

FLAPPER QUEENS WANT MAYOR TO MUZZLE PASTORS

Two flappers, dressed in true flapperesque style—knee length skirts, beauty

spots, bobbed hair, rouged lips, et cetera — slopped into the city hall yesterday in search of protection from "unpleasant publicity."

Immediately the chief question asked in Mayor Thompson's office, to which the Misses Margaret Purcell and Yvonne Vigneault, president and secretary, respectively, of the Flappers' club, brought their



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plea for protection against the preachers who have been criticizing them, was: What is a flapper?

What a Flapper Is.

Margaret unhesitatingly answered: "A girl who likes a good time, of course,"

"A girl who likes freedom in dress."

"A girl who does as she pleases."

"A girl who is young, naturally."

Other definitions were suggested as the girls waited to see the mayor, who was engaged, his secretary explained.

The girls said they were seeking protection from the "unpleasant publicity" incident to the public comments of ministers upon flappers.

"You see, it's all wrng," explained Yvonne. "The ministers certainly don't have young girls of their own or they wouldn't talk that way. Because a few of the girls are real rowdy doesn't mean that they all are.

"We don't see why the ministers should talk about us that way."

She showed clippings from newspapers to illustrate the "way."