

### Woman Candidate For Mayor Of Boston Urges Easy Divorce And More Difficult Marriage

BOSTON.—Miss Mary V. King, nurse by training, running as an independent, is in the midst of a warm campaign for election as mayor of Boston. It is not seriously believed she can win, but she is making the Democratic and Republican candidates take notice, and putting piquancy into the race. She has a definite platform. Its planks are set forth as follows: "Abolish slums—build good tenements. " "Smokes for women, if they so desire. " "I believe in bobbed hair myself." Miss King is a woman in her thirties. She wears her graying hair in a curly bob and admits that she feels thoroughly at home when her hands are thrust deep into the

pockets of her riding trousers. Her Marriage Views "Easier divorce and harder marriage," one of the planks in her platform, she realizes, is a state rather than municipal legislative problem. But she feels that agitation for changes in the present laws must begin with the voters. "Why should two people be compelled to live together when they would be better apart?" she queries. "At the same time I believe we should make marriage much harder. I would have every couple compelled to undergo a thorough physical examination, including the Wassermann test for blood purity, when they signify their intention of taking out a marriage license. Then I would make them wait six months at least to think it over. By that time a good many of them would have abandoned the idea, and these I have been happy to see do in my case." B. D. I think you should tell your fiancé your real age. He has a right to know it, and if he cares enough for you to want to marry you I don't believe the revelation will make any difference to him. Many couples have been happy with even a greater disparity in their ages. You made a serious mistake when you deceived him as to your age. "When you hear the steamboat whistle Your paper is at the door."

of my friendship with him and his relatives do not object to my being among their acquaintances. Do you think there should be a chaplain during the trip, as it will involve about four hours? BETTY B. It would be entirely proper for you to accept the invitation, and a chaperon will not be necessary under the circumstances.

DECEIVED HIM ABOUT HER AGE Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a widow, 36 years old, and have accepted an engagement ring from a man of 27. We think a great deal of each other, but I always have told him I was the same age as he because I do not look over that age. Now the time has come to marry him, and I can't tell him the truth about my age because I know it would mean a break-up and I can't think of giving him up. I have two children. What should you do in my case? B. D. I think you should tell your fiancé your real age. He has a right to know it, and if he cares enough for you to want to marry you I don't believe the revelation will make any difference to him. Many couples have been happy with even a greater disparity in their ages. You made a serious mistake when you deceived him as to your age.

OO-LA-LA A passenger took the train from Lyons, entered a sleeper, and tipped the porter liberally to put him out of the train at Dijon. "I'm a very heavy sleeper," he said, "and you must take no notice of my protests. Seize me and put me out on the platform." He slept. He awoke as the train steamed into Paris. In a raging fury he went to the porter and expressed some emphatic opinions in a varied vocabulary. "Ah," said the porter calmly, "you have a bit of temper, but it's nothing compared with the chap I put out of the train at Dijon!"

THE DIFFERENCE When James A. Garfield was president of Hiram college a man brought up his son to be entered as a student. He wanted the boy to take a course shorter than the regular one. "My son can never take all those studies," said the father. "He wants to get through more quickly. Can't you arrange it for him?" "Oh, yes," said Mr. Garfield. "He can take a short course. It all depends on what you want to make of him. When God wants to make an oak He takes a hundred years, but He takes only two months to make a squash."

### GIRL TRAINED ON FARM WINS JOB WITH GOVERNMENT



Miss Doris Lattimer, Reedy, W. Va., only woman to pass civil service examination as hay stand-ard helper, will have a job as in-specter with Department of Agriculture. She was trained on her father's farm.

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**AFFAIRS of the HEART**  
By Mrs. Thompson  
A GOOD SIGN, PERHAPS  
Dear Mrs. Thompson: For almost one year I have been going with a young man in the early twenties. We have averaged one date a week, but on that evening he always sug-gested going some place, at least nearby always. Of late, however, he seems perfectly contented to stay at home. He is just as at-tentive as ever, but his actions in this respect are gradually ruining our friendship, as far as I am con-cerned, as I can't help feeling that it is not financial difficulties, and if it were it would make no difference to me, as I am not a gold digger. I know he goes with other girls and I go with other fel-lows. I also know that weeks he has not come over to see me and I stayed at home he has also taken another girl out for a good time. This is what hurts. It is not be-cause he is ashamed of me, for I know he is not. In fact, he always seems to be very proud of me. Would you feel hurt over this? Of course, I could simply tell him not to call any more, but I would miss myself. I am very sensitive and at times get peevish over trifles. At the time they don't seem trifles, but after a while I can see that they are, and for that reason I would like to know what you think about this. I feel as though he were just making a fool out of me. I don't believe he is. I have a hunch that his idea is to find out what it would be like to spend many evenings quietly at home with you, as his wife. If you are wise, and really care for him, you will prove to him that it would be very pleasant indeed. Of course, if you were married to him, you wouldn't expect to go out for a good time every evening. In fact, it is probable that the majority of the evenings would be spent at home, alone with each other. No man would want a wife who was restless, sulky or discontented if she were not "on the go" all the time.

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ASKS FARMERS TO GIVE SUNDAY-LAID EGGS TO CHURCH



The Rev. Henry Melton, minister who originated the "Lord's Acre" plan in the Georgia cotton belt, has a new plan for raising funds for church work. It is for farmers to give all eggs laid on Sunday to the church to be sold.

## Safeguard California's Prosperity

# Vote "NO" on \$500,000,000 Water and Power Act

We urge you to vote "No" on the \$500,000,000 Water and Power Act (No. 16 on the ballot). This same measure was overwhelmingly defeated in 1922 and should be still more decisively defeated this year--

- BECAUSE**—It will increase taxes through the issuance of half a billion dollars of tax exempt securities.
- BECAUSE**—It is unsafe to give a board of five political appointees power to spend Five Hundred Million Dollars of your money.
- BECAUSE**—With \$500,000,000 at its command, the Board would become the controlling power of the most gigantic political machine ever created.
- BECAUSE**—The bonding credit of California is needed for schools, highways, institutions and other necessary public works.
- BECAUSE**—The taxpayer would assume the risk of a huge political experiment merely to provide service which the people already enjoy without political debt, personal liability or tax burdens.
- BECAUSE**—Over 175 Chambers of Commerce and similar organizations in Southern and Central California, including those listed below, have passed strong resolutions condemning the act and urging the people to vote against it.

Colorado River Water and Boulder Dam Power cannot be developed under the act. It provides no co-ordinated plan for EITHER WATER OR POWER.

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(The \$500,000,000 Water and Power Act)

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