TURKS TATTOO FACE

of Terrible Experiences;

Is On Her Way to

Rejoin Spouse

Mrs. Elisa Shahan, a beautiful Ar-

Mrs. Shahan is nineteen years old.

She told of three massacres which she

witnessed, the first in 1915 when her

family was deported from their home in Asia Minor to the Arabian Desert

and her father, together with all the

other men of the party, was killed

"I was then twelve years old," said Mrs. Shahan. "The Turks took me

and a lot of the other little girls and

they threw us in the Euphrates river.

but from the other side, of the river

Taken Unconscious

tres. The robber chief had twelve

lief,' they said; 'then we'll be sinners.

But I told them I would rather die

Tatto Her Face

"'All right. Do to me like that,"

Only the dogs began to bark

"'Maybe the robbers came to robber us' said the shepherds. 'Or may-

be an Armenian girl is running

cried: 'Stop, you gavone'-which is

They begin to shoot. The leads burn

"Then they catch me and ask why

How She Was Rescued

soldiers from Mousul; how she es

caped a massacre in Aleppo; how she

finally was escorted to Smyrna by English soldiers who swept down in

bombing planes and how she escaped

from pillaged Smyrna form subse

aged 46 Daily; Births

18; Deaths 20

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Community Service Director in Beautiful Armenian Girl Tells Effort to Aid Children's Home Amusement Tells **New Games**

Bob is telling Joe about the club they have at home. Bob has a broth- menian girl whose face was tattooed er and sister at home besides his by order of a Turk to prevent her escape from his house where she was

mother and father. "You needn't laugh, Joe, this club held as a slave, arrived in Chicago is great. We have two club meetings yesterday on her way to join her husevery week and every one of us have band in East St. Louis. to have a new game or stunt every In the Chicago office of the Near meeting night. After supper us kids East Relief, 19 South La Salle street, wash the dishes and do the work for Mrs. Shahan told how she had escapmother while she and dad get ready ed from Smyrna with her husband on for the club meeting, they always a Greek troop ship twenty-four hours give us some dandy new games and before the city was burned.

"What are they Bob? Sounds good to me, all the parties and things, I have been going to are getting stale, playing the same old games every

"Well, Joe, here are some of the stunts we use at home. You see a stunt is a game that comes in handy after we have played some active

Cut Glass-I'll bet you never knew Joe, that you can cut glass with scis- tied us all together with a pope. Then sors. All you have to do is to put the glass in a pail of water and cut while it is under water. came Arabian women swimming. Mirror Drawing

They cut the rope and five of us were Try this one sometime. Put a mir- saved. ror in front of you on a table, with some writing paper next the mirror. Then hold a paper up in front Arabian leaders and marched into of you, so that you cant see the pa- the wilderness, where I was sold to per, but can look in the mirror and the chief of the robbers for 60 plasdraw a five pointed star on it. Jug Balancing wives and sixty-seven children.

This sure is a hard one! Put a jug was taking of their children. on the floor on its side and sit on it "You must be a Mohammedan, lengthwise. Extend your feet and they said, but I knew that Mohammed put one foot on top of the other so was only a shepherd and I could not that only the heel of one foot is on love him as I loved my Christ. the floor. Take your pencil in one called the chief a liar man and he hand and writing pad in the other imprisoned me for forty days. He and write your name without touch- threw me dry breads and couchi-couing the floor with your hands. If the chi-dog meat. girls want to try the stunt let them | "She's going to die in her own bethread a needle.

Blindfold someone. Put a lighted than become a Mohammedan. They candle on the table. Turn the blind- took me to a roof where there were folded fellow around several times six Armenian priests. The Arabs and let him try to blow out the can- were digging out their eyes and finger dle. He'll have an awful hard time nails. doing it, believe me. Opera Glass Race

Here's a funny one. Mark out I said. I will not be a Mohammedan, an irregular line, or use a string They put tattoes on my face. For about twelve feet long. Take an weeks I lay as one dead. But I deopera glass and look through the termined to escape, There wasn't glass. We made a race of this by any place to fly away—all the doors having two lines and two opera glass- closed. I climbed to the roof of a es. It's some stunt to walk back stable. There was a hole in the roof. looking through the end of the opera | One midnight I threw myself down that hole and flew away. The shep-

I have some more stunts I'll tell herds were too tired and din't look. you about next week. So long.

STATE'S ATTORNEY TURNS OVER FINES away.' They got their horses and

More Than \$10,000 Collected a swear word meaning Christian Dog. In Three Months; Record I'm running downhill to the village.

A check amounting to \$10,851.70 was turned over to County Treasurer I am running away. They tie me by Ira Pearsall today by States Attor- a rope to a horse and drag me back ney A. V. Smith that covered the to the village." fines and fees for three months.

