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THIS MAN'S MARRIAGE

WAS ONLY GOOD JOKE

When Charged With Bigamy Says He Did Not Marry Other Girl for Keeps.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Legal papers on filed today in the Supreme Court in a suit brought by Kate Nekut for an absolute divorce from her husband, George Nekut, contain a story of an alleged marriage of Nekut and Mollie Mull. The marriage is alleged to have taken place while the defendant was the husband of the plaintiff.

Nekut, in an affidavit, denied that he and the girl were married and said that the alleged marriage to Mollie Mull was merely a joke and was done in fun. In an affidavit Maria Klein, of 36 West 49th street, gave her version of what Nekut said was the joke marriage.

She said that she met him at the home of Fannie and Mollie Mull, 343 East 133rd street, and that they introduced Nekut to her as the intended husband of Mollie Mull. Mrs. Klein also stated that Nekut told her at that time that he intended to marry Mollie. She said that on May 15, 1907, Nekut showed her a typewritten form of an invitation to a wedding reception, set for four days later.

Mrs. Klein then asserted that on May 18, 1907, she went to the home of the Mull sisters and that there were there as guests a dozen persons and a table was spread for a dinner.

"A large wedding cake was among the ornaments," she said. After some delay Mollie Mull appeared, in a white wedding gown. George Nekut was with her. The guests, myself among them, congratulated the pair and kissed the bride."

Mrs. Klein asserted that between April 21 and May 19 of that year she and Nekut and Mollie Mull were in their rooms together, and said "they occupied the same as though they were husband and wife."

Mrs. Klein said that she heard Nekut say that he had secured a divorce from his wife that cost him \$100, as he wanted to marry Mollie Mull. She asserted that she saw the wedding ring worn by Mollie, and said that when she asked Mollie where she and Nekut were married Mollie said, "At a church down-town."

It is said that the trouble which the child Laura had with her boy sweetheart was over a coasting party at a coasting party some nights since the young man took another girl on his sled for a ride, which angered Laura.

BARON VON ORTZEN KILLS LIENANTEN WHO CAME WITH WOMAN TO NEW YORK.

BERLIN, Feb. 5.—A duel with pistols was fought today near Frankfurt-on-the-Main by Baron von Orzten, an infantry captain, and Lieut. von Stuckard of the reserves. The latter was killed.

The two were formerly close friends until Lieut. Stuckard during Capt. von Orzten's absence at the manoeuvres some time ago eloped with the latter's wife. The parents of the Baroness traced the couple to New York and vainly tried to persuade their daughter to return. Capt. von Orzten subsequently obtained a divorce, but this had hardly been granted when Lieut. von Stuckard quarreled with the woman, whom he forsook, leaving her in America, and returned to Kreuznach, where his father, a retired General, is now Burgomaster.

Capt. von Orzten at once challenged him. After the duel von Orzten surrendered himself to his superiors. Probably the only penalty imposed on him will be a formal reprimand.

HOUSE LIKELY OPENS FIRST WEEK IN MARCH

FREDERICTON, Feb. 5.—The local government got through with the business of the session this evening and adjourned to meet in St. John on Tuesday, the sixteenth instant. The date of the meeting of the legislature will then be announced. It will probably be the first week in March.

Three games of hockey are scheduled to take place at the Queen's Bank this evening, and a large crowd should be in attendance. At 7 o'clock the High School and Rothery teams will come together. The Fredericton and all-St. John teams will clash at 8 o'clock. The last match of the evening will be between the Fredericton Telegraphers and local Telegraphers.

ONLY A COMMON COLD, BUT IT BECOMES A SERIOUS MATTER IF NEGLECTED.

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Mrs. Henry Smallpiece, Brudenell, Ont., writes:—"I was always subject to a cough and could get nothing to relieve me until I saw an advertisement of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup and thought I would try a bottle, and when I had taken a few doses I found I was getting relief, and when I had finished it I was cured. I procured a bottle for my baby, who had a cough, and a few doses cured him. I would advise any one having a cough, to give Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup a trial, and I am sure they will never be without it."

