

Women of City Turn to Sewing

Economy, Entertainment, Clothes Individuality Are Provided.

The needle and the thimble have become woman's economic and artistic weapon. They have become her safeguard against ennui and her escape from uniformity.

The manager of the pattern department of L. S. Ayres & Co. reports that women have returned to the homely task of sewing not merely to save pennies, but because they desire individuality and something to do with their time.

With the recreation budget curtailed, there is more time spent in the home. The resourceful woman finds it advantageous to resort to sewing as an entertainment measure.

Home-Making for Style

Since dress manufacturers in lowering prices have turned out dozens of identical dresses, women have turned to the home-made dress for individuality. Nothing is more unnerving to women than to see themselves duplicated on every corner.

With yard goods at half the price of former years, better materials are obtained at less cost than the ready-made styles.

In turning to the pattern department, women may combine their ideas and innovations and achieve a style completely their own, or they may copy the Parisian or Hollywood fashion decrees. They are enabled to fashion dresses of the colors and materials, which suit the particular occasion for which the garment is needed.

Advice Given Beginners

The variety of cotton materials, being marketed now, are easy to fashion and unbelievably cheap. However, women aren't merely making the simpler things. They constantly are choosing suit and coat patterns, which are fashioned in heavy wool.

For the beginners' advice is given by the clerks. The departments offer seamstress service for those who wish to select their materials and styles.

The fashioning of children's dresses and of lingerie is enjoyed by women who prefer the daintier tasks of sewing.

NAME SORORITY COUNCIL CHIEFS

Grand council officers of the Phi Tau Delta sorority were elected recently. They are: Misses Estry Adams, president; Dorothy Julian, vice-president; Wilma Gage, recording secretary; Geraldine Newman, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Cora Andrews, treasurer.

Mrs. John Cromie, 1451 Central avenue, will be hostess Friday for a business meeting.

Daily Recipe

SCOTCH BROTH

2 1-2 pounds of lamb from neck, breast or shank
1-2 cup barley
1 1-2 quarts water
1-4 cup turnip, cubed
1-4 cup celery, cubed
1-4 cup carrot, cubed
1 onion, diced
2 tablespoons flour
2 tablespoons fat
1 sprig parsley
Salt
Pepper

Separate the meat from the bone and cut into small pieces. Wrap bones in a piece of cheesecloth. Immerse meat and bones in cold water, heat to boiling, skim, add barley, cover and simmer about 1½ hours.

Remove bones, add vegetables and cook until they are tender. Combine flour with fat, add to soup, stir until slightly thickened and smooth.

Season with salt and pepper. Just before serving add a sprig of parsley finely chopped.

INDIANA BANK TROUBLES DATE BACK TO 1819

First Permanent Financial Institutions Then Forced On Suspended Payments.

BY L. L. DICKERSON
City Librarian

Bank difficulties in Indiana date back to 1819, when the first two permanent institutions in the state were forced to establish a suspended payment system, following withdrawal of all government funds in the banks.

The two banks, one at Vincennes and the other at Madison, first were opened in 1814 and, during the 1816 session of the state legislature, a bill was passed that Indiana only should have one banking system. This was to be known as the Indiana state bank and its branch was to be set up in each of the fourteen districts of the state.

The Vincennes bank was selected as the chief institution of this organization and the Madison bank was to be one of the branches. Depositors in Madison bank, however, refused to accede to this plan and it remained an independent unit.

Struggles Began Early

The fourteen branches opened on April 19, 1817, and deposits in the Vincennes bank were raised from \$500,000 to \$1,500,000 by the government.

In the fall of 1818 the United States banking system refused to honor any notes of banks in the northwest and all banks in that district became insolvent. Indiana's banks alone failed to close their doors, adopting a suspended payment plan.

In 1821 the government came to the rescue of the Indiana state bank and deposited large sums of money. The bank, however, was unable to meet the stipulations of a contract drawn at the time, and, after making two payments to the government of \$40,000 and \$20,000, scraped \$30,000 together and deposited this in the branch of the United States bank at Louisville. Their doors then were closed.

Hard Hit In 1873

The Madison bank then re-opened through deposits by Indiana farmers, but when the United States bank demanded that special specie payments be made, the institution closed. The bank met all obligations, however, before closing, paying its depositors in full.

Since United States senators then were elected by the legislature, Debs was able to repay his patron in 1835

Veteran Legislator, Early Pal of Debs, Flays 'Mussolini Rule'

Oldest Member Asserts That Recent House Was 'Most Boss-Ridden.'

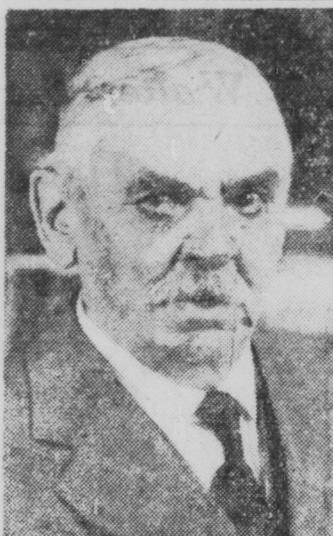
BY JAMES DOSS

With the ending of the epochal and history-making 1933 session of the Indiana general assembly, there returns to his home the oldest member with the conviction that "the house is the most boss-ridden legislative body I ever have known."

