

Teacher Starts Fight in School To Study Reactions of Pupils

Here's a Teacher Who Starts a Fight Among His Pupils to Study Their Reactions!

Following a premeditated scuffle among students in one of his classes, and checking the report of student witnesses after the incident, the reliability of witness testimony has again been attacked by Dr. Richard H. Paynter, professor at Long Island University. He has been making a series of experiments in the application of psychological technique to police administration and jurisprudence.

Paynter found not only that the majority of the students in the class were completely in error in the way they inferred the motives of the two principals in the disturbance, but that these stories were altered and distorted when the class was re-examined one week afterward.

The experiment was conducted with the aid of two students, Alfred L. Payne and Charles M. Rubin, who had been assigned to start a disturbance in the room during an examination period. A list of questions bearing on the class was submitted to the class by Professor Paynter immediately after the incident and one week later. Between the first and the second examinations the students had been informed that the episode had been staged for an experiment in social psychology.

An overwhelming preponderance of the class was completely in error in the way they inferred the motives of the two principals in the disturbance, Professor Paynter said. "This is especially remarkable since, some five or six weeks before, the students, in preparing for their final examination, had reviewed a reading assignment which pointed out similarly planned experiments. To the extent that the students had prepared themselves, they were pre-warded of the nature of such episodes in a psychology classroom."

The results of Dr. Paynter's first experiment in application of psychology to jurisprudence, a year ago, led him to suggest that scientific experts who understood how to evaluate witness testimony should replace laymen as jury members in criminal cases.

Freedom is Vital To Peace of World

Geneva Conference Brings Together 15 Groups Allied With League

Geneva, June 22.—International organizations are participating in the second international economic conference organized under the auspices of the International Federation of League of Nations Societies which opened here today under the presidency of A. A. Berenson, President of the League of Nations.

The Geneva League, well known throughout the world as a non-partisan organization, is the only one of its kind in the world. It is the only one which has a permanent office in Geneva, Switzerland. It is the only one which has a permanent office in Geneva, Switzerland. It is the only one which has a permanent office in Geneva, Switzerland.

Scientists Force Rain From Clouds

For the first time in history man has succeeded in making rain.

Scientists at the University of California have succeeded in making rain. The experiment was quite different from the one which was made in 1930. The rain-making was accidental.

Fog is the greatest enemy of aviators. It is the greatest enemy of aviators. It is the greatest enemy of aviators. It is the greatest enemy of aviators.

Spanish Royalty Likes Informality

King Delighted to Stroll Among Crowds Unheralded

Madrid.—King Alfonso likes to roam around unheralded and without formality, and other members of the royal family gratify similar democratic impulses when occasion permits.

The queen is fond of moving picture theatres, the Prince of Asturias attends a bull fight now and then, the princess play tennis, ride a golf, and are cheerful when they go on a casual shopping expedition without being recognized in the streets.

G. B. S. Says "Rubbish" Then Sings Opera

Novelist Did Not Confuse Work of Weber With Wagner

London.—George Bernard Shaw, in a free telephone interview with a London newspaper, declared that he had been guilty of a slip of the tongue in discussing Wagner.

While Shaw was telling Arturo Toscanini and his musicians about Wagnerian music at a reception recently he was understood to say his first acquaintance with the composer's work was a badly-played rendition of "Freischuetz."

Magicians Adopt Code of Ethics

Magic is Entertainment Superhuman Powers Fraudulent

Chicago.—A code of ethics has been adopted by the leaders in that form of entertainment known as magic. It was disclosed at the second national conference of the Society of American Magicians, held here recently, which brought together 350 amateur and professional magicians, many of whose names are well known by the public.

Hungry Lemmings Rush Madly to Sea

Rodents Surmount Untold Difficulties—Wolves Fatten on a Victims

Scourged by the whip of hunger, the lemmings, pugnacious little rodents of Scandinavia, are now on their weird migration to the sea. The lemmings, rat-like creatures with yellowish-brown fur, and usually of bold and fearless demeanor, have been taken by a puzzle to scientists by their strange periodic rush to the ocean and to death. A warm summer increases their numbers beyond computation and beyond support. Scarcity of food begins to be felt and their comfortable life is disturbed by anxiety for the future. Fear, increasing to panic, takes possession of them and they assemble together and prepare to migrate. Arranging themselves in ranks, they move like a living stream flowing from the heights to the low ground.

"Candy for Curves" Now Women's Cry

Manufacturers Rejoice As Women Again Start Eating Chocolates

Chicago.—This all-day sucker and bon-bon men, 1,000 strong, figuratively got down on their knees recently to offer up praise to the Paris fashion czar who have made feminine curves fashionable again.

Business was good, they said, because the nation's wives and daughters no longer are striving for boyish figures. The women of the land instead are seeking softly rounded curves and there's nothing like a good two-pound box of candy to produce those curves and produce them rapidly.

Sunday School Lesson

June 22, Lesson XII—The Risen Lord and the Great Commission—Matthew 28:1-10

I. THE APPEARANCE TO THE WOMEN, 1-10.

II. THE GREAT COMMISSION, 16-20.

INTRODUCTION.—It is upon the resurrection of Christ that the church rests. It was the belief in this fact that aroused the disciples from their doubt, and started a new joy in their hearts. It was as witnesses of the resurrection that they went forth as the first missionaries. It still is the foundation of the Christian hope. If Christ has not risen then our faith is vain. These are narratives of the resurrection in each of the Gospels, but these have certain discrepancies which cannot easily be reconciled; but the general impression is the same in all.

