THE GIRL BAID "NO."

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Chuish. A marriage was suctionly interrupted at St. Catherine's church Moscow, a short distance from Scranton, on 1911 orday morning, by the bride, Miss. Margaret Meure, religing to may the fateful "yes" at the peoper time. For miles around in the Pocono mountain region the friends of Miss Moore and Timothy Poley had assembled to ace the young couple married. The paster of St. Catherine's, the Rev. R. H. Walsh, stood waiting at the altar rall as the bridal party arrived. The bride looked charming. She was attended by her niece, Miss Foley, and the bride groom's best man was Frank Daugherty, a Jury commissioner, of Lackswanna county. Mr. Foley had already made his solemn vow, and the officialing priest asked: "Will you, Margaret Moore, take Timothy Poley to be your lawful husband?" Instead of answering, the young woman inquired; it yet too late, father?" Father Walsh, bough surprised by the unusual question, immediately answered: 'It is not too late," whereupon the bride-elect said: "Then I will not," and turning from the altar, her face as white as marble, she faced the suddenly startled spectators and walked down the aisle loward the door. It was a moment of intense excitement. The priest, the bridegroom and the guests seemed transfixed as the bride passed down to the church door. After waiting for half an hour, expecting that the bride would return, the guests gradually dispersed, and soon the strange incident became the talk of the entire town. No reason has been given for the bride's strange conduct. To all questioning the answer is that she simply exercised woman's privilege and changed her mind; but this does not soothe Mr. Foley, who was deserted at the altar by the woman of his choice, who never gave a hint of her displeasure until she was asked the final question.

ELECTRIC FORGE.

Where Iron Is Heated by Being Submerged in Water.

One of the astonishing things developed through the introduction of electricity into every-day affairs is a forge, made for bench use, for the heating of soldering irons or light pieces of metal for working on the anvil, where the heating is accomplished by plunging the article to be heated into a tray of water. This curious forge is made as follows: The tank is of wood or of any other substance which will hold water and not form an electrical conductor. One wire of the electric circuit passes to the bottom of the tank, where it is connected to a plate of metal which lies there. Over this plate, water, preferably saturated with salt, fills the tank nearly to the top and serves to conduct the current of whatever object is to be heated. Nothing could be better for this purpose, for the water naturally closes all about the object and fits it on every side. The other end of the current-conducting wire is fastened to the tongs or led to a metal frame work at the edge of the tank on which the tongs or the shank of a soldering iron lie when it is to be heated. The moment the object to be heated is plunged into the water a current passes from the water through the object, and at the same moment some of the water is decomposed by electrolytic action. The nitrogen of the water becomes electrified and adheres to the object to be heated and forms a film of gas, which separates the object completely from the water, while at the same time this gas forms such an obstruction to the passage of the electric current that the energy of the current is turned into heat.

Tobacco in England.

In regard to the suggestion which is sometimes made that one way to relieve the agricultural depression in this country would be for the government to allow and even to encourage the growth of tobacco, it may be interesting to note how long the prohibition has lasted and how sternly it has been enforced. This may be gathered from the following extract: "Cornet Wakefield, with a party of horse marching out of Gloucester upon the last of July to Winchcome and Cheltham to destroy the Tobacco planted in these parts, the Country did rise against them in a great body to the number of 5 or 600, giving then very revileing and threatening speeches, even to kill them horse and man, 'f that he and his Soldiers did come on, insomuch that the tumult being so great, he was constrained to draw off and nothing more done."-Mercurius Politicus, 29 July-5 Aug., 1658.-Notes and Queries.

A Sample of Feminine Wit.

Lady Blessington, who was accorded afraid of shark." Tableau. the name of the "gorgeous" when Pr'uce Louis Napoleon, the last emperor of the French, was in exile in London, was remarkably courteous to him, extending her hospitality in the most lavish way. After his accession to the throne of France she was in Paris for a season, and somewhat naturally looked forward to an invitation to the Tuileries. Time passed and none came. But at a sumptuous ball given elsewhere the emperor passed in full aplendor of his triumph. Catching sight of his benefactress, he smiled and asked: "Ah, Lady Blessington! You remain in Paris for a time?" "Yes, sire," said she; "and you?"

