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NEWS OF THE WEEK

CONDENSATIONS OF GREATER OR
LESSER IMPORTANCE.

A BOILING DOWN OF EVENTS

National, Political, Personal and Other
Matters in Brief Form for All
Classes of Readers.

Foreign

President Augustin announced in the house of commons that the resolutions concerning the arrest of lords which are to be submitted by the government on March 29 would include a proposal for shortening the duration of parliament.

Dr. Deyden, the French scientist, and Captain Van Langendoneck of the Belgian army fought a duel at the Hippodrome at Nice, France. At the second attack Dr. Deyden pricked the captain's right forearm, whereupon the seconds stopped the combat. The duellists were reconciled.

Venustus has suddenly become active again. There have been eruptions for the past twenty-four hours of storms and ashes, this being accompanied by internal detonations. Several fissures have opened, from which gases and lava are emerging in great quantities.

A company of distinguished Britons, with many American residents, gave a banquet in London to Former Vice President Charles W. Fairbanks, under the auspices of the Pilgrim society. The Earl of Salisbury presided despite his eighty-four years and talked eloquently of Flanders Hill and Anglo-American friendship of late days. The speech of the evening was made by Mr. Fairbanks.

General

Trade of the country has its drawbacks, but the spring outlook is good.

The house committee made a drastic change in the administration's railroad bill.

W. L. Parks of the Union Pacific has been elected vice president of the Illinois Central.

President Taft's congressional program is by no means certain of being carried out.

Champ Clark, the leader of the minority in the house of representatives, received congratulations on his sixtieth birthday.

Motive power on many railroad systems has been put in bad shape by the severe winter.

The postal savings bank bill is destined to slumber for a time in a house committee.

The home of John P. Codrery at Kansas City was the scene of a sensational affair and arrests.

Lands entered in the Belle Fourche irrigation project of South Dakota are soon to be thrown open.

During the funeral of Senator Platt in New York from 10 to 12 o'clock the United States Express office was closed.

Huddled down in their abandoned sleigh, two women and a little child were found frozen to death in South Dakota.

Meat prices have advanced in all the principal consuming and producing sections of the world, according to statistics.

Representative Smith of Iowa introduced a bill authorizing the expenditure of \$15,000 for the construction of a federal building at Red Oak, Ia. The government already owns a site in that town.

The German geographical society has decided to send out a South polar discovery expedition and so contest with the United States and Great Britain in the race through the Antarctic.

Enrico Caruso, the tenor, is quaking with something worse than stage fright. The black hand has demanded \$15,000 or his life in two successive letters.

The governor of Nebraska will pardon no more persons who sell "beer" now that a new interpretation of the law has been made by the supreme court.

Montgomery Ward of Chicago was seriously injured in an automobile accident at Los Angeles. His left shoulder was broken when he fell from the tonneau of the machine.

Victims of the Wellington, Wash., avalanche are now thought to number a hundred.

Senator Beveridge introduced a bill providing for the permanent retention by the government of the Alaskan coal lands.

President Taft disclaims responsibility for the selection of Wade Ellis as republican chairman in Ohio.

The Nebraska plan of distributing seed to farmers from the experiment stations prevents monopoly prices.

The revolutionary cause in Nicaragua has about petered out.

The burning of a cotton warehouse caused a loss of \$385,000 at New Bedford, Mass.

A Dallas, Tex., mob invaded a court room and lynched a negro.

It is now estimated that 225 men were killed in the Tula and Patapa (Nicaragua) battles.

Portland, Ore., has been made the gateway of all the Harriman lines.

The Morgan-Guggenheim syndicate explained to a senate committee its activity in Alaska.

By the terms of a bill that passed the state senate railroads in Oklahoma are required to pay a gross revenue tax.

Fighting has been resumed between government forces and insurgents in Nicaragua.

Twenty-three miners were killed by an explosion at Juneau, Alaska.

The venerable Colonel Gordon of Mississippi made his farewell address to the senate. His successor has been chosen.

The house passed the postoffice bill, carrying an appropriation of \$241,000,000.

President Taft and Attorney General Wickersham have decided to push the anti-trust war.

Representative Henry introduced a bill to compel the extradition of the beef barons to stand trial.

The department of justice has accepted Prosecutor Garvey's offer to send evidence on the beef trust.

Senator Burkett says he is confident of re-election and will depend upon the rank file of the party.

Nicholas Tschakovsky was acquitted and Madame Breshkovskaya sentenced to exile in St. Petersburg.

Railroads and the government have a different inception of the twenty-eight hour live stock shipment law.

Three of the defendants with Maury in Council Bluffs pleaded guilty and two may turn state's evidence.

