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SEES DOOM OF LORDS.

T. P. O'Connor Predicts Uprising of Masses Over Rejection of Budget.

Commenting on the action taken by the British house of lords in adopting Lord Lansdowne's amendment to the finance bill, T. P. O'Connor, M. P., one of the Irish Nationalist leaders in the house of commons, now in the United States in the interest of Irish home rule, said the other night that the rejection of the British budget by the British peers had announced their own doom.

"I am greatly pleased, and so is every one who is an enemy of the house of lords," said Mr. O'Connor. "Every Liberal, and, still more, every Irish Nationalist, has known for several generations that it was impossible to have anything like steady Liberal progress so long as the house of lords retained its power to defeat or postpone all democratic legislation. Ireland has been the special sufferer from the present power of that body, for the house of lords consists almost exclusively of the landlords who have always been the curse and the enemies of Ireland.

"As to the effect in England, I believe the rejection of the budget will lead to an uprising of the masses the strength of which the lords have failed to realize. They will realize it before many hours. I believe we are on the eve of the fiercest fight we have seen in British politics for a century, that the fight will go against the lords, that they have pronounced their own doom and that before two or three years from now their power of mischief will be so broken as practically to be nonexistent.

"This means the final emancipation of the English masses from the grip of feudalism and of Ireland from government of an alien parliament."

Public Parks For Germany.

A committee has been formed to secure national parks governed after the style of Yellowstone park in all the German speaking countries. Such parks are planned in the Austrian Alps, in south Germany, in north Germany and in central Germany. These parks are to be open to the public without any charge whatever.

Salesman Traveling by Auto.

The practice of using the automobile as a conveyance for traveling salesmen is growing. A case in point is that of a touring car in which N. K. Smith, a traveling representative of a shoe company, recently completed a trip from Atlanta, Ga., to Richmond, Va., and back, covering 1,200 miles and doing business along the way.

Timely Friendly Warning.

That Christmas isn't far away
I've had a warning;
The janitor remarked to me,
"Good morning!"

—Detroit Free Press.

MOSBY FLAYS FOOTBALL.

Confederate Chieftain Considers the Game Worse Than Warfare.

Colonel John S. Mosby, the famous Confederate partisan chieftain and alumnus of the University of Virginia, who denounced football the other day in a remarkable interview in which he compares the game to actual warfare to the detriment of the former, maintains that the great number of fatalities represents so many murders.

"I have read with indignation mingled with sorrow the account of the murder of young Christian, a student of the University of Virginia, in a football game in Washington with Georgetown university," said Colonel Mosby. "I use the word murder advisedly—the killing was not an accident. The very fact that a university surgeon went on with the team shows that they were going to war. They neglected, however, to provide an ambulance to carry off the wounded.

"I hope it this barbarous amusement is continued the board of visitors will require it to be conducted in accordance with the regulations of modern war.

"Some years ago I expressed to Dr E. A. Alderman, president of the university, my objection to football because it was not a recreation for students, because many were making it a profession, because it developed the brutal instincts of our nature and because it should be no part of the curriculum of the university. A student who has broken somebody's nose at football stands higher than a master of arts. A man ought not to go to college to learn to be a circus rider or a prizefighter.

"Dr. Alderman says there is great danger to life and limb in football and that the danger must be eliminated before it can be played any more. But if the danger is eliminated nothing will be left of the game. The danger is not only the chief but the only attraction to the mob that gathers to witness it.

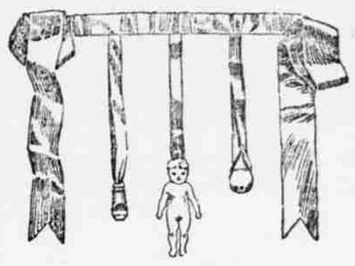
"The defenders of such sport say 'it develops the manhood of youth.' I deny it, unless by manhood they mean physical strength. My idea of manhood is a sense of honor and courage, and such qualities may exist in a weak body.

"The difference between the past and the present in great American universities is the distance between "Stonewall" Jackson and John L. Sullivan. Football simply develops the brute dormant in human nature and puts the player on a level with an Eskimo or a polar bear.

