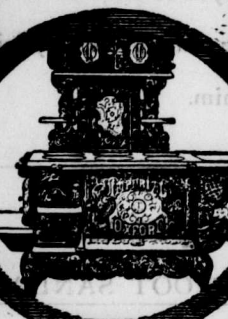


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Before you put the roast in an Imperial Oxford oven, let the draft bring the heat to the right point. You'll know when it gets there if you'll look at the oven thermometer. After the roast goes in, you can know (not guess) it will be cooked right in a certain definite time. There's no ups-and-downs in a range built as this one is—the diffusive oven-flue takes all the guess work out of cooking, all the drudgery out of oven-use.



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CHEERS FOR RUSSIANS.

Interparliamentary Union Regrets
Withdrawal of Delegates of Douma—
British Premier's Enthusiasm.

London, July 24.—The 14th conference of the Interparliamentary Union was opened in the royal gallery of the Palace of Westminster. Adherents of international peace from all the Parliaments of Europe, as well as several of those of the western hemisphere, were present.

Lord Weardale (Sir Philip Stanhope) opened the congress, his preliminary sentences of welcome being specially addressed to the Russian representatives, whereupon the delegates rose in a body and turning toward the delegation of the late Parliament, cheered them to the echo.

Premier Campbell-Bannerman reminded his hearers that King Edward had always been a great lover of peace. The Government, he added, was in entire sympathy with the object of the conference.

Long Live the Douma.

He especially greeted the members of the Russian Parliament present, and also paid a tribute to Emperor Nicholas, who had done so much towards the enhancement of ideas of peace. It could be safely asserted, he thought, that the Russian Parliament, although dissolved, was sure to again come into existence. Then the Premier, in a sudden excess of enthusiasm, shouted: "La Douma est morte. Viva la Douma!" ("The Russian Parliament is dead. Long live the Russian Parliament.")

Again the delegates rose to their feet and a storm of cheering continued for a couple of minutes.

Count Apponyi, the Hungarian Minister of War, followed, characterizing the Premier's speech as a "direct message from King Edward, the latter announcing on his own initiative his complete adhesion to the work of the conference."

Dramatic Moments.

Then came a dramatic moment. Prof. Kovalevsky, a member of the lower House of the Russian Parliament, rose, but some minutes elapsed before he could gain a hearing, so prolonged was the cheering. Finally, in a voice somewhat broken with emotion, he announced the necessity for the withdrawal of the members of the Russian Parliament. He said: "We came here in behalf of the Russian nation to partake in the great work of the conference. The mission of the Russian Parliament was to snatch a great people from a regime of violence and substitute for it a regime of reality, liberty and justice. We hoped to take an active part in your work, but our mission comes to a sudden end, as our Parliament, having been dissolved, we are no longer official representatives."

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King Edward Was Sponsor.

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CONGRATULATIONS. Our sympathy remains. We return home with the determination to continue the great struggle for freedom, liberty and justice.

To the Fight.

The announcement of the withdrawal of the Russian delegates was met with a storm of protests and shouts of "No, no," and attempts on every side to induce the Russians to remain, but they insisted that they must at once return to the "battleground." They then left the hall.

Lord Weardale was then elected president and the discussion began of the reports of the commissions on the American proposals for an international congress and a model arbitration treaty to be submitted to the next conference at The Hague.

United States Congressman Bartholdt said he considered the scheme to convert The Hague into a permanent body, which would meet at stated periods, and to create a council of the codification and development of international law to be thoroughly practicable and timely, that no well-disposed Government could object to it.

Model Treaty.

The former Austrian Minister of Commerce Von Plener, then presented the report of the Brussels commission, giving the proposed model treaty of arbitration. He moved the adoption of the treaty as amended by the commission, together with a recommendation urging on the powers that when arbitration is impossible to have recourse, singly or jointly, to the mediation of a third power, before declaring war.

At this point, Wm. J. Bryan rose, his appearance being heartily cheered. "I cannot see," he said, "that people have any justification in killing each other before investigating the question involved. There is no question of the sufficient importance of this. I want to move an amendment to Herr Von Plener's recommendation, to be appended to the commission's report. It goes further than his without going too far. This is my resolution:

"If a disagreement should occur between contracting parties, which in the terms of the proposed arbitration treaty need not be submitted to arbitration, they shall, before declaring war, or engaging in any hostilities whatever, submit the question to The Hague court, or some impartial international tribunal for investigation and report, each party reserving the right to act independently afterwards."

"This resolution, I put in order that there shall be no more shedding of human blood."

