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Mitchell Pushes Fight on Railway Jim-Crow

Would Make Segregation Interstate Travel Illegal

Des Moines, Jan. 19.—(Adam L. CNA)—Rep. Arthur Mitchell of Chicago this week declared he was prepared to carry his fight against Jim Crow discrimination on the railroads to the supreme court if necessary. Mitchell announced he would ask the Interstate Commerce Commission to rehear on his case the Rock Island Arkansas road within the next ten days. A recent decision on Mitchell's complaint against the company, the Interstate Commerce Commission upheld segregation on railroads. Illinois congressman has introduced a bill in the house which would amend the Interstate Commerce Act to make it "unlawful to discriminate against any persons traveling as interstate passengers on any car subject to the provisions of the transportation act. The amendment provides penalties for those who violate its provisions and enforces the Jim Crow practices.

ations. Mitchell's persuasion of all has come from Britain's Winston Churchill, whose short wave broadcast urged the U. S. to take a commanding lead against dictators, to join Britain in stopping "isms" before it is too late. Added impetus has come from current U. S. espionage investigations (see DOMESTIC).



BERNARD BARUCH
He scouted billions for defense.

Growing louder, this voice finally reached White House ears, coincidentally bringing comment from Capitalist Bernard Baruch who chairmans the war industries board in 1917. Emerging from a white house conference, Mr. Baruch started observers thinking by warning that U. S. defenses were inadequate. Though most Americans regard "defense" as successful repulsion of a North American invasion, a broader conception calls for protection of the entire Western hemisphere. Mr. Baruch's defense program includes: (1) immediate construction of a "two-ocean navy"; (2) increased air power; (3) better equipment for 400,000 regular soldiers and the national guard; (4) subsidies to protect U. S. trade interests in South America; (5) industrial and military mobilization law; (6) a special tax to pay for these expenses. Though it lacks official confirmation, President Roosevelt plainly favors the Baruch program. The suggested tax boost comes dangerously near election time, but administration leaders minimize this political hazard because: (1) most Americans regard democracy's security as more important than financial security or political partisanship; (2) a speeded-up military and naval program, financed by special tax, would decrease relief rolls and possibly create an actual shortage of labor. Thus WPA and PWA costs could be slashed and budgets balanced.

Politics
It is plausible that November election gains by the liberalized Republican party should give strength to old-line Republicans who have taken a back seat in party affairs since the disastrous defeat of 1936. This very thing happened at the recent national committee conference in Washington, where confident liberals found themselves confronted with an unexpectedly strong faction of Hoover, duPont and Liberty League Republicans. A still more important shift is that liberal G. O. P. strength, which originated in the rural areas, has moved to metropolitan cities and has been supplanted in the small towns by a stronger conservative element. Having appointed a conservative (ex-Sen. Daniel O. Hastings of Delaware) and a liberal (Harvey Jewett of South Dakota) to fill two executive committee vacancies, the party now finds itself deadlocked on a future course. Though much talk is heard of potential 1940 candidates, it is believed the party must first decide which way its course shall be set—to liberalism as evidenced since 1936, or to conservatism.

People
The name of Masaryk, famous in Czechoslovakian history since Thomas G. Masaryk founded the nation 20 years ago, will leave the nation officialdom forever on January 1. Jan Masaryk, son of the Czech "father" and minister to Great Britain for 14 years, has announced his retirement in protest over his country's capitulation to Germany. After visiting the U. S., he will live in England.

LAUNCH FEDERAL INVESTIGATION INTO SHARECROPPERS' FLIGHT

Sikeston, Mo., Jan. 20.—Federal investigation was launched this week into the flight of some 1,700 men, women and children, mostly Negroes, who are among the hundreds of families of sharecroppers who have been evicted from the southeastern Missouri cotton fields and were facing starvation in hastily constructed camps along the highway near here. They were evicted when big cotton growers refused to renew sharecrop agreements.

Investigation into the situation is being conducted by Virgil L. Jankson of the Farm Security Administration. Bankson is under instruction from Claude A. Wickard, A. A. A. director of North Central division, to correct conditions even if "strong action" is necessary.

The roadside campers were ordered by the highway patrol to move or be forcibly ejected from their miserable shelters. Saturday night about 175 persons had been taken to various farms; by truck and highway patrol car, from their camps. Plans for the housing of the rest were still incomplete by Tuesday of this week.

