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Mrs. Asquith Longs to Be "Herself" Again

LONDON SOCIETY

Reconcilliation in the British Peerage Brings Pleasure to Many —The Preparations For The Wedding of Prince and Duchess

(Times' Special Correspondence)

London, Aug. 9—"I am sick to death of it," said Mrs. Asquith, the premier's wife, to a friend at Goodwood. She was referring to her duties as the wife of the prime minister. "You never can be 'yourself'" she volunteered, "for you must be for ever, so to speak, standing on your hind legs." Her friends who know "Margot" best, predicted this for her. "She'll be so heartily sick of it all, she'll wish herself at the bottom of the sea," they said when she went to Downing street.

"I have to wear a hat, or at any rate, keep my head covered when I play golf" she remarked, "and if there's one thing I dislike when I play it is to do this. It takes away half the pleasure of the game. And all the weary bores one has to be civil to if you are the wife of the prime minister! And you have to put the brake on your tongue all the time."

When the day comes for the prime minister to throw over his office Mr. Asquith is wondering what his wife will do in honor of the event. That she will do something to thrill, everybody agrees..

deForests Re-unite

If only for the sake of their two handsome little boys, everybody seems glad that the deForests have come together again. The reconciliation was brought about by a dignitary of the Catholic church and Baron de Forest, who had always been passionately in love with his wife, jumped when an overture was made. They had been seeing each other lately but they made their first public appearance together at Le Touquet.

He is a millionaire many times over and what he has suffered all these miserable years living alone in his London palace in St. James' Square, words cannot tell. He tried hard to interest himself in politics, he studied, he worked, but he was always miserable and now terrible melancholy seems to have settled on him. Sadly misunderstood and maligned when he did not speak out, his grievances staggered his friends and the public. But all's well that ends well.

This millionaire and his wife, will, if rumor speaks truly, live as quietly as possible for the rest of their days. One who saw them on the links, said, "They both looked shy even of each other and shrank from the gaze of strangers." She has gone through the mill, too. She older and her hair is turning grey. He has always been a charitable man and now they are both going to devote themselves to charity—and the children.

The Royal Wedding

Preparations are going on apace for the wedding of the Duchess of Fife and Prince Arthur of Connaught—the mere juxtaposition of their names makes one wonder what common title they will possess when they are married, and it is commonly believed that the king will present to the bridegroom some honor of this sort as a kind of wedding present.

The young duchess is already knee deep in "chiffons," for, of course, it is not so many weeks now before the ceremony will take place, and Her Highness is possessed of a most orderly mind, and anything of the nature of a scramble would put her out altogether. She and her mother have gone north for a few weeks, rather to the surprise of some of her friends, for they thought that London would be the best centre to "shop" for a trosseau. But the duchess has decided tastes of her own. Her pet tailors live in Edinburgh, and it is they who will supply the larger part of her trousseau. She is essentially an "out-door" girl, and we do not anticipate that she will do much entertaining of the "crush" or indeed, of any "indoor" order during the London seasons after she is married.

Neat and superlatively well cut coats and skirts are now being fashioned in the beautiful city of the "land o' cakes" for Her Highness, to suit all possible occasions, such as golfing, fishing, cycling, motoring and all the other outdoor pursuits that she loves. A few of these, by the way, are being made in Dublin, which has an excellent reputation for this kind of garment. For the more "fluffy" kinds of clothes it is good news to hear that the duchess is consulting her grandmother, Queen Alexandra, whose taste in sartorial affairs is almost world-famous. For as an officer's wife, Her Highness will have a certain amount of entertaining to do, and for all her "outdoor" tastes, she has a strong feminine love for pretty, dainty things.

Meanwhile, court officials are wrapping wet towels round their heads in order to discover how many of the people who will certainly consider they ought to be asked, they can squeeze into the Chapel Royal, where the ceremony will take place. Unfortunately, it is quite a small place, and as our royal family is of by no means small dimensions, the task of alloting space to them all is rather a problem. When the present king and queen were married, the little chapel was terribly overcrowded, and to make matters worse, it was a fearfully hot day, with the result that several ladies fainted, among them Queen Alexandra.

Subsequently Queen Victoria and those responsible for the arrangements "had a few words" on the matter, or, perhaps it is more correct to say that the aged queen did all the talking while the officials listened to what she had to say on the subject.

Directly Prince Arthur's engagement was announced, offers of country places for the honeymoon came from all quarters, and numerous rumors went about as to where the young people would stay. A friend at court, however, tells me that they will spend the first part of the honeymoon, at any rate, at Frogmore. They will then go abroad for a little while and will return to Mar Lodge for a little while on a visit to the Princess Royal.

Prince Arthur's name has frequently been mentioned as successor to his father in Canada, so you may see them with you before very long.

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The Three Little Crones

AS TOLD BY AUNT GERTIE

CHAPTER 1.

