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The first woman member of the British parliament, and we may take whatever comfort we may desire from the fact that the lady is of American birth, being Lady Astor, a sister of Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson. Parliament has behaved very handsomely and has allotted her a "boulevard sitting room" and indicates that she may have a library, tea, reading, dining and smoking rooms in addition. We trust that she will prove an even greater success than her American prototype, the little lady from Montana.

The latest news in the coal situation is encouraging. The government has served notice on both soft coal operators and miners that production must not be interfered with. Present production is estimated as only 40 per cent of normal, which means that there will soon be a serious shortage unless prompt measures are taken, and this the government proposes to do. Miners willing to work will be protected by troops if necessary, and if this is done it will be only a short time until all the miners are back at work, whether they are satisfied with the 14 per cent increase or not.

**A LONG REST CURE**

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, one of that group of English scientists composing the society for physical research, has in a recent interview made some rather startling disclosures concerning his ideas of "the next world." Those who have made any real study of the phenomena of spiritualism have come upon some things which cannot be explained by ordinary physical laws, and while as yet there has come no proof of sufficient strength to be regarded as fully convincing, the English society has done more than would have been believed possible a decade ago to establish the fact of a future existence. We believe that Sir Arthur lets his enthusiasm run away with his usually calm and sober judgment in the interview in question. He draws a beautiful picture, seemingly from messages from the spirit world:

"Happy circles, life in pleasant gardens, lovely flowers, green woods and domestic pets—all of these are described in messages from pioneer travelers who have got back news to those who still loiter in the dingy old home.

"It is described as a place of joy and laughter and games and sports and peopled by those who are without deformities or bodily weaknesses. Let no woman mourn her lost beauty. Let no man sorrow for his lost strength. All is waiting on the other side. Every earthly thing has its equivalent. Scoffers have guffawed over alcohol and tobacco, but if all things are reproduced it would be a flaw if these were not reproduced also. What we have in both body and mind we carry over to the 'other world' with us. There is no physical

side to love and there is no child-birth, although there is a close union between those married persons who really love each other. Only those who have sympathy shall foregather. The sullen husband and the flighty wife will no longer be there to plague the innocent spouse who is the victim of the mate's disturbing ways. It is all sweet and peaceful. It is a long rest cure after the nerve strain of life."

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**JOHN HENRY REHDER**

John Henry Rehder was born in Holstein, Germany, September 29, 1841, and died at Alliance, November 24, 1919, aged 78 years, 1 month, 27 days.

He was married on February 27, 1864, to Dorothea Arendt. Six children were born to them, four boys and two girls. One girl died at the age of ten.

He is survived by four sons and one daughter, John Henry, Jr., of Wayne, Neb., Fred W. at Thermopolis, Wyo., Herman and Julius and Mrs. Helen Claussen, all of Alliance.

Funeral services were held from the home Friday afternoon, and were conducted by Rev. Mearl C. Smith. The body was laid to rest in the Alliance cemetery. Six grandsons were pallbearers.

—A number of repairs are being made where they are needed at the city hall. New locks have been placed on half a dozen doors, a new storm door has been erected at the entrance to police headquarters, Linoleum has been placed on the floor of the city manager's office. The repairs that are being made in the

west half of the building are well on their way to completion. These rooms had been occupied as living quarters by the driver of the fire truck. They have been made over into new offices and sooner or later some department of the city's business will be installed in them.

A Kansas man committed suicide the other day because his son got married. Some folks can't bear to see their children suffer.—Buckshot.

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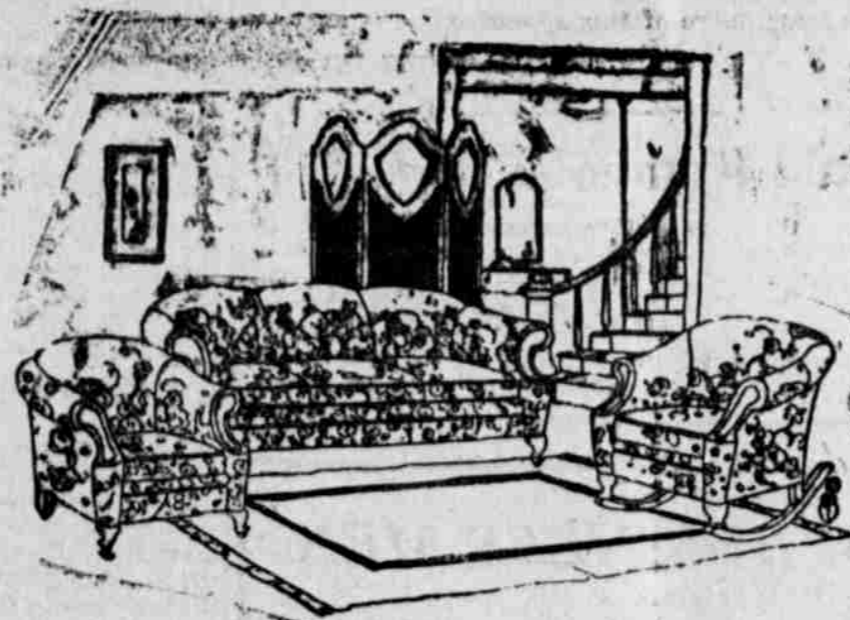
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