The Boston Girl. "Were you out in all that rain?" asked the Clifton girl. "No," said the young woman from Boston, "I was merely in the portion of the rain that descended in my immediate vicinity." Cincinn to Prominer

IMPREONABLE PARIS

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Ann Rings The French have been taught wir dom by past experience, and as a reunit have planned, and a few years ago finished, a system of fortifications around Paris, which are probably unrepeated for the purposes for which they are intended by any similar fertifications in the world. A well-informed military writer, a member of the general staff of the German army, has given it as his opinion that a successful stoge of Paris would be under present conditions, an improvible undertaking says a writer in Pearson's. The new fortifications that surround the French capital are some fifteen or twenty miles from the city and are connected with Paris, and with each other, by a railway system which would enable the French commander to quickly mass at one point a very large body of men, while the general of the besteging army, if he wished to prevent the city from obtaining supplies, and thus shut in the people and the army that was defending it, would have to occupy a line extending over 100 miles, and hence could not, by any possibility, collect a large number of his force at any one point to resist, with even a shadow of hope, an attack of the enemy. It required a German army of, approximately, 500,000 men to lay siege to Paris from Sept. 19, 1870, to Jan. 30, 1871; but the authority we refer to is of the opinion that to repeat the same operation a German besieging army would have to number more than 2,000,000 men, and the work of maintaining such a force and properly handling its parts would be something which few governments would care to undertake and few military commanders would be able to efficiently perform, The French have spent upon these new fortifications an amount variously estimated at from £6,000,000 to £10,000,-000, and hence can well afford to sell the land occupied by some of the now obsolete fortifications of a generation

PERIL OF THE SUBURBANITE.

Why He Is So Frequently Completely Worn Out.

Of a truth black care, in the shape of some grim neurosis, sits ever close behind the city man, says the Medical Press. The rush and hurry of modern life, the flerce struggle for existence, the unnatural condition of environment all tend to exhaust and saps the nervous constitution. Perhaps one of the chief, albeit not always the best, recognized factors in the situation is the necessity of rapid and far-reaching transit. Every year the bulk of city men go further afield, and each morning and night perform their tedious pilgrimage to and from the scene of doubt that constant rallway traveling of this kind is calculated, sooner or JENNIE M. COWLES, Jas. W. Carr, Her Attorney their busy labors. There can be no later, to play havoc with the soundest constitution. While it is, of course, impossible to lay down any exact rule, it may be stated generally that no such dally railway journey should be much over an hour in length, a space of time that is far more than enough to carry the citizen into pure air and the most sylvan of scenery. Think of the rattle, the dust, the draughts, the bad lighting, the extremes of temperatures, the jolting, the constrained attitudes, the draggle-tailed discomfort of the average railway carriage to a man already exhausted with mental worries, especially if he has slept badly and scamped his meals. Let the countrydwelling citizen get his physician to make a note of the state of his nervous system and keep the record at hand for future reference. As every medical man of any experience can testify, the attempt to burn a candle at both ends. one in the city and the other fifty or a hundred miles away at the seaside, has cut off many a valuable life in the flower of its maturing manhood.

Good Story of Lord Charles Beresford A good story is told of Lord Charles Beresford, during the time Commander Beresford was on the East Indian station. They were cruising off the Ceylon coast, and the hero of the Condor A G. P., Topeka, Kan. thought he would like a day's shooting, so a boat was put off and landed. Beresford and a Cingalese servant, after a weary tramp through the jungle, came to a river; the river emptied itself into the sea three miles distant. His lordship stripped to have a bathe, but first asked his servant if there were any alligators in the water. The servant replied in the negative. After a delightful swim in the cool placid water, our plucky sailor landed, and while dressing he asked his servant why there were no alligators in that part of the river. The Cingalese replied. "No alligators, sar; they plenty

Sorting the Mum's The mummy rooms at Aritish museum have been completed and are now open to the public. These sleeping beauties of the ancient past have ner becoming their age and rank.

Kings and noble, priests and people have been assigned to their places according to their chronological or continuous and people. Address clesiastical order and no fairer show or better display can be seen outside Ghizeh than the recently augmented company in these rooms.-London

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"You're too old a man to play football; what makes you think you can kick?" "I'm the father of seven marriageable daughters." "By George! You can have the best place on the team."

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FENDANT.

Probate Notice.

Notice of Final Settlement—In the county court of Douglas ounty. Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate of Etward J. Donecken, decessed:

Augustus H. Donecken. William Donecken, Chares Donecken Emma Mackes Samuel Gsins. Edward Gains. Jacob Gains and Au ustut Gains, and all other pers re interested in sain matter are hereby cotified that on the 19th day of November, 1888. Augustus H. Donecken filed a potition in said county court, praying that his final administration, and that he be discharged from his trust as administrator are of that if you fall to appear before said court on the 19th day of Piecea. er 1888, at 90°C ock A. M., and contest said petitions, the court may grant the payers of said petitions, and make such other and further orders, allowances and decrees as to this court may seem proper, to the end that all matters pertaining io said estate may be finally settled and determined.

