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This is a clearance sale, pure and simple. In all previous events of this kind we usually had many special purchases on hand to offer in conjunction with our regular stock. This year, on account of our building operations and consequent curtailment of storage space, we deemed it advisable to make no big special purchases, but rather to devote all our energies to effect a complete clearance of our already very large regular stock. To do this we have made prices so low that you will be compelled to take notice and fill your wants of **SHOES** and **GENT'S FURNISHINGS** at **WIEZEL'S** unless, of course, economy is something in which you are not interested.

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MEN'S SHOES, high and low cut, in patent, bright and dull leathers, $1.28, $1.68, $1.98, $2.18, $2.48, $2.68 and $2.95. Regular $1.85 to $5.00.

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Union Street near Brussels

FOXES VS. BEEF.

Charlottetown Patriot:—Fox raising and ranching is primarily an industry of the western portion of this province. The raising of these animals promises to raise something more, namely the supply and cost of beef. The present rapid increase in the number of foxes in this vicinity has practically drained our local supply of beef cattle. It is difficult for local dealers to procure sufficient to appease the demand, in fact they find it impossible to do so as many consumers know to their sorrow.

To the Editor—"Why do the most worthless men often get the best wives?"

Answer—"I don't know. Ask your husband."

Dr. C. Gordon Hewitt, Dominion Entomologist, says, referring to the infantile death rate from intestinal diseases and diarrhoea spread by the house fly, he believes that the so-called harmless fly is yearly causing the death of thousands of infants, as well as spreading the germs of typhoid fever.

WILSON'S FLY PADS

are the best thing to rid your house of these dangerous pests.

LA MARQUISE DE FONTENOY

Their Majesties' Ready Sympathy Pleases Public—A Royal Bankrupt—Scapegraces of Reigning Families

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King George and Queen Mary's timely and sympathetic visit to the scene of the great colliery explosion at Silverwood, near Rotherham, in Yorkshire, and the solicitude which they both manifested for the families of the victims, have done much to increase their hold upon the regard and affection of the English people.

Their visit to the stricken district constitutes a new departure in England, where royal sympathy on the occasion of great disasters has until now taken the form of telegraphic messages and generous subscriptions to the relief funds. On the Continent, however, sovereigns have usually supplemented this by going at once to the scene of the catastrophe, in order to encourage and direct those engaged in the work of relief.

King Victor Emmanuel III. is always one of the earliest on the spot when any great misfortune happens to his people, such, for instance as the earthquake at Messina, and in the southern Italian provinces.

His late father, King Humbert, did not hesitate an instant to visit the cholera-stricken patients in the hospitals, at the time when that plague was raging at Naples, and met there on a common ground of mercy and charity, the Cardinal Archbishop of the city.

King Alfonso of Spain, whenever there are any of those terrible inundations which spread devastation and suffering in his dominions, gets there as rapidly as he can—which is not saying a little—while on the occasion of the last serious outbreak of the bubonic plague at Lisbon, the now exile Queen Marie Amelie, a princess of France, spent day after day at the hospitals, tending the victims with her own hands. She, by the way, has the degree of M. D.

Emperor Francis Joseph has always been conspicuous for the very active personal part he takes in the rescue work, whenever a disaster befalls his people. At the memorable devastation of Szegedia, by the floods of the Theiss, he nearly lost his own life by drowning.

In Germany the sovereign considers it part of his "metier de Roi" (his business as king) to manifest in this practical form the sympathy of the throne, either in person, or through one of the princes of his house.

Count Ostheim, whose financial troubles are now engaging the attention of the London Bankruptcy Court, and concerning whose identity the English authorities seem to be somewhat undecided, is no other than the former Prince Hermann of Saxe-Weimar. In fact, he was until 1909 the heir presumptive to the Grandducal throne of Saxe-Weimar. Had he retained his status as a prince of the blood, he would have been immune from the jurisdiction of the English bankruptcy court, and from that of every other English tribunal, by reason of the extra-territorial rights which full-fledged members of reigning houses enjoy in foreign countries, like ambassadors and ministers in the countries to which they are accredited.

