Roberts and Harmonizers Quartet		
Broadway Rose	Henry Burr and Peerless Quartet	18710	10 .85
Mother's Lullaby	Sterling Trio		
Uncle Josh in a Cafeteria	Cal Stewart	18711	10 .85
Uncle Josh and the Honey Bee	Cal Stewart		
Oh Gee! Say Gee! You Ought to See My Gee Gee	Billy Murray	18712	10 .85
My Home Town is a One Horse Town (March Song)	Victor Roberts and Harmonizers Quartet		
Twelfth Street Rag—Fox Trot	All Star Trio	18713	10 .85
Dotty Dimples—One Step	All Star Trio		
Tip Top—Medley Fox Trot	Six Brown Brothers	18714	10 .85
If a Wish Could Make It So—Medley Fox Trot	Six Brown Brothers		
If You Could Care—Medley Waltz	Joseph C. Smith's Orchestra	18715	10 .85
Happy—One Step	Joseph C. Smith's Orchestra		
My Isle of Golden Dreams—Waltz	Blue and White Marimba Band	18716	10 .85
Let the Rest of the World Go By—Waltz	Frank Ferrara—Anthony Franchini		
Margie—Medley Fox Trot	Original Dixieland Jazz Band	18717	10 .85
Palestena—Fox Trot	Original Dixieland Jazz Band		
Just Snap Your Fingers at Care—Darling—Medley Fox Trot	Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra	35704	12 1.35
Caresans—I'm a Lonesome Little Raindrop—Medley Fox Trot	Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra		

Any Victor dealer will gladly give you an illustrated booklet describing these new Victor Records and play any music you wish to hear. New Victor Records on sale at all dealers on the 1st of each month. Victrolas in great variety from \$25 to \$1500.



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