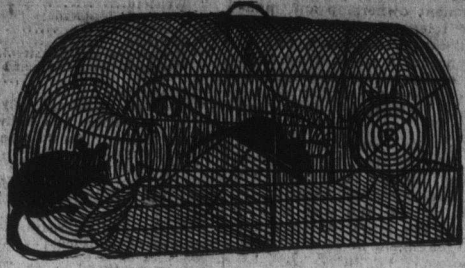


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FROM PULPIT TO WASHTUB.

Proacher Seeks Divorce Because His Wife Made Him Wash and Cook.

DETROIT, Mich., July 1.—The Rev. William S. Brandon of the Second Baptist church, Detroit, has begun proceedings for divorce against his wife, Ora Brandon, whom he married on Sept. 10, 1881, at Colorado Springs. He alleges cruelty and says that she frequently looked him out of the house and threw a shoe at him when he tried to climb in the window. He alleges that after his Sunday morning sermon

he was frequently compelled to wash clothes and get dinner. "I couldn't give her money for clothing she had been used to," said the complainant on the stand, "and because I couldn't do that she would do nothing for me."

RELIGIOUS FERVOR.

(Hamilton Spectator.) When men can be induced, as they were at the Waterdown garden party yesterday, to work at the tug-of-war game with the thermometer at 85, for the benefit of the Methodist church, it is good evidence that there must be something in religion.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Endowment Rank Has a Deficit—Misappropriation of the Funds.

Chicago, July 10.—The endowment rank of the Knights of Pythias has a deficit of \$225,367. This announcement was made by Supreme Commander Ogden H. Fethers yesterday to the supreme lodge of the order, which has been assembled in this city for the purpose of looking into the affairs of the rank. Mr. Fethers' announcement was based on the official report of the insurance commissioners of Illinois, Connecticut and Kansas, who made an exhaustive examination of the financial condition of the order, and copies of these reports were placed in the hands of the representatives. Before the rank can legally continue doing business as an insurance institution this deficit must be made good, and the question of how this is to be done, and the greater one of how the funds of the organization are to be safe-guarded in the future occupied the attention of the supreme lodge officers and representatives during the day yesterday and far into the night. That there has been misappropriation of the funds of the organization by past officers of the endowment was freely charged in the reports as well as in the meeting yesterday, and there was said to be little doubt that after the supreme lodge had finished dealing with those who are thought to be responsible the evidence will be laid before the state's attorney with a request that it be submitted to the grand jury. At the session last night a motion was made to expel John A. Hinsey, who was president of the endowment rank during the period in which some of the funds of the organization are said to have disappeared, or to have been invested in poor securities, but the motion was laid on the table when it was represented to the meeting that Mr. Hinsey had expressed his intention of appearing before the supreme lodge at its meeting today for the purpose of defending himself against any charge that might be made of misappropriation of funds or of having made investments which he had not previously assured himself were safe and amply secure.

SHOT IN A SCUFFLE.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 9.—John Howard, private in Company D, 43rd Volunteer Infantry, whose home is at Roanoke, Va., was arrested here today on the arrival of the Santa Fe train from the west, charged with shooting a man named Gibbons at Hutchinson, Kas., last night. Gibbons is not expected to survive. Howard's story makes it uncertain whether he or some other soldier shot Gibbons. He says a group of tramps boarded the train. They wore partial uniforms and tried to pass as soldiers. One of the tramps made a dash with a knife at the pocket of a soldier in an effort to rob him. Gibbons was observed and backed up. Howard fired. The cry "shoot him" went up and as he reached the platform Howard and another soldier, whose name Howard does not know, fired two or three shots and Gibbons dropped.

THE WAR POLICY.

LONDON, July 10.—There was a meeting held at the Guild hall this afternoon in support of the government's war policy. It was a great success from the "jingo" point of view. The idea originated on the stock exchange and was intended as an offset to the recent pro-Boer gathering at Queen's hall. The lord mayor, Frank Green, and the other city magistrates, did their utmost to assure its success, and the result was the great hall of the Guild hall, having a capacity of 4,000 persons, did not suffice to contain the crowd, which necessitated an overflow meeting outside, where the pro-enthusiasts made a demonstration of even more pronounced character than that of stock brokers within. Patriotic songs broke out at intervals, both within and without the building.

TRAIN WRECKED.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 10.—South bound passenger No. 7 on the Chicago and Alton railway from Chicago, crashed head on into the second section of freight train No. 88, two miles west of Norton, Mo., today. Both engines and the conductors of the freight train were instantly killed. Three passengers were killed and 25 injured. The coaches took fire and are now burning. Special trains from St. Louis and Kansas City, carrying physicians, have been sent to the scene. The killed and injured probably will be taken to Marshall, the next station south of Norton. The names of the dead and injured were not reported.

THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, July 10.—West and east—Moderate winds, generally fair, a little warmer at most places, a few scattered showers at night. Thursday, moderate winds, fair and moderately warm.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Eastern states and western New York—Partly cloudy tonight, probably showers in extreme south and west. Fair weather Thursday, partly cloudy, probably showers, fresh northerly winds.

GOULD AND HIS VALET.

NEW YORK, July 9.—The Appellate division of the Supreme Court today rendered a decision in the case of Frank Mowbray, against Howard Gould, reversing the judgment of \$5,000 in favor of Mowbray, Mr. Gould's former valet, and ordering a new trial. Mowbray was injured by the explosion of a signal rocket on board Mr. Gould's yacht.

WILL RECOVER.

The Ladies Who Fell into the Boiling Mud Will Get Better.

CHICAGO, July 10.—A special to the Record-Herald from Helena, Mont., says:—Further particulars of the accident to Mrs. John L. Zabriskie, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and her daughter, in Yellowstone park, state that while the women were inspecting the Geysers on the thumb of Yellowstone lake the mother slipped into the mud and her daughter, in attempting to rescue her, was drawn into the seething caudron. Both sunk almost to their arm-pits, before they could be extricated, and they were terribly parboiled. Other tourists immediately wrapped them in blankets and removed them by boat to Lake Hot, where a physician dressed their burns. Their "wiles are serious, but it is thought both will recover."

WHOLESALE SHOOTING.

DOUGLAS, Ga., July 9.—Jake Devoss, a negro laborer, on James McKinnon's plantation, was working a team of mules this morning. The mules balked and the negro went to his house, got a Winchester rifle and shot both mules dead. Devoss's wife expostulated with him, and he turned the rifle upon her, inflicting a wound which may prove fatal. James McKay, who owned the mules, and his brother Charles, attracted by the shooting, started for the scene. Charles McKinnon was instantly killed by the negro, and James McKinnon was so badly wounded that he will probably die. Then Devoss escaped to the swamps.

OWNERLESS ISLANDS.

If you should want an island, that is, an uninhabited island, for the purpose of occupying it alone, Robinson Crusoe-like, or to use it for romantic fiction, or for any other purpose, to the exclusion of all others in the world, you may have no trouble in finding one, if you see fit to make a journey to the Indian ocean. In the waters between Madagascar and India you can find more than 16,000 of them where there is not a human being, and where you can, if you will, be monarch of all you survey.

An English traveller has recently been among the small islands that dot the western end of the Indian ocean, to make an inventory of them, and reports that he counted 16,000 and found only about 600 of them inhabited. Now, there is a good chance for any one who may want an island. Some of them are only an acre or two, well elevated above the sea, while others are a quarter of a mile in diameter, and running from that up to a mile or two in length, and a quarter or less of the length in breadth. Many of them are granite structures that rise steeply from 20 to 100 feet, and are covered with rich soil, through which small fresh water streams hurry to the sea, which they reach after flowing over beaches of glistening calcareous sand that are begirt by coral reefs, which form walls about the islands.

HORRORS AT THE ROYAL ACADEMY.

The Royal Academy does not escape the seeing eye of the artist in clothes, who this year frames a severe indictment against the garments worn in the portraits. "What actor," it is asked, "would think of playing his part unsuitably attired? What novelist would eliminate from his description of incidents the dress that was worn? Why then should not the artist give as careful consideration to the detail of the dress of his sitters? Such enormities are committed, the 'Tailor and Cutter' tells us, as knickers and vest cut in one, morning coats without any seams in the back, vests with two buttons at the top and none below, trousers without seams, and overalls without any visible means of fastening. And in the majority of cases the trousers are of one color, the vest of another and the coat different from both. The critic even asks whether the artist paints the hair and leaves some competent assistant to fill in the rest. Perhaps the best way out of the difficulty would be for all portrait painters in future to serve a year's apprenticeship to tailoring and cutting.

TURKISH WOMEN ADOPT THE GRAMOPHONE.

The gramophone is a real source of pleasure to Turkish women. For some years it was strictly forbidden; now nearly every house is provided with one, and the women sit round and roar with laughter every night at its production. Nearly all are fitted with cylinders giving Turkish songs and stories which are rather risqué. If the women with their gramophones would only stop at home no one would object; but what they delight in is to get into a boat with their friends and float slowly down the Bosphorus, with the gramophone shrieking in the middle.—London Telegraph.

A STARTLING QUERY.

This is the way that a simple query by Mayor Tom Johnson started and dismayed a group of county auditors—if a prominent citizen can be believed: Mayor Johnson—Who held the pass at Thermopylae? First auditor, hesitatingly—Wh-what road is that town on? Second auditor, belligerently—You can't search it! Fourth auditor, apologetically—I-I borrowed it! Fifth auditor, aggressively—What are you looking at me for? Sixth auditor, bravely—Well, suppose it was me—what you got to do about it?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

PROST FOR SIMPSON.