The exact dates through which the money was taken in were between Dec. 12 and March 5. This amount stands as a record in the state outside of Cook county, which has a population forty times as great as Lake, and is nearly as great as the fees and fines collected in all of the other counties put together.

quent chapters of her story. In the two and a half years he has been in the office he has collected COUNTY HOSPITAL and turned over to the county the sum of \$80,918.15, far in excess of the amounts turned in by Lake county prosecutors combined for the last Report Shows Patients Aver-

half score of terms. The office is paying its own expenses and also has money to the good, the report shows. This is also a record for local prosecutors. He has a sum of more than \$2,000 ahead of running expenses now.

for the Lake county hospital, the report of the hospital committee to the PROBATION WORK IN COUNTY LARGE

Annual Report Shows That 382 were \$4,763.44. The amount paid to the hospital during February was Children Were Supervised \$1,804.10, this being considerably Other Details higher than in December (\$1,366.09)

and Jan. (\$1,5593.25). Mary Polmeteer, county probation as follows. Dec. 42.7; Jan. 45.3; Feb. officer, on the work done in her de. 51.4. There were eighteen births at partment of the juvenile court and the hospital and twenty deaths. Mapublic welfare, which she submitted for operations 36, minor operations to the county board Tuesday after- 58 noon, shows that the activities of the department were unusually large and 788.40 on hand. of greater importance than many

members of the board realized The report showed that during the year 382 children were given super-There were 61 delinquency cases, 36 being boys and 25 girls. There were 321 dependency cases. Seven cases of mothers monthly pensions were handled.

The women are looking for all the 14 new spring wrinkles in clothing but 3 the men find all the old ones they need in their unpressed trousers. Claimed that the American people are doing too much high stepping but

the politicians are more frequently

guilty of side stepping.

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LAKE COUNTY POOR REPORT TO BOARD OF WOMAN CAPTIVE

> Funds Expended for Keep of the Inmates and General Care of Destitute

board and tuition for the depend- are the poorest ones also abound. ents of the county at the various There are very few families dependstate charitable institutions, accord- ent on charity in the rural districts.

of supervisors today.

that the total cost of caring for Lake a half baked under crust. Shields and Deerfield townships, dur- fail to keep up with their classes, The report shows that most of the not pay. It cost Lake county \$3,273.07 for where the richest people reside, there

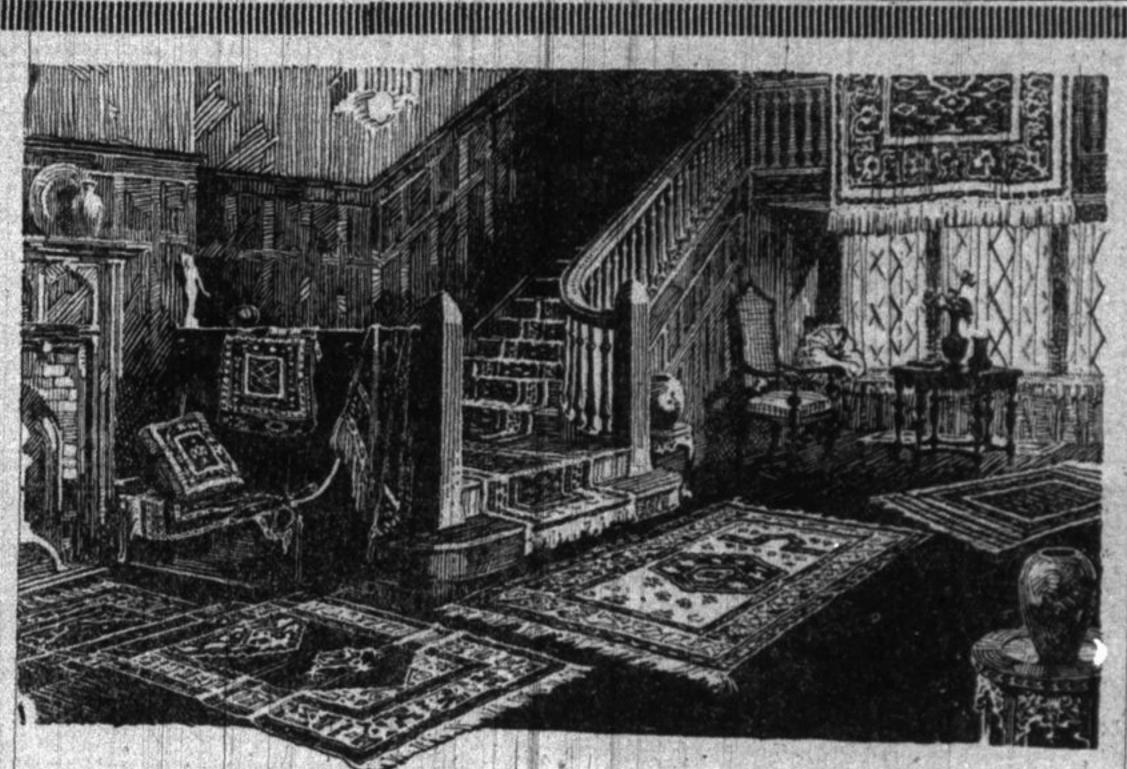
ing to a report submitted to the board No one can deny the necessity reform in this county while they keep Another report submitted shows putting out all this custard pie with

county's poor, outside of Waukegan, The school pupils of this city who ing the last quarter was \$3,134.70. disposed to think that education does

poor of Lake county are located on The American people don't seem to the "Gold Coast" which proves that get the backache very much nowadays but many cases of throat trouble ar

> Now that England has agreed t settle up, it is hoped that conditions over there will settle down.





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