

IS A MAN'S APPENDIX WORTH IT?

Dr. Dana Thinks So, and "It" Means \$20,000.
That is What he He Charged a Man to Remove One.
But the Millionaire Doesn't Seem to Agree With Him.
Tendered \$5000, However, Which was Refused.

New Orleans, Nov. 26.—Is an appendix in the body of a millionaire of more value, in dollars and cents than the aforesaid piece of anatomical furniture in the body of a bread winner? This is an ethical question suggested by an incident now being widely discussed in connection with the serious illness last summer of Mr. Frank B. Williams, St. Mary lumber king and chairman of the Republican State Central Committee of Louisiana.

Prior to the regular session of the General Assembly of 1912 Mr. Williams had an appendix. It is minute now. The organ (if it may be so termed) having been removed by Dr. Charles A. Dana, house surgeon of the Charity Hospital just in time to prevent the appendix from removing Mr. Williams.

During the heat of the legislative session at Baton Rouge Mr. Williams, who was at the State capital, was suddenly stricken with appendicitis. His condition was reported to be very serious—almost critical—and Dr. Dana, who happened to be at Baton Rouge too, was hurriedly called to attend the St. Mary millionaire.

Successful Operation.
Distinguished for his eminent abilities as a surgeon, Dr. Dana performed here, after Mr. Williams was rushed to New Orleans under his care, the operation which separated his patient from the offending appendix, to the entire satisfaction of patient and surgeon. Although reported to have been very close to the "valley of the shadow," Mr. Williams recovered and is now said to be physically as good as new.

These facts are well known to friends of Mr. Williams and to the public generally. It is the aftermath of the operation that has given rise to so much gossip in local professional circles, as well as among laymen and which has inspired the discussion about the monetary value of an appendix, based on the financial standing of its former possessor.

According to the story going through, Dr. Dana estimated the value of his professional services and the success of the operation which probably saved Mr. Williams' life at the neat sum of \$20,000, and sent the Republican leader a bill for that amount. The exact process of reasoning by which Dr. Dana reached this conclusion that it was worth \$20,000 to Mr. Williams to get rid of a troublesome appendix is known only to the well-known surgeon himself. But in any event, according to the quid-nuncs who are discussing the matter, it was not the same process of reasoning employed by Mr. Williams himself, for that gentleman understood to have protested vigorously against the size of the surgeon's bill, and to have suggested that \$5,000 would be a reasonable amount for the services rendered.

It is reported Mr. Williams actually tendered \$5,000 to Dr. Dana in payment of his bill, rejecting with emphasis the \$20,000 proposition. And it is also reported that Dr. Dana was equally emphatic in his refusal to accept any compromise, whatever, deeming his great skill as a surgeon and the success which attended the operation worth that amount. Both sides stood firm, and according to local gossip, are still standing firm. A suit has been hinted at, but thus far has not materialized.

Mr. Williams is said to be able to estimate his fortunes in seven figures and to multiply it by two at that. It therefore becomes a question of whether the appendix of a millionaire successfully removed at a critical period, is of greater monetary value than the appendix of a sufferer, who is blessed with little of this world's goods. It is a fine point in ethics for general discussion, for the interest is not confined to professional ranks since every man, and every woman too, has an appendix which at some period of his or her career may press urgently for removal.

Escapes and Awful Fate.

A thousand tongues could not express the gratitude of Mrs. J. E. Cox, of Joliet, Ill., for her wonderful deliverance from an awful fate. "Typhoid pneumonia had left me with an awful cough," she writes. "Sometimes I had such awful coughing spells I thought I would die. I could get no help from doctor's treatment or other medicines till I used Dr. King's New Discovery. But I owe my life to this wonderful remedy for I scarcely cough at all now. Quick and safe, it's the most reliable of all throat and lung medicines. Every bottle guaranteed. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free at all druggists.

A FAKE NOBLEMAN EXPOSED

Posed as a descendant of a Ruler of Persia.
Eloped With Daughter of a Prominent Man.
Afterwards Divorced, Then Married His Typist.
Exposure came on Announcing He Would Lecture.