1930 is Britain's Healthiest Year

London.—The year 1930 shows signs of being the healthiest year in history since the records were kept. This country has enjoyed a late season of fresh air and sunshine.

In London, according to the Registrar General's returns, the death rate from influenza during the first four months numbered 208, compared with 2,882 during the same period of 1929. The deaths from all causes, such as the same period numbered 29,558, a 12,000 decrease.

Hollywood Films Are Anti-British?

London.—Sir James Parr, high commissioner for New Zealand, denounced in unmistakable terms American films, at a meeting of the British Empire Film Institute in the House of Commons on June 5.

"It is horrible to think," he said, "that the British Empire is receiving its education from the place called Hollywood. Many of the pictures (made in Hollywood) are decidedly anti-British in their attitude."

Milwaukee Has Gold Pavement

Milwaukee, Wis.—William H. G. G. city engineer, says there is a city with streets paved with gold, and that city is Milwaukee.

Blinding particles of gold in the city said he, said: "There has been three cents worth of gold in each cubic yard used to pave Milwaukee streets. A population walks on \$1 worth of gold in a block, and automobile blizzards driving downtown from an average distance roll over gold worth \$100. Altogether, there is about \$48,500 worth."

Chicago Police Taught Courtesy

Chicago.—The automobile tourist season now beginning calls for "all that a policeman can give in the way of courtesy," declares Capt. Frank C. Matchett, commanding the Chicago Traffic Division, in Police Bulletin 13, publication of the Chicago Police Department.

"Being curtly tolerant is not being courteous. The policeman who comments sarcastically on a tourist's rude ideas of operating an automobile is guilty of an offense that every fair-minded man frowns upon."

Gold Discovered In Northern Wales

Fennith, Wales.—A petition has been presented to the Government asking for inquiry to be made into the prospects of mining development, particularly gold mining, in the neighborhood of Dolgelly in Merionethshire. It is stated that the field has been explored, but never explored, and the Government is asked to undertake a comprehensive survey. The Romans obtained gold there and have left traces of their mining operations, such as stone troughs and the remains of aqueducts. In more modern times there have been occasional bonanzas, but the speculations of unscrupulous company promoters have spoiled the genuine development.

Peasants Fire Soviet Farms

Ukraine.—Kulaks or rich peasants enraged at the Soviet Government's plan of converting individual and middle-class farms into large state-controlled collective farms, recently set fire to the two largest collective farms in this district.

Individual Not Rated as Appearance by Modern Bureaus

"There's no such thing as an honest face," declares Frank C. Hamilton of St. Louis, who paid a flying visit to Toronto recently, to confer with local business men on the convention arrangements for the coming gathering of the National Retail Credit Association.

Mr. Hamilton went on to explain that what he meant by his statement was that modern credit associations co-operative business could establish an individual's credit rating on his appearance. As a matter of fact, honesty or dishonesty is of surprising little importance, comparatively, in credit matters. This, Mr. Hamilton says, is due to the fact that the great majority of people are fundamentally honest.

Wool and Silk Passing Away

Woolen clothing is now one of the common materials in all countries, except those with always worn furs. Yet the use of wool has not increased in the past few years. It is that year a Dutchman, Van der Meer, living in Adelaide, Australia, has produced a whole new way of making wool into yarn and cloth.

That was something worth thinking about. The most important thing in our lives, almost at this minute, we can say, is the way we dress. It is regarded as necessary to our comfort.

Canada Scores!

Medical. Que.—Canada scored significantly in the early weeks of the International Exhibition at Antwerp, and continues to lead and dominate the Fair," said E. T. Nollie, Director of Exhibits (Dept. of Immigration and Colonization) Canadian Pacific Railway, on his return from that exhibition, which still has six months to run. "The reason for Canada's prominence," Mr. Nollie explained, "is that Canada alone of all the participating countries had her building set up and finished, inside and out, on time. Not only that, but the whole area of the Canadian Pavilion was complete in the last detail of lawn and walks, shrubbery, hedge and flower beds. The whole ensemble, in fact, was a striking achievement which, in a singular manner, gave an impression of efficiency that was decidedly a feather in Canada's cap."

Indian Girl Defies Tribe and Gets Post

Washington.—Overcoming the opposition of her tribe, Juanita Crispin, a 20-year-old, full-blooded Pueblo Indian girl of New Mexico, has passed a civil service examination for matron and seamstress and will receive a government post at \$1,050 a year, the Interior Department announced recently.

The girl was born in Santo Domingo Pueblo between Santa Fe and Albuquerque, a settlement more determined than any of the others, the department said, that it should maintain the traditional manner of life. The tribe once blew up a windmill established by the government and has refused to permit its members to use shower baths and laundry tubs with running water which the government provided.

1860 Georgia Law Indicts Four Reds

Atlanta, Ga.—Georgia's drastic law enacting possible death penalty for conviction of a charge of attempting to incite to insurrection today had been invoked against four additional persons. Indictments were returned naming two women and two Negroes. Communist charges of insurrection growing out of Communist demonstrations here and the alleged heckling of William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor.

Big Airship Galley

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Chain Sky Scrapers?

Dallas, Tex.—The chain store idea has reached the skyscraper industry. A 25-story building about to be erected here is the first of a series of skyscrapers to be erected in the larger American cities, with more to follow, all built on identical plans and each called the National Building.

Chocolate is Not Candy Says Court

Philadelphia.—Under a ruling handed down by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals that sweet chocolate is not candy, the Government will have to refund nearly \$7,000,000 to four chocolate manufacturers. The companies from whom the money was collected as taxes on "candy."

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