PROTEST RACE DESIGNATION ON NEW YORK COUNTY JUROR FORM

New York, Jan. 13.—The new form of questionnaire for prospective jurors in New York county courts, which, for the first time requires a prospective juror to state his color, was described by Walter White as a "most dangerous procedure and one which may lead to racial discrimination."

White, who is executive secretary of the N. A. A. C. P., made the new questionnaire form the subject of a vigorous protest in a letter to Archibald R. Watson, New York county court clerk, here today. The new questionnaire was placed in use in the office of the clerk, the slinger of jurors in the hall of records here Wednesday, January 4th.

CO-AUTHOR OF ANTI-LYNCHING BILL DIES

Denver, Colo.—Edward P. Costigan, 64, former United States senator from Colorado, died Tuesday of a heart attack. He was co-author of a heart attack. He was co-author with Senator Wagner in the introduction of the Wagner-Costigan anti-lynching bill.

Warrick Held to Grand Jury for Assault to Kill

Jack Warrick, 23, 940 Fourteenth street, held in connection with assault and stabbing of a street car motorman last week in downtown Des Moines, Monday waived to the Polk county grand jury when arraigned in municipal court Tuesday. He was charged with assault with intent to commit murder. His bond was fixed at \$5,000.

Domestic
Highlights of the U. S. Post Office department's 1937-38 fiscal year, revealed by Postmaster General James J. Farley's annual report: Receipts, \$720,634,051; expenses, \$772,445,607; loss, \$43,811,556. Cause of loss was the \$48,224,377 spent on carrying free mail for congressmen, government departments and blind persons, plus air mail subsidies and "nonpostal" functions. Mail planes had their busiest year, flying 46,112,994 miles. Better roads and faster vehicles made possible consolidation of 520 rural routes and establishment of 53 more, serving 17,808 more families.

Labor
Both the American Federation of Labor and the Congress of Industrial Organizations insist the national labor relations act must not be changed, but A. F. of L. hurls constant criticism at the board President Roosevelt has appointed to interpret that act. One bit of criticism centered around the labor board's order to New York's Consolidated Edison company, forcing abrogation of a bargaining contract with A. F. of L. The board's reasoning: that the contract resulted from unfair labor practices and was intended to discourage membership in a rival C. I. O. organization.

When A. F. of L. President William Green heard the U. S. Supreme court had voided this NLRB order, his joy was unbounded: "This knocks the props out from under the board's arbitrary, prejudicial and grossly unfair position." But keen observers who read further into the court's decision found cause for speculation about something more important.

Although Consolidated Edison operates chiefly in New York, the court ruled its labor relations were still subject to NLRB regulation. This was the scope of federal regulation under the interstate commerce clause given broad extension, paving the way for legislation which could make the potent Wagner act seem mere child's play. But true to Mr. O'Mahoney's promise, the group's two-year investigation has opened minus any signs of a "witch hunt" or an effort to make business the "goat." After spending three days introducing historical facts and figures to give the hearing a background, committeemen launched a quiz of patent pools in the automobile and glass industries. Observers considered this a good sign of no witch hunting, since the custom of pooling automobile patents has certainly kept that industry from becoming a monopoly.

Unless the investigation bogs down under its own tremendous size, it is expected that one of two trends will be visible within a few months. Either the hearings will point the way to continued existence of business as a private function under the capitalistic system, or fears will arise that government is to take control.

N. A. A. C. P. HAILS MRS. F. D. ROOSEVELT ON ANTI-LYNCH STAND
New York, Jan. 13.—The statement of Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt that she favored speedy enactment of a federal anti-lynching bill was hailed here today by officials of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

Mrs. Roosevelt has been known to be against lynching, but until her speech before the National Conference on Negro Youth in Washington, January 12th, she had made no announcement of her belief in a federal anti-lynching law.

N. A. A. C. P. officials cited Mrs. Roosevelt's assertion that a remedy for the Negro problem "lies in better organization and in organizations which know no color line." The N. A. A. C. P. has been interracial since it was founded thirty years ago and has been seeking better organization among Negroes ever since it was started.

For many years the N. A. A. C. P. has been condemned in some circles because it has been called "an agitator" which protested and protested again on the plight of the Negro minority. The first lady in her January 12th talk said the Negro must use patience and good judgment in fighting for his rights, but added: "I think it is harmful everywhere for minorities to remain silent when minorities do not enjoy all the rights of a democracy."

