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Land Laws Need Drastic Action.

The unexpectedly large sum of $15,000,000 available for government irrigation works with the irrigation law only one year upon the statute books has caused great activity in the western states to secure the construction of the dams and ditches in the various localities. This is well, and the opening of these lands to homes will add to the national wealth and benefit the whole country. But the necessity is now seen for some additional legislation to prevent the land which the government proposes to irrigate from first settling into the hands of speculators, otherwise the charge may be very justly made that government appropriations are being spent mostly for the benefit of the land dealers, speculators and livestock interests. Nor can any rigid administration of the present laws, the timber and stone law, the commutation clause of the homestead law and the desert land law—remedy the evil as it has been claimed can be done. In a recent interview at Washington on the subject George H. Maxwell, executive chairman of the National Irrigation Association said:

"The fault is not in the administration of the law. The laws themselves are structurally and fundamentally wrong. They cannot be administered and they cannot be amended so as to prevent these abuses. The desert land act especially violates the basic principle of the whole national irrigation movement, which is that no one shall have an acre of the public land who will not found a home upon it and live on it for five years as required by the original homesterd act. If we are to save the public lands for those who found homes upon them, and prevent their being used for speculation to the detriment of the country, Congress must effect prompt repeal."

ARTIFICIAL JEWELS.

Fine Imitations of Precious Stones That Puzzle Experts.

Government Customs Officers Require Special Knowledge to Distinguish Them from the Genuine.

Customs officials of the government are learning something every day about artificial gems and how they are made. An expert knowledge is required to be able to tell the difference between the artificial and the genuine. The board of general appraisers in New York has recently had before it the question of what rate of duty should be assessed on artificial rubies, which now take the place of the genuine so often that none but experts can tell the difference, says that the artificial rubies are properly a report from that city. General Appraiser De Vries rendered an opinion dutiable at ten per cent. ad valorem as precious stones cut, but not set, either directly or by similitude, under the provisions of section 7, paragraph 435, of the Dingley act. The decision of Mr. De Vries has been forwarded to the treasury department.

The rubies in question were invoiced as "reconstructed rubies." They were consigned to a firm in St. Louis, which took an appeal from the decision of the surveyor of the port in that city that they were dutiable at 20 per cent. ad valorem. At the hearing of the case a member of the importing firm testified that the artificial rubies were made of little chips of rubies that come from the rough ruby in the cutting of the latter, united together with glass and put into a kiln. They are subjected to such a high degree of heat, he said, that they are assembled and combined together. These articles are known as "doublets." The board of appraisers, however, came to the conclusion that the articles in dispute were not made that way, and that they are really artificial rubies.

The process of manufacture of artificial rubies has been known for a quarter of a century to certain scientists in Europe, and for many years was preserved as a secret by the French Academy of Sciences. Within recent years, however, defections on the part of the workmen possessing intimate knowledge of the secret of manufacture, have imparted this information to others, and the process of manufacture has become known and the subject of scientific treatises and publications.

PRICE TAGS ON CLOTHES.

A Peculiar Italian Custom Which Would Seem Well Suited to Some Americans.

A peculiar custom of the peasantry in remote parts of Italy, sometimes in vogue among Italian working girls, of wearing on their persons and on their clothes certain ornaments in some quantity, the common phrase of practically displaying such indicates the price the moneyed peasant is bought, and folk in daily close points to saw them on the spot, especially. In order that they may not drop off accidentally. This practice is confined to the more prosperous peasantry, corresponding to the well-to-do farmer class of this country.

