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**FOR RENT**—Rooms furnished or unfurnished, with all modern conveniences for light housekeeping or rooming. Close to town. Garage necessary. Mrs. W. T. Putnam. 1tc

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**BANKERS IN NATIONAL MOVE FOR UNIFORM FINANCIAL PRACTICES**

**Would Promote Greater Consistency Among All the State Laws in Respect to Banking Conditions—Uniformity of Practice and Understanding Will Make for Greater Convenience, Efficiency and Safety for All Business.**

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**RAPID** interchange of business and the quick transportation of goods in the United States, coupled with almost instantaneous means of inter-communication by telegraph, telephone and wireless, have welded the country into an economic unit. The nation is not, in a business sense, conducting its affairs in water-tight compartments, as in a measure it did in the days of slow travel and remote places, but styles, methods, commodities and business practices flow freely today in all directions. Therefore it is desirable that finance, trade and industry throughout the country operate along generally uniform or at least consistent lines, so that a contract or an agreement or obligation in connection with business transactions shall mean virtually the same thing in all parts of the country. Particularly necessary in this connection is the establishment of uniform financial and banking practices so as to facilitate the flow of trade along accepted and understood lines.

Banking in the United States is recognized as a semi-public type of business and is therefore subject to laws to define the scope and character of its activities. These laws at present set up under which banking is conducted in various parts of the country since they come from both state and federal authorities. The national banks are all chartered by the federal government and therefore operate on the same lines in every state of the Union, but there is no such regularity in respect to the conditions under which the state banks chartered by the respective forty-eight states must conduct their business. All state banking codes, while they have similarities, also have many great dissimilarities in respect both to the national bank laws and the banking laws covering state bank operations in other jurisdictions.

**Bankers Move for Uniform Laws**  
The State Bank Division of the American Bankers Association, which latter includes in its membership banks of all descriptions throughout the country subject to all the variations of state and federal banking laws, is committed to the effort to bring about greater consistency and uniformity among the statutes of all these various jurisdictions. This body is conducting a vigorous nation-wide campaign urging that active steps be taken to secure greater co-ordination in banking legislation, more equitable conditions and more uniformly efficient public supervision of banks in the several states.

The organization is particularly concerned with fostering this movement to bring about more uniformly desirable conditions throughout the United States in respect to the public supervision of banking institutions by the state banking departments. It is on record as favoring the policy that the important office of state bank commissioner should be kept as free from entangling partisan politics as the judiciary itself and should be completely detached from all other functions of state government.

It is also on record as favoring the policy that the tenure of office of state bank commissioners should be made more secure and lasting than is now the case in many state jurisdictions and that this important public officer be granted sufficient compensation and discretionary power so that the office shall attract and retain the services of men of outstanding executive ability and successful banking experience.

It is also a part of this policy that the bank commissioner's ability to serve well should be strengthened by providing him with adequate forces of bank examiners, selected on the basis of merit from men having the requisite qualifications of honesty, ability, training and banking knowledge to carry out the duties of their offices on the highest plane of usefulness to the public as well as to banking.

**The Trend of State Laws**  
The Association's State Bank Division has recently concluded a nationwide survey of state banking legislation and conditions and in general has discovered a definite trend along the following lines:  
There is a distinct tendency among the states to raise the minimum capital required for banking institutions to \$25,000 and also to give the bank commissioners or the banking boards sole power as to the granting of charters for new banks, thus enabling them to use discretion as to the need or desirability of added banking facilities or the fitness of the organizers to enter the banking field. In this connection many states are creating banking boards to act in an advisory capacity with the state bank commissioners.  
There has also been observed a tendency to increase the compensation of the bank commissioners and to lengthen their terms of office and to give them power to appoint necessary deputies and examiners so as to build up an adequate force to carry out their responsibilities and duties. An important argumentation of the powers of



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**Cathedral Made Dear by Old Associations**

After Canterbury cathedral had been restored from the great fire of 1174, pious Englishmen—so revered the beauty of this stronghold of the church of England that they came from far and near and even those not so religiously inclined made their "Canterbury pilgrimages." For 300 years this was kept up and many an inn sprang from existence to prosperity in the shadow of the sacred edifice. In time some of these pilgrimages became less of a religious exercise than a favorite summer excursion and their history is shadowed in our word "canter" which is the shortened form of "Canterbury gallop."

Another interesting thing associated with this cathedral is the division of the Bible into two chapters. Stephen Langton, who died in 1228, was cardinal and archbishop of Canterbury besides being a statesman of no mean f.o.c.e. This was the age of the beginnings of organized learning and Cardinal Langton after distinguishing himself as a teacher, gave his time a standardized text of the Vulgate—there being up until then almost as many versions as there were Bibles. It was in this work that he made the innovation of dividing the lengthy books into chapters, thus making specified passages much easier to find.—Detroit News.