Mrs. Roosevelt emphasized that she was speaking as an individual and not for the administration. Her straightforward endorsement of a federal anti-lynching bill recalled her sharp exchange of remarks last November in Birmingham, Ala., with Congressman Luther Patrick of that state over his opposition to a federal anti-lynching law.

MRS. FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT ADDRESSES CONFERENCE ON PROBLEMS OF THE NEGRO AND NEGRO YOUTH IN WASHINGTON

Mrs. Franklin Delano Roosevelt was one of the speakers at the Second National Conference on Problems of the Negro and Negro Youth, which opened Thursday, January 12, in the Departmental Auditorium, Constitution avenue and Fourteenth street N. W., under the auspices of the National Youth Administration. Mrs. Roosevelt addressed the first Negro conference held two years ago.

Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune, who presided over the three days' session, pointed out that attendance at the conference was controlled by limitation of space, the 221 delegates present representing only a sample of the country's Negro leadership. Negroes occupying policy-making positions in the federal government will serve as consultants to the several conference committees.

BOY SCOUT TROOP 59 ELECTS OFFICERS

Boy Scout troop 59 held election of officers Monday, January 16th, at the Center. The officers are: Robert Dacus, chairman; Rosenting Lardaway, vice chairman; Paris Skanes, secretary, and John Estes, treasurer.

Discussed at the round table discussion Tuesday, February 2nd, by the Junior City Federation at the Center. Bernita Woody will be in charge.

N. C. UNIVERSITY GRAD. LAW SCHOOLS VOTE AGAINST BAR ON RACE STUDENTS

Chapel Hill, N. C., Jan. 20.—Graduate students at the University of North Carolina have given a resounding rebuke to Gov. Clyde R. Hoey, who declared recently that no Negro students would be admitted to the school. The graduate students, in a poll

Birth Charity Ball Set by Des Branch NAACP

N. A. A. C. P. BALL AND STYLE REVIEW—FEB. 8

In conjunction with the nationwide series of dances in the larger cities throughout the country, the Des Moines Branch of the N. A. A. C. P. will celebrate the thirtieth anniversary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People at its Second Annual Charity Ball and Style Review at the Billington ballroom Wednesday, February 8th.

The charity ball represents one of the activity channels through which funds will be raised to help fight for the anti-lynching bill.

ELLINGTON TO PLAY FOR N. A. A. C. P. 30TH BIRTHDAY DANCE FEBRUARY 11

New York, Jan. 13.—Plans are well under way for celebrating the thirtieth anniversary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People Saturday, February 11th, with a nation-wide series of dances in the larger cities throughout the country, officials of that organization announced here today. The key dance of the series will be held in New York City at the 269th Regiment armory. Duke Ellington and his orchestra, and well known stars of radio and stage are donating their services for the affair.

conducted by the undergraduate paper, voted 82 to 38 in favor of admitting Negro students to the graduate school. At the same time an informal poll of the law school of the university was reported to have shown an overwhelming sentiment in favor of the admission of Negro students.

Meanwhile, seeking to soften the controversy and the evident rising sentiment against the Jim Crow regulations at the university, a bill was introduced in the legislature with Governor Hoey's backing to provide "equal facilities" for Negro graduate school students at state Negro colleges.

OKLAHOMA MAKES GESTURE TOWARD BETTER COLLEGE

Oklahoma City, Okla., Jan. 13.—In a move that is regarded as a weak gesture that will not stand up in view of the clear-cut language of the University of Missouri to Negro citizens, the state of Oklahoma put into its legislative hopper a bill designed to equalize graduate training opportunity for colored citizens with those of whites.