The ex-prince, who is about twenty-seven years of age, was attached as lieutenant to the crack regiment of Cuirassiers of the Guard in Berlin in 1905, and as heir-presumptive to his cousin's throne of Saxe-Weimar, and to the immense private estates that belong to the chief of the family, was received with open arms at the court of the Kaiser, to whom he is pretty closely related. But he had inherited from his spendthrift father extravagant tastes, and ere long became involved in monetary difficulties, of so serious a character that he was transferred by way of discipline to the 11th Lancer Regiment, stationed in the dull little town of Saarburg. In the hope of restoring his shattered fortunes, he became in 1906 a suitor for the hand and incidentally for the fortune of Marie Bonaparte, who has since married Prince George of Greece, and whose wealth is derived from her father's part ownership of the public gambling tables of Monte Carlo. But although Prince Hermann was much nearer a throne than George of Greece, owing to the fact that his father Prince William of Saxe-Weimar is virtually excluded from the succession, and that the grandduke has no son by either of his marriages, yet his reputation was such that both Marie Bonaparte and her father rejected his suit.

The failure of this plan for a rich alliance landed Prince Hermann still further in difficulties, and ultimately the law intervened—that is to say, he was judicially declared not merely insolvent, but was placed under "curatel," being thereby deprived of all civic rights and legal responsibilities, as if he were a lunatic, his affairs being vested in the hands of a trustee. The investigation of his conduct in connection with his financial troubles resulted in his being first of all placed on the retired list, and then removed from the army altogether. Being virtually next in the line of succession to the Grandducal Crown, it was considered necessary under the peculiar circumstances to lose no time in eliminating him therefrom, and he was accordingly reduced in 1909 from the status of a prince of a sovereign house, to that of a mere noble, receiving from his cousin the Grandduke, the title of Count Ostheim, and a small annuity on condition that he keep out of Germany.

In 1910 he married at a Registry Office in London, Wanda Lottereau, a Milanese chorus girl, known on the stage as Wanda Zalters. She first attracted attention by winning first prize in a beauty contest at Milan as the loveliest woman in Italy, while afterwards she was the star of the Maxim scene in the "Merry Widow," at the Gaiety Theatre, in London. This union, of course, still further estranged the ex-Prince from his royal and imperial relatives.

He came over to this country not long afterwards, and with his wife was a conspicuous figure at the great New York Horse Show at Madison Square Garden of that year, but received no attention on the part of New York society. The marriage was short-lived, largely owing to the Count's constant financial troubles, and his inability to furnish his wife with the luxuries to which she had been accustomed by her pre-nuptial admirers. So she brought a suit for divorce against him in the Parisian courts, and found no difficulty in obtaining a dissolution of her matrimonial bonds.

It was soon after this that he was sold out by his creditors, and obliged to abandon his residence in the Rue Godard in Paris, and to seek refuge in London, where he has now been overtaken by bankruptcy, his creditors being apparently unaware of his royal birth. So far he has not appeared before the presiding judge in response to the latter's summons, and promise has been made that if he does not immediately do so, a warrant will be issued for his arrest.

Apropos of his present title of Count Ostheim, it may be mentioned that it was bestowed in the eighteenth century by Duke Charles Eugene of Wurtemberg upon Charles and Alexander, his natural sons by Louise Messieri, the ballerina.

Ex-Prince Hermann of Saxe-Weimar's father, Prince William of that ilk, spent a number of years in the United States under an assumed name. His youthful career having been almost as stormy as that which afterwards distinguished his son, he found it necessary to leave Europe and after some active service in the Foreign Legion of the Dutch Army in Sumatra, came to this country, and under the name of William Rohde, earned his living in various callings quite the reverse of royal. He received remittances from home, and like most remittance-men, managed to spend them long before they came to hand, was often in the most desperate straits, knew by frequent experience what it was to go hungry, and as riding-master, salesman, clerk, book-agent, and even restaurant waiter, kept body and soul together—the only prince of a reigning house who can boast of such extraordinary vicissitudes. Overtaken by illness in New York, his relatives took compassion on him, brought him home, and nursed him back to health. He then married Princess Gerta Yzemburg-Budingen, with whom he lives at Heidelberg, where he is not above recalling old times in the United States with American students at the university, over a stein of beer, or glass of wine. While his name figures on the retired list of the German army, with the honorary rank of Major, he is not allowed by the Grandduke of Saxe-Weimar to reside in his dominions, and he is virtually boycotted by all the courts of Europe. It is generally understood that all the necessary steps have been taken to exclude him from the succession to the throne in favor of his younger son Prince Albert, now a lieutenant of the 2nd Regiment of Cuirassiers of Pasewalk.

MARQUISE DE FONTTNOY.

A PLEA FOR MRS. McGEE.

