

The Woman's Page

News of Modern Women

It is astonishing how rapidly the women of Brazil are gaining political recognition. Recently Dr. Maria Luiza Bittencourt, doctor of public law of the University of Rio Janeiro, on a visit to the United States, told how the younger women all over her country are working in social activities. "We have eighteen women in the Federal Assembly," said Dr. Bittencourt, who is only twenty-five years old, an ardent feminist and the first Assemblywoman in the State of Bahia, Brazil, "and we have

three women mayors in Brazil." She is especially proud of the fact that Para has a woman in the office of secretary of education. South Americans are equally proud of Dr. Bittencourt's services in drafting an entire chapter in the new Constitution of Bahia.

"I propose to make a study of the power of the judicial review of the United States as compared with the highest courts of other democratic countries," is the way Mrs. Charlotte A. Hankin, of Washington, D. C., announced her new work. It sounds like an enormous task, but Mrs. Hankin is equal to it for she has made a detailed study of every case before the Supreme Court and every decision rendered by that body. She is one of four American women to receive research fellowships from the American Association of University Women.

One woman who knows what it means to live on Devil's Island, the French penal colony off the coast of French Guiana, is Mlle. Irene Peyron, a Major in the Salvation Army. She went there in 1933, where she saw, and now tells about, how the prisoners suffer and are tormented by the terrific heat, insects and fever.

In New York City, for the first time, a Negro, Mrs. Gertrude E. Ayer, has been appointed principal of a public school.

History must be revised and rewritten so that the "forgotten women" will receive due recognition, is the plea of Dr. Mary R. Beard, publicist and author. She is planning to collect and preserve documents and other records of the lives, activities and achievements of the forgotten sex.

SALVAGE FROM RUMMAGE SALE

The Judge, sternly: "Well, what's your alibi for speeding sixty miles an hour through the residential section?"

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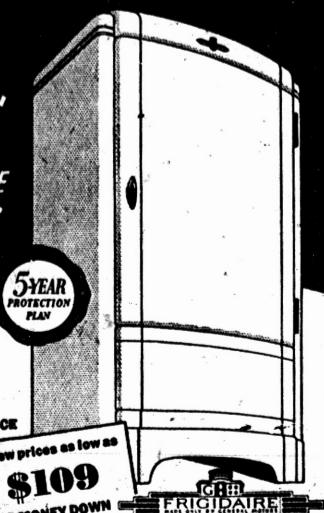
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Gentry-Allison Marriage

Miss Margaret Breckenridge Gentry and Mr. James Warder Allison were married at 8:30 o'clock Saturday night, March 21, at the home of the officiating minister, the Rev. T. Hassell Bowen, pastor of the Harrodsburg Christian church who used the ring ceremony. Mr. Vance Wade and Miss Virginia Jones, both of Harrodsburg, were the only attendants. Mr. and Mrs. Allison left immediately after the ceremony for Frankfort where they spent Sunday.

The bride is an attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gentry, Cane Run avenue, and is at present connected with the Fort Harrod Motor Co., in the clerical department. Following her graduation from the Harrodsburg high school she attended Centre College, Danville and also the University of Kentucky, Lexington. She wore at her wedding a navy tailored suit, white blouse and matching accessories.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Georgetown College. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Allison, of Winchester. He is connected with the Guaranty Finance Co. of Lexington. They are residing here for the present and Mrs. Allison will continue her duties with the motor company for two weeks, after which the young couple will move to Lexington to reside.

Returned From Covington

Mrs. Lula Wilson has returned from Covington where she has been several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Robertson, who is improving after a severe illness.

Week End Guests

Mrs. E. E. Bell and daughters, Ruth, Opal and Katherine, of Monticello, and Mrs. Bell's mother, Mrs. May Bartleson, of Lathrop, Mo., spent the week end with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Daugherty and family, Burgo road.

Returned To Washington

Mr. D. H. Morgan has returned to Washington, D. C. after a visit with Mr. Morgan Soaper.

Leave For Florida

Mr. and Mrs. Douglass Curry and little son left this week to motor to Delray Beach, Florida, and while there will also visit other points in the state.

Cranmer-Roney Marriage

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Pauline Cranmer and Mr. Pattie Roney, the ceremony taking place at Forestville, Maryland on March 7, 1936. The bride is a native of Hanover, Pa., but has been practicing her profession as a trained nurse in Washington, D. C. Mr. Roney is a son of Mr. and Mrs. James Roney, of Brumfield. He has

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Five Birthdays Celebrated

A surprise birthday dinner was given Sunday, March 22nd, in honor of Mrs. Laura Bottom Darland at her home near Mackville. It was also given in honor of three grandchildren, Ovie Helen Bottom, Irene Anderson and Billy Jane Covert; also one son, Willie D. Bottom as their birthdays were near this date.

