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SOMETHING GOOD.

The mikado is going to have something mighty good to eat; there is a box of McIntosh Reds going to him with the compliments of the Hamilton Chamber of Commerce, and when he sets his imperial teeth in this royal fruit he will know for the first time what a good apple is. The mikado has had some good things to eat in the course of his career; he has never had to eat crow, as some monarchs have; things have come his way in good shape. He may believe—doubtless he does—that he has eaten the best there was in the way of embroidered peacocks and escalloped chrysanthemums and pickled snails; but when he gets the taste of the McIntosh Red he will understand that, although he is a direct descendant of the sun, he has been overlooking a bet. When he gets the full flavor of the McIntosh with its spicy fragrance and its ambrosial taste, he will realize that it is better to be a section hand, tamping ties in the Bitter Root, than to sit upon the throne of mighty Nippon if there are no McIntosh Reds with the latter job.

LIGHTING THE BRIDGE.

The question of lighting the Higgins avenue bridge is to be settled very soon; it is an important matter, and should not be dismissed without careful consideration. The bridge can be vastly improved by a proper arrangement of lights, and its effect can be greatly diminished by a poor plan. The expense of lighting the bridge falls upon the city, and it will be a considerable item; the installation of a system of lights will be costly. On this account care should be taken to get the best arrangement of lights that can be obtained at reasonable cost; it is probable that the cheapest system—considered on a basis of the cost of installation—will not be the best; there are many points to be considered in connection with the matter. Mayor Logan and the council have to decide the proposition, and it must be decided soon; it is well to be thinking over the matter before it comes up for action. The bridge must be lighted, and it should be well lighted.

WOMEN OF WEALTH.

Witnesseth the date book that this is the seventy-fifth birthday of Mrs. Hetty Green. The story of Mrs. Green's life shows that this is the forty-fifth year of her activity in business life; during these forty-five years she has accumulated a fortune that is estimated to be the largest controlled by any woman in the world.

When E. H. Harriman died, leaving all of his property to Mrs. Harriman, a report was circulated to the effect that the widow had thereby become the richest woman in the world. Mr. Harriman's wealth in real and personal property was estimated to amount to between \$75,000,000 and \$100,000,000. But there is every reason to believe that Mrs. Harriman's five children, together with his surviving sister and other relatives, had all been substantially provided for in gifts out of hand and trust funds set aside shortly before the death of the financier. Mrs. Harriman's share, therefore, is believed not to have exceeded \$20,000,000 or \$30,000,000, so that in any event it is erroneous to credit her with possessing a fortune in excess of that of Hetty Green, which is estimated to be close to the \$100,000,000 mark, and may possibly exceed that figure.

It is interesting to note that America possesses not only the richest, but probably the richest three women in the world. Next to Hetty Green comes Mrs. Russell Sage, with a fortune of \$85,000,000, and third in line is Mrs. Harriman. Mrs. Frederick Cortland

is credited with a fortune of \$60,000,000.

The four women named inherited practically the entire estates of their husbands. Many other American women have survived their millionaire husbands, but in few cases have the widows received the entire estates. Thus, Cornelius Vanderbilt, Sr., left an estate of \$125,000,000, but the widow's portion was only \$2,000,000 and a trust fund yielding \$250,000 a year. Mrs. Marshall Field, whose husband's estate amounted to \$200,000,000, received \$3,000,000 as a wedding present in lieu of dower interest. Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont received the whole of her husband's estate of \$2,000,000. Mrs. Morris K. Jesup received a little over half of the \$13,000,000 left by her husband.

Outside of the United States the richest woman is believed to be Frau Bertha von Bohlen, who came into possession of the \$80,000,000 left by her father, the celebrated gun manufacturer. The Marchioness of Graham, by the death of her father, the Duke of Hamilton, came into possession of an income of nearly \$800,000 a year. The Duchess of Roxburgh, who was Miss May Goulet, is credited with possessing a fortune of \$25,000,000. Mrs. S. G. Ascher, daughter of the late Harry Harnato, is estimated to be worth \$10,000,000. The Countess Raechenyl, who was Miss Gladys Vanderbilt, is placed on the list with \$12,000,000. Mme. Creel of Mexico is said to have an income of \$5,000,000 a year. The Baroness von Eckardstein, daughter of Sir Blundell Maple, has recently come into the second portion of her father's fortune, making her yearly income something like \$750,000.