Once there was a beautiful king's daughter and a handsome king's son who had everything they could wish for except each other!

Now, they dearly loved one another, but the young prince's father declared he should not marry this fair maid because she could not spin and weave and sew.

Though so beautiful and so amiable and so good, it was true that the princess knew little or nothing about work. The prince's mother agreed with the king and very decidedly announced that her son should not marry the princess.

Poor princess.

Unhappy prince.

What were they to do?

At last the prince decided to take some step which would prove whether or not his princess could work, if she just had to do it.

"Mother, dear," he said to the queen, "we will have a test. If my princess shows she can sew and spin and weave as well as you can, you will not consent to have her for a daughter-in-law?"

"That is fair," said the queen. But she believed in her heart the princess would prove she could not do any of the three.

The fair princess was sent to the maiden's bower in the king's palace and the queen sent her a pound of flax to spin. The directions were that the flax should be spun before the dawn of the next day. If it was not spun, the princess was never to think of the prince, whom she loved, again.

When the poor princess found herself alone in the bower she felt very badly, for she knew she could not spin the queen's flax. And she hated so to lose her prince. She wandered about the apartment and wept. What should she do?

While she was thinking and weeping and walking about, in came, from somewhere or nowhere, a strange little woman of singular appearance. This unexpected visitor had very, very large feet which every one must notice as soon as she came in sight.

"Peace be with you," she said to the princess.

"And peace with you," answered the princess.

"Why are you so sorrowful this beautiful evening?" asked the little woman.

"The queen has commanded me to spin a pound of flax before dawn. If it is not done I shall lose the prince whom I love," said the princess.

What do you think the old woman answered to this?

(To be continued)

SHE MUST STAND UP IN ORDER TO KEEP AWAKE

Girl Afflicted For Two Years By Strange Malady

New York, Aug. 21—Miss Alice Geiser, of Liberty place, Weehawken, is the victim of a strange malady, said to be without parallel in medical annals. She cannot keep awake unless she stands up. Sitting or lying down she becomes unconscious.

It is not the so-called sleeping sickness of Africa, which lasts less than two weeks. Miss Geiser has been afflicted for two years.

Although she has been under constant medical treatment for two years no headway has been made toward a cure. Miss Geiser, in all other respects, is a normal, healthy young woman.

NOTED ADVENTURESS STRANGLED TO DEATH

Sent to Prison for Complicity in Murder, and Afterwards Pardoned

Paris, Aug. 21—A despatch from St. Petersburg says the Countess Tarnowska, a notorious adventuress, who was sentenced to eight years' imprisonment in Venice three years ago for her part in the murder of Count Kamorowsky and expelled from Italy, was found dead in a railroad car in which she was traveling from St. Petersburg to Kieff. She had been strangled with a silk scarf. The affair is a mystery.

USE THE WANT AD. WAY

CENTENNIAL SCHOOL GIRLS WINNERS OF PLAYGROUND PENNANT

The closing of the summer playgrounds at Centennial school was marked by appropriate exercises yesterday afternoon. The presentation of the pennant for the basket-ball championship was made to the victorious Centennial team.

The programme was as follows:

Recitation, Gertrude Rolson.

Dance, Reap the Flax, Sadie Morris, Gertrude Rolston, Gertrude Travers, Genevieve Breen, Margaret McCarthy, Edith Pyne, Vera Caples, Lillian Nugent, Constance Carney, Minnie Keenan.

Recitation, Edith Pyne.

Piano solo, Edith Morrision.

Mounted March—Sadie Morris, Vera Caples, Gertrude Travers, Genevieve Breen, Margaret McCarthy, Edith Pyne, Minnie Keenan, Gertrude Rolston, Lillian Nugent.

Report, Miss C. W. Brennan.

Address, E. H. Duval.

Grecian Dance, Margaret McCarthy.

Solo, Sadies Morris.

Piano solo, Miss Chisholm.

Dance, Highland Fling, Emily Baynstein, Sadie Morris, Gertrude Rolston, Constance Carney, Vera Caples, Margaret McCarthy, Lillian Nugent and Genevieve Breen.

Enesemble, America.

The children were trained by Miss C. W. Brennan and much praise was accorded that gifted lady at the close of the display.

Miss Mabel Peters, president of the Playgrounds Association, in the course of a short speech presented the basketball pennant. Miss M. E. Jonah, George Howard and T. F. Hall assisted in the ent ertainment and among those present was Miss B. E. Turner, general supervisor of the association.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH CONVENTION

The Maritime Convention of the Christian church opens this evening at Le Tete, Charlotte county, and will continue until Monday. Among those who left St. John this morning to attend the sessions are Rev. J. C. B. Appel, president of the convention; Rev. F. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Flaglor, George Barnes, and Miss Bertha Barnes, J. B. Prince and Mr. and Mrs. Outhouse.