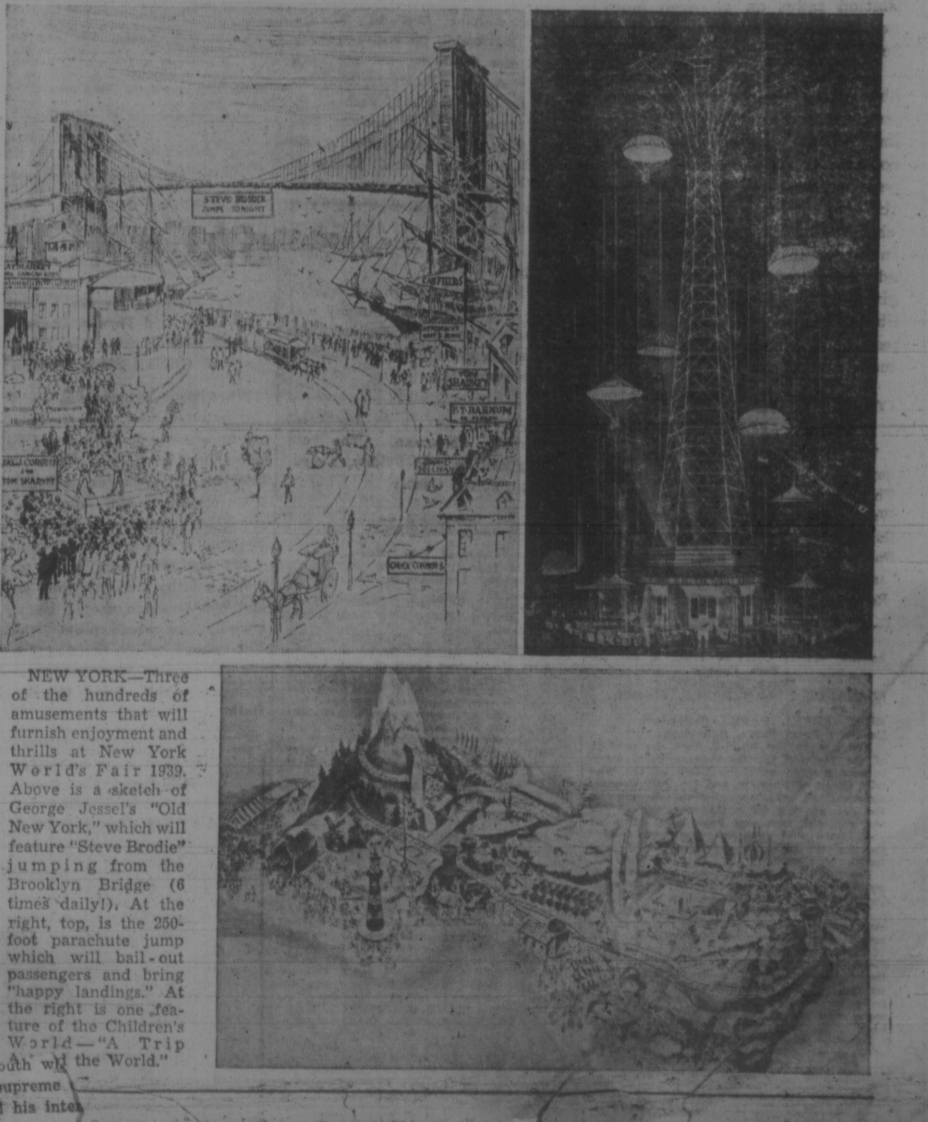
The bill which was introduced in the opening day of the state legislature by State Representative Creech, of Wallace City, states: "The purpose of this act is to provide a plan for complete separation of the races in the preparatory schools and institution of higher learning of the state of Oklahoma."

The bill provides that the name of the Colored Agricultural and Normal University be changed to "Colored University of Oklahoma," and that facilities in the institution for Negro citizens should be equal to those of whites in the state.

The revealing sentence in the bill, which shows its weakness, states that these equal facilities shall obtain for both races, "taking into consideration the number of students enrolled in such course of study at said institution."

Although the bill directs the establishment of schools of law, medicine and other professional schools, no amount is set aside for this work.

FUN AT THE FAIR



NEW YORK—Three of the hundreds of amusements that will furnish enjoyment and thrills at New York World's Fair 1939. Above is a sketch of George Jessel's "Old New York," which will feature "Steve Brodie" jumping from the Brooklyn Bridge (6 times daily). At the right, top, is the 250-foot parachute jump which will bail-out passengers and bring "happy landings." At the right, bottom, is one feature of the Children's World—"A Trip to the World."

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REPUBLICANS WILL BE WATCHED

The Republicans are in complete control of the State House. Judging from what has happened already, they propose to make good their campaign pledges to reduce expenses and abolish useless bureaus and commissions.

Along with these promises were some made to the Negro voters that a more liberal attitude would be taken on patronage than that of the Democrats; that the additions would not be confined to menial jobs only.

Of course it takes time to get these things done and yet it is easy for officeholders to make the excuse that all places have been filled if we wait too late.

Unfortunately, entirely too much confusion has arisen over the few jobs we have already; in fact, all the energy of our group is being spent contesting the jobs we have already, leaving none for new jobs. This is not the Negroes' fault entirely, but the blundering of some of white Republicans. The Bystander hopes the situation will work out satisfactorily. If not, it proposes to tell just where the fault lies.

