

PEASANTS WEAR SILK STOCKINGS

Falling Currency Cause of Choice.

By NEA Service
PARIS, Nov. 6.—Silk, for many years the dress material for fashion's favorites, is now used extensively by the French peasantry.

French economists fear that characteristic French thrift exemplified by woolen hosiery may cease to be a characteristic with the advent of silk fineries.

The bas de laine has been synonymous with French thrift and now the bas de sole may become synonymous with French spendthrift.

It is said that in the provinces one can see milkmaids wearing pretentious hats, silk stockings and low-cut blouses while milking cows.

Falling currency values, it is said, has brought about the change, for spending as one goes is the only way of obtaining individual satisfaction.

FEMINISM BEATS GENERAL FENG

Yu-Hsiang's Wife Has Bobbed Her Hair.

PEKING, China, Nov. 6.—Feminism has invaded the household of the conservative-minded Christian General Feng Yu-hsiang and friends of the family are holding their breaths in anticipation of an explosion.

Mrs. Feng, formerly a Y. W. C. A. worker in Peking, named Miss Lee Ter-chuan, has bobbed her hair.

For a considerable time it has been her desire to follow the Occidental style in this matter, but her husband has entered strenuous objection. Exactly what his attitude is in the matter now is a subject of profound speculation. One report has it that he not only acquiesced at last, but actually played the part of barber.

PLAN ARMISTICE DAY

Legionnaires to Give Dinner Dance at Columbia Club.

Legionnaires of Marion County will observe Armistice day, Nov. 11, with a dinner dance at the Columbia Club.

H. B. Pike, chairman of the entertainment committee said invitations have been sent to all active members of all Marion County Legion posts. Invited guests of honor include Governor Jackson, Senator Arthur Robinson, Brig. Gen. Dwight E. Aultman, Clarence Jackson and Thomas McConnell, commanders.

HORN RIMS WIN OVER MONOCLE

Even King George Dons the Reading Glasses.

By NEA Service
LONDON, Nov. 6.—Ugly horn-rimmed glasses are winning the coveted place between the eyebrow and the cheekbone where the monocle used to rest in dignified superiority.

Owl-like lenses which for the past four years have been the sign, symbol and index ridiculous of the American are now entering the best English clubs, resting peacefully, but conspicuously on the noses of exclusive members.

While it is true that the Englishman still wears eyeglasses with diffidence and there are many stories told of King George's apologetic explanations when he dons the unaccustomed reading glass, the horn rims are winning popularity.

LONDON, Nov. 6.—An aged man was found lying dead on the grave in which his wife was buried forty years ago.

WOMAN'S PURSE YIELDS ANIMALS

Motorist Finds Queer Things in Handbag.

By NEA Service
BLACKBURN, England, Nov. 6.—Unusual tales are told concerning the secret contents of women's handbags, but one of the strangest collections was found in a purse near here. A motorist who found a woman's

purse on the Blackburn road opened it in search of an address. His investigation uncovered 1 live frog, 1 set of false teeth, 3 stuffed cats, 1 powder puff, 18 cigarets, 1 mascot dog, 3 Japanese rings, 7 lace handkerchiefs and 1 French copper coin.

MOTHER HUNTS SON

Appealing Letter Is Received by Police Department.

An appealing letter was received today by police from Mrs. James

O'Conner, of Huntington, W. Va., who is hunting her son John James O'Conner, 24. She thinks he may be in Indianapolis, though she has not heard from him for some time. "I just want him to write to his old mother," she said. O'Conner is a candy maker.

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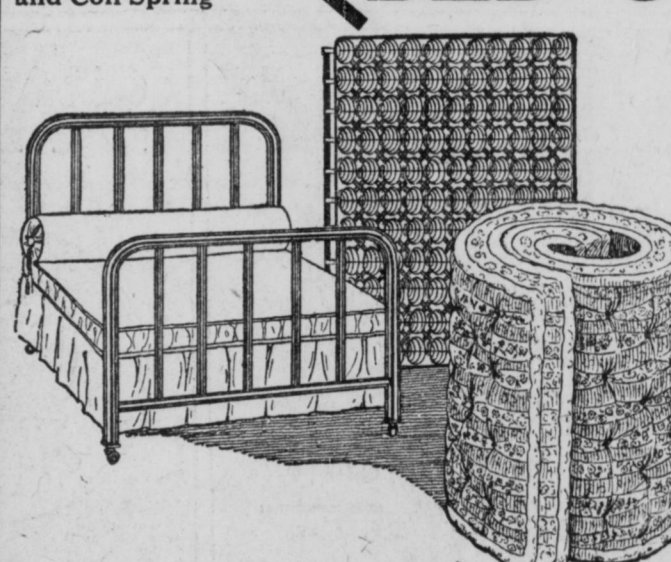
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