Charlottetown Patriot:—Is Mrs. Minnie McGee insane or is she not? Was she insane when she put her children to death, or was she clothed and in her right mind? We note that the jury coupled with their verdict, a strong recommendation for mercy. Now, under ordinary circumstances if any human being were guilty of such an monstrous crime, no jury without strong and sufficient reasons, would bring in a verdict, with a plea for mercy. Why have the jury brought in that recommendation? Because they, as well as the people of Prince Edward Island believe, that this poor, unfortunate, degenerate woman, was not in a mental condition to fully comprehend the enormity of her crime. Therefore, there is a widespread feeling of sympathy and it is to be hoped when the result of the trial is forwarded to the secretary of state, that, every point will be carefully weighed, every circumstance deeply considered and in the end, that Minnie McGee, will go not to the gallows, to hang by the neck until she is dead, but to the kospital for the criminally insane, where she can live out her allotted span of life until her soul is required and she stands before the Judge of all.

BABCOCK-CROSSMAN.

Dufferin Babcock and Miss Jennie M. Crossman were married on Thursday by Rev. S. Howard, at the Methodist parsonage in Sackville. They left for a two weeks' honeymoon trip through Nova Scotia. Later they expect to go to Winnipeg and make their home in the west.

Dr Morse's Indian Root Pills positively cure Constipation and all kindred & resulting troubles. 25¢ a box. 16

The Wrong Kind of Sacrifice

By RUTH CAMERON

"To live with the saints in Heaven
Is untold bliss and glory,
But to live with the saints on earth
Is quite another story."

The wife of a neighbor of ours has incipient tuberculosis and has been ordered to spend the winter at a health resort. She leaves at home a husband and four children of whom the oldest is sixteen. A married sister who has no bairns of her own has come to take charge of the home for the winter.

We had been asked by the invalid to try to make her sister's stay as pleasant as possible, and had been paying our first call. In the course of this call the sister—despite the presence of one of her small nieces had confided to us that she did not like children; that it almost broke her heart to close up her beautiful home to which she was devoted, and that she had been obliged to give up a long-planned sea trip in order to take charge of her sister's household.

Practically our whole stay was taken up in hearing of the sacrifices she had made and in condoning with her.

Said Molly, the little stenographer lady, as we walked down the street, "Poor Mrs. Crawford. It's hard for her, isn't it."

"Why poor Mrs. Crawford, Molly?" cried the lady-who-always-knows-knows-somehow, with spirit. "Poor babies. I say. Don't you know that she's perfectly happy? Didn't you see how much pleasure she got out of telling us how she was sacrificing herself? I don't doubt she takes it out of those poor children and their father every day of her stay, and she'll never let her sister forget it. I can see she's one of those people who love to sacrifice themselves and then take it out of those they make the sacrifices for. Poor Mrs. Crawford, indeed! Why, my dear, she's simply delighted at the chance to pose as a martyr and make a lot of people feel uncomfortable."

The lady-who-always-knows-somehow doesn't often speak with such warmth and with such an approach to acerbity.

But I don't blame her a bit, do you?

It seems to me there is scarcely any species more trying than the "saints on earth" who rub their pseudo-sainthood into everybody with whom they come into contact.

They simply gloat over a chance to sacrifice themselves. They seize each opportunity avidly because they know that no pleasure they sacrifice can be half so keen as the delight of posing as martyrs.

Do you know what I think would be the best punishment for these people? It's this:—I recommend it to any victim—absolutely refuse to accept any sacrifices at their hands.

Remind them of Stevenson's creed that any sacrifices which are not made gladly and without ostentation had better not be made at all. Thank them, but tell them that their services cost everyone concerned quite too dearly.

Perhaps you don't think they will mind this at all, but they will. By-and-by you will have them begging you to let them make some sacrifice for you.

And perhaps if you keep them begging long enough, you will finally even bring them to that state of mind wherein they will actually be eager to make a glad, unostentatious genuine sacrifice.

NAVAL COLLEGE FOR AUSTRALIA

$200,000 Collected by Trustees of Dreadnought Fund — Home For Immigrants

Sydney, N. S. W., July 26—In the patriotic duties of increasing the value of its defence force and of adding to its population, the Commonwealth has taken two very decisive steps during the past week. So that the coming generation of naval servants of the king may be trained in all the branches of their profession without having to go to England, it has been decided to establish a naval college for the Commonwealth; and as a preliminary move towards its erection, the trustees of the Australian Dreadnought fund have collected the sum of $200,000 which they have given the federal treasurer towards the creation of the college. It is hoped that the institution will be completed in 1914.

