

## BUREAUS AID IN ENFORCING LAW ON BUCKETSHOP

Bitter Business Idea Is Taking Root in New York City, Says Kenner.

MILWAUKEE, June 15.—It has come to light, at the convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, which will close here this afternoon, that recent nation-wide "bucket-shop" investigations and exposures were made with the close cooperation of the National Vigilance Committee of the advertising organization and with the aid of leading newspapers, officers of the law, and other agencies.

H. J. Kenner of New York City, director of the National Vigilance Committee, announced in an address here that as a natural outgrowth of these and other investigations of fraudulent stock deals, a better business bureau is being organized in New York City, backed by leading business houses, and that it will devote its entire attention, in the beginning, to the investigation of financial advertising frauds. Literally millions upon millions of dollars are taken from the people by bucket shops annually, he said.

**VIGILANCE COMMITTEE FURNISHES INFORMATION.**  
"The vigilance committee," Mr. Kenner said, "was in a position to render service to District Attorney Banton of New York City in his fight on 'bucket shops,' early in 1922, through information developed by vigilance investigations in New York and other cities, and by placing the committee's extensive files at his disposal. These cases were aggressively handled for the district attorney by his assistant Jerome Simmons and have had a wholesome effect in curbing activities of the bucketeers. The committee was fortunate enough to obtain Mr. Simmons as its counsel, when his bucket shop investigations were completed."

"The committee's bulletin in February on the danger to the public and to the aeronautical industry which lurked in the organization of air transportation companies by professional promoters," he continued, "was given wide publicity by the New York Times and prominent newspapers in other parts of the country. The Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce expressed its appreciation."

"Chief among our aggressive, definite actions was that of the committee in placing facts before District Attorney Banton, dealing with the practices of a ring of directory fakers, who were said to have swindled business men out of

more than a million dollars in the past fifteen or twenty years by collecting for space in directories which has never been published.

**HAS PROTECTED BUSINESS MEN.**

"In numerous other fields, the committee has been active," he said. "It has materially checked the activities of various publicity schemes designed to get money fraudulently from credulous business men, mainly retailers, in the form of coupon redemption bureaus, electric flash-sign companies, and self-collection letter systems. One of the worst offenders among the flash-sign companies is being made the object of vigorous action."

"One problem which has engaged the attention of the committee and its affiliated bureaus is the abuse of comparative prices in retail and other advertising, wherein an '85 value' coat is offered at \$39.50, or a pair of shoes, regularly retailed at \$6 or less, is advertised as 'worth \$8.' While recognizing the legitimate uses of the comparative price, truth forces are enlisting the cooperation of National retail associations and individual retail advertisers in an effort to curtail wrongful practices developed out of this use of the price appeal in advertising."

## PROGRESSIVES PLATFORM FOR FALL CAMPAIGN

Lower Taxes, Defeat of Ship Subsidy and Child Labor on Ticket.

MADISON, Wis., June 15.—The platform of the Progressive Republican party of Wisconsin, on which United States Senator Robert M. La Follette, Governor John J. Blaine and a complete State ticket will run for nomination at the primaries next September, was announced here today.

Reductions of taxes, repeal of the secrecy clause of the income tax law, repeal of the Esch-Cummins transportation act, abolition of "Pittsburgh plus" systems, defeat of the ship subsidy bill, and immediate construction of the St. Lawrence deep waterway were included in the platform of the candidates.

An amendment to the Federal Constitution to carry out the aims of the child labor bill, declared unconstitutional by the United States Supreme Court last month, is demanded.

Unalterable opposition to universal military training or any other military system was expressed.

## IDEAS ON BONUS CAUSE BREAK IN PARTY LINES

Opposition of Harding to Program of Close Supporters Causes Harshness.

Special to Indiana Daily Times and Philadelphia Public Ledger.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—Procedure of the soldiers' bonus bill was thrown into a whirlpool of dissension and doubt by the announcement of President Harding's opposition to displacing the tariff bill.

Some of the Administration's closest supporters used harsh words in expressing their intention to disregard the President's wishes. If there remained

any doubt they would proceed contrary to Mr. Harding's wishes, it was dispelled completely.

The chief Republican supporters of the legislation already have cast to the winds the President's advice with respect to the provisions of the bill. Now, they are ready to ignore his wishes on procedure.

There was more talk of a "gentleman's agreement" to displace the tariff bill for a few days in order to press the soldiers' bonus bill. Such a course

appeared entirely out of the question. The opponents of the legislation would not be parties to it.

It was reported consideration was being given to plans to take the soldiers' bonus bill out of the hands of Senator McCumber of North Dakota, who wants it passed before June 28, when he faces a hot primary fight. The Democratic supporters of the measure, furthermore, were said to be prepared to move within another week or ten days to displace the tariff bill in favor of the bonus bill.

## CITY TO BE HOST TO FIRE FIGHTERS

700 Visitors Expected at Convention.

Indianapolis will play host in regular fashion for Hoosier fire fighters who attend the Indiana State Firemen's Association convention, July 18, 19 and 20.

Between 700 and 800 visitors will be quartered in local fire stations.

