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HOME RULE FOR NORWAY.

Not a Hundred of 2,000,000 People Who Favor Union.

Norway's secession from its union with Sweden was not an unexpected event in Europe. The union has never been natural or complete, and Norway has never ceased to strain and struggle after home rule. The causes of discontent are stated by a Norwegian correspondent in the Hamburg News as follows:

"We Norwegians are a people of 2,000,000, and out of these 2,000,000 there are not a hundred who approve of the union. Swedes and Norwegians cannot live together. The Swedes feel that he is an aristocrat. He is punctilious, stiff and ceremonious as a Swede. We Norwegians are democratic and conscious of our freedom and independence. The Swedes can never forget their exalted national glory. They dream about it, treat us as peasants and call us peasants. And peasants indeed we are, and are proud of it, but we are not rascals. When any conflict takes place our King is never on the spot here; he is in Sweden. We have, however, no objection to make of King Oscar personally. He is a peacefully disposed simple and fair minded man. We also have a high opinion of the Swedes as men, but as fellow subjects. What we object to regard to Sweden is a 'domestic' matter with her. In which Denmark may also be eventually included. But we are aiming at complete independence both in our domestic and foreign affairs. If the question is raised whether Norway is to be a monarchy or a republic, I would answer we have no objection to a King, and Prince Karl, who has been suggested as a King for Norway, is a peaceful and sincere man, but the fact of it is we do not think it necessary to have any sovereign lord at all."

The tone of the press of Denmark is hostile to Norway's action in dethroning her King. However, time cures all things; and a union of the three sister countries, Sweden, Denmark and Norway, in the form of an alliance, may be a solution advantageous to all.

Elderly Women.

An intrepid and enterprising compiler has recently prepared the following interesting list of the famous women now living who have passed the scriptural limit of years. It is impossible to suspect an understatement of ages, and so honorable is this association that it is improbable that any of the women who have been included are chagrined at the statement of their years.

- 107—Kate Livingstone (Scott).
- 101—Vivian Grey (English).
- 95—Elizabeth C. Adams (American).
- 91—Duchess of Abercorn (English).
- 91—Baroness Burdett-Coutts (English).
- 90—Princess Metternich (Austrian).
- 86—Clementine of Saxe-Coburg (German).
- 85—Caroline Severance (American).
- 85—Mary A. Sadler (Canadian).
- 85—Julia Ward Howe (American).
- 85—Susan B. Anthony (American).
- 84—Letha Byler Sample (American).
- 84—Anne Whitney (American).
- 84—Fannie Crosby (American).
- 84—Florence Nightingale (English).
- 84—Adelaide Ristori (Italian).
- 84—Mary Baker G. Eddy (American).
- 82—Julia A. Cameron (American).
- 82—Adeline D. T. Whitney (American).
- 79—Julia C. R. Dorr (American).
- 78—Ex-Empress Eugenie (Spanish).
- 78—Mrs. Jefferson Davis (American).
- 74—Blanche Marchesi (Scott).
- 75—Mrs. W. G. Jones (Scott).
- 74—Clara Barton (American).
- 73—Amelia E. Barr (English).

The Convict Doctor's Secret.

After ten years' imprisonment in the great penitentiary here, following a conviction for poisoning, Dr. Urbine de Freitas, one of the most distinguished of European physicians, has had his sentence of twenty-five years commuted by King Carlos to simple banishment from Portugal.

Throughout his long confinement the doctor is said to have jealously guarded a secret he had discovered—an assured cure for leprosy. Accompanied by his devoted wife, he is now on his way to Benito to pursue his life work. A man is now living at Coimbra, Portugal, who declared that Dr. de Freitas shortly before his arrest cured him of leprosy.—Lisbon Dispatch to London Mail.

Royal Tips.

