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The man who sticks to his friends through good and evil report inevitably wins a measure of admiration. But a president of the United States has other things to consider than friendship. Mr. Taft's adherence to the cause of his secretary of the interior in the face of a plain demonstration that the interests of the country demand his withdrawal, is an illustration of that amiable obstinacy which he seems to share with General Grant. There is no apparent chance, the Washington correspondent of the four-nations says that he will change his mind. Indeed, his fond hopes seem to be that the distrust of Mr. Ballinger will be dissipated by the simple process of ignoring it, and that a report in his favor from a partisan committee will undo all the mischief the accusations against him have wrought. This illustrates once more the familiar remark that Mr. Taft is no politician. There is where he differs materially from his predecessor, who never let any personal feelings stand in the way of dropping those who were no longer of use to him.—*Evening Journal.*

Beats Even Kansas.
For quick action, President Braga of Portugal makes American insurgents look like 30 cents.—*Washington Post.*

MARRIED
JOHNSON-PALMER—At Elm Hill, Stonington, Oct. 17, 1910, by Rev. George P. Spaulding, Jr., Stanley Clark Johnson of Providence and Adella May Palmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Palmer.

DIED.
M'KEE—In this city, Oct. 17, 1910, William McKee, aged 92 years and 3 months.

PURSE PRESENTED REV. W. A. KEEFE

Social Meeting of White Cross Council No. 13 K. of C. of Which He was Worthy Lecturer.

A social meeting of White Cross Council No. 13, Knights of Columbus, was held in the society's rooms in Foresters' hall Monday evening. It took the form of a smoker and was attended by nearly the entire membership. The meeting was opened by Grand Knight P. F. Brennan, who turned it over to the worthy lecturer, Rev. W. A. Keefe, who made a few brief remarks. Counselor E. T. Burke then took the floor and in a forceful speech expressed to Father Keefe the regrets of the council at his departure to new fields, and as a testimonial of the great esteem in which he is held by the members of the council, presented him a substantial purse.

Father Keefe was taken completely by surprise, but found words in which to express his appreciation of the testimonial of good will from the members of the council, and assured them that although he was no longer a fellow townman he would still retain his interest in the work of the council. Remarks followed by Rev. U. Bellerose of Baltic, District Deputy M. J. Sullivan, J. J. Smith, M. Higgins, Charles O. Murphy, Dr. D. J. Shahan and other members.

The following was the grateful tribute offered to Father Keefe in the brief remarks of Dr. Shahan:

I, for one, feel that when our diocese possesses a young Levite deeply versed in the profundity of the classics and reinforced with the best literature of the day; acknowledged as an intellectual leader of the community in which he moves, lavishly endowed with the goodness of God, and brilliantly embellished with the artifice of man, when he appears for all that he is a true soldier of Christ, buckling on the knapsack of his cares and troubles, marches onward to his Gethsemane, without a murmur; his not to make reply, his not to reason why, his not to do or die—once he has said good-bye and gone on his auto. Then, charcoal to right of him, charcoal to left of him, charcoal in front of him, O, the poor sogaarth!

But, perhaps it is not kind of us to place our own interpretation on the intentions of others, as we can imagine the feelings of the schoolboy after he had announced that "there's a divinity that shapes our ends rough, hew them as we may."

They tell us that the Lord fits the shoulders for the burden. If that is so, and if the heart within our little giant is any indicator of the power without, then we know there is no trial or sacrifice too ponderous for the shoulders of our own dear little sogaarth aron.

Among the visitors in attendance were District Deputy M. J. Sullivan of New London, Grand Knight Thomas P. Cleary of Seaside council, New London, Grand Knight Thomas Doyle of Pequot council, Montville, Grand Knight James J. McSheffrey of Pocomah council, Tataville. At the conclusion of the exercises a buffet supper was served, which was furnished by the Wauregan house.

The New Atlantic Liners.
Sir W. H. White, the great English naval constructor, believes that no real advantage in comfort or smooth running is to be gained by any further increase in the size of transatlantic liners. For instance, in a recent article he said: "Speaking broadly, it may be asserted that a point has already been reached where the dimensions of ships in proportion to the lengths and heights of the largest waves are such as to secure the power to maintain practically uniform performance and of securing steadiness and good behavior in all weathers and conditions at sea."