"Napoleon once said, 'Scratch a Russian and you find a Tartar,' implying that Russian civilization was only skin deep. If the university is a fair representative I fear that the same sarcasm equally applies in Virginia. My observation has been that athletes belong, as a rule, to that class who are invincible in peace and invisible in

Christmas Presents

At first glance the Christmas gift for King Baby, impregnable as he is in his pink and white well fed contentment, seems the hardest problem of the holiday season. He has no wants that are obvious and patent, and it is evidently quite hopeless to ask him to follow his

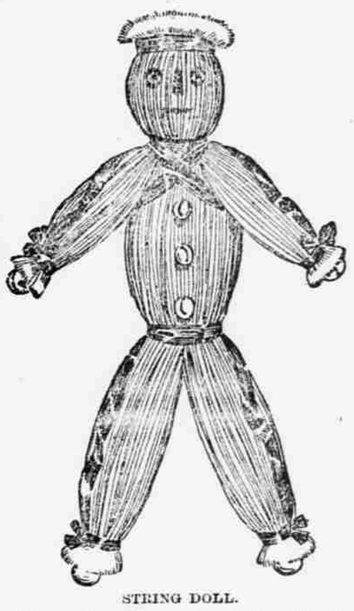


THE TOY BELT.

big brothers and sisters' example and write out a list of the desires of his heart for Santa to gratify. On a venture just try how his highness will like a toy belt. It is made of a piece of two inch satin ribbon long enough to fit about the waist comfortably and to tie in an attractive bow in the back with long ends. The portion that is supposed to go around the waist of the infant is doubled over to form a belt, from which hang pendent from satin streamers a whistle—silver if money is not a consideration—a rubber doll and, on the third end, a small play ball. The belt is then completed.

String Doll.

Easier to make than the rag doll and much more hygienic, for babies have the bad habit of putting things in their mouths and the paint on rag dolls is often poisonous, is the string doll. It is evolved from quantities of heavy

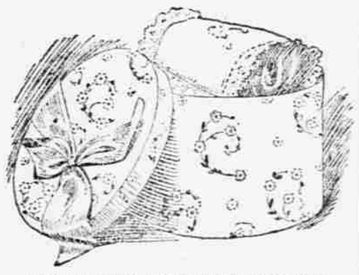


STRING DOLL.

white soft string cut into lengths for the body and arms. The head is stuffed out with wadding, also the body, and the shapes formed by tying about neck and waist pieces of baby ribbon of some bright color. Beads are stuck in for eyes, and a mouth is made with colored thread worked in with a needle. About the wrist is a ribbon outlining the pudgy hand.

Baby's Bonnet Box.

The baby has his bonnet box as well as his mamma, but it is a cunning little round affair covered with flowered paper in a pretty babyish design of forgetmenots. This is one of the prettiest new ideas in connection with the infant's layette and makes a charming Christmas gift. Inside the box is fit-



BOX FOR HIS LORDSHIP'S BONNETS.

ted with a round, scented lining of silk, and the top of the lid is finished in the same way. Gathering the silk in rosette fashion and catching up the ends in the center of the lid with a rosette of baby ribbon is a dainty touch to the box.

Baby Bibs.

A baby cannot have too many bibs, and there is nothing a mother appreciates more than gift bibs for her baby. A pretty bib is made of sheer lawn, embroidered with the transparent embroidery which consists of catstitch done on the wrong side of the material for the flowers and simple outline stitch for the stems and scrolls. Set the embroidered lawn on to a heavy linen back. Trim the bib with an edging of valenciennes lace. With this bib can be given one of the silver fasteners, which are new and useful.

Two Pretty Presents.

An acceptable present for a baby is the sets of silver safety pins that come on three rings tied together with a ribbon. Each ring contains a dozen of the pins, and all the dozens differ in size.

For the rubber blanket used on the crib there are slips the exact size made with small buttons and holes so that a fresh one may be put on with little trouble. These must bear the embroidered initials of the new arrival.

LINCOLN TRIED IT.

And That Ended the Naval Sweatbox Punishment.

On one of Mr. Lincoln's excursions to Fortress Monroe on the steamer Hartford in 1863 his attention was directed to a narrow door bound with iron, the use of which he was anxious to learn.

"What is this?" he asked.

"Oh, that is the sweatbox," was the reply. "It is used for refractory and insubordinate seamen. A man in there is subjected to steam heat and has very little ventilation. It generally brings him to terms very quickly."