As regards its immigration policy, of which favorable notice has been recently taken in Canada, the British immigration league which has done good work here caring for arriving immigrants, has now decided to establish a home for them; and with the object of securing its erection at the earliest possible moment, has voted $25,000.

TRAVELERS' GUIDE

Leave Union Depot, St. John

6.45 a. m.—Express Boston.
7.10 a. m.—Express Campbellton, Pt. du Chene, Truro.
9 a.m.—Suburban to Hampton.
9.15 a. m.—Suburban to Welsford.
11.20 a.m.—Ocean Limited.
12.15 p. m.—Suburban to Hampton (except Saturday and Sunday.)
12.40 p. m.—Express to Moncton, Halifax, Sydney and P. E. Island.
1.10 p m.—Suburban for Welsford (Wednesday and Saturday.)
1.15 p. m.—Suburban, Hampton (Saturday only).
5.05 p. m.—Suburban Fredericton.
5.15 p. m.—Express Sussex.
5.55 p. m.—Express Montreal.
6.10 p. m.—Suburban for Welsford.
6.15 p. m.—Suburban Hampton.
6.35 p. m.—Express Moncton, Montreal, Pt. du Chene.
6.45 p. m.—Express Boston.
10.15—Suburban to Welsford.
11 p. m.—Suburban Hampton.
11.30 p. m.—Express Halifax, Pictou, the Sydneys.

Arrive at Union Station, St. John.

6.15 a. m.—Express from Halifax.
7.45 a. m.—Suburban from Hampton.
7.55 a. m.—Suburban from Welsford.
8.55 a. m.—Express from Fredericton.
9 a. m.—Express from Sussex.
10.40 a. m.—Express from Moncton.
11.10 a. m.—Express from Boston.
11.15 a. m.—Suburban from Hampton.
11.45 a. m.—Suburban from Welsford.
12 noon—Express from Montreal.
2.40 p. m.—Suburban from Hampton (daily except Saturday and Sunday).
3.20 p. m.—Suburban from Welsford (Wednesday and Saturday).
3.25 p. m. — Suburban from Hampton (Saturday only).
5.20 p. m.—Express from the Sydneys, Halifax, Campbellton.
6.35 p. m.—Ocean Limited.
8.20 p. m.—Suburban from Hampton.
9.30 p m.—Express from Truro.
9.40 p. m.—Suburban from Welsford.
11.15 p. m.—Express from Boston.

Leaves West St. John.

7.45 a. m.—Express for St. Stephen.

Arrive at West. St. John.

7 p. m.—Express from St. Stephen.

D. A. R.

Steamship Prince Rupert leaves St. John for Digby at 7.45 a. m.; returning from Digby, arrives at 5 p. m.

Steamship Yarmouth leaves St. John at noon; returning at 8 a. m. the following day.

Eastern Steamship Co.

Leaves St. John for Boston direct Tuesday and Saturdays at 7 p. m.; returning leaves Boston Mondays and Thursdays at 10 a. m. for St. John direct.

Leaves St. John (coastwise service) Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 a. m. for Eastport, Lubec, Portland and Boston; returning leaves Boston same days at 9 a. m. for Eastport, Lubec and St. John.

Additional trips, commencing July 12, leave St. John Friday at 7 p. m., returning, leave Boston Sundays at 10 a. m.

Daily Hints For the Cook

CHILI SAUCE.

Eighteen large ripe tomatoes, 4 green peppers, 6 large onions, 4 cups vinegar, 3 tablespoons salt, 12 tablespoons sugar.

Chop onions, tomatoes and peppers, add the other ingredients and boil until thick.—Woman's World.

ORANGE RHUBARB SAUCE

Boil bits of orange peel till tender, then add sufficient sugar to form a thick syrup; lay into it very carefully a layer of rhubarb about two and a half inches long; when done remove to a glass dish, and so cook another layer till all the syrup has been consumed.

CANNED PEACHES OR PEARS

Cut the fruit in halves and remove the stones or core. For each quart jar allow two cups of sugar and one cup of water, if the fruit is ripe and sweet, less sugar may be used. One cup sugar for each quart can of fruit is used when fruit is not very acid.

Peaches are successfully peeled by dipping them in boiling hot water for a few minutes. The skin will slip off as easily as from a tomato when treated in a similar manner.—Woman's World.