ANTI-LYNCHING BILL IN CONGRESS

Soon after congress convened, anti-lynching legislation was introduced in both houses. At the last session the bills considered were introduced by Democrats: Gavanan in the house and Wagner and Van Nuys in the senate.

At this session, Senator Capper of Kansas has joined, so the legislation takes on an even more non-partisan character. This helps some. The N. A. A. C. P. has begun already to secure pledges from senators that they would vote to limit debate when the bill is considered in that body. Experience has taught that unless this can be done, there is no chance for a vote on the bill. In the meantime the right minded people of the country must give the sponsors of the measure liberal support, for, as in the past, a determined fight will be made to kill it.

COMMUNITY COUNCIL ELECTS OFFICERS

The Community Council met Friday, January 13th, at the Center. The election of officers are: E. N. Warren, president; Margaret Williams, vice president; Annabelle Payne, secretary and treasurer; James Rhodes, program chairman; Rosending Hardaway, fact-finding chairman, and Dr. C. R. Bradford, membership chairman. The next meeting will be held Friday, February 10th, at the Center.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE ON SPECIAL EXECUTION

District Court of Polk County, Iowa, State of Iowa, Polk County, Iowa, Plaintiff, versus JAMES B. MORRIS, MAUDE GATES; R. A. WESTON, M. D., and POLK COUNTY, IOWA, Defendants.

ORIGINAL NOTICE

In the District Court of Iowa, in and for Polk County, Iowa, January Term, 1939

CLARENCE ALLAN PARKS, Plaintiff, versus RUBY PEARL PARKS, Defendant.

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SOCIAL

The Y. W. C. A. chorus of the Blue Triangle branch will meet Monday, January 23rd, at the Y. Thursday, January 26th, the chorus will sing at the Central Y. W. C. A. Mrs. Korrine Jackson is chairman and Roberta Maupin, director.

The Thorofred club met Wednesday at the Y. W. C. A. After the regular business meeting the club played bridge, with Johnny Lewis instructor.

The senior young men of the St. Paul A. M. E. church school will have their annual father and son banquet Friday, January 27th, at the church.

Mrs. C. B. Ray of Marianna, Ark., returned to her home, after a three weeks' visit with her mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. G. Freeman of 1064 Park street. She was entertained at the home of Mrs. C. R. Vaughn, 764 Eleventh street, on January 10th and January 9th at the home of Mrs. W. O. Dysart, 935 Tenth street.

ATTENDS SNAKES' BALL

Miss Maurice Evans, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. Q. Evans of 1106 Seventeenth street, was a recent week-end guest of Miss Yvonne Grammer, one of the debutantes in Chicago.

While there Miss Evans attended the annual Snakes' ball.

Mrs. Flossie Thomas of Oklahoma was in the city visiting relatives and friends last week. Mrs. Thomas is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce, 906 Twenty-second street, and a former classmate at Lincoln university, Jefferson, Missouri, of Mesdames Stella Hyde and Anna Mae Carter of this city.

The Junior Modernistic club met Thursday, January 19th, at the home of Miss Launa Quincy, 1425 Maryland avenue. Plans are being made for an entertainment of the Senior Modernistic club on February 2nd at the home of Ruth Bailey, 1023 Thirteenth street.

The Federated Dramatic club will meet Sunday, January 22nd, at the Community Center. Plays and movies are being discussed by the club members.

The Mary Church Terrell club met at the Center on Monday, January 16th. The following committee chairmen were elected: Lillian Edmonds, program; Ella Willis, entertainment; Adah Johnson, finance; Nellie Esters, sick, and Jessie Davis, investigating.

EAST COMMUNITY CENTER

The adult educational forum committee met Monday at the Center. Plans are being made for forums to be held in the future.

The Book Lovers club met Monday at the Center.

REV. BRICKENOUGH AT ST. SIMONS CHURCH

At the annual meeting of St. Simons Episcopal church Saturday evening the following officers were elected: A. A. Alexander, warden; James B. Morris, clerk; James A. Bailey, treasurer; J. G. Browne, lay-leader; Mrs. A. A. Alexander, president of auxiliary; Mrs. Georgine Morris, president of altar; Mrs. Korrine Jackson, organist and charge of the choir; and Arthur John Edmonds, president of Gamma Kappa Delta.

The Rev. Birkenough, priest in charge, was in the city Sunday and officiated at the church service. His next visit to the church will be Sunday, February 6th.

