

BREAKING EGGS ONE RESULT

Prominent New York Society Woman Severely Hurt While Dancing Tango—Will Fight Dance Now.

New York, Dec. 25.—The new tango steps have cost Mrs. Grace Pitch Conger, niece of the late Clyde Hitch, three weeks of liberty at the Christmas season.

Mrs. Conger is the wife of Roy W. Conger, whose father was formerly United States Minister to China. She is lying helpless with a broken leg, in her apartments at No. 106 West Forty-seventh street, with two physicians and a nurse in attendance.

When dining with a party of five friends at a hotel in Herald square last Friday night Mrs. Conger accepted the invitation of one of her companions to dance between the courses.

In endeavoring to execute one of the difficult steps of the tango, in which she is quite proficient, Mrs. Conger slipped and fell prostrate.

The hotel physician was called, and he suggested that she be taken to a hospital. Accordingly an ambulance was called and she was taken to Roosevelt Hospital, where it was found that her left leg was broken just below the hip.

The bone was set, and she was sent to her apartments yesterday. Mrs. Conger declared that the "dip" of the tango step was responsible for her accident, which may happen to any one else who is addicted to the dance.

"If your partner is not an expert," said Mrs. Conger last night, "the dip and turn at the end of the tango is a very dangerous step. At least I found it so, and I recall having wondered as I watched the dance why more persons were not injured. It is difficult to recover generally, and sprained ankles and even broken legs may be expected to result."

STEAMERS FOR THE AUSTRALIAN PORTS INCREASE IN SIZE

Sydney, N. S. W., Dec. 25.—Continued expansion is taking place in the size and capacity of steamers coming into Australian harbors.

The Oceanic company trading between San Francisco and Sydney are also reported as having under order 10,000-ton liners to ply between these ports.

NEW SOUTH WALES IS GROWING UNDER RAILWAY POLICY

Sydney, N. S. W., Dec. 25.—Remarkable evidence of the wonderful progress of the country districts of New South Wales under a progressive railway policy is shown by the growth of the Mudgee district in the north.

Since the advent of the Mudgee-Dunedon railway line, settlement along the route has been considerable, and small towns are springing up, whilst the other townships on the line now being constructed from Dunedon to Coonabarabran are also making great headway.

RELIGIOUS HORSE ATTENDED CHURCH

Winsted, Conn., Dec. 25.—A horse owned by Deacon Marshall P. Hays of Granby, has for more than twenty years been driven at least once a week to the North Granby church.

NOTABLES WHO ARRIVED IN AMERICA FOR THE HOLIDAYS



LADY DECIES AND CHILD LORD DECIES

Lord Decies, accompanied by Lady Decies, who was Miss Vivien Gould, and their elder daughter, Miss Helen Beresford, who has reached the mature age of fourteen months, recently arrived from abroad.

When one has anything, from a house to a bicycle, to dispose of the method of getting rid of it is that of raffling, and the American system is in great favor, when that is that the tickets run from a penny up to, say, ten or twenty shillings.

Dr. William Goodhue, Medical Director at Molokai, Hawaii, Meets With Great Success in Efforts to Cure Afflicted People — Is Magnificent Institution.

In the American Journal of Clinical Medicine is an account of the leper colony on the island of Molokai, Hawaii, of which the chief medical director is Dr. William Goodhue.

sort of publicity. A recent visitor to the island said: "I never saw a man so absolutely devoid of selfish ambition and love of praise."

Dr. Goodhue's report of a patient who was cured of leprosy by surgery is worth reading, since it is probably the first time that such a cure has been presented to the public.

Dr. Goodhue was born in Sir Wilfrid Laurier's old home, Arthabaska, Quebec, though his parents were American citizens.

ADULTERATION WILES

Dr. Harvey Washington Wiley said the other day of a butter adulterator: "The man's excuses are as specious and transparent as the Oshkosh grover's."

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PEKINGESE POODLE AND PRETTY GIRL DO NOT AGREE WITH SHIP'S OFFICERS—THE VULGAR DOGS.

New York, Dec. 25.—Pie-Fum, a tiny Pekingese, only nine weeks old, the property of Miss Grace V. Lloyd of San Francisco, was the cause of much anxiety on the part of the officers of the America of the Hamburg-American line, which arrived here Monday.

Miss Lloyd thought her pet deserved more consideration, and her efforts to keep him in her cabin kept the ship's officers on the jump.

Miss Lloyd, who was declared the prettiest girl on board the vessel, insisted on keeping Pie-Fum in a sweater, with her in a special basket, silk lined and provided with soft cushions.

"Pie-Fum," said she, "is too much of an aristocrat to associate with the plebeian animals he would meet under the butcher's care, and besides, he would catch his head cold. So the officers and I did not agree."

"I call Pie-Fum 'Little Dickens,'" she continued, "for he is always causing the trouble. He had to pay fare for him on the America, and he cost me nearly as much as I paid for him, while I was travelling by rail on the continent."

Miss Lloyd said that she purchased Pie-Fum in London and paid a very high price for him.

Four weeks ago Miss Lloyd left her home for Paris, where she intended to study music. Three weeks of Paris, however, proved "too much for her," she said, so she came back.

"I don't like Paris," she declared, "so I came back."

Miss Lloyd is going back to San Francisco, but will stop at the McAlpin Hotel for several days before she leaves.

But the grocer, looking very much hurt, replied: "Too much for me? Oh, ma'am, how can you misjudge me so? It's true I sometimes mix a little good butter with my bad butter, but I'd never dream of mixing bad butter with my good butter to make it worse."

PUBLIC NOTICE

THE UNDERSIGNED, having been appointed by the Common Council of the City of Saint John a committee of the said Council for conducting the sale of the Fisheries for the ensuing year, pursuant to law, hereby give notice that certain Fishery Lots along the east side of the Bay, River and Harbor, heretofore surveyed and possessed by the inhabitants on the East side of the Harbor, with those in and surrounding Navy Island and also certain Fishery Lots on the Western side of the Harbor, will be sold at Public Auction on TUESDAY, the SIXTH DAY OF JANUARY NEXT, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, in the City of Saint John, for the fishing season of the ensuing year, and on the 15th day of December, 1914.

Dated the 18th day of December, 1913.

JAMES H. FRINK, HARRY R. McLELLAN, RUPERT W. WIGMORE, MILES E. AGAR.

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FOR SALE.—Two splendid West Side properties at moderate prices. For application to Messrs. Fairweather and Porter, No. 67 Prince William street.

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