AUGUST CANNING HINTS.

For canning use one-third to one-half as much sugar as fruit.

For preserving use three-fourths as much sugar as fruit.

For jam use equal amounts of sugar and fruit.

For jelly use equal amounts of sugar and juice.

For canning use only perfectly sound fruit, fresh, firm and of good quality. For preserving, fruit is either cut up or left whole.

For jelly, fruit should be underripe.—Eldora Lockwood Dow in Woman's World for August.

End of The Month . . Sale . .

Men's Wash Vests, regular $1.50 values, for 98c.

Men's Fancy Cotton Half Hose, 2 pairs for 25c.

Men's Working Shirts, 48c., 73c., 84c.

Men's All Wool Pants, $1.29, $1.59

Men's English Worsted Pants, $1.89 to $3.74.

Men's Derby Hats, regular $2.50, for $2.

Corbet's, 196 Union St.

Dining Room Suit 9 Pieces For Only $49.85

BUFFET, Empire oak, rich golden finish, has two shaped upper drawers, two large doors, and one large linen drawer, also British Bevel Mirror. The carvings are very neat, making in all a very handsome Buffet.

CHINA CLOSET, Empire oak, golden finish, has two large glass doors and four large adjustable shelves.

DINING TABLE, Empire oak, rich golden finish. This table is round and is made in the latest pedestal style, extends over 6 feet.

DINING CHAIRS, to match suit, upholstered in art leather, has brace arms, large roomy seat. Is a strong and well built chair. We give six chairs in the set.

J. Marcus - 30 Dock Street

SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, JULY 26.

	A.M.		P.M.
High Tide	9.54	Low Tide	4.08
Sun Rises	5.06	Sun Sets	7.53

The time used is Atlantic standard.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived Yesterday.

Str Governor Cobb, 1,556, Allan, Boston, W G Lee.

Sch De Morey Gray, 325, Rector, Boston, C M Kerrison.

Sch Priscilla, 101, Granville, New Bedford, A W Adams.

Sch Yolanda, 72, Hassell, Saba, West Indies, J Willard Smith.

Coastwise—Strs Harbinger, 42, Rockwell, River Hebert; Connors Bros, 49, Warnock, Chance Harbor; Westport III, 49, Coggins, Westport, and cld; schs Mispah, 52, Kinney, North Head, and cld; Levuka, 75, Ogilvie, Poggins Mines; Lena, 50, Desmond, Parrsboro; Bertie, 12, Mawhinney, Lepreaux; Ethel, 22, Hatfield, Advocate Harbor, and cld.

Cleared Yesterday.

Sch Jost, 299, Pettis, Walton (N S), J Willard Smith.

Coastwise—Strs Harbinger, 42, Rockwell, Riverside; schs Levuka, 75, Ogilvie, Parrsboro; Yarmouth Packet, 76, Thurber, Yarmouth; Iolanthe, 18, Teed, St Andrews; Walter C, Belding, Chance Harbor; Fin Back, 24, Mulcahy, North Head; Margaret, 49, Simmonds, St George.

CANADIAN PORTS.

Yarmouth, July 25—Ard, strs Prince Arthur, Boston; Amelia, Halifax.

Cld—Sch C D Pickles, Liverpool; str Amelia, St John; sch Neva, Bear River.

Quebec, July 25—Ard, str Montreal, London.

BRITISH PORTS.

Avonmouth, July 25—Sld, str Montcalm, Montreal.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Philadelphia, July 25—Ard, sch Adonis, St John.

New York, July 25—Ard, schs Maderia, Liscombt (N S); Daniel McLoud, Maitland.

Vineyard Haven, July 25—Ard, schs Jennie S Hall, Port Johnsoo; Nevis, Minasville (N S.)

Calais, July 25—Ard, sch Childe Harold, Philadelphia.

New York, July 25—Sld, schs Mattie J Alles, St Andrews; Harry W Lewis, Eatonville.

Vineyard Haven, July 25—Sld, schs L A Plummer, Henrietta Simmons, New York.

Eastport, July 25—Sld, sch Hunter, New York.

WICKED, WICKED.

"I suppose your wife was more than delighted at your raise of salary, wasn't she?" asked Jones of Brown.

"I haven't told her yet, but she will be when she knows it," answered Brown.

"How is it that you haven't told her?"

"Well, I thought I would enjoy myself a couple of weeks first."

