

BAY RESORT HOTEL DESTROYED BY FIRE

Fire starting from some unknown origin at about 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon completely destroyed the Hotel Fillmore, a three-story structure, at Love Point, Md., with a loss estimated at \$25,000 by Capt. J. Fill Legg, owner and proprietor.

dents of the village to the scene. On the first floor of the hotel was located the postoffice of Love Point, and the firefighters, giving up hope of saving the building, turned their efforts to removing all valuable mail and the furniture on the first floor to a place of safety.

The hotel was built about 15 years ago and had become famous for its sea food meals that it served the year around.

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New Year's Ideas By Mary Graham Bonner

HAS been a very joyous day," said the New Year. "It has been my first day here and I must say I have greatly enjoyed it.

"Old Man Winter is not at all the chilling, cold creature I expected him to be. He has been very pleasant and cheerful.

"Now I have a few new ideas. Perhaps they are not really new. But they are new to me. I've heard that there is really nothing so very new.

"Anyway, I'm going to tell these ideas of mine.

"Whether they are new or not, I am hoping everyone will like them.

"Now today has been the first day of the year, as everyone knows. Everyone has wished everyone else such delightful wishes.

That is no news. "But my ideas are these: "Why not keep up this spirit all through the year? Of course I do not mean that everyone should wish everyone else a happy New Year every day of the year.

"That would be very foolish. "But I would like the same spirit to be about all the time. I would like it if everyone felt that they were wishing the best for everyone else at all times.

"It would be so nice if people could feel happy toward others all the time. "For example it would be so nice not to have any jealousy about. It would be so nice not to have some feelings of others.

"It would be wonderful if when one person heard that some friend had had good luck for it to make them happy too.

"That would make the very air full of happiness and cheer. I don't mean that I think everyone should go about with a silly grin. That would be foolish and tiresome.

"My idea is for them to have their hearts smiling so that their words would be cheery and so that they would feel so much goodwill toward each other.

"I had a talk with the Old Year just before he went. "He told me that the one thing which had made him really sad at times had been the senseless quarrels and ugly words and mean speeches which once in awhile he had heard.

"Such things he said had made him cry. And when a year cries there is sorrow in the air.

"He told me that the reason, or at least one of the reasons, why everyone was so happy at Christmas time was because everyone felt happiness and wished friends happiness and merriment.

"Yes, it is the Christmas spirit and the New Year spirit that I would like to see kept up all the year.

"As I say, these may not be new ideas of mine, but they are ideas I feel very strongly.

"For example, I would like it if mothers and daddies were just the same all the year as they were at Christmas time, and if children were the same too, wanting to do for each other saying kindly things.

"I would like it if grownups never hurt children's feelings—those grownups who don't understand children. I wish they would never say things that hurt the feelings of children.

"The New Year is young and knows that one can feel hurt when one is very young.

"And I would like it if children never hurt the feelings of older people and never acted as though they felt they were old or tiresome.

"The Old Year told me something about that and the Old Year told me how the feelings of older people could be hurt.

"Yes, let's wish everyone a happy New Year and happiness all through the year and let's keep wishing it in our hearts all the time. When we think of mean or cross or impatient things to say let us say "Happy New Year" to ourselves."

New Year's Day of the Japanese BY CHUZO OGAWA

ANNUARY in Japan is the month of rest and festival; rest after hard work and harvest; festival as an auspicious beginning of the year.

Before the end of the old year pine branches are set up by the gateways, shrines of gods, hearth, well and other places. These pine branches, signifying constancy, are hung with a straw ring made to imitate a jewel, with rays of light radiating from it, and stuck with a dried sardine, a leaf of evergreen, pieces of paper and a bit of edible seaweed.

These rings are also put on almost all representative articles of furniture and kitchen implements, and this is said "to let them take one year."

The festival of "going over the year," or "Toshikoshi," is sometimes called "Toshitori," or "taking the year," and is a busy time for the housewife. She has to cook many different dishes, all of which have prosperous significance besides her regular rice and bean soup.

When food is ready gods are served first, but only in miniature. Lights are put before them; sake liquor is offered in a pair of small vases, which, by the way, I have often seen used for flowers in America. Before the gods on the shelf they hang highly colored lanterns, each with a lucky meaning. One is the god of fortune under an

auspicious sign, with a bagful of gold, coral and other precious things. Another has a bundle of edible seaweed, which is called "koshi." The phrase "to rejoice" in Japanese is "yokokoshi," so seaweed (koshi) means rejoicing. The last has under it a lobster. A person doubled up with age reminds one of a lobster with its doubled up waist. So the lobster quite often is picturesquely representative of "the aged of the sea."

When the family have bowed down before the gods they eat the great meal and a few rounds of sake were ceremoniously served in former days. Once you have eaten this feast you have added one year; and a child born in December is said to be two years old right after this meal. I used to be reminded by older people that I should be a better boy from the first of January, as I had added one year during that one other precious thing.

They say that one night of the thirty-first of December is worth fifty days of usual days, and those who go to bed early this night will grow old that much in one night.