Mr. Bryan's amendment and Herr Von Plener's recommendation were supported by the German delegates and will be discussed to-day.

Seize \$16,000 Worth of Furs.

Wallaceburg, July 24.—A large quantity of valuable furs stolen in New York (valued at \$16,000) was traced by detectives through Montreal and Toronto to Chatham, Ont., where the trail was lost for a time. A clue obtained at Chatham yesterday, however, put Chief Compeau on the track afresh and it resulted in the capture of Jos. Jackson and his two sons in a house where they had recently resided, and where they were at work dressing the furs. The thieves and their plunder were immediately taken to Chatham.

Lad's Brother Blamed.

Orillia, July 24.—The inquest into the death of 9-year-old Daniel Fountain from drinking whiskey was completed yesterday. The jury brought in a verdict of alcoholic poisoning, and blamed the lad's brother for placing the liquor where he could get at it.

Canadian Singer Weds.

London, July 24.—(C. A. P.)—In Bloomsbury registry office, Mme. Pauline Donald, a Canadian prima donna, was quietly married yesterday to M. Paul Savellhas, French baritone. Mme. Donald was Miss Pauline Lightstone of Montreal.

RUSSEL SAGE IS DEAD.

Great Wall Street Financier Goes the Way of All Mortals.

New York, July 23.—Russel Sage died suddenly yesterday, at his country home, "Cedar Creek," at Lawrence, L. I. The immediate cause of death was heart failure, resulting from a complication of diseases, incident to old age. The veteran financier would have celebrated his 87th birthday on August 4th.

His first position was in the store of his brother, Henry at Troy, N. Y., at a salary of \$1.00 a week and his Lord.

The New York Central had held out a standing offer of \$1,500,000 of first mortgage bonds of the Albany system for it, but on the advice of President Russell Sage the two sold to Morgan, for \$250,000. The latter immediately transferred it to the New York Central and the old heads of Troy, it is said, claim that their fellow townsman made \$250,000 on this his first railroad deal. At any rate Sage was very shortly after made a director of the New York Central and he was the only living survivor of the original board.

Politics never had the fascination for Russell Sage that stock dealing had, yet he served as a congressman in the 23rd and 34th United States congresses, representing the district of Troy.

He entered Wall street in 1858; has been there ever since and death only retired him.

His greatest reverse was occasioned by the failure, in 1884 of Grant and Ward, by which it is said he lost \$6,000,000.

What disposition of his vast wealth will be made on the death of the aged financier has often been a matter of speculation, but when approached on the subject his invariable answer, has been: "Wait until I'm dead; there will be more than one person surprised."

Allan Liner Damaged.

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SNOWSLIDES OF ROCKIES.

Port of Mountains Takes Its Toll of Life and Property.

Every year the life of a miner in the high mountain regions is menaced by the avalanche or snowslide, and every year brings its list of casualties and of hairbreadth escapes. The story of snowslides would fill a book and would be a thrilling, tragic and in some cases a gruesome one.

Men have ridden hundreds of feet on the back of a snowslide and have escaped unhurt. Others have been caught and buried so deep and in such uncertain spots that their bodies have not been discovered until the melting of the snow in the following spring.

Some have been caught as they were walking, but a few steps from the boarding house to the mine, or while emptying a car on the mine dump. Not infrequently men have found themselves temporarily imprisoned by the entrance of the mine being closed by a slide while they were at work and have had to dig their way out.

A Chinese cook at one of the Idaho mines stepped outside his kitchen door for a moment and was caught and buried with the slide 1,000 feet down the hillside and his body was not recovered until the following spring.

Such incidents denote the extreme suddenness, power and velocity of the slide. Little or no warning is given. A roar, a cloud of snow obscuring the sight of the real slide, and in a moment thousands of tons of snow, mingled with trees and debris, are shot down the gulch or the slope of a mountain as from the mouth of a cannon. In a few seconds all is over and the scenery of the little valley is completely changed.—Mines and Minerals.

Their Flash.

"My children were taken with an itching burning skin disease and tore their flesh until it was sore and their shirts would sometimes be wet with blood. The doctor did not seem to know what ailed them and could give no relief so I began using Dr. J. C. Ointment. Whenever it was applied it did its work well and has entirely cured them of this horrible disease."—Mrs. Lois Leach, Triver on Digby, N. S.

Old Time Actors.