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NOT SO EASY TO GET RICH, SAYS JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER

Tells of His Early Struggles When He Worked Three Whole Months for \$50—Spent Three Weeks Looking for His First Job.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—John D. Rockefeller, in his latest article, which appears in the World's Work today, declares that it is difficult to get rich, and illustrates his argument with his own early experiences.

"The author serves up a rebuke to Miss Ida Tarbell when she defends the memory of his father, whom Miss Tarbell had pictured as a nomadic horse dealer. Of his father, Mr. Rockefeller says:

"I owe him a great debt for the practical ways in which he trained me. From early boyhood I kept a little book which I called 'Ledger A.'"

The author says he came of a family of modest means in which there was a close family life which he counts a blessing. His first business deal consisted in selling turkeys which his mother gave him for "minding them."

One incident which the author seems to recall was when on one occasion he and his brother William, ran away to go skating. They found a man prowling and rescued him, but explanations availed nothing, at home and they got "switched" for their adventure.

High school and bookkeeping in a commercial college in Cleveland completed Mr. Rockefeller's scholastic experience. Then for three weeks he walked the streets asking merchants if they "didn't want a boy." His first employment was with the firm of Rewitt and Tuttle, of Cleveland. He

did not ask what wages he was to receive and after three months he was paid \$50. The salary next year was \$35 a month. The third year it was \$50. He wanted \$80 and this refused he resigned to go into business for himself.

With M. H. Clark he formed a partnership, his investment being \$1,000, which he borrowed from his father. The business was loading and unloading carloads of produce.

Of his quality to win the friendship of men he writes proudly and dwells in a like vein on his first church work when he was eighteen. The pastor announced that unless \$2,000 was raised the church must close after services buttoned-hole wall-to-do men in the congregation, raised the \$2,000 and saved the church.

Money in bulk wasn't always at the command of Rockefeller, according to Mr. Rockefeller writes, to test the credit of the son.

"One time the firm's largest consignment wanted to borrow money on current shipments, which had not arrived. 'I knew,' he writes 'that this was wrong and refused the request.'"

This installment of the account of the career of the world's richest man concludes with divers incidents noted by him to illustrate "the difficult art of getting," the title of his article.

LESLIE M. SHAW URGES OVERLOOKED A LITTLE MILLION DOLLAR LOAN

Former Bank Manager Now Charged With Making False Statements to the Government

MONTEAL, Feb. 6.—The preliminary inquiry in the case of the crown against W. G. Brown, formerly manager of the Montreal branch of the Royal Bank and for a time acting general manager, charged with supplying false statements to the government, was begun today. The first witness examined was Wm. Fisher, formerly cashier of the bank. Mr. Fisher testified that the statements in question were not correct, the principal discrepancy being the failure to report a loan of about a million made to the Canadian Improvement Company of the Soo. This was overruled on both sides of the statement. Mr. Fisher's examination was not concluded when the court adjourned until Monday.

ITALIAN GETS THREE YEARS IN DORCHESTER

Stole a Stack of Money

SENTENCED FRIDAY

Italians Accused of Murder in Good Spirits Now

Officer Miles McCrea of Andover was in the city last evening, taking an Italian to the Dorchester penitentiary. The prisoner was Francesco Jussappe and was sent to Dorchester for three years. He was convicted of stealing \$155 and a bank book for \$1,800 from another Italian named Francesco Pionto. The robbery was committed some weeks ago.

The trial was held at Andover before Judge Carleton yesterday. The witness, Constable McCrea also gave evidence, telling the facts leading up to the arrest, as related in The Star some time ago. The officer's evidence was most interesting and showed the systematic plans made for the man's capture.

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Judge Carleton made a brief address to the prisoner, referring to the large amount taken and the facts leading up to the robbery. He then sentenced the prisoner to three years in Dorchester penitentiary.