The music was by Nellie Covert and Lottie Bottom on guitars, everyone singing "Happy Birthday to You."

Many pictures were taken of the family group. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Anderson and children, of Nevada; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bottom and children, of East Texas; Mrs. Nellie M. Covert and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Claunch and son, of Dixville; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Click and daughter, of Mackville; Mr. Willie Bottom, of Mackville, Miss Lottie Bottom and Mr. Willie Bottom, of Rose Hill

Kays-Sanders Wedding

Miss Lelia Kays, Anderson county, and Mr. Joe Sanders, of Dugansville, surprised their many friends by being married at Jeffersonville, Ind., on March 7, 1936.

Mrs. Sanders is the daughter of J. W. Kays, Anderson county and is a beautiful and accomplished young lady. Mr. Sanders is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sanders, of Dugansville, and is engaged with his father in farming.

Home From Florida

Miss Katherine Sullivan has returned to Versailles after a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sullivan. Miss Sullivan and Miss Lois Foster arrived here the latter part of the week from Florida where she had been some weeks.

Back From Nashville

Mrs. Hanly Bohon has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Tilden Hill, at Nashville, who recently came home from a stay in Florida.

Guest From New York

Mr. Clifton Tatum, of New York City, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Osborne Roberts, on Mooreland Avenue. Mr. Tatum had a very serious auto accident last October, and for several weeks it was thought that he

would not recover, but after spending nearly five months in hospitals in New York and New Jersey, he is out of danger. He is well known in Harrodsburg, having lived here for many years employed by the Herald.

Extended Trip In South

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wilkerson left Wednesday for an extended motor trip of about six weeks through several southern states.

Mrs. John Reid, of Owingsville, was the guest for several days this week of her uncle, Mr. N. E. Curry.

Mr. D. R. Chatham left this week for a business trip through Georgia and Florida.

Mr. H. C. Bohon, Miss Anna Belle Bohon and Mr. Henry Bohon were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Albert McClure, Frankfort. Mr. McClure, who is ill, is better.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Marsh and baby were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Marsh, of Paris.

Mrs. J. K. Powell and brother, Mr. Ralph Cherry, have returned from Harriman, Tenn.

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STUDENTS CALL MRS. OWEN GREATEST WOMAN OF DAY

Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen, Minister to Denmark, was listed as the greatest modern woman by the freshman women students studying freshman problems at the University of Alabama. Mrs. Owen received 149 votes. Running her a close second was Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, who received 139 votes. Jane Addams was third with 139 votes.

The poll was conducted to determine freshman opinions before taking up a course in the study of great women. Others listed in the first 10 were: Frances Perkins, 100 votes; Amelia Earhart Putnam, 88; Helen Keller, 78; Anne Morrow Lindbergh, 50; Emily Post, 38; Madame Curie, 66; Mrs. Huey Long, 31. Mrs. Owen is the daughter of the late William Jennings Bryan.

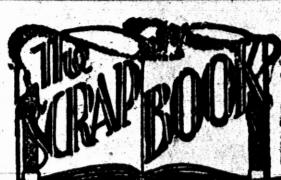
NO WOMEN HERE

Seventy-two years ago Billy Kirmes, of Melrose, Mass., became a barber. Billy was twelve years old then. Today William T. Kirmes, 84, has adopted many refining barber shop influences—but women are still barred. Women are only 25 and 50 cent customers anyway. Kirmes explained. And when they get what they think they want they don't look any better, he added.

SHOULD LOOK FOR HUSBAND

"I want a man to do odd jobs about the house, run on errands, one who never answers back, and is always ready to do my bidding," explained a lady to an applicant for a post in the household.

"You're looking for a husband, ma'am, not a servant!" said the seeker for work.



HYACINTHS

I remember that Grandmother used to say,

"Plant hyacinths on a windy day,
And all your troubles will vanish away."

Like a folded bulb, she was small and brown,

Yet she walked, a queen, in her soft black gown,

Talking to me of hyacinths,

With lace on the hair that was snowy white—

I can see her now, as she said that night,

"They are not afraid of the dark," she said.

"You may tuck each bulb in its earthly bed—

And know it will rise when the spring is here,

For the blessing of God is on all, my dear,

Who dream in a narrow bed."

They bloomed for her on the day she went,

A tired old lady and well content

To rest for a time in her narrow bed—

I remember now that she smiled and said,

"They are not afraid of the dark."

—May Stanley.

COPULE ADDS TRIPLETS TO TWO SETS OF TWINS

A set of triplets—two girls and a boy—has been added to the two sets of twins of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Mix, farm tenants.

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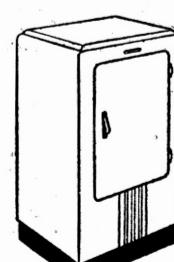
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