President Lincoln's curiosity was aroused. "This," he said to himself, "is treatment to which thousands of American seamen are probably subjected every year. Let me try it for myself and see what it really is."

Taking off his hat, for he was several inches over six feet in height, he entered the inclosure, which he found to be little more than three feet in length or width. He gave orders that at a signal from himself the door should be immediately opened. It was then closed and the steam turned on.

He had been inside hardly three minutes before the signal was given. President Lincoln had experienced enough of what was then regarded as necessary punishment for American seamen. There was very little ventilation, and the short exposure to the hot and humid air had almost suffocated him.

Turning to Secretary Welles of the navy department, the president ordered that no such inclosure as the sweatbox should ever after be allowed on any vessel flying the American flag.

It was not an hour after this order had been given before every sailor on every ship in Hampton Roads had heard of it. The effect was most remarkable on the older sailors, many of whom had themselves experienced the punishment of the sweatbox. Some of them wept from joy.

But the good results of this act of President Lincoln were not confined to the American navy. Great Britain, France, Germany and other European countries heard that the sweatbox had been abolished in America as inhuman. One and all of these nations in turn fell into line, and today the sweatbox is not to be found on any vessel flying the flag o fa civilized nation throughout the world.

RAN THE BLOCKADE.

Putting Through a Risky Piece of Business at Santiago.

Some naval officers at a dinner party the other evening were discussing the efficacy of the Cuban blockade in 1898. That many vessels ran the blockade at Havana, Cienfuegos and elsewhere was admitted.

"But only one vessel ever ran the Santiago blockade," said one of the speakers, "and that was one of our own vessels, the little Gloucester."

He then described how the Gloucester ran the blockade, while commanded by Dick Wainwright, then a lieutenant commander, who had previously been executive officer of the Maine when it blew up.

"We had been sent down to Asserraderos to communicate with the insurgents," said the raconteur, who was on the Gloucester at the time. "Upon our return it was quite dark, and we were proceeding slowly to our station on the inside line of the blockade when the electric signaling apparatus broke down. We could not give a signal, particularly the private identification signal of the night. Had we been discovered by one of the blockading vessels it would at once have flashed the signal, and if we did not immediately respond it would have promptly opened fire. We would have been blown to pieces in a minute.

"It was a risky piece of business, but Dick Wainwright was perfectly cool, and the Gloucester actually picked its way without being discovered through the whole blockading fleet, took up its station on the inside line, under the Morro, and as soon as the signaling apparatus was repaired reported its arrival. It was a clear case of blockade running, but it was mighty ticklish while it lasted."—San Francisco Call.

An Intelligent Cow.

A few nights ago a citizen went home and found a cow in his yard. He drove her out. He then went into the house and later heard the animal in the yard again. He drove her out the second and third times. The citizen's son came home later and found the animal in the yard and drove her out. The citizen then made an investigation and found the cow got in by wading around the fence on the river side. He hung up a lantern to deceive the cow as she came in, and the next morning, so he says, he found the cow in the yard with the lantern hung on her horns, using the same to hunt out the best grapefruit in his grove. Say what you please, but that was an intelligent cow. And the story is true—of course it is.—Fort Myer Press.

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"Could I sell you an imported Persian cat for $1,000?" ventured the cat and dog fancier.

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An Important Advantage.

"Do you think a college education affords a man an important advantage?"

"Oh, yes! One has to have it in order to get into a university club."—Chicago Record-Herald.

More Danville Proof.

Jacob Schrall, 435 South St., Danville, Ill., writes: "For over eighteen months I was a sufferer from kidney and bladder trouble. During the whole time was treated by several doctors and tried several different kidney pills. Seven weeks ago I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Pills, and am feeling better every day and will be glad to tell anyone interested just what Foley's Kidney Pills did for me."

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LEGAL NOTICE.

In Justice Court, before H. H. Berry, justice of the peace.

J. B. Hall will take notice that on the 10th day of November, 1909, H. H. Berry, a justice of the peace of Red Willow county, issued an order of attachment for the sum of $21.60 in an action pending before him wherein William D. Burnett is plaintiff and J. B. Hall is defendant, and that property of the defendant consisting of money due and owing in the hands of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company, garnishee, as labor of wages performed by said defendant for said railroad company, has been attached under said order of attachment. Said cause has been continued for hearing to the 13th day of January, 1910, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

16-3. W. D. Burnett.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

In the County Court of Red Willow County, State of Nebraska.