The taking of testimony was concluded in the trial of Tschakovsky and Madame Breshkovskaya in St. Petersburg.

All railroads in Nebraska received a total revenue of over \$50,000,000 for freight and passenger service during the year 1908.

General Estrada, the head of the Nicaraguan revolutionary faction, is now ready to accept any reasonable terms as a basis for peace.

Two hundred Kansas editors and their wives were banqueted at Wichita as the closing event of the Kansas state editorial association.

Sons and daughters of Iowa and friends to the number of 300 gathered at the annual banquet of the Iowa society of New York at the Hotel Astor.

All employees of the breweries in Buffalo, numbering about 700 men, will receive an average increase in wages of \$1 weekly by contracts just signed.

Without excitement or ceremony President Mendez was formally inaugurated president of Panama, succeeding President Obaldia, who died several days ago.

The English army estimates for 1910-11 show a total for maintenance of \$128,800,000. This is an increase over the estimates of the preceding year of \$12,626,000.

More than 6,000 steerage passengers have left Southampton for the United States within a fortnight, breaking all records. Every steamer has taken her full capacity.

Robbers dynamited the safe of the Bank of Edna, Kansas, securing an amount estimated at \$5,000, and escaped on a handcar after exchanging shots with a number of citizens.

One of the citizens was shot, but it is believed not seriously wounded.

Washington.

Colonel William H. Bixby, chairman of the Mississippi river commission, was examined by the senate committee on commerce relative to the improvements proposed for the Missouri river from Sioux City to St. Louis or Kansas City to St. Louis.

Internal commerce movements for the month of January, 1910, according to statistics of the department of commerce and labor showed heavy movements of coal and coke in the east.

The bill creating a court of patents was passed by the senate. It authorizes a bench of five members.

The chief justice would be nominated by the president and to serve for life and the other four justices to be selected by the chief justice of the United States supreme court from among the circuit and district court judges of the country and to serve for six years.

FOREIGN—

The department of justice will accept the offer made by Pierre Garven, prosecutor of Hudson county, New Jersey, to furnish the government evidence, he has on hand in the beef trust case and has asked him to forward to Washington copies of the indictments recently found there.

A new bill providing for the erection of American embassies abroad was reported by Representative Lowden from the foreign affairs committee. The bill, which takes the place of the one defeated on the floor of the house last Wednesday, provides a limit of \$150,000 for any one building, including grounds and furnishings.

Two Chippewa Indian chiefs who came to Washington the other day from Orr, Minn., to ask congress for additional land for the Bois Forte Indian reservation, were asphyxiated by illuminating gas in their lodging house.

The postoffice appropriation bill, carrying appropriations aggregating \$241,000,000 passed in the house, while the senate disposed of the agricultural bill with total appropriations of \$3,500,000. The senate was in session three hours, the house about five.

PERSONAL.

Ex-Senator Platt of New York died from diabetes.

Philadelphia strikers and the police department are far apart in their estimates of the number of men on strike.

Louis Kloppe, editor of the Christian Herald, is dead.

Representative Hinchey of Nebraska declines to commit himself as to his candidacy for re-election to congress.

In a brief filed in the supreme court Former Senator Foraker attacks the constitutionality of the corporation tax law.

The president may use his influence with the house to enact into the senate postal savings bank bill a feature he asked for.

Congressman Kinkaid announced that he will be a candidate for re-election in the Sixth congressional district in Nebraska.

The house committee refused to reward Commander Peary in the absence of proof of his discovery.

The trials of Tschakovsky and Mme. Breshkovskaya will begin soon in St. Petersburg behind closed doors.

United States Senator Root, presumably reflecting on wishes of President Taft, has taken active charge of the situation in the republican party in New York state.

BIG BOY CRIED, WOMEN WEPT.

Money Would Not Tempt Untold Doctors to Accept an Incurable Case.

His last hope gone, little Harry Brockman of North Platte broke down and cried while women wept in sympathy and strong men silently wiped away tears. The boy, who is 15 years old, had come all the way to Omaha to see Dr. Ben W. Kinsey, chief of staff of the United Doctors. Henry was suffering from partial paralysis, due to a fall down stairs, and as many doctors had treated him and all had failed to cure, his last hope was centered in his faith in the great specialist.

The boy had been carried up the steps on his father's shoulder and on account of his weakened condition, other waiting patients gave up their turn in order that the poor boy might consult the specialist at once. After the boy had been thoroughly examined Dr. Kinsey placed his hand upon the little fellow's head and turning to the father said: "I am very sorry that it is not within my power to cure your boy, but such is the case and therefore I will not treat him."