The observer of social conditions, remarks an American exchange, may well ask why this custom of wearing price marks on clothes has not found favor in this country, where ostentation on the part of our "new rich" runs riot. Many a woman of wealth is heard to complain that her maid servant, on a much smaller outlay, by wearing cheap but almost perfect imitations of the original, can present as fashionable an appearance as herself. The plush garment of modish design often looks as well as the sealskin costing ten times as much; paste ornaments cannot be told from diamonds, except by the expert. Complaint of the same character is made of the man who patronizes an expensive tailor. The great improvements effected by the manufacturers of ready-made clothing have made it possible for the $16-a-week clerk to appear as well dressed as his $1,000-a-week employer. All this is, of course, most distressing to the person who wishes to get the worth of his or her money. What is the use of wearing expensive clothes if one's neighbors do not appreciate them? The universal wearing of price tags would remove this difficulty, and the woman with a new $100 gown or $50 hat would derive twice the satisfaction from wearing them that she does at present—that is, provided her neighbors were wearing popular labels. One drawer, to be sure, would be the inventive to prevaricating; it would be so easy to change the figures. But anything would be better than running the risk, as at present, of having a new [illegible] mistaken for last year's [illegible].

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Regard for the Rattles.

Servant—Please, mem, Mr. Next Door wants you to lend him your crying matinee [illegible] for a little period.

Mistress—Certainly. Give her those medical almanacs.—N. Y. Weekly.

Old Millionaire—You want my daughter, eh? Now, sir, tell me in what single instance you have ever exhibited any business tact.

Jake Fellows—Well, that's easy enough. I picked on you for a father-in-law.—Stray Stories.

A Chinese Remedy.

Hydrophobia is treated in a highly original manner by Chinese doctors. Two sandstone bottles half-filled with wine or spirit are heated until the liquid boils. The contents are then emptied and the rechot mouth of the bottle is applied to the bite and held there until it is filled with blood, when the same process is gone through with the other bottle. A decoction is made of glutinous rice, called kian-mi-ou-sieu, in which seven cantharides are boiled. The flies are taken out and the rice is given to the patient, who is to be kept quiet. The celestials have no less than 16 kinds of cough—the cough from cold, damp, heat, grief, anger, fatigue, indigestion, the obstinate cough, the night cough being among them. Before a limb is amputated the member is dried up by exposure to the sun.

Seaweed Hat.

A hat has recently been fished up out of the sea on the English coast which nature has been trimming for some years after a design all her own. In form this piece of sea millinery resembles a complicated diving helmet. The color scheme of the decoration is very successful, combining a bewildering variety of colors with considerable harmony of effect. The hat spent a long time at the bottom of the sea. It was brought up by a fishing line, 30 miles off Lerwick, Shetland. It rested for years at a depth of 60 fathoms. The seaweed trimmings, which have the effect of fine lace, hang in great folds like a shawl about the wearer's shoulders.—N. Y. Herald.

The Cause of Many Sudden Deaths.

There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs, causing catarrh of the bladder, or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF WEBSTER COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

Daniel Isbop and Anna C. Isbop, Plaintiffs,

vs.

Elmer E. Dunphey [illegible] Defendants.

[illegible]

Notice to Non-Resident Defendant.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF WEBSTER COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

Anna Lanigan, Plaintiff,

vs.

James A. Lanigan, Defendant.

To James A. Lanigan, defendant:

You are hereby notified that the plaintiff has filed her petition against you in the office of the clerk of the district court of Webster county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which are to procure a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony on the grounds of habitual drunkenness and non-support and asking for the custody of the minor children.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 11th day of December, 1903.

ANNA LANIGAN, Plaintiff.

By A. M. WALTERS, her attorney.

Notice to Non Resident.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF WEBSTER COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

James W. Lindley, Plaintiff,

vs.

Nellie A. Lindley, Defendant.

To Nellie A. Lindley, defendant:

You are hereby notified that on the 19th day of August, 1903, James W. Lindley, plaintiff herein, filed his petition in the district court of Webster county, Nebraska, against you, the object and prayer of which are to procure an absolute divorce from you on the grounds of abandonment for more than two years last past before the filing of said petition.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 30th day of November, 1903.

JAMES W. LINDLEY, Plaintiff.

By JOHN M. CHAPPIN his attorney.

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