RUMOR PERSISTS IN SPITE OF MANY EMPHATIC DENIALS

Reported Engagement of Heir to Astor Millions Chief Topic of Interest at Newport

Newport, R. I., July 26—Up to the present writing, the persons who have denied the reported engagement of Vincent Astor, heir to the millions of John Jacob Astor, and Miss Margaret Andrews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Andrews, include the following:

Vincent Astor;
Mrs. Andrews;
Miss Andrews and
Mr. Andrews.

Nevertheless, the cottagers here, with each denial, are just all the surer that the engagement is a fact. The announcement, it is confidently predicted, will come early in August and to those doubters who point to the repeated denials, the believers in the engagement retort—

"Pooh! Anything's fair in love. Of course they'd deny it."

Paul Andrews, father of the lovely seventeen-years-old-girl upon whom young Astor's affections are centered, is the latest to make a formal denial.

"It's ridiculous—absurd," he declared. "Why, she's a baby, a mere child, and the idea is preposterous."

Miss Andrews is indeed just a child. She is not even formally "out" Her debut will be made next Friday, although up to a few months ago the great event had been planned for next summer instead of this. After that, say the gossips, will come the announcement.

Vincent Astor, meanwhile is fleeing the country—perhaps to escape the whisper of persistent rumor. A better guess is that he goes for a visit to his mother, Mrs. Ava Willing Astor, in London. He paid a flying farewell visit to Miss Andrews, arriving and departing in his new ninety-horse power Fiat racer, built of a special model. During his stay in Newport he was the guest of his chum and rival for Miss Andrew's affection, Hermann Oelrichs.

Miss Andrews is silent, when gossips hint at romance in her presence. When the rumor first began to fly she denied it. But since then she has "refused to answer." and only a blush or a diffident glance answers any mention of "Vincent" now.

So in spite of all denials, old dame Rumor is sure she is right and insists that the two are caught in Cupid's toils.

Young Astor has developed remarkably, say his inmates, since the tragic death of his father. From an irresponsible boy he has become a man, with a man's sense of duty and a keen grasp of the details of the vast business which he oversees. Something over $150,000,000 are his to manipulate and to guard.

Astor's friendship with Miss Andrews dates to his Harvard days. They were friends then, and then the engagement was first rumored. His own denial stopped talk of young Astor's romance for a time.

DOUBTFUL.

"Jones is extremely attentive to his wife."

"Still very much in love with her, eh?"

"Either that, or he is afraid of her."

BRITISH PUBLIC MEN ARE TERRORIZED BY THE SUFFRAGETTES

Premier Asquith and Others Fear For Their Lives and the Safety of Their Families

London, July 26—Completely terrorized by the Suffragettes, English public men are guarded as at a time of Nihilistic activity in Russia. They are no longer worried by the risk of mere annoyance. They fear for their lives and the safety of their families.

King George's advisors have warned him strongly against any public appearance for the present. Scotland Yard's ingenuity and resources are taxed to the utmost to protect the cabinet, their wives and children and their homes.

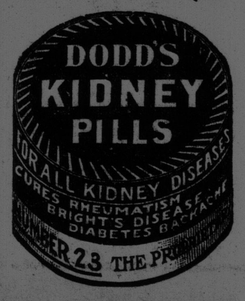
Premier Asquith, Chancellor of the Exchequer Lloyd George, Home Secretary McKenna, Winston Churchill, the first Lord of the Admiralty, and other cabinet ministers, have received the most ferocious threats anonymously, what will happen to them unless they declare for equal rights at the polls. Not only are they assured that they are in danger of being killed, but that the burning of their homes and the kidnapping of their children are planned.

The bitterness and determination of the Suffragette campaign were again evidenced this afternoon, when Premier Asquith was attacked at the Chester Railway station on his return journey from Dublin. Another attack was attempted upon his arrival here. At Chester, Dr. Jessie Murray and Mary Gray, two Suffragettes, rushed the premier and shouted:—"Be warned in time!" Other women, who resented the attack on Mr. Asquith, turned on the suffragettes and were handling them roughly when a clergyman, who was standing nearby, rescued them. The two women were detained by the police.

On the arrival of the prime minister's train at Euston station tonight, another woman attempted to attack Mr. Asquith, but was prevented.

AN IMPROVEMENT.

"I got a new attachment for the family piano," said Mr. Growcher, "and it's a wonderful improvement."

"What is it?"

"A lock and key."