New York, Nov. 26.—Following the exposure of his impersonation of royalty, "Jimmy" Andrews, William, College graduate of the class of 1883, buyer and seller of railroads and known for several seasons at Amagansett, Long Island, as Prince Stefan Nemanjich-Dushanji (the name of a Serbian ruler of the fourteenth century), denied himself to all callers at the Touraine Hotel, Brooklyn, today.

Mrs. Andrews did the talking for the "prince," and to every visitor who called in the hope of obtaining a statement from Andrews she set word that her husband was not in, and that she had nothing to say at this time in answer to the newspaper articles in which her husband's name was mentioned. She intimated that a detailed statement might be forthcoming soon, but she was not in position to say just when it would be made.

KNOWN AS "ALPHABET."
Prof. Michael T. Pupin, of Columbia University, who was the first to cast doubt upon Andrews' assumption of a royal title when the "prince" arranged to deliver a lecture upon the Balkan war in Carnegie Hall a few days ago, said today that he regretted that his name should have been dragged into the affair, but that it was worth while to expose any man who is parading under a shabby title.

Soon after leaving Williams College, James Curtis Butler Andrews, variously known among college men as "Alphabet" and "Jimmy," came into a large inheritance from his father, and he soon began to attract attention. He eloped with Miss Fargo, daughter of Charles Fargo, member of the Wells-Fargo Express Company, who at that time was living in Chicago, and the couple had one child, Muriel, now living with her mother, who soon after the birth of the child obtained a divorce.

SHOOTING OVER WOMAN.
Andrews got into trouble here for shooting a woman who is said to have annoyed a woman in a restaurant but as the wound was a trifling one there was no prosecution.

His fortune soon disappearing, Andrews nevertheless did not despair. After his divorce he wedded his stenographer, despite the ultimatum of his family that they would cut him off if he contracted a second marriage. He was proficient as a linguist, student of history, writer and mathematician and he was resourceful.

Many of his classmates at Williams admitted today that Andrews frequently approached them with gigantic schemes for amassing large fortunes, but none of them were disposed to take stock in them because, as one said, "he was a very fanciful man and quite peculiar, to say the least."

TRYING OUT PEOPLE.
It was in 1909 there appeared an Amagansett a Serbian "prince," styled Stefan Nemanjich-Dushanji, lineal descendant of their imperial highness, James Stefan, Basil and James Basil Stefan, and son of her royal princess, Konstantina Marjia. The "prince" introduced his wife and princess and little sons as princes.

It then developed that the royal family had lived in the same place three years previously under the name of Andrews, assumed for the occasion "just" to find persons who really are and not as the appear when in the presence of "royalty."

BUBBLE SOON BURSTS.
The Amagansett bubble soon burst however, and the "prince" and his family disappeared without taking the trouble to discharge certain debts due to tradesmen. The rest of the story upon which there was a heavy mortgage, was sold for a song in July last. During the stay of the "prince" in Amagansett priests and dignitaries of the Russian Greek Orthodox Church conducted the Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom in English in memory of the deceased ancestors of the "prince."

It was when Prof. Pupin heard that "Prince" Stefan was to lecture on Balkan affairs that he looked up his authorities and made the discovery that this royal personage was a sham. Exposure followed, and Andrews' connection with the imposture was established.

Constipation

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25 CENTS PER BOTTLE AT ALL DRUGGISTS.

"NOT GUILTY" IS VERDICT OF JURY

Industrial Workers Acquitted of Killing Girl.
Men Embrace and Kiss As Verdict is Announced.
Leader of Strike Thanks Jury in Name of Justice.
Italian Songs and Speeches in Salvation Army Hall.

Salem, Mass., Nov. 26.—"Not guilty," was the verdict of the jury today in the case of Joseph J. Ettore, Arthur Giovannitti and Joseph Caruso for the murder of Anna Lopizze who was killed in a Lawrence textile strike riot last winter.

When the three men heard the words freeing them from the charge they embraced and kissed each other. Giovannitti then sprang to his feet. "Gentlemen of the jury," he said, "in the name of justice, truth and civilization, I thank you."

The court interpreter, Alfred Sacco, rose for Caruso and said: "Mr. Caruso desires me to say that he wants to thank you all, and now that he is a free man, he says that he was innocent of the crime."

THANKS ARE EXPRESSED.
Ettore, leader of the strike at Lawrence and chief center of interest that had aroused world-wide attention, addressed the jury.