HARVARD-YALE.

Today, Harvard's eleven, crippled but game, goes against Yale's study team, in the pink of condition. The forecasts give Yale all the best of the game, but there are many chances in the new football by which a weaker team has at least a show to win, and Harvard's backers are banking upon these chances combined with the splendid spirit with which their team has displayed this season. It was in 1876 that the Rugby game was introduced in the football contests between Yale and Harvard. Of the twenty-eight games played since that year, Yale has captured twenty-one. Harvard has won four and three games have been tied. There were five years in which the universities did not meet in football. The highest score in the series was made in 1906, when Yale ran up twenty-eight points against a blank for the Crimson; the next year, however, Harvard scored twenty-two and shut out the Ells. Last year's game went to Harvard by the score of four to nothing.

The Wells Fargo dividend of \$300 a share comes three months after the Missoula office of the company was opened. Wait until the local office has been going a year and see the profits increase.

Once more we feel constrained to call the attention of critics to the fact that there is a vast difference between conservation and conversation.

County Treasurer Kennedy and City Treasurer Hatheway are keeping open house these days and all visitors are cordially received—likewise all funds.

The Great Falls Leader can find comfort in the fact that when its city is as old as Helena it will be a lot bigger than the Last Chance town.

It will require the exercise of marvelous mental power for Mrs. Stetson, under present conditions, to think she is all right.

It's fun when Speaker Cannon and Champ Clark fight, but Cummins and La Follette lose their tempers.

Helena and Great Falls continue their wrangle about population and Missoula keeps on growing.

The contest for the Northern Pacific hunting championship is productive of a lot of talk but mighty little venison.

Town lots on the reservation sell as fast as popcorn and the buyers are warranted in their satisfaction.

The citizens of Columbus have the correct idea of boosting. They back their arguments with dollars.

Every paving block brings the bridge nearer to completion, and the blocks are going down fast.

Mr. Loeb is demonstrating great dexterity in the manipulation of the big stick.

The more boosters there are, the sooner the 50,000 mark will be reached.

Nicaragua's Thanksgiving will have little cheer for at least half of the people.

State rights, of course, must be respected; but there are other rights.

Eight feet of snow in Dakota and unlimited sunshine in Montana.

Ominous is a good word as applied to the Nicaraguan situation.

Speaker Cannon continues to sit close to the ginger jar.

For a dead one, Uncle Joe Cannon has a lot of life.

EDITOR LAFFAN DEAD AT AGE OF 62

SUCCESSOR OF C. A. DANA ON NEW YORK SUN VICTIM OF APPENDICITIS.

New York, Nov. 19.—William F. Laffan, publisher of the New York Sun, died today at his home on Long Island, following an operation for appendicitis, performed on Monday.

William Laffan was the successor of the late Charles Dana in the management of the New York Sun, and publisher of that newspaper for the last 25 years. His home was at Lawrence, L. I.

Mr. Laffan was born in Dublin, Ireland, 42 years ago, and after completing his studies in Dublin university he came to this country. In 1870 he was made managing editor of the San Francisco Bulletin, but two years later removed to Baltimore to become editor and half owner of the Daily Bulletin, subsequently acquiring full ownership of that paper. While in Baltimore he married the daughter of Judge Daniel Hatfield of Washington, D. C.

Mr. Laffan was recognized as an authority on wood engravings and oriental porcelain. In 1905 he directed the work of cataloguing the Chinese porcelain in the collection of J. P. Morgan, and later the Chinese porcelain in the Metropolitan museum of art, of which he was a trustee.