The father then offered to pay a large sum for treatment in the hope that even if the boy could not be cured he might be benefited, but the specialist remained firm, explaining that the boy's condition was due to a deformed condition of the spine and was incurable by medical treatment.

As Harry was being carried through the waiting room he realized that his last hope was blotted out and it was then that he broke down and cried and the waiting patients wept in sympathy.

The little fellow brightened up enough to shake hands with Dr. Kinsey and thank him for the free examination and say he was glad there was one doctor honest enough not to take his papa's money when they could do him no good.

A reporter who was in the waiting room at the time asked if many such pathetic scenes were enacted there. The answer was that they are common, as the doctor never accepts a case for treatment unless he feels sure that he can effect a complete cure. He wants a clean record of cures—only on such a foundation can such an enormous practice be maintained.

All day long every day the waiting rooms of the wonderful United Doctors' institute on the second floor of the Neville block, at the corner of 16th and Harney streets, is crowded with sick people waiting to be cured.

PREACH GOSPEL OF HEALTH

Plan to Have One Sermon on Sunday, April 24, Devoted to Scourge of Tuberculosis.

Following campaigns against consumption that have been carried on in the churches of hundreds of cities, and sermons on tuberculosis that have been preached before thousands of congregations during the past year, a movement has been started by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis to establish a permanent tuberculosis Sunday, on which it is hoped that every one of the 33,000,000 church-goers in the United States will hear the gospel of health. This year the Sunday selected is April 24. It is planned that on April 24 tuberculosis sermons shall be preached in all the churches of the country. Literature will be distributed to members of the congregations, and in every way an effort will be made to teach that tuberculosis is a dangerous disease and that it can be prevented and cured.

Clergymen who desire to obtain additional information in regard to tuberculosis from state and local anti-tuberculosis associations and boards of health, as well as from the national association.

Cause of the Increase.

Going downtown the other morning in the street car Judge Reid looked up from his newspaper. "I see that the publisher of Anybody's makes the claim that his magazine has a larger circulation than yours," he remarked to the proprietor of the Earth Monthly.

"Well, it's my fault if it has," snapped the other. "Like a fool, I've been letting him run one of his ads. in the Earth."—Chicago News.

No Joke.

"If an old maid says 'No' when he proposes, is she playing the coquette?" "No, she's playing the fool!"—Cleveland Leader.

WHAT'S THE USE

Sticking to a Habit When It Means Discomfort?

Old King Coffee knocks subjects out tolerably flat at times, and there is no possible doubt of what it did. A Mich. woman gives her experience:

"I used to have liver trouble nearly all of the time and took medicine which relieved me only for a little while. Then every once in a while I would be suddenly doubled up with an awful agony in my stomach. It seemed as though every time I took a breath I would die. No one could suffer any more and live."

"Finally I got down so sick with catarrh of the stomach that I could not turn over in bed, and my stomach did not digest even milk. The doctor finally told me that if I did not give up drinking coffee I would surely die, but I felt I could not give it up."

"However, Husband brought home a package of Postum and it was made strictly according to directions. It was the only thing that would stay on my stomach, and I soon got so I liked it very much."

"Gradually I began to get better, and week by week gained in strength and health. Now I am in perfect condition, and I am convinced that the whole cause of my trouble was coffee drinking, and my getting better was due to leaving off coffee and drinking Postum."

"A short time ago I tasted some coffee and found, to my astonishment, that I did not care anything about it. I never have to take medicine any more. I hope you will use this letter for the benefit of those suffering from the poisonous effects of coffee."

Read the little book, "The Road to Health," in plain English. "There's a Reason" for the whole lot of it. A new book from the same publisher. The publisher, name and full of names.

Hints For Hostess



TIMELY SUGGESTIONS
for Those Planning Seasonable
Entertainments

Just a short time and the social world will resume the yalties supposed to have been in abeyance for 40 days. After holy week comes a brilliant array of parties for both old and young which give promise of being novel in many respects.

In the home there are many ways of making the Easter tide a happy and memorable one, especially where there are children. They always love anything out of the ordinary and respond so genuinely to any extra effort made in their behalf.

A charming Easter Monday is being planned by a hostess who is famous for her delightful entertainments. The guests have been asked to come from "three to five," and the daintiest of Easter post cards conveyed the message. The cards are so pretty this year with rabbits, eggs and yellow chicks, with a suitable sentiment and a place for the written message. There are just 20 children between the ages of eight and ten asked.

On arriving they are to be given little red, white and yellow baskets and told to hunt for eggs, which are to be hidden on the lower floor of the house. Each egg is to be marked with the name of the child, so only those marked with their own names are to be put in the baskets. This will make the hunt more exciting and take a longer time.