Band Concert Tonight.

The band concert in the King square band stand tonight will be given by the Sons of England Band. The programme arranged is as follows:

March—Under the Double Eagle.. .....F. Wagner
Overture—Crown of Honor..C. Richards
March—Punjaub .....C. Payne
Waltz—Das Rosenbett....K. V. Keller
Selection—Souvenir de Ruise..... ..... W. Rimmer
March—Liberty Bell .....J. P. Sousa
Euphonium solo—The Village Blacksmith .....W. H. Weiss
T. Horsman, Soloist.
March—Latona.....J. M. Fulton
Rag march—Honey Bunch..J. M. Fulton
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Daily Hints For the Cook

A Luncheon Dish

A very nice luncheon dish can be made with stale bread and a can of tomatoes. Cut the bread into small pieces, put it into a skillet and fry a light brown in hot butter. Add salt, pepper and a little sage. Warm the tomatoes, mix with the bread a little milk and 1 beaten egg, and bake in a loaf ½ hour.

Indian Tapioca Pudding

Two tablespoons Indian meal soaked 1 hour in ½ pint of cold water, ½ cup tapioca soaked until soft in water. Bring to a boil 1 quart of milk and add Indian meal and tapioca and stir until it scalds. Take from stove and add 2 eggs beaten, ½ cup of sugar and 2-3 cup molasses, salt, cinnamon and ginger, ¼ teaspoon each. Bake ½ hour, add 1 cup cold milk, bake 2 hours longer and serve with whipped cream.

SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST JOHN, AUG. 21.

	A.M.		P.M.
High Tide....	1.30	Low Tide	8.03
Sun Rises....	5.38	Sun Sets	7.16

The time used is Atlantic standard.

PORT OF ST JOHN.

Arrived Yesterday.

Sch Ann Louisa Lockwood, 266, Swenson, New York, A W Adams, with coal.
Sch G H Perry, bay port, bal.
Sch Arthur M, bay port, bal.

Sailed Tuesday.

Str Oruro, Bale, West Indies via Halifax.

CANADIAN PORTS.

Flatpoint, N S, Aug 20—Signalled, str Dromonby, Coates, Las Palmas for Montreal.

Montreal, Aug 20—Cld, strs Lake Michigan, London and Antwerp; Dalton Hall, Hull; Innishowen Head, Dublin.

Halifax, Aug 20—Ard, strs Oruro, Demerara via B W I and St John; sch Alcola, New London.

Quebec, Aug 20—Ard, str Victorian, Liverpool.

BRITISH PORTS.

Liverpool, Aug 20—Ard, str Virginian, Montreal.

Queenstown, Aug 20—Ard, str Cymric, Boston.

London, Aug 20—Ard, str Ascania, Montreal.

Liverpool, Aug 20—Sld, str Corsican, Montreal.

FOREIGN PORTS.

New York, Aug 20—Ard, str Olympic, Southampton.

Philadelphia, Aug 20—Ard, sch Emily F Northam, Shulee.

New York, Aug 20—Ard, schs Diana, Campbellton; Madeleine, Spencer's Island (N S); Wapiti, Ship Harbor.

New York, Aug 20—Sld, schs Margaret May Riley, St John; Ladysmith, Halifax; Roma, Pictou; Palmetto, Clark's Harbor.

Philadelphia, Aug 20—Sld, sch Wm B Herrick, Calais.

LAURA B.: You will be surprised how long and curly your eyebrows will grow after a few applications of pyroxin at lash-roots, and if eyebrows are short and "straggly," rub a little pyroxin on frequently with fore-finger. This simple treatment is a great beautifier, but use care and don't get any pyroxin where no hair is wanted.

GOVERNOR SULZER MAY HAVE TO GIVE UP HIS CHAIR TO THIS MAN

Martin H. Glynn, Lieutenant-Governor of New York, and Mrs. Glynn

ORGANIZES A SOCIETY TO CIVILIZE THE GIPSY

Swiss Clergyman Hopes to Solve Problem of Europe's Nomads

Berne, Aug. 21—One million gipsies, with neither home nor country, move across Europe every year from east to west with the beginning of summer. Nowhere are they wanted, everywhere are they eyed askance, but still every year they wander, and the authorities of the countries they cross dread their coming and are relieved when they go.

There is always trouble at the frontiers. Here the wanderers are stopped, questioned and often imprisoned as vagrants. But there is nothing to do but finally let them go, and they invariably return the next year. An effort to aid and protect these gipsies, and incidentally the perplexed authorities, is being made by a Swiss clergyman, H. Ecuyer. He has organized a society, one of the purposes of which is to instruct the gipsies in the Christian religion, for these nomads are all pagans. The success of Mr. Ecuyer's efforts, however, is considered very uncertain.

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