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## The Car Shortage

The number of new cars needed to handle the freight offered by the factories of this country is estimated at from 250,000 to a half million. The number of freight cars constructed in 1919 was 100,000. None was constructed in 1918.

The Nation's Business, in an examination of the freight car shortage, found that there were 2,400,000 freight cars in use when the government took over the roads. With the 100,000 cars added in 1919, the roads started the year 1920 with 2,500,000 freight cars, counting wobbles and all.

Looking forward to the demand for cars in the autumn of this year, The Nation's Business presents the following figures:

"For a number of years prior to government operation the railroads of the country had been building approximately 175,000 freight cars annually and scrapping 100,000 cars, a net annual gain of 75,000. The record of scrapped cars dur-

ing government control is not available. If 100,000 cars were scrapped each year, and only 100,000 cars were constructed in the two years of federal control, the total number of cars in shape for use in January 1, 1920, was 2,300,000 or 100,000 cars less than the number in use January 1, 1918.

"The car situation is about as serious as it possibly could be. No orders have been placed for 1920 construction; none will be placed by the government, and it is not likely that any will be placed by the corporations until the lines actually are returned to them for operation. It would require a high grade of optimism to prompt one to guess that 100,000 freight cars could be constructed in time for use next fall, even if orders were placed in the spring, considering the demand for other kinds of construction work, and the condition of the market on which materials must be purchased."

Secretary of Agriculture Meredith, in a statement a few days ago, said he believed part of the high cost of living is to be attributed to weaknesses in the distribution system. It does not require a far look into the future to hazard a guess that if the railroads cannot provide the farmers with cars to handle the 1920 crops, prices instead of declining will rapidly soar.

The railroads will be hard pressed to replenish the freight cars that are so badly needed now. Government control of the lines was not accompanied by brilliant success. The freight car situation is another contribution to the general fault that was found with federal control.

dency now extept the benefactor of the human race who invented the circular wooden shampoo comb for the barber shops.

**BOY, PAGE LEW TELLEGEN.**  
Sign in front of movie house:  
"Geraldine Farrar, supported for the first time by her husband."  
"Lenine" Says he will shave us in spite of ourselves.—New York newspaper article. Probably meaning "save us." No Bolshevik would think of shaving anybody.

Just when we begin to believe that prohibition really prohibits and that there isn't a drop anywhere in this country, some wavering, lapping brother oozes into our office and tells us that he is a humming bird and that he is going to fly to the moon.

Sign on Main street: "Ladies Ready to Wear Clothes." And as a friend says—it is about time.  
The Soviet government in Russia has just issued an order that all workmen shall work 12 hours a day, seven days in the week. Ah, if we only had a brotherhood like that over here, what a wonderful thing it would be.

An Indian 130 years of age has just been converted to Christianity. Probably he figured it was about time to stop sowing his wild oats.

A hundred thousand motorcycles were sold in this country last year, and when you try to cross a street intersection they are all right there.

A Boston doctorsays: "In fifty years people will be civilized to kids." But some of us don't object to kissing the civilized ones—no matter how civilized they are.

Bryan says all the world is going dry. That is to say—all the world except Bryan.

## Dinner Stories

The young man had just returned from a holiday at the seaside.

Said he: "The trains were very crowded, and I had to sit with my knees drawn up for a long time, so long that my trousers stretched awfully at the knees. To give you an idea, when I got out of the train I went to the river and watched the boating, and as I stood there a small boy came up to me and said: 'Say, mister, I've been watchin' you for ten minutes. If you are goin' to jump-jump, an' have done with it.'"

Two Irishmen were in a city bank waiting their turn at the cashier's window.

"This reminds me of Finnegan," remarked one.

"What about Finnegan?" asked the other.

"It's a story that Finnegan died, and when he greeted Saint Peter he said: 'It's a foine job you've had here for a long time.'"

"Well, Finnegan," said Saint Peter, "here we count a million years as a

minute and a million dollars as a cent!"  
"Ah!" said Finnegan, "I'm needing cash. Lend me a cent."  
"Sure," says Peter; "just wait a minute."