His first connection with the Sun dates back to 1877, when he became its art critic. In 1884 he was elected president of the Sun and in 1900 purchased the interest of the estate of Charles A. Dana in the Sun Printing & Publishing company and became president of that corporation.

NEW PROCEDURE IN RECEIVING ENVOYS

Washington, Nov. 19.—When Count DeBuisseret, Belgian minister, presented his credentials to President Taft a new procedure for the reception of foreign diplomats was inaugurated. Heretofore it has been the custom for the new minister or ambassador to be ushered immediately into the blue room and wait there for the president. By the new plan, put into effect yesterday, the foreign envoy was conducted first to the green room, where he waited until notified that the president had reached the blue room and was ready to receive him.

The president also received at the White House Baron Liang Keul, an uncle of the emperor of China, who is touring this country.

COUNTY RECORDS BURNED.

Huntington, W. Va., Nov. 19.—The Lincoln county courthouse at Huntington was destroyed by fire early today. Incendiarism is suspected. All the county records were destroyed. Loss \$50,000.

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CARNEGIE MAGNETIC SURVEY DEVELOPS FACTS HITHERTO UNKNOWN.

Washington, Nov. 19.—The first results of the magnetic survey of the Atlantic ocean now being made by the Carnegie Institute of Washington on the non-magnetic yacht Carondek have been recorded. The first results prove that when a complete survey has been made masters of transatlantic liners will be able to clip some time off their schedules by following revised charts of the magnetic survey.

It is nothing unusual for a liner to lose 30 minutes of an hour in a transatlantic passage by being carried off a straight course by a treacherous performance of the compass. After the survey of the Atlantic is completed the non-magnetic ship will then take observations at various points to keep pace with the constant changes in the earth's magnetism. These affect the compass, it is estimated, at about the rate of five degrees in a century.

EARNED THE WAGER.

Tulsa, Okla., Nov. 19.—Carl Livingston, one of two brothers who left here May 24 on a wager of \$1,000 each that they could go to the Seattle exposition and return to Tulsa by November 25 with \$500 earned on the trip, arrived here today and claimed the stake. Herman, the other brother, remained in California, but sent word he would return in time to claim the wager. He has already sent in the \$500 that he was to earn on the trip.

GRIEF DRIVES DENVER SCHOOL TEACHER DAFT

Denver, Nov. 19.—A woman teacher in the public schools, whose name is withheld by the police and school authorities, became insane today while engaged in teaching her class and suddenly began to disrobe in the presence of her scholars.

Dr. Pearl B. Wheeler, public school nurse of the city, happened to enter the room at the time. The deranged young woman was taken to a hospital, where this evening it was reported her condition was improving.

The reason assigned for the sudden derangement of the teacher was the recent death of a brother, with whom she came to Denver a few months ago in the hope that the brother's improved health would improve. Since the death of the brother the young woman has given evidence of much mental suffering.

Miss Alice McGrew, the principal of the Webster school, where the incident occurred, said the young woman recently had displayed evidences of a nervous breakdown.

VANDERBILT-GOULD JOINTURE.

New York, Nov. 19.—Cornelius Vanderbilt was today invited by George J. Gould to become a member of the board of directors and executive committee of the Missouri Pacific railroad company. Mr. Vanderbilt has accepted. This is taken to mean in Wall Street that the Goulds and Vanderbilts have engaged in a closer working agreement and that interesting developments in the railroad world may be expected.

SEES MAN HANGED WHO MURDERED HER HUSBAND

Perry, Okla., Nov. 19.—"Now I can return home satisfied, since the murderer of my husband is hanged." Thus spoke Mrs. Isaac Fell, of Caldwell, Kan., today, after witnessing the execution of Henry Armstrong, who

MISSOURI TO GET USE OF OKLAHOMA PRODUCT

Muskogee, Okla., Nov. 19.—Federal Judge Campbell last night granted an injunction to the Queenan Oil & Gas company restraining the state officials from interfering with the piling of gas from Oklahoma to another state.

Head Hell Gate Coal Co.'s ad in Sunday's Missoulian.



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