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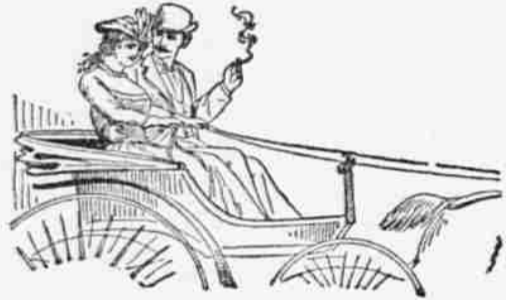
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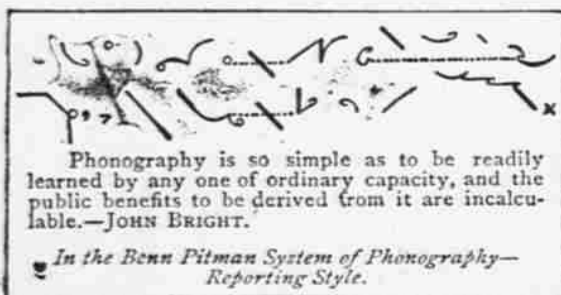
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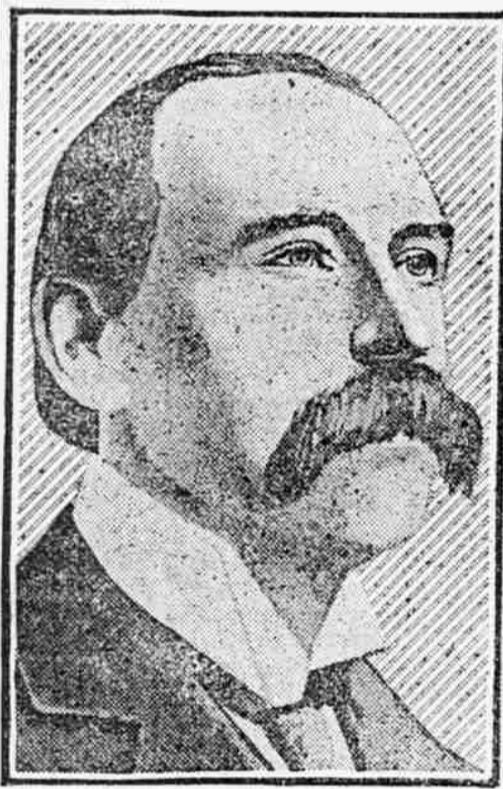
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DENTIST

**Dr. Douglas Hyde
AND THE
Gaelic Revival**

THE revival of a dead language is usually no mean task. Those who are seeking to revitalize the ancient Gaelic tongue believe that it is not yet so dead as to make this an impossibility. The arrival in America of Dr. Douglas Hyde, the leading exponent of the movement, has attracted special attention to its aims. Much has already been accomplished in this direction through the enthusiasm of Dr. Hyde and the work of the organizations which have come into existence partly as a result of his exertions. Dr. Hyde is the son of a Protestant clergyman, the Rev. Arthur Hyde, and he himself has studied theology, but instead of preaching the gospel has devoted himself to literature and scholarship and to the work of convincing the Irish people and those in other countries of Irish descent of the value of the tongue in which their forefathers spoke.

Dr. Hyde was educated at Trinity college, Dublin, where in 1884 he took the degree of bachelor of arts after an exceptionally brilliant undergraduate career and where he has since taken additional degrees. Although he won honors in German, French and Italian, it was the Celtic language which most attracted him, and on graduation, instead of making the tour of the continent usually taken by young men of his social position, he traveled extensively in his native province, making a study of the ancient Irish tales, songs and folklore of Connaught. In this way he was drawn into relations of intimacy with the Irish peasantry and came to realize more than ever before the qualities for the expression of emotion and tenderness possessed by the language of the past. In 1889 he published a book of tales in the ancient tongue, entitled "Leabhar Sgeulighachta." The praise this received from students of the Gaelic language encouraged him to write "Beside the Fire; Folklore of the Irish Celts," "The Love Songs of Connaught," "Story of Early Irish Literature," "Medlaeval Tales From the Irish" and other works. Some of these books have gone through



DR. DOUGLAS HYDE

several editions. In order to encourage the use of the old language of Ireland in both writing and speaking he has written dramas in Gaelic and taken parts in them himself when presented on the stage. Personally he is recognized as a man of great versatility of talent, for he is poet, playwright, critic, actor, divinity student, orator, journalist, historian, linguist, translator, professor, archaeologist, lecturer and folklorist.