When all the eggs are found there is to be an incline made from a couple of ironing boards and there is to be an egg-rolling contest, the names on them making it an easy matter to see who wins.

Next for amusement of the little guests there is to be a basket of eggs (all beautifully colored) brought in, with big kitchen spoons and two large baskets. These are for an egg race, to see who can pick up an egg, carry it over a given space and place in the basket, the party being divided into two sides. Candy eggs are to be the prizes. If it should be a warm, pleasant day these pastimes may be played outdoors.

Here is the menu, which has been carefully thought out: Egg-shaped sandwiches with chicken filling, hot chocolate with a marshmallow in each cup, ice cream in egg-shaped molds in pink, green and brown to resemble the gayly colored eggs, each in a nest of spun sugar. These nests may be obtained at all the best candy shops; in fact, one store has been taking orders for several days past for these pretty accessories to the Easter table for either grown people or children.

To take home (for that is half the party for children) there are to be boxes filled with the tiniest of candy eggs and on top of each box there is to be a dainty yellow chick.

An Easter Luncheon.

At a luncheon for a bride-elect to be given on Easter Monday, the color scheme is yellow and white (the true Easter colors). For the centerpiece a huge bunch of glorious daffodils.

and three in wee bowls, standing erect in glass flower holders, are to be at each plate, souvenirs for each guest. To hold the salted almonds the hostess has discovered at a paper novelty shop the dearest of fluffy yellow chicks, standing up most life-like, with the paper cup concealed in the back.

These chicks will be most welcome, for many have objected seriously to using the little stuffed chicks and ducklings that were "really once alive."

The following menu is to be served: Grape fruit cocktails in the grape fruit half shell; cream of celery soup, with grated egg yolk over the top; creamed chicken in patties, potato croquettes done just to a golden yellow; asparagus tips on toast squares, egg salad in nests of water cress, ice cream in small eggs in nests of yellow candy. By the way, those nests come in three sizes, so may be purchased to suit every pocket-book. The sweet meats at this spread are to be glazed kumquats, which carry out the yellow color scheme and are very delicious.

After the luncheon there is to be a paper shower for the honored guest. It is astonishing what a list of paper novelties may be found, all useful. The very newest wrinkle is a set of paper labels for everything under the sun, all done up in a neat case of paper. Glass trays, with paper underneath instead of crotonne, are attractive for summer cottages and cost a mere trifle compared to the others.

MADAME MERRI.

LANCIES OF FASHION.

Jet buttons are a favorite mode of adding the invaluable touch of black to a colored garment.

The new felt hats are lovely, the felt in many cases being difficult to distinguish from cloth.

The newest colifore is flat in front and piled heavily over the ears. It is called the Brittany.

Many of the handsomest silk gaudes have printed borders which work well into the new draperies.

Wide waist serges and other coarse weaves are worn by girls more than the smooth cloths.

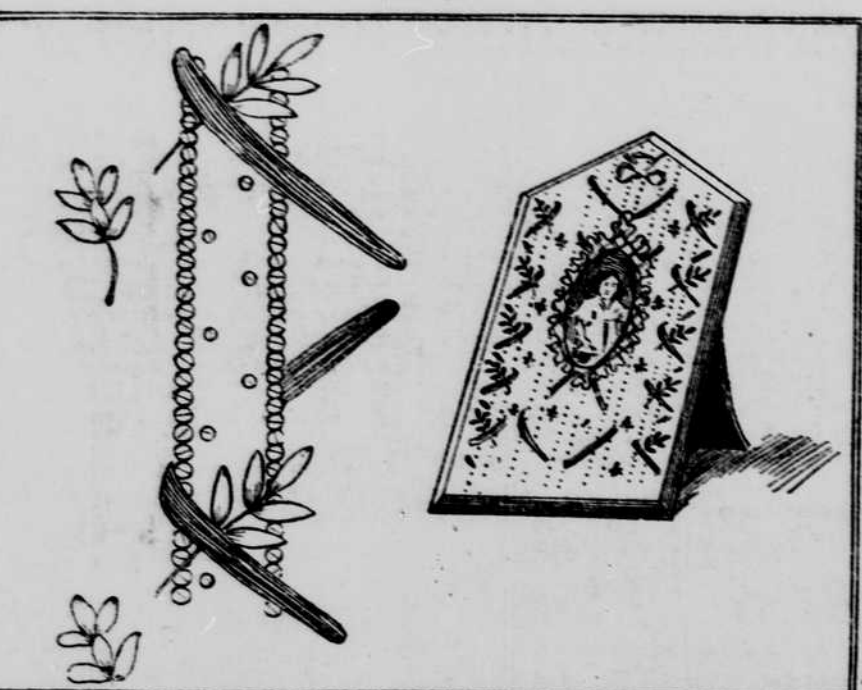
The spherical button in gilt and also in silver is appearing among the novelties in dress trimming.

