

STAGE FOLK HAVE  
SPECIALISTS FOR  
NUMEROUS 'ILLS'

Voice 'Lifters' and Glass  
Eye Painters Thrive in  
New York.

By Gilbert Swan,  
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NEW YORK, July 23.—New York  
attracts all sorts of unique "spe-  
cialists."

For instance there is a "voice sur-  
geon" who has made a considerable  
fortune "changing voices."

His patients are almost invariably  
theatrical folk from Broadway seek-  
ing to have their "voices lifted."

Enter his office any day and you  
will see the waiting room jammed  
with stage folk. Here is a young  
man who feels he is handicapped by  
a "too feminine" voice. He has had  
small jobs in "little theaters," but  
has felt timid about going after any  
important engagement.

And here, too, are innumerable  
women with "bab" voices," other  
women upon whom age is encroaching  
and whose golden quality is slip-  
ping, still others who have talent  
but bad speaking voices. They are  
ready to pay fat sums for the opera-  
cialists.

Has Picture Gallery

Glancing over the gallery of auto-  
graphed pictures with which the  
walls are plastered, one is astounded  
to note the number of "favorites"  
who, not long ago, were balancing  
precariously on the rim of success.

There is another "specialist" who  
takes care of most of the famous  
"grand opera throats."

Most of the great Metropolitan  
Opera singers are in his charge. No  
Burbank was ever more watchful of  
some delicate hothouse plant than is  
he of the voices that stir audiences  
the world over.

A million and one little germs and  
bugs that fill the air compose an  
army ever ready to attack these, as  
well as other throats.

Makes Glass Eyes

And there is an entire family of  
famous "glass eye specialists" to  
whom folks come from every section  
of the country.

One, in particular, is an artist who  
studies the patient's "good eye" and  
has "sittings" to paint a glass  
replica, as an artist would paint a  
portrait.

Sittings are made at various  
stages of the day to get variations  
in contraction and expansion of the  
retina, each of which is carefully  
reproduced.

He tells me that certain very  
sensitive persons have from ten to  
a dozen glass eyes to fit various  
lights and times of day.

His success lies in the ability to  
get exact coloring and lifelike ap-  
pearance.

19,000,000 Children  
Defective

By Times Special

WASHINGTON, July 23.—Of  
every twenty-two school chil-  
dren in the United States nineteen  
are physically defective, accord-  
ing to figures made public  
Thursday by the United  
States Children's Bureau.

The bureau estimates there  
are 22,000,000 school children,  
19,000,000 of whom have body  
defects.

Of these latter children, 15,  
000,000 have defects which might  
be prevented, the bureau be-  
lieves.

The figures were released in  
a plan for better care of the  
"runabout child," the latter be-  
ing defined as a youngster con-  
stantly on the go.

UNCOVER DOPE RING

French Drug Traffic Approximates  
U. S. Liquor Deals in Size.

PARIS, July 24.—Paris police after-  
scratching the surface of the under-  
world dope traffic by the arrest of  
forty persons, including doctors,  
traffickers, and importers of dope,  
have been surprised at the imme-  
diacy of the task of cleaning up the  
drug traffic in France.

Their investigation has revealed  
that the traffic has assumed propor-  
tions only comparable with the run-  
ning industry in the United  
States.

Police claim the dope ring is undoubt-  
edly the greatest criminal orga-  
nization in France. Montmartre  
is said to be the center for the gen-  
eral distribution of dope.

One physician at Darwen, in the  
north of Australia, has a practice  
covering an area ten times the size  
of Great Britain.