"I thank you not only for myself but in the names of my companions. I also feel impelled to thank the court for the fair manner in which this trial has been conducted. The thank we offer are not only our, but thank in the name of the working class."

The jury entered the courtroom at 8:20 o'clock. Immediately thereafter the prisoners, each wearing a red carnation, were brought to the cage in the center of the room. All were smiling. Judge Quinn ascended the bench at 8:42 and asked if the jury had agreed upon a verdict.

"We have," said the foreman as he handed it to the court bailiff.

CHEERS FROM CROWD.
"Joseph Caruso, stand up," commanded Clerk Gearty. "Caruso obeyed the clerk called 'Caruso, face the jury; jurymen look at the prisoner. Gentlemen of the jury, is Joseph Caruso guilty or not guilty?"

"Not guilty," was the unanimous reply.

Ettore and Giovannitti were like wise commanded to rise, and again the jurors chorused a verdict of "not guilty" for each defendant.

The jury, which for more than six weeks had listened to the evidence in this notable trial, was then excused from further service with the thank of the court. The jurors hastened from the building and were cheered by the crowds of mill workers in the streets.

When the jurors had left, the court announced to Caruso that there was another indictment against him charging him with assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill, and that the court would release him on his own recognizance.

WIFE FALLS INTO ARMS.
When the prisoner had taken out to appear in court when summoned he was released from the cage. His wife, waiting at the rail behind the prisoners' cage, fell into his arm and a dozen of his male companions rushed forward and kissed him.

Ettore and Giovannitti were also held on another indictment charging them, together with William D. Haywood, of the Industrial Workers of the World, and others, with conspiracy to incite riot in the Lawrence strike. On this they were released in bonds of \$500 each, which were furnished by Helen S. Dudley, of Boston.

The Lawrence strike leaders were then freed from the prisoners' cage and besieged by a crowd of men and women in the courtroom. For several minutes they were the recipients of kisses from the men and congratulations from the women.

MARCH THROUGH STREETS.
The defendants and their attorney had a jubilation after court adjourned and a few minutes later, followed by a cheering throng of mill workers, they marched through the streets from the courthouse to the local offices of the Industrial Workers of the World, where they remained for some time.

"I have no immediate plans," said Ettore, "but I am going as soon as possible to my home in Tacoma, Wash., where I have a paralyzed father. He was paralyzed since my arrest."

Giovannitti said he expected to visit friends in Boston and vicinity before going to his home in Brooklyn. Both prisoners were very happy. They declared they had not word to express their joy.

Caruso and his wife, who had been sitting near him outside the cage for many weeks, danced about like children. They expected to return to the home in Lawrence.

EXPRESS JOY IN SONG.
The liberated leaders and their friends, after leaving the Industrial Workers' office, went to Salvation Army Hall, where they made the echoes ring with Italian songs and speeches. Ettore and Giovannitti spoke in their native tongue, and even Caruso, who never made a speech in his life, was forced to say a few words. At this meeting it was planned that all should go to Lawrence later in the day, where a big demonstration was held.

The attorneys for the defense were

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given demonstrative evidences by their clients of appreciation for their services.

District Attorney Henry C. Atwill, who conducted the prosecution of the case, would make no statement as to the plans of the commonwealth in the other cases pending. The outcome of this case, it was asserted, would have some bearing on the others in all probability.

ROME AGITATION ENDS.
Rome, Nov. 26.—The verdict of acquittal rendered at Salem, Mass. in the case of Ettore, Giovannitti and Caruso, charged with murder, has been received here with the greatest satisfaction and puts an end to the agitation and the threats of a general strike.

The majority of the Italian press commenting on the trial, praises the impartiality of the summing up of Judge Joseph Quinn.

"From now on," Ettore continued, "you know but one religion, one God and one country. That is working class solidarity."

Giovannitti spoke next, saying: "We owe our lives and liberty to the working class who have stood by us. You have won your strike, but because of your power and solidarity labor troubles, and from there I heard it would have been strangled. When pressed, the thing for you to do is to cross your arms, strike and you will win."

Later tonight Ettore said he probably would leave here Thursday night or Friday morning for Little Falls, N. Y., where there have been labor troubles, and from there he hoped to go to his parents in Tacoma, Washington.

