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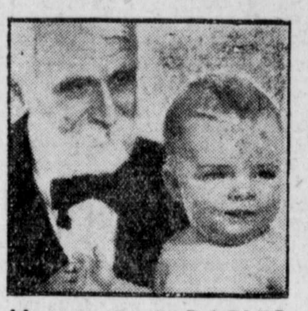
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Hungarian Dance That Took Europe by Storm

In 1840 Europe was fighting its way to renew emancipation: Intellectual freedom and social equalization. In England, France and Germany there was a movement for the leveling of classes. Everywhere was unrest. Highly keyed, the masses seized upon a new dance, a simple, exhilarating dance that came from Hungary. It was the polka.

The polka spread like an infection over Europe and thence to America. "Polkamania," Punch called it. "Its chief symptoms are extraordinary convulsions," said that caustic wit, "and with gesticulations of the limbs, with frequent stampings on the floor and rotary movements of the body, such as accompany lesions of the cerebellum"; people danced it on the streets and boulevards. Celarius, great dancing master of the day, complained that it broke down all the set forms of the past.—Virginia Pope, in the New York Times Magazine.



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Women's Page

BY A WOMAN



LISA DEL GIOCONDA

Lisa De Groconda was a very beauful woman of Florence. Her maiden name was de Gheradina and she came from an ancient noble family of that city though she was born in Naples in the year 1474 where she lived as a girl. In 1495 she married a wealthy Florentine merchant and during the rest of her life, far as in known she lived in the city of Florence. She seems to have been a happy wife and mother, though of her later years there is no record. It was early in her married life that she met the great artist, Leonardo, de Vinci and she sat for her picture. The result was the Mona Lisa" one of the most famous pictures of all time. People have gazed at this wonderful picture ever since trying to determine what was meant by that inscrutable smile. There is no hint in the history of those times of anything like a romance existing between the two, but certainly it was that she influenced all his pictures Physically, morally and intellectually she appealed to him as no other woman had done, he painted her again and again and all of his subsequent pictures again and all of his subsejuent picture reproduce something of her personality. The "Mona Lisa" smile greets one everywhere in Northern Italy where works of Leonardo and his pupils' are seen; she set a fashion in vitality and subtlety of expression absolutely unrivalled. In 1516 Leonardo went to France, carrying with him the "Mona Lisa." King Francis I. greeted him cordially, an dloaded him with honors. When he was shown the great picture, the king eagerly offered him $25,000, an unheard of price for that time. Three years later the great artist died, and his famous picture hung at Fontainbleu for more than a century until Louis XIV, took it to Versailles, his favorite palace.

After the French Revolution, the painting with "its irresistible eigmatic smile" found a resting place on the walls of the Lowre.

It was in the year of 1910 when the cartakers discovered the frame of the priceless picture hanging in its accustomed place, but the painting was gone. The people, shocked at the great loss began a search, far and wide, though it seemed a hopeless task but one morning they found that it been mysteriously returned, and it now hangs, one of the chief ornaments of the Louvre and one of the most precious pictures in the world.

The year of Lisa death is not known. Many writers have conceived of a romance between the painter and his model, but all that is known of her seems to show that she was a careful and virtuous wife and a loving mother.

Why English Women Are Thin

Some one has asked, Why are English women generally thin. It is not because they diet for they are often seen going into a pasty shop late in the afternoon to regale themselves and they generally have four meals aday?. An American who was suffering from overweight, and using the most strenuous diet rules, asked this quetion.

The reaon is very simple. They walk. Four or five miles a day is nothing for them to walk. Rain or sunshine out they go, if raining, protected by a mackintosh and a rubberhood Then whe nthey enter the house the first thing they do is to throw up the window if they are not already up.

So if one wishes to grow thin let them follow their example. Long walks and plenty of fresh air, is perhaps much beter than excessive dieting.