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day, January 16th. The book reviewed was "Melissa Stark," The Center Junior Girls' club met Tuesday afternoon. The election of officers are: Waunita Ration, president; Susie Butts, secretary; Katherine Fraser, treasurer. The club is sponsoring a Community Center newspaper.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Mary Jane Mayweathers. Yeager was born April 27, 1911, in Des Moines, and died January 2, 1939, in Chicago. She was a member of the St. Paul A. M. E. church. She leaves a stepmother, Mrs. Emma Evans; brother, Spencer Mayweathers of Kansas City, Missouri; husband, Ora Yeager of Des Moines, and other relatives and friends. Funeral services were held Saturday, January 7th, at the St. Paul A. M. E. church, Rev. H. C. Goyd officiating. Burial at Woodland cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for the kindness shown at the time of the death of our loved one, Mary Jane Mayweathers-Yeager; the beautiful floral display, donation of cars, the Rev. J. C. Bain, Rev. H. C. Boyd and Rev. G. W. Robinson for their inspiring remarks and the Estes Funeral Home for their efficient service.—Mrs. Emma Evans, stepmother, and Spencer Mayweathers, brother.

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To Orin L. Smith, Mildred L. Smith, persons in possession of real estate described below.

To Ralph E. Cole, person in whose name the property described below is taxed.

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Lot 13 and 14, Block 29, Second Plat of Clifton Heights.

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West 117 feet Lot 22, Division No. 1, Grimmell's Addition.

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To John J. Ferrel, Basile Ferrel Edmund Scarpino, Clara K. Scarpino, Albert Hood, Genevieve Hook, Henderson E. Coulter, Esther E. Coulter, Walter J. Schenkel, Eleanor Schenkel, persons in possession of real estate described below.

To Minnie Hook, person in whose name the property described below is taxed.

You are hereby notified that on the 8th day of December, 1937, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:

6 feet North of and adjoining and all Lot 75 and North 27 feet Lot 74, Tid-tricks Addition.

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This is the season of the year when we are all studying fashion notes and planning that momentous step, the selection of our winter wardrobe. But, unfortunately, there are too many of us who will rush out and buy the latest whim of fashion without taking thought as to whether that particular style will be becoming. We all want to be in style, of course, but it is wise to consider beauty as well. You can be dressed in the height of vogue and still look like a ridiculous caricature of what the well-dressed woman is wearing. Men have a habit, often times justifiable, of making fun of the blind way we follow the dictates of fashion. Short Girls Get the Breaks Everything seems to be on the side of the short girl this season. Shoes with platform soles are designed especially to give her added height. The newest hats have peaks and tall feathers to give her several more inches towards the sky. And then, too, there's the puffed up hair-dress to give her the illusion of height. The short girl should have no difficulty keeping up with the style and still looking her loveliest. There are only a few pitfalls which she need watch. First of all, she must beware of horizontal lines which will give her a wide, dumpy appearance. Vertical lines, however, will make her look longer and slimmer. Two-piece dresses, too, are a mistake since they have a tendency to cut her in two, so to speak, and destroy that sweeping all-in-one line which will add several illusory inches. Reverse Rules for Tall Girls The tall girl, on the contrary, must reverse the rules. The new platform soles and extremely high heels are not for her. She must save the swept-up hair-dress for evening and then only if she is fortunate enough to have a very tall man in tow. Even then it is often unsatisfactory since you can never tell when you will find yourself dancing with a midget—comparatively speaking. Hats for the tall girl present a problem this year. If you scout around, however, you can find some that are fashionable and still not too high in the crown. You can always have the feather cut down or set at an angle without destroying the line. Many of the peaks are designed so that they may be tucked in and still look stylish. Wide brims can be worn with distinction by the tall girl, whereas they have a tendency to make her short sister look like a mushroom. Wide collars, full shoulders, puffy sleeves are becoming although they make a small girl look top-heavy. Even if you think that you are too tall, don't make the mistake of stumping. The tall girl wears her clothes with an air. Remember that the best fashion models are over five feet six. Select your clothes with care, carry yourself like the princesses in fairy tales, and you'll get considerably more attention than the "limited edition," even if you do have to look down on lesser men occasionally. What are your beauty problems? Write Marie Downing, Larieuse Beauty Foundation, Room 607—511 Locust St., St. Louis, Mo., and she will be glad to answer them. Be sure to enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope.

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