Demonstrations of modern fire extinguishing methods, pumping and ladder contests, a parade, a banquet, an entertainment and addresses by Governor McCray, Mayor Shank and others are on the program.

Chairmen of committees in charge of the convention are: Reception, A. M. Rounder; finance, Michael Quilters; entertainment, Herbert R. Wald; banquet, Arthur Rosemeyer; decoration and floor,

Dennis Lyons; parade, John Fitzgibbon; contest and apparatus for visiting women, Mrs. John J. O'Brien. Daniel F. O'Donnell is chairman of the publicity committee, assisted by Simeon Hoyl and Chief O'Brien.

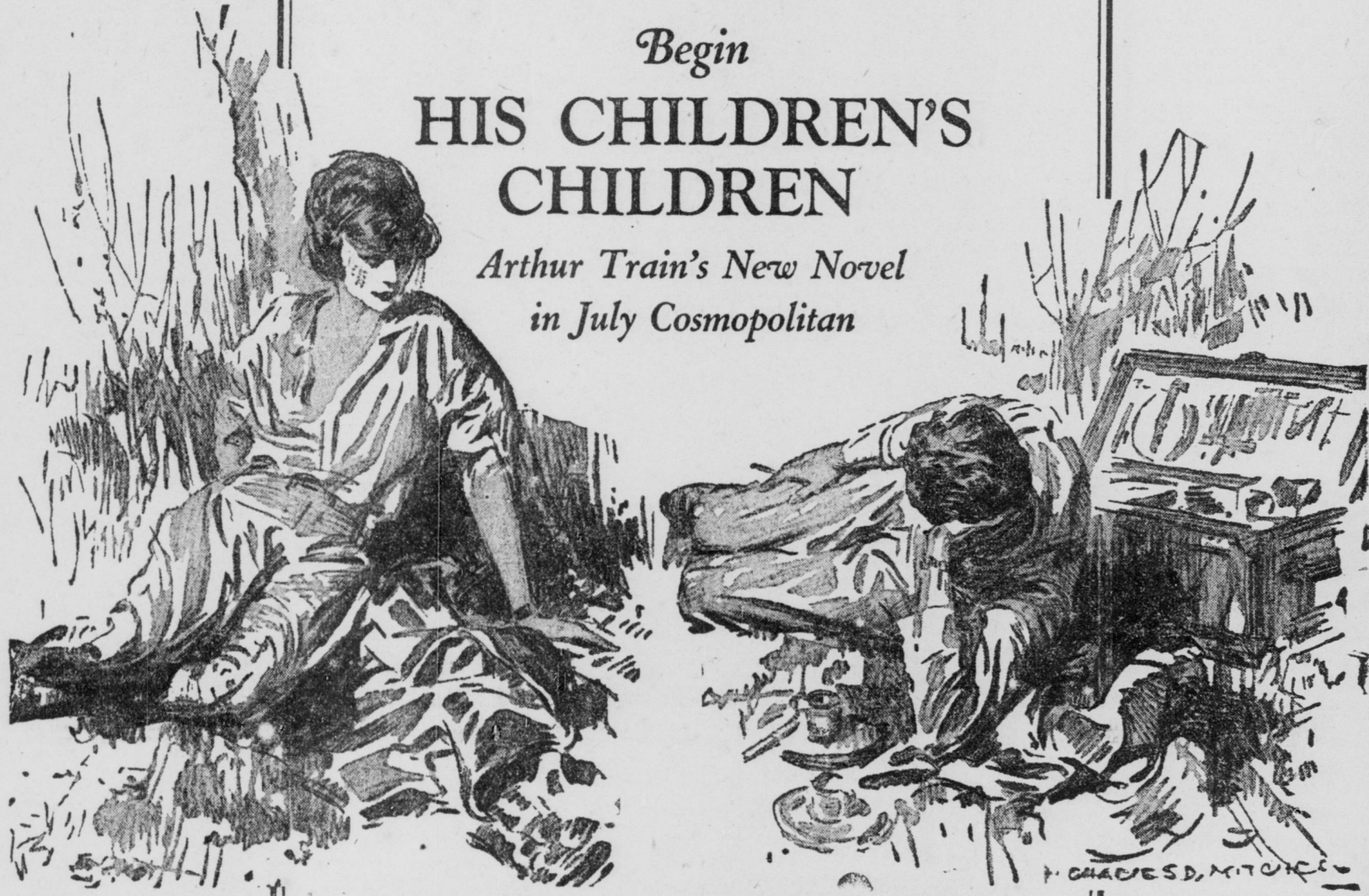
**AUSTRALIA WANTS U. S. MEN.**

BRISBANE, June 15.—To further the campaign for a "white Australia" efforts will be made to increase emigration of men from America to Australia.

## The frankest REVELATION of New York Social Life EVER WRITTEN

### Begin HIS CHILDREN'S CHILDREN

Arthur Train's New Novel in July Cosmopolitan



She liked his wide, slow smile, his gentleness, his warmth of heart, his enthusiasm—all so foreign to her own character. She would have liked to lay her hand upon his forehead and smooth back the curly brown hair and perhaps—give him a kiss. And she might have done so had he been another. But because it was Lloyd she could not.