The old time actor had peculiar and primitive views as to elocution and its uses. I remember a certain old friend of mine who, when he recited the opening speech in "Richard III." and arrived at the line, "In the deep bosom of the ocean buried," suggested the deep bosom of the ocean by sending his voice into his boots. Yet these were fine actors, to whom certain young gentlemen who never saw them constantly refer. The methods of the stage have completely changed and with them the tastes of the people. The probability is that some of the old actors of only a few years ago would excite much merriment in their delineation of tragedy. A very great tragedian of a past generation was wont in the text scene in "Richard III." to hold a piece of soap in his mouth, so that, after the appearance of the ghosts, the lather and froth might dribble down his chin, and he employed moreover a trick sword which rattled hideously, and, what with his foam flecked face, his rolling eyes, his articulate groans and his rattling blade, the small boy in the gallery was scared into a frenzy of vociferous delight!—Richard Mansfield in Atlantic.

Are Good Looks Valuable?

If nature had her way every complexion would be as red as a dog's face. It is man who allows his blood to become weak, hence pimples, yellow skin, dark circles under the eyes. To have a beautiful complexion use Ferrazone regularly. It brings a rich ruby glow to the cheeks, nourishes the blood and thereby destroys humors and pimples. For b. v. health and good spirits use Ferrazone. Your appearance will improve a hundred fold. Fifty cents a box of fifty pills. Late-arrived Ferrazone tablets.—Don't put off—get Ferrazone to-day.

Late News From Foreign Sources In Pithy Items.

Mrs. Clara Baker of Cincinnati has filed suit against her father-in-law for \$25,000 damages for alienating her husband's affections.

Charles Bliss, known a generation ago as the human fly, died at Madison, Wis. Saturday. He was 80 years old. Bliss originated the trick of walking the ceiling.

Swiss hotelkeepers have arranged a scale of tips on a 10 per cent. basis. Ten years ago the tip tariff averaged 5 per cent., now it is often nearer 25 per cent.

A black and tan dog born in Cheyenne, Wyoming, last week, weighed one ounce. It is still alive, but a twin brother weighing an ounce and a half died at birth.

CIVIL SERVICE SHUFFLE.

Preston Goes to China and Bastedo May Succeed Him.

Toronto, July 23.—The removal of W. T. R. Preston from the Dominion Immigration Department to that of the Interior and Commerce is believed to have been for the purpose of opening the way for the appointment of S. T. Bastedo, the Deputy Minister of Fisheries for Ontario, who was dismissed from the service for unwarranted partiality. While in Ottawa last week, Premier Laurier promised Mr. Bastedo that his case would receive consideration as soon as possible.

It Has Caused More Laughs and Dried

More tears wiped away diseases and driven away more fears than any other medicine in the world. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets.

BUSINESS LAWS.

It is a fraud to conceal a fraud. Ignorance of the law excuses no one. The acts of one partner bind all the others.

An agreement without consideration is void.

A personal right of action dies with the person.

The law compels no one to do impossibilities.

A contract made with a minor or lunatic is void.

A receipt for money paid is not legally conclusive.

Signatures made with a lead pencil are good in law.

Agents are responsible to their principals for errors.

Each individual in a partnership is responsible for the whole amount of the debts of the firm.

A draft becomes an acceptance when the party upon whom it is drawn writes "accepted" across its face and signs his name.

Had No Time to Vote.

President Zachary Taylor in 1810, when only twenty-two years of age, was appointed to a lieutenantancy in the regular army. He served in the army up to or near the time of his nomination for the presidency in 1848. After he had carried off the prize friends of Henry Clay and others who wanted the nomination sneeringly spoke of Taylor as an ignorant frontier colonel, who had not voted for forty years. It is probable he had not voted, as he had been away from home in the military service most of the time and came into prominence only through his brilliant military record in the Mexican war.

The Ohio River.

No part of the Ohio river is in Ohio, the boundary of the state is the northern or northwestern margin of the river. The stream itself is wholly in West Virginia and Kentucky, where it flows past Ohio. The northwest territory, out of which Ohio was formed, was defined as the territory north and west of the Ohio, not north and west of the middle of that great river.

Not to Be Trifled With.

Love had just laughed at the locksmith. "Why don't you laugh at the milliner and the landlady and the grocer?" asked a bystander. "Because," replied Love, "they always make me feel mighty serious."

Husbands.

The woman who said that she knew her husband didn't drink because he drank so much water in the morning isn't it with the woman who says that the reason her husband doesn't go to church is because he is already as good as he can be.

Understanding.

"Hannah," said the mistress to her new girl, "you can take that brown serge dress of mine and put it in soak." "Yes'm," said Hannah. "Who's your favorite pawnbroker?"—London Advertiser.

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