During the night Ettore received from his father and mother the following message: "This day makes a new life."

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BASKET BALL.
Round-Ups Will Tackle St. Paul's College Dec. 1st.

The Round-Ups will play St. Paul's College, Sunday, December 1st, (tomorrow), at St. Paul's College campus. The Round-Ups are somewhat crippled, but expect to show St. Paul how to play basket ball. Herbert Stern, the best player Covington had last year is now with the Round-Ups and will be seen in form in the game.

The line up of the Round-Ups is as follows: H. Stern, c.; A. Schumann, g.; N. McHardy, c.; R. McHardy, f.; R. Chenet, f.; A. Cornell, substitute.

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For Bilious Attacks, Constipation and All Liver Troubles. Dangerous Calomel Gives way to Dodson's Liver Tone.

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Nine Hundred and Twelve, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the One Hundred and Thirty-Sixth, before me, Joseph B. Lancaster, a Notary Public, duly commissioned and sworn in and for the said parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana, and in the presence of the witnesses hereinafter named and undersigned, who severally declare that availing themselves of the laws of the State of Louisiana, in reference to the formation of corporations for charitable and benevolent associations, in such cases made and provided, that they have covenanted and agreed and by these presents do covenant and agree, and bind themselves and such other persons as may hereafter become associated with them, to form a corporation and a body political in law, for the objects and purposes, and of agreement, as follows, to-wit:

ARTICLE I.
The name and style of this said corporation shall be the "Golden Rule Benevolent Association," and under its corporate name shall have power and authority to have and enjoy term of ninety-nine years from date hereof, to contract, sue and be sued, to make and use a corporate seal, the same to break and alter at pleasure, to hold, receive, lease, purchase and convey, as well as to mortgage and hypothecate property real, personal and mixed, corporate and unincorporated, to receive, hold, donations, "inter vivos" and by last will and testament, to pay funeral expenses and sick benefits to its members and their families, and to perform such other acts of charity and benevolence to its members and their families as it is deemed expedient, and to receive members into said association by written application, and to accept or reject the same, to suspend, fine or expel members for disorderly or unbecoming conduct, to make and establish such by-laws and regulations for the affairs of the corporation, and the conduct of the members thereof, to provide in said by-laws the amount of sick relief and funeral expenses to be paid by the association to its members, or their families, and such other relief the association may ordain, and to provide also, in said by-laws, the method of accepting members, and the rejection thereof, the suspending or expelling of members, the rate or amount of fines to be imposed on delinquent members, or for disorderly or unbecoming conduct, to change, alter or amend such by-laws and regulations as it is deemed necessary and its pleasure, to appoint such managers, officers, directors or agents as the interest and business of said association may require.

ARTICLE II.
The domicile of this corporation or association shall be in the town of Madisonville, in the parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana. All legal citations or other legal processes shall be served on the President of this corporation, in case of his absence on the Vice President, and in the absence of both the President and Vice President, then said processes shall be served upon the secretary of this association.

ARTICLE III.
The object and purposes for which this corporation is established and the nature of the business to be carried on by it, are hereby declared to be for the mutual aid and assistance of its members, to pay sick benefits or relief to its members or their families, and to bury its dead, and for that purpose to appropriate, set aside and donate a certain sum or sums of money, and in general to do and perform all acts of a charitable and benevolent nature, that are permitted to be done by corporations of this nature under the present laws of the State of Louisiana, or such laws as may be hereinafter enacted.

ARTICLE IV.
The affairs of this corporation shall be managed and controlled by five members who shall be the officers of said corporation, to-wit: A President, a Vice President, a Secretary, an Assistant Secretary and a Treasurer, the annual election of officers shall be held.

All officers shall be elected by ballot. The person receiving the majority of votes cast shall be declared elected to the office for which he offered himself. Should there be more than two candidates for the same office, the two receiving the highest number of votes cast shall again be balloted upon, and the one receiving the highest number of votes cast shall be declared elected. Nominations for office shall be made at a meeting, who shall be elected annually on the first day of August of each year. That for the purpose of organization and to carry on the business of this corporation until its annual election of officers, the following named members shall fill said offices and exercise the duties hereof, to-wit: President, Peter Baham; Vice President, C. R. Baham; Secretary, Eugene Cooper; Assistant Secretary, Henry Plot; Treasurer, M. A. Alexius, who shall hold their said respective offices until the first day of August, A. D. 1913, until their successors have been duly elected. Upon which date, annually thereafter, the meeting previous to the meeting which the annual election of officers is held, and can be made at that meeting. All officers elected shall serve only for the unexpired term of said office.

