

# How Public "Charity" Perpetuates Indigence

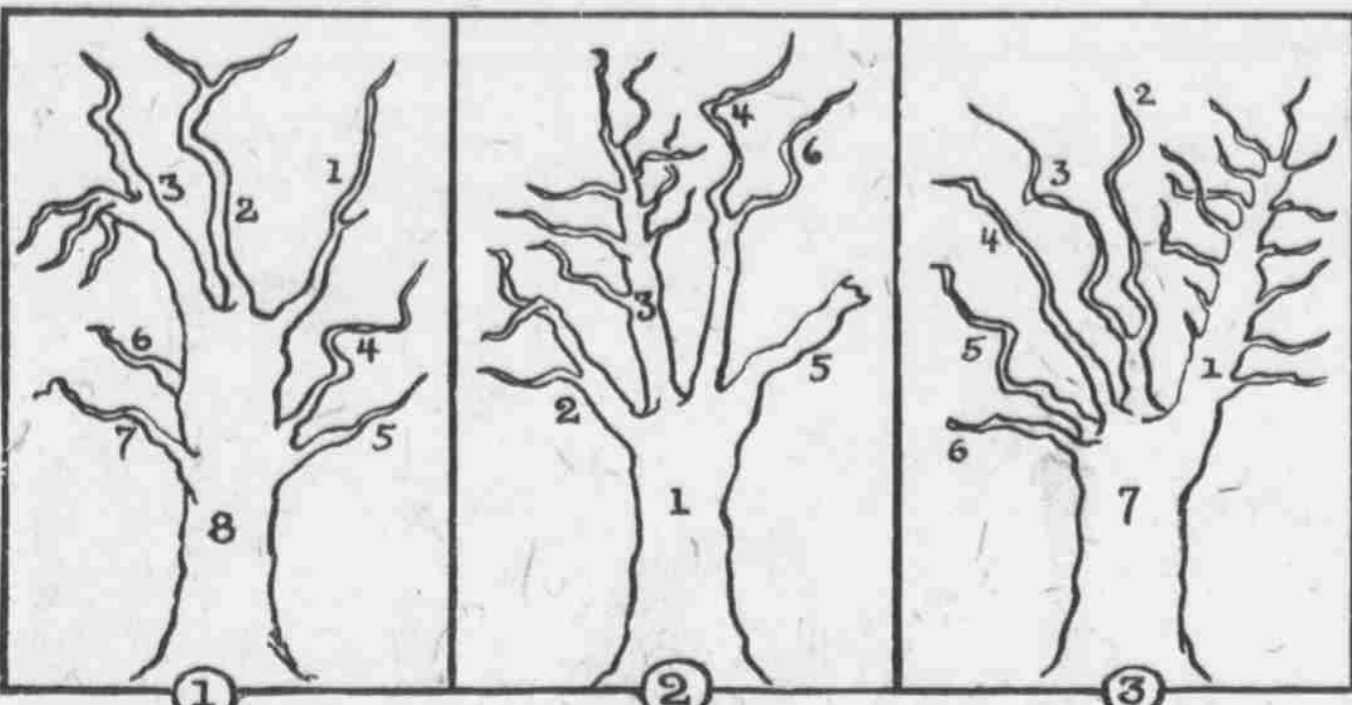


DIAGRAM SHOWING GROWTH OF THREE FAMILIES IN THEIR GENERATIONS AS PUBLIC CHARGES.

Miss Ida V. Jontz of the Associated Charities organization has prepared the three pictorial exhibits above to show in a manner that will be readily understood the tendency of the public charity to perpetuate indigence on what it feeds on, and grows all the more luxuriously as it is pampered and coddled.

## Washington Social Notes

**Wives of New Senators and Their Possible Activities Create Interest—Mrs. O'Gorman Expected to Be Hostess at Several Social Functions—New Arrivals in Official Circles Look Promising to Voluntaries of Society**

WASHINGTON, April 15.—(Special to The Bee.)—Changes in the senate have brought to Washington a large number of charming society matrons that create much interest in the social life of the city. Senator and Mrs. James A. O'Gorman of New York will make their residence in Washington during a portion of the session, and it is expected that their home will be the scene of many social functions. They have two accomplished unmarried daughters, Misses Dolan and Alice O'Gorman, who are prominent in society in New York. Senator and Mrs. O'Gorman will spend some time in Europe at the close of the extra session of congress.

is no training for useful life and no ambition to do for themselves. The man (7) twice married, has long had the "charity lunch" and is now quite old and full of rheumatism.