It appears further that because of shallow channels, the difficulty of securing full cargoes for every trip with present capacities, the "dead time" required in port for unloading and loading cargo, the cost of enlarged docks, etc., Sir William White is skeptical as to the economic usefulness of still larger leviathans. In other words,

most of the facts of the transatlantic situation appear, to the non-commercial expert, arguments against larger vessels.

And yet in the face of these conditions, the leading steamship companies are building larger and larger ships. And at the last annual meeting of the Cunard company, A. Booth, the chairman, declared his belief to be "that the future of the New York trade rested with the 40,000 or 50,000-ton vessel combining passenger and cargo capacity."

Extreme speed is still a sine qua non for many oceangoers, so the rail-road liners are likely to continue popular. But because of their expensive nature to run there is just now a reaction and the several great transatlantic vessels in course of construction are relatively slow.—*N. Y. Globe and Advertiser.*

The government and posts and telegraph administration controls all wireless telegraph stations in France.

It Is Vital to the South.
In his recent address at Gainesville, P. C. Parks, director of the agricultural school at Clark university, laid down two fallacies commonly held in the south, which need to be exploded before the section makes notable progress as applied to the negro.

The first is the ignorant and illiterate farm hand is good enough for agricultural purposes, and the other, that public money spent in the effort to improve the conditions of such laborers is wasted.

In the same speech, Parks quoted a statement of Clarence Poe of North Carolina, which completely knocks the props from under these outworn prejudices.

Mr. Poe declares that it is the inferior negro farm hand, largely in the majority in the southern state, who is demoralizing southern agriculture by exhausting the fertility of our soil and reducing productivity by unscientific methods.

Insisting that the negro in the rural south be trained into a competent factory or office worker, working not so much for the negro, as for the improvement of his system of agriculture.—*Atlanta Constitution.*

COLCHESTER WOMAN LOCATED IN ROCHESTER.

Discovered by Police Who Were Looking for a Burglar—Husband Leaves.

While working out a burglary at Rochester, N. Y., the police of that city located Mrs. Samuel McDonald, wife of one of Colchester's most prominent and highly respected citizens, who left her home two months ago taking two of her six children with her.

Mr. McDonald has for years been one of the leading citizens of Colchester, being in the lumber business, and at which he is reported to have amassed a large fortune.

The Rochester police communicated with Mr. McDonald at his home there and he left for Colchester, N. Y., at once. He did not say that his wife and children had been found, but the information soon reached Colchester and now the town is talking just as it did when Mrs. McDonald left three months ago.

The McDonalds have six children, Mabel and Elizabeth, who went with their mother, Samuel, William, Reginald and the baby, also taken by the mother. The couple were married on June 8, 1892, and all the time they have lived in Colchester there was no suspicion that they were not happy together.

ST. ANNE'S SOCIETY.

Miss Annie Driscoll Elected President Other Selections.

St. Anne's T. A. society held a special meeting in their rooms on Monday night for the election of officers. By unanimous vote the present officers were re-elected as follows: President, Miss Annie Driscoll; vice president, Miss Mary Skirney; recording secretary, Miss Margaret Twomey; financial secretary, Miss Mary Sullivan. For treasurer Miss Katharine Donahue was elected to fill the vacancy caused by Miss Nora Hartle's removal from the city.

The committee having the Halloween party in charge reported every thing in readiness for this annual event of the society.

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MANY NORWICH DEATHS.
Average Being Above That in the State—Much Contagious Disease.

By the monthly report of the secretary of the state board of health there were 1,250 deaths during the month of September. This was 44 less than in August and 88 more than in September of last year, and 84 more than the average number of deaths during September for the five years preceding. The death rate was 15.4 for the large towns, for the small towns 15.2, and 15.3 for the whole state.

The deaths reported from infectious diseases were 208, being 15.1 per cent. of the total mortality.