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NOTICE.

William B. Cowles, defendant, will take notice that on the 18th day of November, A. D., 1888, Jannel M. Cowles, plaintiff herein, filed her petition in the District Court of Douglas County, Nebraska, against him, the object and prayer of which is to obtain from him a decree of absolute divorce, upon the grounds of his having wholly failed, neglected and refused to provide suitable maintenance and support for her, although being of sufficient ability to do so.

You are further notified that you are required to answer said petition on or before the 25th day of December, A. D., 1888, and that in the event you fail to plead, answer or demur to said petition, Dated November 18th. & D. 1898.

JERNIE M. COWLES, Jas. W. Carr, Her Attorney.

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JERNIE M. COWLES, Jas. W. Carr, Her Attorne

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NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DE-FENDANT.

FENDANT.

To Ernest C. Johnson and Mrs.

Johnson, his wife, (first and real name unknown), non-resident defendants:

You are hereby notified that on the 16th day of November, A. D. 1888, Walter E. Keeler, Plaintiff, herein filed his petition in the District Court of Douglas County, Nebraska, against Ernest C. Johnson, Mrs.

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Johnson, his wife, (first and real name unknown) and The German American Savings Bank, a corporation, Defendants, the object and prayer of which is to foreclose one set tain Tax Certificate, dated November 16th, 1885, upon the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot Twenty-six (26) in Block Eleven (11) in Briggs Place, an addition to the City of Omaha, Douglas County, Nebraska, upon which there is now due the sum of Fifty-two and 70-100 Dollars, (\$2,70), with interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from October 3rd, 188, for which sum, with interest and coats together 2 ith an attempt fee amounting to ten ser cent of the decree, plaintiff prays for a decree that he has a first lien upon said real estate, that the defendants shall pay the same, and in default thereof that the same property be sold to satisfy the amount found due, and that upon said thereof the setendant be barred of all right, title and interest in said real estate, and for other equitable relief.

You are also hereby notified that you and each of you ahre required to answer said petition on or before the 26th day of December, 1898.

Dated at Omaha, Nebraska, November 15th, 1898.

WALTER E. KEELER Plaintiff, 1890.

WALTER E. KEELER By W. A. Saunders, His Attorney

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DE-

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NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DE-FENDANT.

To George W. Ames, Marie Ames, his wife, Nathan W. Wells, trustee; M. A. Pike, (first and real name unknown.) Clestino, Costello & Company, a co-partnership F. M. Sackett, (first and real name unknown), and Christine Wohlgeh, non-resident defendants;

You are hereby notified that on the 18th day of November, A. D., 1888, James L. Browne, Plaintiff, herein filed his petition in the District Court of Douglas County, Neb, against George W. Ames, Mrs. Marie Ames, his wife; Nathan W. Wells, trustee; M. A. Pike, (first and real name unknown;) F. M. Sackett, (first and real name unknown;) Clestino, Costello & Company a co-partnership, and Christine Wohlgeh, and others, the object and prayer of which is to foreclose two certain Tax Certificates each dated November 17th, 1888, upon the following described real estate, to wit: Lot Twenty-five (25) upon which there is due the sum of \$73.98; also Lot Twenty-seven (27), upon which there is due the sum of \$73.98; also Lot Twenty-seven (27), upon which there is due the sum of \$75.08; also Lot Twenty-seven (27), upon which there is due the sum of \$75.08; also Lot Twenty-seven (27), upon which there is due the sum of \$75.08; also Lot Twenty-seven (27), upon which there is due the sum of \$75.08; also Lot Twenty-seven (27), upon which there is due the sum of \$75.08; also Lot Twenty-seven (27), upon which there is due the sum of \$75.08; also Lot Twenty-seven (27), upon which there is due the sum of \$75.08; also Lot Twenty-seven (27), upon which there is due the sum of \$75.08; also Lot Twenty-seven (27), upon which there is due the sum of \$75.08; also Lot Twenty-seven (27), upon which there is due the sum of \$75.08; also Lot Twenty-seven (27), upon which there is due the sum of \$75.08; also Lot Twenty-seven (28), all of said property being situated in Redick Grove, an addition to the City of Omaha, Douglas County, Nebruska; with interest at the rate of the sum of \$75.08; also Lot Twenty-seven (28), and that the said property be broken the sum of

table relief.
You are also hereby notified that you and each of you are required to answer said petition on or before the 26th day of December, 1898.
Dated at Omaha, Nebraska, November 17th, 1898.
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