Some of the European monarchs give very large tips whenever they travel, and others, on the contrary, are quite niggardly. Emperor Nicholas of Russia is the most liberal in this respect. During his brief visit to France three years ago he spent \$16,000 on tips to servants and almost as much on presents to officials and others. King Edward of England is not quite so generous, but as he travels a good deal, both within his own realm and abroad, he is obliged to lay aside each year \$32,000 as an allowance for tips. Emperor William of Germany is more generous in a foreign country than at home, and during his recent visit to Cowes, England, he spent not less than \$10,000 on tips. Of the remaining rulers some spend reasonable sums and others very little, but probably quite as much as they can afford.

The Age of Imitations.

Imitation cotton from pine wood is, according to The Scientific American, the latest industrial innovation, and it is said to be a very good imitation of cotton too. Whiskey from sawdust, milk from cowhairs, butter from cocoanuts, bread flour from dried bananas and beefsteak from the tenderloin of porpoise—but isn't this twentieth century civilization ringing in some pretty curious specialities?

Bug Burnt Her.

Allice rushed in from the garden, where she had been picking flowers. She was badly stung by a bee, and was holding on to her finger and sobbing pitifully. "Oh, mamma," she cried, "I burned me on a bug!"

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District Doings

DARRELL.

At the residence of Mr. I. French, 4th Con., there passed away on Monday at 10 p. m., his venerable and aged mother, who has been ill for several weeks. The funeral service was held on Wednesday at 2 p. m. Rev. Mr. McKelvie officiating. The remains were afterwards taken to the Maple Leaf Cemetery for interment.

The deceased leaves four sons and two daughters as well as a host of friends to mourn her departure.

Harry French and Ray Abraham attended the social at Valetta on Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Oliver are spending a few days at the former's home here.

The social held at Mrs. E. French's on Thursday evening was a grand success, the proceeds amounting to \$175. The S. A. Band, of Chatham, furnished the music for the evening. The program was as follows:—

Chairman's Address—Rev. Mr. McKelvie.

Selection—Band.

Duett—Mr. and Mrs. Sharp, Chatham.

Selection—Band.

Recitation—Mr. J. Lewis.

Chorus—Members of Band.

Recitation—Miss Elsie Tompkins.

Address—Rev. Mr. MacFarlane, of Louisville.

Selection—Band.

God Save the King.

Benediction.

Just before the social on Thursday the Dover Fifth Concession and Chatham Fifth Concession teams played a football match on Mr. Johnson's field, the latter team winning by a score of 3-0. Roy Abraham refereed.

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DISTRICT DOINGS

NORTHWOOD.

A number from here attended the German picnic last week and report a good time.

The farmers around here are beginning to cut hay this week. The hay is a good crop and it is hoped there will be fine weather to take it off in.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Osterhout, of Chatham, spent last Sunday at Mr. John Osterhout's.

John Clark and family were guests of Mr. D. Cromwell's last Sunday. James Reid has moved into the village over his new store.

The Harwich Union Epworth League met in the Methodist church here last Thursday. A number of delegates from different parts of the Township were present.

There was a good game of baseball played here between Northwood and Harwich teams on Saturday afternoon.

John Lydon, who had the misfortune to have his leg broken while playing football, is doing as well as could be expected.

ZONE CENTRE.

A large number gathered at the hall Friday night for the cantata,

which was well rendered. Some excellent selections were given on the graphophone by Charles Eberle. Jack McLean spent Sunday in Dutton.

Dr. Harry Buchanan was in the neighborhood on professional business this week.

Promotion examinations were held in our school 28th, 29th and 30th, and school closed Friday for the summer vacation. Ten will write for entrance from our school this year.

Mrs. McCulloch returns to her home in Ridgeway on Friday.

The masons have started to lay the concrete blocks for the new Letter Day Saints church.

MITCHELL'S BAY.

In this locality haying has become the order of the day.

The workmen have commenced to build the new Methodist church.

Joe Bram has started a restaurant at the Bay.

The Ladies Aid of the English church will hold an ice cream and strawberry social at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. G. Wilber on Thursday evening of this week.

Arthur Parrish, a prominent young farmer of this vicinity, has taken up a tract on the 14th concession.

Mr. James Wemp and family spent last Saturday at the Bay.

Miss Nettie McDowell is slowly recovering from a severe illness.

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