Dr. Hyde is making a tour of the United States and speaking in colleges and before learned societies of various kinds. Owing in large degree to his efforts the movement for the revival of the Gaelic language in Ireland now shows some surprising results. There are two main groups of the Celtic tongue—the Cymric, represented by the Celtic speech of Wales and Brittany, and the Gaelic, formerly more widely spoken, but now represented by the Celtic speech of Ireland, Scotland and the Isle of Man. Scotland, with a population of 4,500,000, has not in the mainland or adjacent islands more than 300,000 persons who speak or understand Gaelic. In Ireland, when the census of 1900 was taken, it was found that out of a population of about 4,500,000 not more than 700,000 could speak Gaelic. This was a decline of 10,000 in ten years. The decline was due in part to the large emigration from the western province, the last foothold of the Gaelic in Ireland. Since then the current has turned. A few years ago most of those who spoke Gaelic in Ireland could neither read it nor write it. The system of education ignored it, and parents, anxious that their children should get on in the world, banished it from their homes. The Gaelic league, of which Dr. Hyde was the first president, has done much to change these conditions. It employs traveling teachers and in many ways encourages the use of the ancient language both in conversation and literature. Interest in the movement has extended to the United States and even to South America. The number of schools in which the Gaelic language is taught has advanced from 105 in 1899 to over 3,000 in 1905, and those who can read, speak and write Gaelic is thus constantly increasing.

AGAINST GRAFTERS.

John B. Moran of Boston and His Election as District Attorney.

One of the surprises of the November elections was the choice of John B. Moran as district attorney of Suffolk county, Mass., the county in which the city of Boston is located. His election was even more remarkable than that of William Travers Jerome in New York, for Moran not only ran as an independent, but was opposed by Michael J. Sughrue, a candidate who had been nominated by both the Republicans and the Democrats. Nobody had any idea that Moran was going to be elected. The bar was against him, and the newspapers not only gave him no support, but paid only slight attention to his canvass. Hardly any one treated it seriously, yet Mr. Moran defeated Mr. Sughrue by over 4,000 votes. He was counsel for Thomas W. Lawson in the recent gas investigation in Boston, and, like Lawson, he adopted the plan of buying advertising space in the newspapers for his appeals to the public. The people read his ads.,



JOHN B. MORAN.

and the latter won their votes. Mr. Moran fought his campaign single handed, paid his own expenses, hired the halls for his meetings and mortgaged a life insurance policy to get the money for campaign bills. It is said he was enjoying a practice worth \$15,000 a year, and as district attorney his salary will be only \$5,000.

The district attorney elect is a native of the old Bay State and was born in Wakefield in 1859. He is a graduate of Phillips-Exeter academy and of the Boston University Law school, is unmarried, belongs to numerous clubs and has a reputation as a boxer.

There is a story that when Moran started the practice of law he slept in a blanket on the floor of his office until he could afford a lounge and lived on bread and water until he got his first retainer of \$15.

HER LOVER A PRINCE.

Grand Duchess Sophie Charlotte and Emperor William's Son.

The marriage of the German emperor's eldest son, the heir apparent to the throne, not very long ago was a notable event. The ceremonies in connection with it were imposing and picturesque. And now the kaiser's second son, Prince Eitel Friedrich, is soon to take a wife.

According to all accounts, this fortunate prince is to have a bride of his own choice. The romance of his wooing of the Grand Duchess Sophie Char-



THE GRAND DUCHESS SOPHIE CHARLOTTE.

lotte of Oldenburg seems to prove that royal love-making is not necessarily cut and dried. It is said that "Eitel Fritz" and the Grand Duchess Sophie met for the first time at the wedding of the German crown prince last summer, when the duchess was the guest of her grandmother, the Princess Friedrich Karl of Prussia. They were attracted to each other from the beginning and, both being fond of yachting, found opportunities to meet often in the races at Kiel, where their acquaintance progressed to the sentimental stage. The duchess is better looking than most of the young ladies of royal European houses, and the match is a popular one.

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