Black waists are popular and are shown in dot, crape, voile, messaline, taffeta, noire and satin.

Sewing Board.

A sewing board to use in the lap made of a nice, clean piece of white pine or poplar, about ten inches wide, by 15 or 20 inches long, will be a help to the woman who sews a great deal. Round off the edges neatly. For fastening or cutting such a board is most convenient. It has an advantage over a table top, as it may be tilted at any desired angle.

Photograph Frame



A VERY effective frame for a photograph is shown here; it has a foundation of silk, which in the model was very pale green; on this are worked lines of gold sequins crossed by satin stitch in blue silk to represent ribbons.

The little leaves that are dotted about are in darker green ribbon; the opening for the photo is surrounded by a pattern very elaborately worked in gold tinsel thread.

The embroidery may be stretched over an old frame or stout cardboard cut to shape; a thin layer of wadding under the silk will stiffen the effect.

In all probability the silk will get a little puckered in working so that it will be well to stretch it by pinning it right side up over a damp cloth and leaving it in a warm place until the cloth is quite dry.

The latter frequently reaching to the foot of the skirt.

With these straight lines in the skirt, the defining of the waist line with belts does not materially lessen the straight up-and-down effect which has been in vogue for the last two or three seasons. This effect seems to prevail regardless of the fuller skirts and sleeves, belted waist line, and the tendency toward bloused effects which at the present time is particularly pronounced.

Airship Hat Shape.

The airship hat shape is one of the newest in millinery. From appearances, however, it would not seem necessary to buy one if one possesses a hat of the merry widow order.

For the new shape looks exactly like a merry widow turned up at both back and front until the edges of the brims meet on the center of the low crown.

Another freak hat that will be popular is the baker or French cook shape. The soft tan crown is a mass of net in one color and the broad band is swathed with net in a contrasting shade.

Straight Tunic.

Whatever the design of the gown, the straight long lines are invariably carried out. The tunic hang in straight lines and are usually considerably shorter in the front than in the back.

A GOOD COUGH MIXTURE.

Simple Home-Made Remedy That Is Free from Opiates and Harmful Drugs.

An effective remedy that will usually break up a cold in twenty-four hours, is easily made by mixing together in a large bottle two ounces of glycerine, a half-ounce of Virgin Oil of Pine compound pure and eight ounces of pure Whisky. This mixture will cure any cough that is curable, and is not expensive as it makes enough to last the average family an entire year. Virgin Oil of Pine compound pure is prepared only in the laboratories of the Leach Chemical Co., Cincinnati, O.

AWFUL.



First Fisherman—Well, what did you do with the new net?
Second Fisherman—Drove the fish in seine."

TINY BABY'S PITIFUL CASE

"Our baby when two months old was suffering with terrible eczema from head to foot, all over her body. The baby looked just like a skinned rabbit. We were unable to put clothes on her. At first it seemed to be a few matted pimples. They would break the skin and peel off leaving the underneath skin red as though it were scalded. Then a few more pimples would appear and spread all over the body, leaving the baby all raw without skin from head to foot. On top of her head there appeared a heavy scab a quarter of an inch thick. It was awful to see so small a baby look as she did. Imagine! The doctor was afraid to put his hands to the child. We tried several doctors' remedies but all failed.

"Then we decided to try Cuticura. By using the Cuticura Ointment we softened the scab and it came off. Under this, where the real matter was, by washing with the Cuticura Soap and applying the Cuticura Ointment, a new skin soon appeared. We also gave baby four drops of the Cuticura Resolvent three times daily. After three days you could see the baby gaining a little skin which would peel off and heal underneath. Now the baby is four months old. She is a fine picture of a fat little baby and all is well. We only used one cake of Cuticura Soap, two boxes of Cuticura Ointment and one bottle of Cuticura Resolvent. If people would know what Cuticura is there would be less suffering with eczema. Mrs. Joseph Kossmann, 7 St. John's Place, Ridgewood Heights, N. Y., Apr. 30 and May 4, '09."

An Easy Job.

"Do you think that you can make my daughter happy?" asked Mr. Cumrox.
"She has been happy with you, hasn't she?" rejoined the confident youth.

"I think so, sir."
"Well, if she's that easy to please there ought to be no difficulty."

The Wise Doc.

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