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FLED FOR THEIR LIVES TO ESCAPE THE FLAMES

TILTON, N. H., Feb. 5.—A fire in the drying-room of the hosiery mill of H. Tilton and Son tonight forced twenty-two men employed there to flee in a hurry to save their lives, and caused property damage amounting \$10,000. The fire was in the third story of a building occupied by the finishing department, where about 200 hands are employed. The loss is covered by insurance.

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YOUNG GIRL FOUND SLAIN

Her Sweetheart Arrested on Suspicion of Being Guilty Party

DATON, Ohio, Feb. 5.—Another murder mystery has been added to the long list which already shames this city. Late today the body of a young woman was dragged out of a cistern in the rear of a vacant house. Her brother has identified her as Lizzie Fubart, eighteen years old, of Van-dalia, Ohio. She has always borne a spotless reputation at her home. She came to this city on January 23 to look for employment and was staying with her aunt, Mrs. Destor.

The discovery was made by Charles O. Weaver, a contractor, who was employed by the owner of the Matthews residence to prepare the residence for occupancy. He at once notified the police.

The body was badly decomposed and the features were almost unrecognizable. The face shows bruises and other evidences of violence are plainly visible. A burial bag encircled the upper portion of the body. The steel cover of the cistern is about eighteen inches in diameter and was fitted closely over the opening.

Albert Wilkie, employed at a sewing machine factory, was arrested here tonight on suspicion. Wilkie was the sweetheart of the murdered girl, but says he has not seen her since she came to the city on December 23.

That your petitioners have considered the said act and beg leave to recommend the following amendments thereto:

Sec. 2. Amend by reducing the span of bridges from 20 feet to 8 feet.

Sec. 4, sub-sec. 1, amended as follows: In all parishes where there are three county councillors they shall constitute the highway board, and in parishes where there are only two councillors the third member of the board should be appointed by the County Council.

Section 8, sub-section 1: That the poll tax be reduced from \$2 to \$1.50, and that the minimum rate for taxation for highway purposes should be not less than fourteen cents per hundred dollars.

Section 25: That the word "fortified" in the second line thereof be struck out and the word "month" be inserted in lieu thereof.

Sec. 56, sub-sec. 3: Persons and teams shall be paid the rate prevailing in the respective local districts of parishes.

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Dated at the city of St. John the twenty-ninth day of January, A. D. 1909.

By order of the council. G. R. VINCENT, Sec.

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TORONTO TOT'S ADVENTURE

Emily Husband, Aged 14, Unable to Find Brother in St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 5.—Travelling all the way from Toronto, Canada, in search of her uncle, Emily Husband, 14 years old, reached St. Louis penniless and in the wake of the big storm, to find a friend in a man wearing the garb of a soldier and other friends at 381 Cleveland avenue.

She now is in the care of Matron Hintring of Central district station, and Capt. Young is making every effort to locate the uncle, Herman S. Husband, who is in the retail business, is married and lives in this city.

Emily, a sweet-faced child, says she knew the address of her uncle, but she forgot the address, but she came on bravely. She reached here Friday, and, carrying her grip, strode out into the storm to find her uncle.

She says she trusted some blocks and then met a soldier. She asked him to find her uncle and he tried to.

COUNCIL WANTS MANY AMENDMENTS TO ACT

Text of Council's Report

DRAWN UP YESTERDAY

Ask That Highway Board be Composed of Councillors

Yesterday Secretary Vincent of the county council, prepared for transmission to the council, the report of the committee of the whole, appointed to pass upon the provisions of the new highway act.

The following is the text of the report:

To His Honor the Hon. Luenal J. Treadwell, Lieutenant-Governor of the Province, in executive council:

The petition of a committee of the council of the municipality of the city and county of St. John, consisting of the councillors from the several parishes in the said municipality, appointed for the purpose of considering "The Highway Act, 1908," humbly sheweth:

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