In Norwich there were 56 deaths, 14 of which were children under five, making the total mortality 25 per cent. There were nine deaths in public institutions. New London had 31 deaths, Groton 6, Killingly 7, Plainfield 10, Putnam 10, Stonington 18, Windham 22. The deaths here were for the following reasons: Diseases of nervous system 13, heart disease 7, consumption 4, whooping cough 3, pneumonia, diphtheria, scarlet fever, each one, each, accident or violence 2, diarrhoea 1, all other causes 19.

There have been many cases of contagious disease about the state; there were four cases of scarlet fever, ten of diphtheria or croup and two of consumption reported during the past month.

That New London had 10 cases of infantile paralysis in the month of September out of 71 in the whole state would probably be a surprise to the average citizen, though such was the fact according to the monthly report of Dr. J. N. Townsend of the state board of health. The other 61 cases were divided between 24 towns. Other than these cases the city's general health was fairly good, there being no cases of diphtheria, four of scarlet fever, one of cerebro spinal fever, two of typhoid fever and four of consumption.

Groton town had three cases of infantile paralysis. Stonington also had four cases of the dread new infant disease as well as one case of consumption in the town and one in the borough.

City had three cases of scarlet fever, Salem four cases of diphtheria, Waterford one case of diphtheria, Ledyard, Montville, Preston, Old Lyme and Norwich one case each of typhoid fever, Colchester and Lebanon had each a case of consumption. There were no contagious diseases found in Bozrah, East Lyme, Essex, Franklin, Griswold, Lisbon, Lyme, North Stonington, Sprague or Sterling.

The August marriages numbered 22 in Dr. J. N. Townsend of the state board of health, five in Groton, three in Stonington, five in Norwich 58, New London 35, Groton 14, Stonington 12.

"Were you a good boy in school today?" "I think so, dad. Anyway, teacher called me a holy terror."—*Buffalo Express.*

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True for you. A great part of the problem is involved in this very proposition so tersely put by the contemporary. In spite of all the care and caution employed by educational authorities (when any is employed at all), the standard of the school teacher's profession is not so high as it should be, because most women take up the work, not as a career, but as a makeshift occupation to support them until they get married.

The result is, therefore, that the same serious, earnest, ambitious application to study and endeavor to perfect ideas and methods that would characterize one going into a life work with hopes and aspirations, are largely wanting in the greater proportion of the girls that take up the employment as mere impatient time-servers.

This paper does not lose sight of the many noble women that have made school teaching their life work, and have given the best of their brains and heart and self-sacrifice to the calling, but it suggests that these latter deserving ones are in worse case because of the great army of frivolous fellow servants that outnumber them and keep the average of professional efficiency or money remuneration at such a low figure.—*St. Albans Messenger.*

Without exception every word in Chinese when uttered is accompanied by its own peculiar intonation, without which the word would be unintelligible. The same untranslatable is often intoned in eight different ways.

Hume, the Historian.
Hume, the historian, was said to be the ugliest man of his time. His face was fat, coarse and vulgar, with no striking or pleasing features.

Mexican Asphalt.
Pure liquid asphalt (asphaltum) from the earth in a number of places in the Mexican state of Tamaulipas, but so far from existing methods of transportation that no efforts have been made to exploit it.

False Curly.
In preparing human hair for sale it is first assorted, combed and washed in boiling water to which a weak solution of soda or ammonia is added, then assorted as to colors. The short hairs are wound around little glass bars placed in a coke heated kiln five or six days, when they are ready for sale as "curly."

Earthenware.
A fine, slate-like surface is given to earthenware by exposing it when freshly made to direct contact with flames from a fire fed with salt.

Fish In Japan.
The Japanese eat more fish than any other people in the world. With their meat eating is a foreign innovation, confined to the rich, or rather to those rich people who prefer it to the national diet.

Shoe Laces.
When the tips come off shoe laces melt a little sealing wax and dip in the ends of the laces, rolling them between the fingers till they are shaped.

Lightning Losses.
Lightning causes on an average of 550 deaths and a property loss of more than \$3,000,000 annually. In the same length of time it injures 800 persons and kills 4,500 head of live stock in the fields.

Cheese In Switzerland.
It is not easy to get good cheese in Switzerland, the best being exported.

A Forbidden Air.
In India military bands are forbidden to play "Home, Sweet Home," because of its pathos having so potent an effect on the English people who may hear it.

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