LA MODE

Coats Are Unlined

You have heard of the smartness of the new long, unlined printed crepe coats to be worn with palin frocks; unless we have very mild Spring they may prove premature for Easter Sunday, nevertheless you really must have one a little later on for the races, teas and so forth.

Dull Days Brightened By White Raincoats

PARIS (A. P.).

White raincoats are fashion's offering to brighten dull days. One of the smartest models is of white waterproof crepe designed with a short cape and big patch pockets. It is worn with a bright red scarf.

Grandmother's Plackets Reenter Style Picture

PARIS (A. P.).

The plackets grandmother wore in her frocks are coming back to style. Many new spring dresses button in the back with eight-inch plackets near the neckline or the waistline. A few of the openings extend below the belt.

Shorter Skirts

A number of Paris couturiest favor much shorter skirts for little evening wear. Redfern has an evening dress of black peau d'ange quite twelve inches from the floor. It is worn with a short matching packet that has puffed elbow-length sleeves; it looks as if it were part of the frock till removed—a smart trick liked by Vionnet and others.

Tunic Suits

Molyneux's long tunic suits are among the most satisfying Spring ensembles launched this season. There is a slim skirt, a three-quarter belted tunic and a loose coat just long enough to cover it.

RECIPES

Fruit Bread

One and one-half cups sifted flour, three teaspoons of baking powder, one-half cup sugar, one teaspoon salt, one-half cup nut meats, broken, one-half cup canned orange peel, thinly sliced, one and one-half cups graham flour, one and one-half cups milk, one egg, well beaten. Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, sugar, and salt, and sift again. Combine nuts, orange peel, and graham flour, and add to first mixture. Combine milk and egg; add to flour. Stir only until smooth. Bake in greased loaf pan, 9x4x3 inches, in moderate oven (325 degrees F.) one hour.

Lemon Fluff Pie

Filling:
3 eggs
1 lemon—juice and rind
3 tablespoons water
1 cup sugar
1-4 teaspoon salt
Pastry:
1 cup flour
Ice water
5 tablespoons shortening
1-2 teaspoon salt
1-3 teaspoon baking powder.

Pastry: Mix and sift flour, baking powder and salt. Chop in shortening until mealy. Add sufficient ice water to hold ingredients together. Chill. Roll thin, cover bottom of pie pan, bake in hot oven (500 degrees) and reduce to 375 degrees after five minutes.

Filling: Separate eggs. Beat yolks with one-half cupful sugar: add water, grated rind and lemon juice. Cook in double boiler until thick. Beat egg whites until stiff and dry, add salt and remaining sugar. Pour into this the cooked mixture, blending it well. Fill baked pie shell. Bake in very slow oven (250 degrees) until lightly browned.

Codfish Turban

2 1-2 cupfuls flaked cod
1 1-2 cupfuls milk
4 tablespoons butter
4 tablespoons flour
2 egg yolks
2-3 cupful buttered cracker crumbs
1-2 easpoon salt
1-8 teaspoon pepper
2 slices lemon
Lemon juice
Blade of mace
Sprig of parsley

Scald the milk with parsley, onion an dmace, and then remove the seasonings. Melt the buter, add the flour, salt and pepepr and pour in the milk gradually, stirring continuously. Bring to the boiling point and add the egg yolks, slightly beaten. Put a layer of cod in a butered dish, season with salt and pepper and a few drops of lemon juice. Cover with the sauce and continue until both fish and sauce are used. Cover with greadcrumbs and bake in a hot oven until crumbs are nicely browned.

Shanghai: Negotiations looking towards permanent settlement of the Sino-Japanese dispute are being held at Shanghai. The program for settlement so far consists of three items:

That the Chinese troops remain where they are now, about 12 1-2 miles from Shanghai.

That the Japanese troops withdraw to the old Shanghai-Woosung line.