"Johnny, did you go and ask Mrs. Naylor for the loan of her washtub, as I told you?"  
"Yes, mother. She said she is very sorry, but the bands of the tubs are loose and the bottom is out and it is full of soapy water."

"Is your wife fond of going to church?"  
"Yes; but she likes for the sermon to match her skirt in regard to length."

## Memories of Old Days

In This Paper Ten Years Ago Today

The first snow derby of the season, held by local horsemen, proved a success.

Guarantors of the 1910 chautauqua were selected.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Jones, living west of the city, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

GOODRICH MAY ADDRESS EDUCATORS' CONFERENCE

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 9.—Governor Goodrich will be invited to address a conference of educators and representatives of civic organizations to be held in the chamber of House of Representatives, Thursday morning at 10 o'clock for the purpose of perfecting an organization to promote teachers' week, March 7 to 14. The conference will be attended by college presidents, officers of the various educational associations of Indiana, and by representatives of the State Chamber of Commerce and the Rotary Clubs.

Skirts are high for the same reason that prices are high. It is the old law of supply and demand.

## IF YOUR EARS RING WITH HEAD NOISES

If you have roaring, buzzing noises in your ears, are getting hard of hearing and fear Catarrh, Deafness, go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Parmitin (double strength), and add to it 1 1/4 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar. Take 1 tablespoonful four times a day.

This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Closed nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucus stop dropping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Anyone who has Catarrh trouble of the ears, is hard of hearing or has head noises should give this prescription a trial.—Adv.

## THE GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS DAILY TALK

### ON BELONGING

We always know when we are in the place that we belong—for it is then that we feel comfortable. We don't feel as tho we were going to be asked to leave, or to "move over."

Every faculty that we have has its place in relation to the world outside.

And the work of life is to find where all that we have and are—belongs. And in proportion as we find the largest number of places in the world for the largest number of our abilities, are we given our measure of success.

We may belong to our friends—and when we do, our friends know it and are glad.  
We may belong to our job—and when we do, the job grows big. As people study, observe, travel, and increase in usefulness, everything and everybody makes a larger space for them—and they belong more than ever.

The belonging sensation is the natural one. It is the one that has kept "one's kind" together.

And how very wonderful it is to belong and to be sure that you are understood there. Few men and women who are failures, belong that way. Mostly their wires became crossed, or something snapped at the wrong moment. For all people belong—where their best intentions point!

Let us try to belong where we are the best fitted, and desire those things that make us better known to ourselves—so that we may be the more agreeable to others.

Let us keep our nerve—by keeping our place—by belonging to everything which we touch or attempt or are!

## "What's in a Name?"

BY MILDRED MARSHALL

Facts about your name; its history; its meaning; whence it was derived; its significance; your lucky day and lucky jewel.

### LEILA

The original Leila must have been a "vamp." It is distinctly a Moorish name—in fact it is translator to mean "Moorish"—and it was usually bestowed upon the loveliest of the always-beautiful Moorish maidens.

In reality, it is generally supposed to be one of the feminine names derived from the lily. As the lily is the fairest of flowers, perhaps Leila as the most beautiful of her tribe, came thus to be used as a proper name. Etymologists are frankly puzzled by her origin, since it seems that only the Hebrew and Slavonic tongues give names really taken from flowers.

But however that may be, and though the lily is as difficult to trace as the rose, it must still be contented that Leila had her origin in the pure white chalice of the most fragrant of all flowers. Liliola Gonzaga of Italy was perhaps one of lily-names which preceded Leila. There was a Lilius Ruthven in Scotland in 1557. The Queen of Naples about whom the Scottish ballad of "Rosalind and Lillan" was woven was named after the lily.

and, curiously enough, was called Cecelia by the Italians.  
Occasionally historians have thought that Leila and Lillian, and Lilius were only contractions of Elizabeth, but there seems little to bear out this contention, so the lily must remain reason d'être of all such names. Certainly its heritage of beauty is well borne out by the lovely woman who have claimed the name, among them Lillian Russell, the most beautiful woman of

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## "HAPPIEST MAN IN ALL INDIANA" SAYS LAMBERT

"You can tell them Tanlac has helped my wife, too, and of all the people who have made statements about being benefited I don't believe any have more cause to feel thankful," said Grover South, 24 South Sixth street, Terre Haute, in conversation with a Tanlac representative, a few days ago.