**Collector Had Noted**

**Pussy's Rubber Heels**

There is a saying to the effect that "Possession is nine points of the law," but in these days of repossession many strange experiences are the lot of the man whose job is to bring back the goods. One such individual tells the story of a case wherein he had repeatedly made calls, but could never find the party at home. At least the bell ringing was always ignored. Noticing one day that the threshold of the front doorway was worn quite thin, so that one could look into the hallway some few inches, the collector decided to leave his card, and after noisily walking down the steps returned again very quietly and saw his card being picked up.

He said nothing and when he finally gained admission, later in the week he remarked to the woman that he had called several days earlier and found no one at home. She replied very sociably that "I knew you must have been here because I found your card. It was in the middle of the hall floor where the cat must have pulled it in and was playing with it."  
The collector looked at her very coolly, remarking, "Yes, I know. I saw his rubber heels."

**Hopeless**

An airplane flew over an Irish asylum, much to the consternation of the inmates. Next day two of the latter were discussing the strange machine. One said:

"Do you know, I dreamt last night I made one of those contrivances and flew to Australia in sixty minutes."

"That's strange," said the other, "for I had a similar dream, only I went to Melbourne in sixty seconds."

"How did you go?"  
"Right through the earth."  
"Look here, my friend," said the other, "you're not a lunatic—you're a blithering idiot."

**Be Charming**

In the world there is no duty more important than that of being charming. Without the jeweled presence of the humming bird, how gloomy would be the recesses of the forest! Is it not one of the most delightful duties of life to shed joy around you; to scatter happiness with your every word and movement; to cast a light into the dark corners of our life; to be the gilded cord that leads our destiny, and to be the true spirit of beauty and harmony?—Victor Hugo.

**Ancient Roman Art**

One of the most beautiful examples of art as practiced by the ancient Romans is known as the Trajan's column.

Situated in Rome, this tower, which consists of twenty-three tiers, soars into the air, an imposing figure, covered with about 25,000 gloriously sculptured figures.

The tower was built to celebrate the victories of the Emperor Trajan, whose remains are buried beneath this beautiful structure.

**Times Have Changed**

"Ah," sighed the old-time actor, as he came back from a last appearance on the stage, "there was a time when I had the whole audience sobbing every time I recited that pathetic poem. Now they sit there like a lot of mummies!"

"No," said the stage hand, "the only way you can make a modern matinee mob turn on the water tanks is to make them peel onions during the recital of your sob stuff or spray 'em with tear gas."—Cincinnati Enquirer

**Oh, They Come!**

A particularly stout lady affirmed in a very tight riding habit was taking her morning center in the flow accompanied by her husband. Suddenly a button, unable to stand the great pressure, flew off the lady's coat.

"Dear, dear," said the lady fretfully, "what makes these buttons come off?" Her escort quivered with excitement for he had thought of something funny.

"Ahem! Force of habit, my dear," he grinned in reply.—London Answers

**Coolidge Nears Time To Retire**

Washington, Feb. 4.—One month from tonight President Coolidge once more will be a private citizen.

In front of the White House, along Pennsylvania avenue, workmen are already busy erecting the stands from which the parade in honor of the inauguration of his successor will be reviewed, furnishing for the chief executive a constant reminder that his retirement from office is rapidly approaching.

And inside the executive mansion, preparations are going forward for

removing the Coolidge household goods. When Mr. and Mrs. Coolidge traveled to Northampton, Mass., to vote last October, their special train carried numerous articles for which they expected to have no use during the winter months, but now everything that is their own property is being prepared for shipment.

As yet there has been no official indication regarding what Mr. Coolidge intends to do after March 4. Rumor has followed rumor and newspaper reports have had him contemplating many jobs from executive positions in large corporations to college presidencies.

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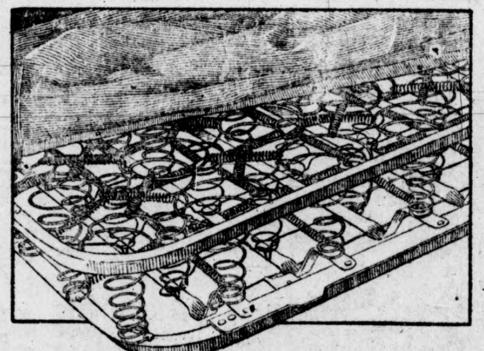
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By all means—get a good one. It may cost a dollar or two more than some other—but it's sleep insurance. And the slightly higher cost is more than equalized through a longer period of service.

Take this Ace Spring for example. Every coil in it (and there are more than in most springs) is made of tested wire. It will give just enough to support as well as rest the body. Small governor springs prevent side-sway. There is no rocking. Angle-iron top binding prevents tearing of sheets.

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"I SUFFERED a good while before I found something that would help me," writes Mr. E. W. Berry, of Neosho, Mo. "My trouble was indigestion, pains in my chest and a tight, bloated feeling that would make me feel smothered."  
"Speaking of this to a friend of mine, he told me that Black-Draught was good for this trouble. I went over bought a package. It certainly did help me, so I continued to use it."  
"I am in the transfer business, and sometimes when I would be hungry and ready to eat, I would have a call and would have to eat later. Then I would eat too much or too hurriedly. This would cause indigestion. After I started using Black-Draught, I found it did me a world of good. It is splendid for biliousness and stomach troubles."

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