## Personal Notes from Gotham

**Succession of Interesting Events at Home Keeps Society People from Immediate Consideration of Coronation and Trips Abroad—Charity Horse Show This Week Has First Call—Marriages of Notables Soon**

BY MARGARET WATTS DE PEYSTER.  
NEW YORK, April 15.—(Special to The Bee.)—With a number of marriages at hand, the charity horse show in New York, annual spring horse show at Atlantic City and visitors arriving for the international polo contest society, has but little time to think about the coronation of King George V of England or a trip to Europe for the early summer months.

Join the American colony in London during the coronation ceremonies.

Mrs. George Pales Baker of Philadelphia and Miss Emma Price of Pittsburgh, who spent a few days in New York, are now at Lakewood, N. J., to remain during the polo series.

Miss Sophie E. Langdon will be married on April 27 to Rev. Barrett P. Tyler, rector of the Church of the Redeemer, Morristown, N. J. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. Roger Tyler, brother of Mr. Tyler, assisted by Rev. Herbert C. Tolman of Nashville, Tenn., and Rev. Dr. William M. Grosvenor. Miss Langdon's only attendant will be her sister, Miss Helen M. Langdon. Dr. George T. Tyler will act as Mr. Tyler's best man and (Miss Langdon's) brother-in-law, the Rev. Dr. Henry Eglington Montgomery, was the rector as early as civil war days. In 1855 he came to New York to preach in the old building occupied by the church of the Incarnation. Miss Langdon is a descendant of the Langdon, the New Hampshire republican, who was governor of his state and president of the United States senate.

and also of Woodbury Langdon, another distinguished statesman, who came from New Hampshire. On her father's side, also, Miss Langdon is a great-granddaughter of the first John Jacob Astor. Her father is a grandson of Walter Langdon, who married Dorothea Astor, the youngest sister of the late William B. Astor, and the great-uncle of the present Colonel John Jacob Astor.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Mrs. A. Browning Prentice of New York and Mr. Wright Barclay, a son of the late Henry A. Barclay and Mrs. Bushrod K. Bayne.

Another engagement announced is that of Miss Frances Shapiro, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Shapiro, to Mr. Elias Ackerman of Washington, D. C. No date has been announced for the wedding.

The marriage of Miss Anna Fryer, daughter of Mrs. J. Fryer, to Mr. Edward Schwartz of Cleveland, O., took place at the home of the bride's mother last Tuesday. The wedding was followed by a reception.

Mrs. A. H. Beauchamp has announced the engagement of her sister, Miss Mary Magdalene Noonan, to Joseph Ruger Gagen of Lafayette, Ind.

The engagement is announced of Miss

private links, he often plays at the Country club with the members.

Members of the New York Mozart society, of which Dr. Adelaide Wallerstein is president, will go to Washington for the White House garden party in May. They will be received by President and Mrs. Taft on the afternoon of the following day, May 12, when they will give a concert for the chief executive.

Among the engagements announced is that of Miss Geraldine Ritsan, a daughter of Mr. Edward Llewellyn Hilton, Berkeley, Cal., to Mr. Harry Bingham Ballou, Jr., of Medford, Mass.

**Explosions in Flour Mills.**  
An English firm of millers, troubled with dust explosions, set about discovering the cause of ignition of the dust. The mill used the steel roller process of patent flour and iron or steel particles in the grain were suspected of coming in contact with the steel rolls and smiting the sparks, causing the explosion. Accordingly an apparatus was designed by which all the grain subject to the rolls first was passed over highly magnetized steel arresters. The result was strikingly in proof of the theory. These electro-magnets collected steel and iron particles ranging from the microscope up to box nails several inches long. With a standard equipment of arresters capable of passing 1,000 bushels of grain an hour, so much metal collects that several times a day the magnets must be awning and brushed clean of their accumulations.—Chicago Tribune.

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Many of the splendid lots included in this purchase.

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