

By George McManus

THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY



The young lady across the way says the national gas factories seem quite unable to keep up with the demand.

SUCH IS LIFE!

Bl O. B. Joyful "On \$25,000 a year my children and myself can just about dodge the poorhouse," complained a New York and Philadelphia society woman.

She had been awarded \$3000 a month alimony.

One might suppose that there was a young army of children to be supported. There are two.

"Believe me," asserts Squire Abner Happington, "it's like nothing better than the job of dodging poorhouses on \$25,000 a year!"

One thousand Armenians sailed from Constantinople for the U. S. A. If the mandate won't come to Armenia, Armenians will come to the mandate, eh?

Sweden has inaugurated a method of making good Swedes out of the residents there, according to Senator Alexis Bjorkman, of Stockholm, now visiting in America.

"Every good citizen is entitled to have one gallon of brandy each month," explains the senator.

But he doesn't tell how any citizen can be good and on the outside of a gallon at the same time.

Mrs. Mary Bedig, of San Francisco, is suing her husband for divorce, alleging that he "smacks his lips after eating."

And would the lady have him only smack her lips?

Six pink-spotted lizards escaped from a boat in Philadelphia harbor, says a dispatch from that city. Respectfully referred to Hon. Dry Kramer, Washington, D. C.

Just when the cost of living is coming down so one naturally would want to live—

The National Association of Undertakers in conference at Cincinnati announced that prices for burials have been reduced.

The darkest spot in the world right now is on the Araguaya river, in Brazil, where dwell the Carojos.

These Carojos, according to a fearless explorer just returned, are very, very uncivilized. They make darkest Africa look like broad daylight.

For proof: "The women of the tribe paint their faces and wear jewelry all over their persons. These women wear earrings and rings on their fingers. They wear scanty skirts and spend much time beautifying themselves. Indeed, it often takes them hours to do up their hair in the most ridiculous of fashions."

Those Carojos women must be an uncivilized bunch!

To enable a hammer to be used as a hatchet an inventor has patented a blade to be attached to its head.

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OH, HELLO, MRS. WALKER! JUST HOW ARE YOU? SOUNDS GOOD TO HEAR YOUR VOICE AGAIN!



YOU HAVE? WHEN DID YOU GET BACK? JUST A MINUTE PLEASE - DAMN WILL YOU PLEASE LEAVE THAT VICTROLA ALONE!

YOU MUST HAVE HAD A WONDERFUL TIME - DID YOU DRIVE ALL OF THE WAY? JUST A MINUTE PLEASE - NO YOU CAN'T HAVE AN ORANGE RIGHT NOW - YOU RUN OUTSIDE AND PLAY!



OH, THE THOMPSONS WENT WITH YOU? YES, THEY'RE GREAT COMPANY - IS THAT SO? GOOD FOR HER! YOU DON'T TELL ME! JUST A MOMENT PLEASE.

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OIL'S WELL THAT ENDS WELL!!!

The greatest radio station in the world is under construction on Long Island.

Nearly one-half of the cats grow in Iowa, Illinois, Texas, Minnesota and Wisconsin.

In France there are 14,000,000 who have savings accounts.

The world's production of coal is estimated by the United States geological survey as 1,170,000,000 metric tons in 1919 (metric ton of 2205 pounds), as compared with 1,332,000,000 metric tons in 1915.

Bees have a language and a system of telegraphy, according to Professor Francis Jager, of the University of Minnesota.

The poppy is being discussed for acceptance as the memorial flower of the American Legion.

The first known photograph was made by Daguerre in 1820.

The largest municipal office building in the world is that in New York City.

A machine has been invented that strips twigs from camphor trees without injuring the trees.

INCHES FROM THE GOLDEN-PLATED RULE By Lillian Paschal Day

NOMAD NO MORE Brother Howard's a nomad by nature. He doesn't look it—would deny it. He is big, handsome, prosperous. As a husband he's loving, settled. Heart could wish no better father. His family adore him. But he's got the wanderlust. He's always taking them somewhere. Wife is forever flat-hunting. Or else she's choosing hotels. Says she packs trunks in her sleep. She has wanted a home for years. Brother says, "Nothing doing. Property's a bother—ties you down. Bad investment. Taxes eat it up. You have to stick in it. Or you hold the bag for tenants." Every August wife spends in town. She tells from agent to agent. Almost gets sunstroke each season. She usually takes a sub-lease. Permanence is not for her. Rent is exorbitant—no matter. Christmas they'll be elsewhere. Moving times he takes a western trip. Returns when they're all settled. This year she went on secret strike. He had sprained her foot. It was really getting well. But she neglected to mention that. She stayed right on being laid up. He had to house-hunt—good night! He perspired from agent to agent. Miles of apartments he inspected. Walked his feet into solid bruises. Agents' examinations made him mad. So many barred children. He told one he'd drown the twins. Then maybe he'd be eligible. He'd find a flat that might do. An hour later it would be gone. He came home furious every night. Called landlords profiteers. He took a hotel suite temporarily. To crown all, her maid left. He had to do the packing. Nearly broke his back. Aches and pains left him sleepless. His eyes opened other ways, too. He put himself in wife's place. Next day he brought home a deed. He'd bought a home in the suburbs. Paid double but didn't care. Family danced round him joyfully. Suddenly the Missus remembered. She sat down. "Oh, my foot!" "Mine, too!" he sympathized. "Feet are great educators. Teach you a lot, don't they?"

Identification by finger-prints is generally supposed to be a modern detective device, but it appears that it was employed in Korea 1,200 years ago, having been commonly used in the deeds for the sale of slaves. Geese lay the best eggs from the point of view of nourishment. Then come ducks and guinea fowl. Hens are fourth on the list, with turkeys and plovers following. The wedding ring takes its origin from the bracelet, which was regarded among the ancient Egyptians as the symbol of marriage. Failure of North American exporters to place sufficient postage on letters sent to Argentina causes unfavorable opinion of American business methods.

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