Early on the first of January New Year's callers begin to pour in. What do they say? With heads bowed down and hands on the sill, they mumble: "Congratulations for the opening of the new year; we received your favor last year, and pray that it will be continued in future." This phrase is so common that both sides speak at the same time, and yet both are well understood. One says, "Won't you come in?" "No," answers the other, "I have more houses to call." "Then come when you are through," and the caller goes. If the caller should come in he is sumptuously feasted with food and drink.

Superstitious people find omens and meanings in dreams, and the Japanese must have good dreams to begin the year. For this purpose they put a piece of paper under the bed. On this paper a Japanese junk is printed, loaded

with precious goods, her sails, once spread, on her decks men busy with rigging and oars. A Japanese poem is also printed on it:

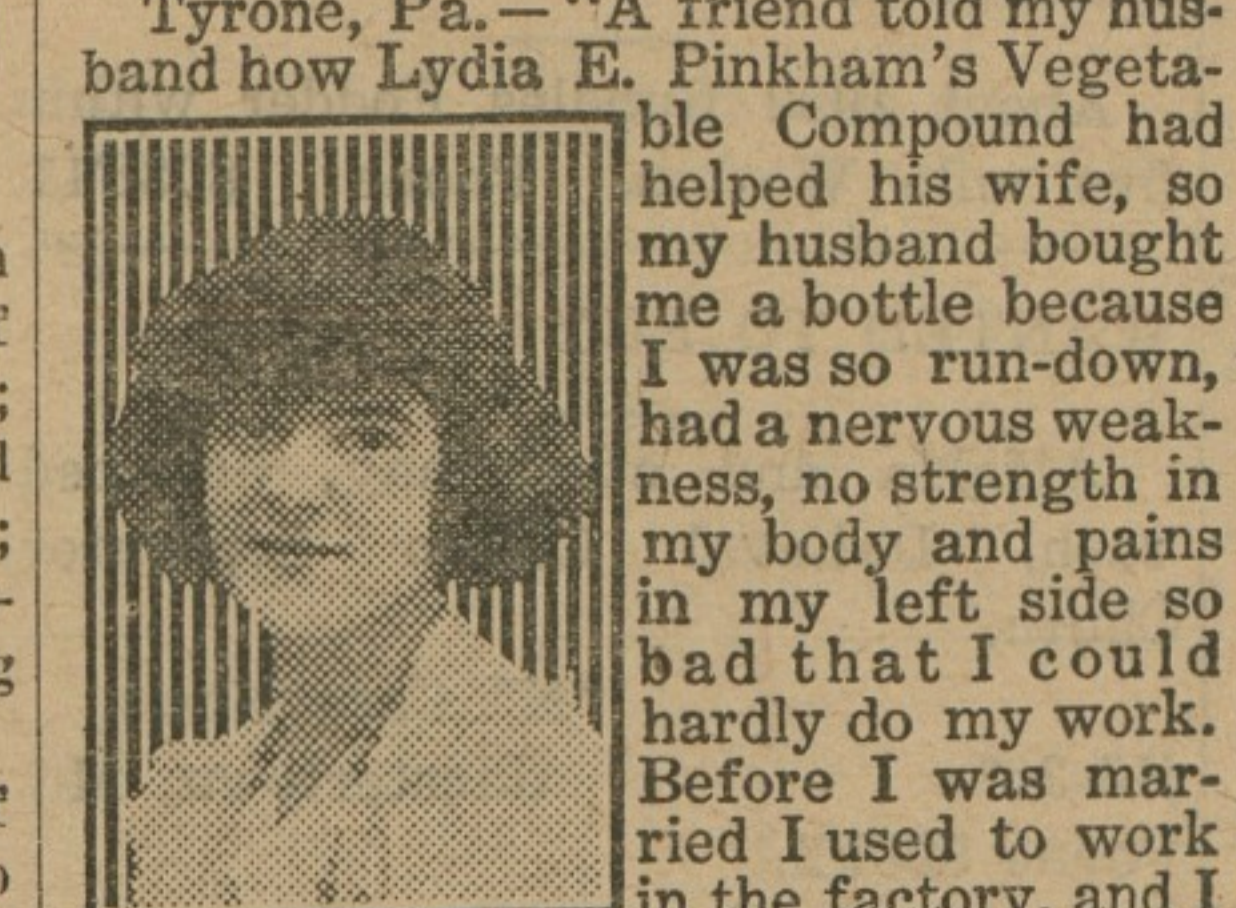
Na ka ki yo no, To no ne fu ri no, Hi na me sa me, Na ni mo ri fu ne no, O to no yo ki ka na.

Translated roughly, this means: After a sound sleep of long night, Resting awake in bed, I hear a cheerful sound, Of a sailing vessel, Gliding over the billows.

The poem in translation loses its power of calling up associations. But one can imagine himself living near an inland sea, with his nooks, bays and offshore pine groves and plum blossoms hanging over from the hilly shores, the sun as yet below the horizon, and in the mist he can discern a vessel gliding smoothly, leaving merry songs of sailors behind to be carried away by the spring breeze.

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