That a mixed commission, including Chinese and Japanese, supervise the withdrawal and police the evacuated area. Three transports crowded to the rail have sailed down the Whangoo carrying home the 24th brigade, the first Japanese unit to be landed at Shanghai.

CHINA: The Yangtze flood is now known to be the greatest natural disaster of modern times in extent of territory inundated and in the number of people rendered homeless. The flood stricken area is larger than the state of New York and was inhabited by more than 50,000,000, for the most part thrifty, hard-working farmerfolk who intensively cultivated the lowlands of the Yangtze.

40,000,000 bushels of wheat from the holdings of the Farm Board have been appropriated for the aid of the suffering and unemployed in this country. Shipments have already started and the Red Cross will distribute, while railroads are handling the wheat without cost for transportation.

Important Role of the Ass in Jewish History

The ass had begun to fall from its former high estate when Solomon, disregarding the provision of the Mosaic law forbidding that very thing, brought horses from Egypt into the country, and made regular use of them in war and in his regal retinue. But Israel never did keep the law in all its particulars, or there would not have been a king of the Jews at any time!

Afterward the ass degenerated into the mere burden bearer, the farm animal, and the steed of such lowly people as were Mary the Blessed, and Joseph, her husband. It came to be regarded as the extremity of misery for a warrior to be brought home dead on the back of an ass.

Perhaps it is not to be wondered at that it is not uncommon in the East to find poor Jews plowing with an ox and an ass yoked together, although it does at first sight give one a shock to see such a thing, remembering how their merciful law distinctly forbad the coupling together in a team of the quick-stepping ass and the slow-moving ox. Still, the Jews have always treated the ass humanely, never allowing it to be worked on their Sabbath day, and the animal's place in the Tenth Commandment shows that it was held by them in high estimation.—Montreal Family Herald.

Official Impressed by Truly Great Invention

It was said, somewhat in malice, that Gen. Zeb Vance of North Carolina was one of the most untechnical men ever associated with the United States patent office.

One day in 1885, while sitting as assistant commissioner of patents by grace of Grover Cleveland, he called in the chief clerk to complain that his swivel chair was too low for comfort. The clerk, Schuyler Duryea, listened respectfully, then asked the general to rise. Giving the chair a few smart whirls, Duryea adjusted it easily to the desired level.

"Well," marveled the assistant commissioner of patents, "ain't that a wonderful invention!"—World's Work.

Writing on Celluloid

It is possible to write on celluloid with a solution of asphalt in solvent naphtha, xylol or other solvent. The pen must not be too full, or a blur will result. This writing remains on the surface of the celluloid and can be wiped off with a bit of absorbent cotton or a rag moistened with benzol. The solution will tend to bite in the celluloid if glacial acetic acid, or possibly better, acetic anhydride, is used instead of part of the naphtha or xylol. A solution of nitrocellulose is said to be used instead of oil for making ink with which to print upon celluloid. As the celluloid itself is chiefly nitrocellulose, ink of this kind will adhere to it very firmly.

British Royal Motto

"Dieu et Mon Droit," the motto of the royal arms of England, first was assumed by King Richard I, to intimate that he did not hold his empire in vassalage of any mortal, wrote David A. Wells in "Things Not Generally Known." It was later taken up by Edward III, and was continued without interruption to the time of William III, who used the motto "Je maintiendray," though "Dieu et mon droit" still was retained on the great seal. After him, Queen Anne used the motto "Semper Eadem," which had been used before by Queen Elizabeth, but since Queen Anne's time "Dieu et mon droit" has continued to be the royal motto.

HER FROZEN ASSET

Junior: "I owe all I have to one woman."

Sophomore: "Your mother?"

Junior: "No, my landlady."

He Put It Over

By H. IRVING KING

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ALTHOUGH Roderick McKesson was guardian for his niece, Alice Randolph, and for Gerald, the son of his deceased friend, Simon Cuthbert, he had no idea of allowing his two wards to marry. He regarded Gerald as too lacking in business ability to ever really get on in the world. He was too light and airy in his talk and behavior to suit old Roderick, who was a ponderous person and liked solemnity and ponderosity in others.