In the Matter of the Estate of Lovina Kendall, deceased, ss. State of Nebraska, Red Willow County, ss.

To all Persons Interested in said Estate:

You are hereby notified that on the 21st day of December, 1909, Howe Smith, administrator of the estate of Lovina Kendall, deceased, filed in said county his final account and petition for distribution, and said account and petition will be heard on the 8th day of January, 1910, at ten o'clock, at the county court room in the city of McCook in said county; and you are hereby cited to appear at said time and place and show cause, if any such exists, why the same should not be allowed.

It is hereby ordered that notice be given to all persons interested in said estate, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the McCook Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in said county, for three successive weeks of the time last set for said hearing.

Dated this 19th day of December, 1909.

J. C. MOORE,
[Seal.] County Judge.

NOTICE.

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of Frank J. Nugent, deceased:

You are hereby notified that on the 20th day of December, 1909, William C. Nugent filed his petition in the County Court of Red Willow County, Nebraska, praying for the appointment of Patrick Walsh as administrator of the estate of Frank J. Nugent, deceased, which petition will be heard by me at the County Court room in the City of McCook, in said county and state, on the 17th day of January, 1910, at one o'clock p. m.

Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims or demands against said Frank J. Nugent, deceased, that the time fixed for filing claims against said estate is six months from said 17th day of January, 1910.

Final hearing of claims will be heard at my office in County Court room in McCook, in said county and state, on the 19th day of July, 1910, at one o'clock p. m.; and any and all claims not presented before the date last above mentioned will be forever barred.

J. E. Kelley, Atty. J. C. MOORE,
(Seal) County Judge.

REFEREE'S SALE.

By virtue of an order issued from the District Court of Red Willow county, Nebraska, under a decree in an action wherein Cordelia Arnold is plaintiff, and Fannie N. Gibbs, LaDelvert W. P. Gibbs, Nellie Wilson, W. W. Wilson, her husband, true name unknown, William M. Gibbs, Mrs. William M. Gibbs, his wife, Mary Hunton, William Clark, Mrs. William Clark, his wife, Deusel Clark, Mrs. Deusel Clark, his wife, and Kirtland C. Arnold are defendants, directed to the undersigned as referee, I shall offer at public sale, and sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the court house in the city of McCook, Red Willow county, Nebraska, on the 24th day of January, 1910, at the hour of one o'clock p.m., the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot Five (5) in Block Fourteen (14) in the Original Town of McCook, Red Willow county, Nebraska.

Dated this 15th day of December, 1909.

Boyle & Eldred, Attys. J. R. McCARL,
23-5ts Referee.

CHATTEL MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of a certain chattel mortgage executed by John Brenning and Jacob Brenning, mortgagors, to M. Rumely Company (inc.) mortgagee, dated on the 8th day of July, 1906, and filed for record in the office of the county clerk of Red Willow county, State of Nebraska, at McCook, Nebraska, on the 13th day of July, 1906, and the nature of such default is the non-payment of three promissory notes, all bearing date of July 8th, 1906, and described as follows: One note for $125.00, due October 1, 1907; one note for $834.00, due December 1, 1907; one note for $[illegible], due December 1st, 1908, all bearing interest at six per cent per annum, from July 1, 1907, until due, and ten per cent per annum thereafter; upon which there is now due the sum of $2,223.17, which is the amount claimed to be due thereon at the date of this notice, of which mortgage and the debt thereby secured, said mortgagee is still the owner and the holder, and the same has not been assigned, and no suit or proceedings has been had for the recovery of the debt thereby secured;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that because of such default said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the undersigned will offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder the following described personal property covered by said mortgage, to-wit: One Rumely 20-H. P. engine No. 4668, one Rumely 36x60 Ideal Separator, No. 3715, one Rumely Wind Stacker, No. 1845, One Peoria Weigher, No. 63,622, one Ruth Feeder, No. 577, one 150 foot 8-inch 4-ply canvas belt, one mounted steel tank, one tank pump, one Monarch engine tender, at 1012 West Fourth Street, in the City of McCook, County of Red Willow, State of Nebraska, on the 15th day of January, 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m. of that day. Terms cash.

Dated at McCook, Nebraska, this 20th day of December, 1909.

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