ARTICLE V.
Any person to be eligible to membership in this Association must be a male over the age of fifteen years and under the age of sixty years, and must be a person of good character. Admission to membership in this association must be by written application, presented to the association thirty days previous to a regular monthly meeting, which application shall be endorsed by two members in good standing, and accompanied by the required, and comply with such other requirements as fixed by and in accordance with the by-laws of this association.

ARTICLE VI.
It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of this association, to keep a true and correct record of all meetings of this association, to attend to all the correspondence of this association, and keep such books, papers and documents appertaining to his office in his possession, and to keep the same in good order, to collect all dues, dues, assessments and fines due the association, and to issue his receipt therefor, and to turn over, as he may be collected, to the Treasurer, and take his receipt therefor, to counter-sign all vouchers, orders, checks, etc., for the payment of any money of this association, and in general do such other acts, and perform such other duties that may be prescribed by the by-laws of this association.

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It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to attend all meetings of this association, to receive all monies collected by the Secretary or Assistant Secretary, and to give his receipt therefor. He shall keep a true and correct account of all monies received and expended by him, he shall not pay out any monies of this association, except upon presentation of a voucher, order or check, properly signed by the President, and counter-signed by the Secretary, and shall deposit in bank, in the name of this association all monies received by him for its account, as soon as received by him, he shall keep a duplicate deposit showing all monies deposited by him to the credit of this association, which deposit slips shall be evidence of such deposits, and said deposit in bank shall be kept on file in his office and be subjected to inspection by the President or any member in good standing representing the President, he shall do and perform such other duties that may be from time to time prescribed by the by-laws of this association.

ARTICLE IX.
Any officer of this association, who may be guilty of non-performance of duty, or for unbecoming conduct, may be impeached and removed from office, and may be suspended and expelled from this association. All impeachment proceedings shall be conducted at a regular meeting of this association, and no officer shall be removed from office, except by a majority vote of all members present and voting at such meeting. In case of tie vote, the President, or other presiding officer, shall have the right to cast the deciding vote. As to the rules regulating the impeachment and removal of officers, suspending and expelling members of this association, shall be prescribed by the by-laws of this association.

ARTICLE X.
This act of incorporation may be modified, amended or altered, or said corporation may be dissolved upon the consent of two-thirds vote of the members present and voting, at a regular meeting called and held for that purpose, after previous notice published in some newspaper published in the parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana, a written notice mailed to each member, in good standing addressed to said member's last known address. In the event his corporation is dissolved by limitation, or by consent, or otherwise, at the same meeting, that its dissolution is determined upon, three members shall be appointed, or elected, by the members present as liquidators, to settle and wind up the affairs and concern of this corporation. Said liquidators to have full authority to act to that end.

Thus done and signed at the town of Madisonville, in the parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana, in the presence of J. W. Cooper and J. V. Baham, two competent witnesses, on the day and date herein first above written, who have hereunto signed these presents, with said signers and me, said Notary, after due reading of the whole.

PETER BAHAM,
L. R. BAHAM,
EUGENE COOPER,
HENRY PLOT,
MATHEW ALEXIUS,
JOSEPH W. BAHAM.

Witnesses:
J. W. COOPER,
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JOS. B. LANCASTER,
Notary Public.

I have this day examined the above foregoing act of incorporation of the Golden Rule Benevolent Association, and I find that the objects and purposes and provisions are not contrary to the Constitution and laws of the United States, nor to the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana, and I hereby approve the same.

Signed at Covington, La., on this September 18th, 1912.

ADRIAN D. SCHWARTZ,
Judge of the 24th Judicial District of Louisiana, Parish of St. Tammany.

I hereby certify that this instrument was filed for record September 19, 1912, and recorded September 20, 1912, in Mortgage book "8," page 460, etc., of the official records of this parish.

Dy. Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder.

I hereby certify that the above foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original act of the approval of the District Attorney and of the recordation of said original act.

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