Arthur Train, in his new novel, takes the inside story of New York's plutocracy

—its good and its evil  
—its scandals, its foibles, the skeletons in its closets  
—and gives us the frankest revelation of New York social life ever

written. He has written of the inside from the inside; and he has told with great dramatic power just what is going on these days in what used to be known as "the 400."  
—Do not miss "His Children's Children," which has done for America what Galsworthy did for England.

He, even more, longed to place his cheek against her hand and press his lips to its open palm. Wrong! he heard his conscience shouting in his ears. Wrong! Wrong! Then in the midst of the riot his blood was making in his throat and ears he heard Mr. Pepperill's crisp old voice: "Give her plenty of room!"

## WHAT MAKES A MAN FASCINATING TO WOMEN—By ELINOR GLYN

Did You Marry For Money? Do You Want To?

Don't miss "His Wife's Money." Short Story by Ida M. Evans.

MAN'S BEST FRIEND

A dog story—by PETER B. KYNE

George Ade on the human pest. Edgar Guest, Gouverneur Morris, Frank R. Adams, Lillian Russell, Achmed Abdullah, P. G. Wodehouse, Montague Glass. More of Robert Hichens' and Meredith Nicholson's great serials, and cover by Harrison Fisher.

Can Lovers Be A Law Unto Themselves—Successfully?

Rita Weiman answers in a poignant drama of young love.

GOLDEN HONEYMOON

More than humor—by RING LARDNER

**Motoring Service**  
Do you want to know the resale value of your old car?

Do you want information about engine carbonization, over-heating, etc.?

Write to—  
Cosmopolitan Motoring Service Department  
119 West 40th Street  
New York City

America's Greatest Magazine

For July—Just Out

# Cosmopolitan

NOW! AT ALL NEWSSTANDS

**School Service**

Is your school problem one of location, expense, special course, or physical training?—or full development of your children's talents?

Whatever it may be, Cosmopolitan's Educational Department in charge of Dr. Lyman P. Powell will help you.

Write to him at 119 West 40th Street, New York City.



If you want to lighten your labors on baking days, if you want to be sure of good results all the time,

Just ask for

## EVANS' E-Z-BAKE FLOUR

"Sold in a thousand Stores"

### AMUSEMENTS.

**KEITH'S** CONTINUOUS SHOW Every Day—1:30 to 11 P. M.  
**STERNAD'S MIDGETS**  
IT'S A REGULAR CIRCUS—PARADE 'EN EVERYTHING

SEE The Tiny Tots Perform The Ponies and Dogs  
EXTRA VAUDEVILLE ACTS  
RODERO & MARCONI  
BOB MILLS  
CHONG & MOEY  
DON'T FORGET THE CHILDREN—BRING THEM TO THE MATINEE.  
PATHE NEWS—TOPICS OF THE DAY—AESOP'S FABLES

CONTINUOUS VAUDEVILLE  
Indianapolis' Own Singing Comedienne,  
**LYRIC BELL OLIVER**  
IN HER "ONE GAL DIXIE REVUE"  
**PALO and PALET "LES BOUFFONS MUSICAL"**  
EIGHT BIG NEW ACTS  
DANCING IN THE LYRIC BALLROOM, AFTERNOON AND EVENING.

### MOTION PICTURES.

**Apollon**  
CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG  
"CHARGE IT"  
A PICTURE DEDICATED TO ALL WOMEN WHO DON'T REALIZE THE VALUE OF MONEY.  
Hall Room Boys Comedy, "Breaking Into Jail." Fox News.

**MARY MILES MINTER**  
AND ALLEN FORREST AND NOAH BEERY IN  
"THE HEART SPECIALIST"  
A ROMANCE IN A TURKISH HAREM.  
Eddie Lyons Comedy, "Oh, Daddy."  
Harold Lloyd Comedy, "Billy Blazes, Esq."  
International News Weekly.  
**OHIO THEATRE**

**PARKER TIRE & RUBBER CO.**  
Factory Drexel 8800. Indianapolis

OUR OWN CITY STORES  
213 Mass. Ave.  
111 S. Illinois St.  
44 W. Ohio St.  
20 W. North St.

### AMUSEMENTS.

**MURAT TONIGHT** Matinee Today  
**THE STUART WALKER COMPANY**  
In Avery Hopwood's Hilarious Farce,

**OUR LITTLE WIFE**

**SPECIAL!**  
Stuart Walker Presents  
"Six Who Pass While the Lentils Boil"  
"Sir David Wears a Crown" and  
"The Triplet"  
Tomorrow Afternoon at 3:00  
Saturday Morning at 10:30  
Regular Matinee Prices.  
Seats Now Selling.  
(Auspices of Indianapolis Federation of Parent-Teacher Clubs.)

### MOTION PICTURES

TODAY AT 12:00—1:50—3:40—5:30—7:30—9:30.  
A FILM CLASSIC  
"THE ROSARY"  
With LEWIS STONE  
JANE NOVAK  
WALLACE BEERY

**LOEW'S STATE**