Roderick's idea of the proper sort of a husband for Alice was Gilbert Anderson. Anderson was a hustler, always in business up to his neck; full of schemes for making vast amounts of money. He had not made any yet, but there had always been a plausible reason why the particular scheme he had been trying to put over had not succeeded. Gilbert had marked Roderick as his own and deferred to him.

Alice detested Gilbert and told her uncle she was going to marry Gerald. Her uncle said emphatically that she was not and she replied: "You just wait and see." When she had said "No" to Gerald upon his proposing, he had replied: "Say, old girl, you don't really mean that—do you?" To which she had answered: "Why, of course I don't, you silly. Only we have got to wait. Uncle is dead set against you and is touting for that Anderson person. But I'll be twenty-five in six months and my own mistress. Under the terms of father's will if I marry before I am twenty-five without uncle's consent, I forfeit my money, and I don't want to do that. In six months you come and ask me again."

This set Gerald to thinking. Six months was a long time to wait; but Alice was a level-headed girl and quite right to want to avoid sacrificing her fortune. When Gerald had turned twenty-one Roderick had called him into his office and shown him a lot of figures, of which he comprehended only enough to know that they represented a considerable fortune, and he had insisted that the old man go on managing his affairs.

The next day Gerald went to call upon Roderick McKesson. "Oh, you?" said Roderick, "what is it? Make it short, I am busy."

As a rule Gerald was a trifle loud in his dress; today he was attired soberly. His manner was generally a trifle frivolous; today he had an air of seriousness and suppressed energy. You would have spotted him anywhere for a business man accustomed to deal with important questions. It was not for nothing that Gerald had been a star in amateur theatricals. "Sir," said he gravely, "I called to ask if you could not reconsider your objection to my marriage with your niece?"

"No," roared Roderick, "I never reconsider."

Gerald saw a large envelope lying on Roderick's desk in the upper left-hand corner of which was printed in large type, "The Agawunsk Finishing Company." "Have you—er—have you, if it is not an impertinent question, invested anything in that concern?" And he pointed to the envelope.

"I have," snapped Roderick, "what of it?"

"Well," replied Gerald, "I have been taking rather an interest in business matters of late; especially new enterprises, and the Agawunsk company is a rather doubtful concern."

"Nonsense," cried Roderick, "they have contracts ahead for twenty years."

"Yes," said Gerald, "and they show these contracts to lure investors. The fact is they are losing two cents a yard on every yard of cloth they finish."

"I am too busy to talk further with you today," said Roderick. The old man got exceedingly busy after Gerald left, calling up credit concerns and financial men who kept well informed of all that was going on. Roderick himself had been rather "out of it" for some years, jogging along in old ruts. He had been lured into the Agawunsk scheme by Gilbert Anderson—and he had invested ten thousand dollars of Gerald Cuthbert's money in the concern.

When the old man had finished his investigations he had a grim look. The first thing he did was to transfer the Agawunsk bonds to his own account and deposit a certified check for ten thousand to the account of Gerald. "The young whippersnapper has business ability after all," he grudgingly thought.

As a matter of fact Gerald was so intensely jealous of Gilbert Anderson that he kept his ears open for anything concerning him. Having overheard two business men mention Gilbert's name at the club in a slighting manner he had taken one of them aside, demanding further information. And it had taken Lester Craddock an hour and a half to get through Gerald's head a full comprehension of the status of the Agawunsk company.

"Alice," said Roderick to his niece that night, "young Cuthbert is getting to be quite a business man. I have changed my opinion of him."

"And he plays a rattling game of tennis," said Alice.

Roderick frowned. "In spite of that," said he, "you might do worse than marry him."

They were married, and the Agawunsk Finishing company blew up two months after their marriage.

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