He is Martin T. Krueger, seven times mayor of Michigan City and former colleague of Eugene V. Debs when he and Debs served together in the Indiana legislature of 1883.

Krueger, now 80, always has been a Democrat since he cast his first, and losing, vote for President of the United States. That was in 1876 in Bureau county, Illinois, when he voted for Tilden and Hendricks for President and Vice-President, and Hayes and Wheeler were elected.

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ing hatred for prison guards and so dangerous because of his unbridled strength, that two men were required to feed him.

One would hand in the food while the other stood guard with a mace to avert a sudden attack by the prisoner.

Beloved by Neighbors

Debs, a model prisoner, finally obtained the warden's permission to talk to Tom, the Negro, and to go into his cell without benefit of armed guards.

The Negro, who could not read or write, was schooled daily by Debs and the savagery with which he looked on all men set up an admiration for Debs that lasted until the latter left prison.

When the time for Debs' leavetaking came, the hulking Tom blubbered like a child and clutched at Debs' hands.

A guard jeered at him: 'Aren't you ashamed, a huge brute like you, to cry?'

But Tom only answered as the tears rolled down his forbidding face: "That white man's the only Jesus I ever known."

Came to State in 1864

Krueger tells also of a time in Philadelphia when, in zero weather, Debs met a friend without an overcoat and swathed him with his own.

Krueger came to Indiana in 1864 when he was 10, from Mecklenburg-Schwerin, Germany. He came with his father and mother and nine brothers and sisters.

It was to his pilgrimage to the United States he alluded in one of the most dramatic moments of the present house session.

Set down baldly on paper, his words may sound melodramatic instead of dramatic, but they were uttered with an unimpeachable sincerity that moved his fellow representatives to applause, even though they had voted the other way.

Assailed "Mussolini Bill"

The moment came when Krueger explained his vote on the state reorganization bill, which he terms the "Mussolini bill."

The house listened carefully, as it usually does, when Krueger makes one of his infrequent appearances on the floor. He said:

"My father, standing in the evening and the exit of his life, with his face toward the setting sun, left his home country, friends and associates to bring his family to a land where the people chose their rulers instead of being governed by a sovereign who rules by the grace of God, and I am not going to repudiate that act of sacrifice."

"Neither am I going to violate the confidence of the people who sent me here to go to establish over them a government such as my father escaped from. I prefer to follow the example of the immortal Throckmorton of Texas, who alone voted against the ordinance of secession in the Texas legislature, of which he was a member, and said, as I say now:

"With the fear of God before mine eyes and the fear of no man in my heart, I vote no!"

Foes Unite in Hero Role

Couzens and Ford Brought Back Together by Michigan Banking Crisis.

By Scripps-Houze Newspaper Alliance

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Two old partners and enemies—Senators James Couzens and Henry Ford—have been brought together again in a heroic role as a result of the banking crisis in Michigan.

When the thrilling, inside story of this drama becomes known—and it will some day—the senator probably will get more credit even than the automobile magnate.

But each in his separate field—the senator in conference with treasury and R. F. C. officials here, Ford in co-operation with local bankers and industrialists—has borne a heavy burden.

Indeed, at one time, the R. F. C. directors virtually gave Couzens plenipotentiary power to act and speak for them.

And, as in the olden days when they developed the flavor out of the horseless carriage, Ford, in the present crisis, has depended on "Jim."

The aggressive, assertive senator used to boss the auto magnate like a father when he had charge of sales and Ford of production.

Time and again Couzens threatened to quit if his advice were not followed, but it always was.

Now, in the senate, he is the same dominant figure. The R. F. C. heads fear him and heed him.

Henry still responds to the spell. He sends the senator gifts of almost every new model, asks his advice now and then, and exhibits complete confidence in him.

Although Couzens professes to think it rather humorous, he is quite old friend's trust.

For the senator the banking crisis came just in time to keep him in trim. He is about to lose his chairmanship of the interstate commerce committee, and he has been grumbling because he will have no outlet for his terrific energy.

Always spoiling for activity, especially when it takes the form of personal or political conflict, life was becoming too calm for him. Indeed he ended a peaceful day recently with the mournful remark:

"This has been a terrible day. I

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Funeral Burial Set for Today

Funeral services for Mrs. Emma C. Coochfield, 56, of 1403 North Illinois street, who died Saturday, will be held at 2 this afternoon in the William E. Krieger undertaking establishment, 1402 North Illinois street. Burial will be in Memorial Park cemetery.

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YOUR HOME

MRS. ALMA RUSH DIES

End Comes on Fifty-Eighth Birth-

day; Burial Is Held Today.

Last rites for Mrs. Alma May

Rush, 3712 East New York street,

were held today in the Shirley Brothers central chapel, 946 North Illinois street. Burial was in Washington Park cemetery.

Mrs. Rush died in her home Sat-

urday on her fifty-eighth birthday. She had been a resident of Indianapolis thirty-three years, and was a member of the auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen.

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