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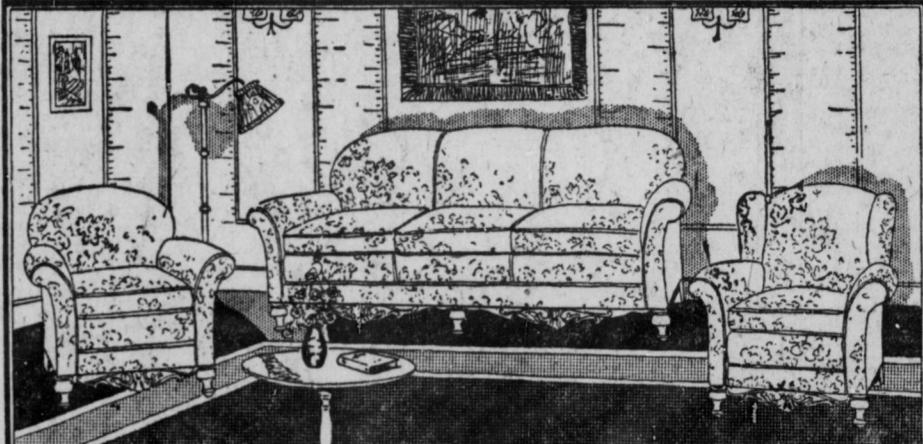
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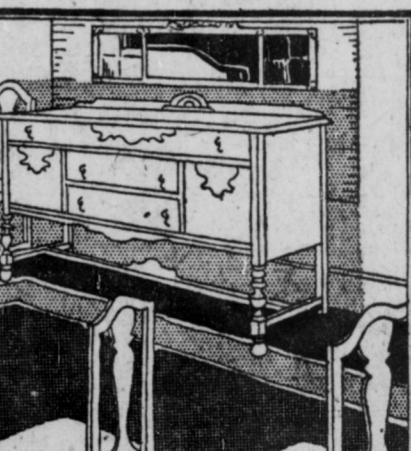
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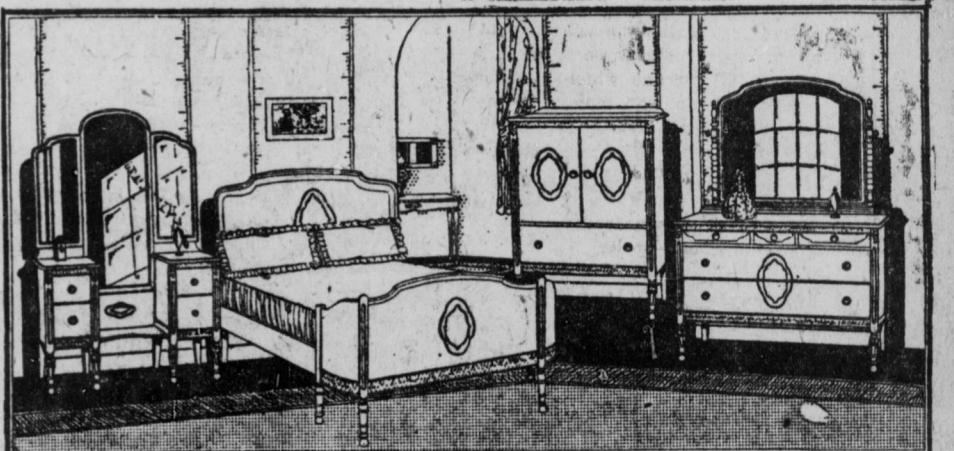
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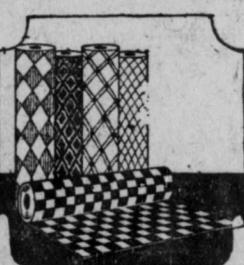
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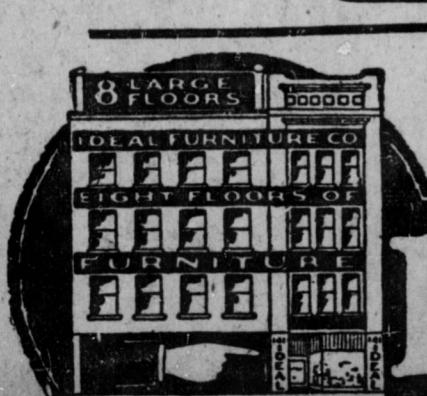
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