(Harlem Life.) Young Simpson (to the lovely Felicia, as they stand on the piazza in the moonlight)—Miss Felicia, this world looks so dreary and lonely to me. I feel as though no one loves me. Felicia (in a sympathetic tone)—Oh, Mr. Simpson, God loves you. Simpson, after a thoughtful pause, suggests they go in, as it is growing chilly.

C. E. CONVENTION.

Busiest Day of the Session—Several Ministers Spoke—Short Addresses Tonight.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, July 10.—Today being the last day of the Christian Endeavor convention, events have been crowded in upon each other, making it really the busiest day of the session which lasted five days. There was not an hour from sunrise until the time for the farewell meeting tonight that was not marked for meetings and service. The music hall auditoriums were the centres of most activity. The action of the local committee in dispensing with an auditorium Ohio and consolidating the meetings in auditoriums Endeavor and Williston, caused a revisiting of the entire programme as far as speakers were concerned. The assignments of these bills were made before the convention and as the speakers who were to have participated in auditorium Ohio are here, they were included on the programmes in the other two auditoriums. Sixty John W. Baer, of Boston, presided in Endeavor hall. After the devotional exercises six minutes were given five minutes each on letters were given five minutes each on "Twenty years of Christian endeavor." The farewell meetings to be held this evening will be the greatest of the year. Rev. J. Campbell Morgan, of Baltimore, Rev. Floyd W. Tompkins of Philadelphia, are the only two speakers who will be heard. The endeavors will assemble in groups from each of their states and as the roll is called they will reply with short addresses on the purposes they have in view for the extension of Christian endeavor during the coming year.

CURIOUS ANNOUNCEMENT.

LONDON, July 10.—The trial of Earl Russell before the house of lords, July 1, on the charge of bigamy, has occasioned the issue of all kinds of quaint notices. None of them, perhaps, is more curious than the latest relating to the admission of women. The notice announces that a hundred places have been reserved for peeresses. As the offence is bigamy there is considerable curiosity as to the extent to which the invitations will be accepted.

Earl Russell, who is now being tried before the house of lords for bigamy, is among the tolerably well-known English noblemen on this side of the water, because of the legal proceedings with which his name has been intermittently and malodourously connected during the past ten years. His last bid for notoriety, however, surpasses all previous efforts. He is the grandson of the earl who succeeded his grandfather in 1878, is described as decidedly unromantic in appearance. "A rather stolid, ruddy face is redeemed by smiling eyes that look out mildly from the shelter of gold-rimmed glasses." John Francis Stanley possesses none of the oratorical or literary qualities of his famous grandfather, though he has spoken once or twice in a modest way in the house of lords. He is, however, reputed to be a rather good electric engineer.

IS NOT THE MAN.

MONTICELLO, N. Y., July 10.—The man arrested at Grahamsville, Sullivan county, on Monday, on suspicion that he was Wilfred Blonfin, the Boston wife murderer, is not the man. George Dunham, a member of the Boston detective bureau, came to Monticello last night and drove 18 miles to Grahamsville, where, with three other Boston detectives, he examined the prisoner. After the examination the detectives said they were confident he was the wrong man, and they went away without him. The only identification mark was one on the left elbow, which somewhat resembled that on Blonfin. Farmer Galbraith and his assistant, who made the capture, still have their man confined in a little room in the Lefevre hotel. They still claim that he is Blonfin, and they say he can prove it.

THE TRAIN ROBBERS.

GREAT FALLS, Mont., July 10.—It is known definitely that the Great Northern train robbers crossed the Missouri river about seven miles above Fort Peck at about 7.45 Monday evening and that they are now on the south side. The report that the robbers were surrounded near Rocky Point and that a fight was in progress is without foundation. Sheriff Griffiths has returned to Glasgow and says he thinks that he knows where the robbers are, and wants fifty more fighting men. If the sheriff can secure a sufficiently large posse he will return to the chase this morning.

KANSAS CITY, July 10.—In a message received at the local office, General Agent McLain of the passenger department states that the entire train was destroyed by fire soon after the wreck occurred. McLain reported that he was unhurt, but gave no particulars.

DIME NOVELS DID IT.

NEW YORK, July 10.—With a cartridge belt containing 47 cartridges of 44 calibre firmly fastened around his waist, a bowie knife stuck in one side of it and a heavy revolver on the other side, John Fisher, who on Saturday night, held up and fatally shot Theodore Johnson, was taken into custody yesterday in Riverside by Police Captain Weigand. Fisher is the janitor of an apartment house, where he lived with his wife and one child. He is 24 years old, and it is believed was made desperate by reading dime novels of western border life.

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