Mr. Lambert is proprietor of the Terre Haute Barber Supply Company and his standing and influence as a business man and citizen are too well known to require further comment.

"Tanalac has brought health and happiness to my wife," added Mr. Lambert, "and in so doing has made me the happiest man in all Indiana. About a year ago, while the 'flu' was going the rounds, she had a very serious case. I thought she would never recover and when she did finally get up she was as weak as a baby and nothing seemed to help her regain any strength. She was left without any appetite and such a badly deranged stomach that she could hardly eat anything. She complained of a dull pain in her stomach and suffered all the time with indigestion. Her kidneys bothered her constantly and her back pained her so severely that she could hardly stand it. She could neither cook our meals or do any of our housework and had to remain in bed for weeks at a time. She was so nervous that the door bell or telephone ringing, or just any little noise, would upset her."

"She felt discouraged and despondent and several times I was worried sick because her chances of recovery seemed so slim. But, some wonderful things happen in this world and the way Tanlac has helped her is one of them. One afternoon while looking over the paper I noticed Tanlac recommended so highly that I bought a bottle. The first bottle did not seem to help her much, but after taking the second bottle I noticed some difference in the way she rested at night, and by the time she had finished her fifth bottle she was an entirely different woman. She can eat anything she wants, as much as she wants, without the least trouble from it. Her nerves have quieted down until she sleeps the whole night through and gets up mornings bragging about feeling so fine. She is now doing all her housework including the cooking and we sit down and enjoy our meals together like we did in the good old days before she was taken sick. She has a good healthy color and I can tell from the way her face has filled out that she has gained several pounds in weight. She says life is worth living now and words cannot express the gratitude I really feel over what Tanlac has done for her."

Tanalac is sold in Richmond by Clem Thistlethwaite; in Greensfork by C. D. Sorine; in Cambridge City by Mr. Dean House; in Pershing by Sourbeer & Rodenberg; in Williamsburg by S. Merton; in Centerville by Centerville Pharmacy; in Dublin by E. R. Money, and in Milton by W. L. Parkins.—Advertisement

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## Clement Keegan, Oxford Man, Dies at Hamilton

OXFORD, O., Feb. 10.—Clement Keegan, aged 30 years, one of the best known young men of this village, died Monday at the tuberculosis hospital, Hamilton, after a year's illness. The body will be brought here and buried from the home of his sister, Mrs. John Elliott.

To Produce Play.  
Prof. Arthur Loren Gates, who recently resigned as director of public speaking at Miami university, to go to California, will remain in the village long enough to bring out Miami's mid-year play, "Her Husband's Wife," a three-act comedy by Augustus E. Thomas. The date for the performance has been decided upon as Feb. 27. The cast will be composed of

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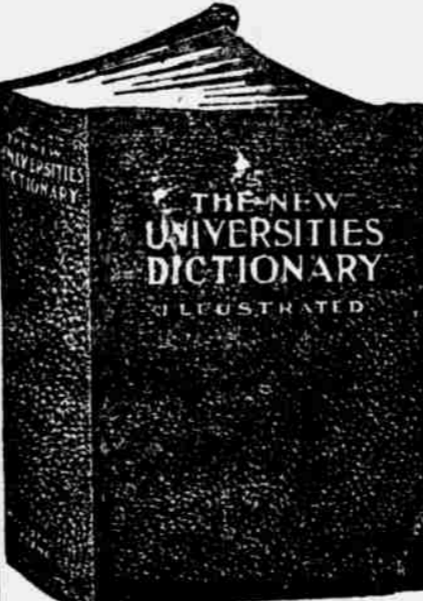
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