

DOYLE'S SPIRITISM
LAD TO ILLUSIONS

Prof. Jastrow of University of Wisconsin Says Deduction Isn't Induction.

FACTS ARE TREACHEROUS

'Ectoplasm,' Emanations From Body of Spirit, Gets Instructor's Scorn.

Prof. Joseph Jastrow, who holds the chair of psychology in the University of Wisconsin, delivered a lecture on the history of modern spiritism last night in the Brooklyn Academy of Music, in which he declared that in the case of Sir Arthur Conan Doyle and his belief in the existence of spirits "we are dealing with a mind which has lost its hold on reality."

"He achieved distinction in the writing of detective stories," said Prof. Jastrow, "where one begins at the end and works backward. But there is a great difference between deduction and induction, as used in real science. When a man attempts to prove the existence of facts by the use of pictures which have so evidently been cut out of a newspaper that one can see the edge of the cut, and accepts several hundred pounds for the article one cannot hold much scientific respect for his work."

"The case of Sir Oliver Lodge, however, is different. It is the case of a scientist, the exception, who seems to have this one querness in his logic. Every one still respects his intellect."

Prof. Jastrow traced the history of the modern spiritism movement from the Fox sisters in 1840 to the investigators of the present day, and summarized the evidence obtained, which he declared was unconvincing. He was especially ironic in his treatment of Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's "ectoplasm," or spirit stuff, supposed to issue from the body of the medium to form the spirit, or control.

"You cannot deny facts," said Prof. Jastrow, "but facts are the most treacherous things in the world. It is not the facts that produce the beliefs, but the beliefs that produce the facts. The facts in the proof of 'withcraft' were over-estimated, and everybody had to believe them. Witchcraft was never disproved. It was simply outgrown."

RODMAN WANAMAKER AND WHALEN HONORED

Decorated With Venezuelan Order of the Liberator.

Rodman Wanamaker, Special Deputy Police Commissioner, and Grover A. Whalen, Commissioner of Plant and Structures, were decorated yesterday with the Order of the Liberator, Second Class, by the Venezuelan delegation that attended the unveiling of the statue of Gen. Simon Bolivar in Central Park. The decorations were for their work as chairman and vice-chairman, respectively, of the Mayor's Committee on Receptions to Distinguished Guests. The delegation started for Washington after the decoration ceremonies. Commissioner Whalen received a telegram last night from Marcel Knecht, representing the French High Commission, stating that Rene Viviani, before he started for France Wednesday, had bestowed upon him the gold palms of the Officer of Public Instruction. Thomas A. Hayes, secretary to Mr. Wanamaker, has been decorated by M. Viviani with the Order of Officer of the Academy with silver palms. Earlier in the week Mr. Wanamaker was made a commander of the Legion of Honor.

MOON GOES ON JAUNT; HIDES ITSELF 2 HOURS

Eclipse This Morning; Last for Six Years.

All human beings everywhere in North and South America who stayed up late enough and looked in the right direction saw a total eclipse of the moon this morning, while those who neither stayed up nor looked in the right direction had a good night's rest, even though they lagged a bit in the accumulation of scientific knowledge. The eclipse began at 11:57 o'clock and continued until 4:32 o'clock in the morning, when it was all over. In the beginning of last night's lunar display the moon entered the penumbra or outer shadow of the earth, and at 1:06 o'clock this morning it entered the inner shadow of the earth, the umbra. The total eclipse began at 2:33 o'clock this morning. At 4:25 o'clock the moon had progressed out of the umbra and was heading full tilt for the penumbra, through which it passed at 4:32, and so on to normalcy. It will be six years before such an eclipse will be visible again in North and South America.

PASSOVER BEGINS TO-NIGHT

Jews of New York Will Commemorate Exodus From Egypt.

Observance of Passover, the Jewish festival in commemoration of the exodus of the Children of Israel from Egypt, will begin to-night. Among Jewish families adhering strictly to traditional regulations, the last day of the festival will be Saturday, April 30, while the more liberal Jews end the Passover week a day earlier.

FORDS HOLD LEAD IN STOLEN AUTOMOBILES

Radio messages listing the following automobiles as stolen were sent out yesterday from Police Headquarters: Ford touring, yellow wheels; 174199 N. Y.; motor #760512. Cadillac 1920 coupe; 16617 N. Y.; motor # M 13. Studebaker 1918 touring; 161468 N. Y.; motor 2946. McFarland 1919 touring; dark tan body, black wheels; 19066 N. Y.; motor 2474. Elgin touring; red body; 48335 N. Y.; motor K 3011. Ford 1917 touring; green body; 172882 N. J.; motor 206656. Ford 1920 sedan; license 146524 N. Y.; motor 2893335. Ranier auto truck; maroon body; 1921; ranked Prudential Film Company; 05307 N. Y.; motor 118299. Ford 1920 sedan; 87799 N. J.; motor 4539199. Ford sedan; 86897 N. J.; motor 4626623. Chevrolet 1920 touring; 9476 N. Y.; motor 24510. Dues 1920 sedan; dark blue body; 96446 N. J.; motor 4 R 15735. Chevrolet 1921 touring; green body; 511082 N. Y.; motor 62394. Ford sedan 1920; 90392 N. J.; motor 4179631. Dodge touring, 1920; 102198 N. Y.; motor 472166. Michlelan 1916 touring; 46291 N. Y.; motor 477 E. Cadillac 1917 sedan; blue body and gear; 169 N. Y.; motor 52388. Oakland 1920 five passenger touring; green body; 230945 N. Y.; motor unknown. Ford 1920 touring; 142970 N. Y.; motor 2391628.

JUDGE HENRY WARD TO RETIRE THIS SUMMER

May Take Extended Rest After Long Service.

Henry Galbraith Ward, who has been a member of the United States Circuit Court, Second Circuit, for the last fourteen years, will retire some time this summer, or as soon as the present accumulation of cases before the court is disposed of. It was learned yesterday, Judge Ward was appointed to the bench by President Roosevelt, succeeding Judge Wallace, resigned. Judge Ward's plans for the future are not completely formed. He believes he is deserving of a rest after a long period of public service. When appointed he had practically the unanimous indorsement of the bench and the bar.

\$100,000 TO DAUGHTER BY TRACY LEWIS'S WILL

\$70,000 to Naugatuck, Yacht and \$25,000 to Widow.

NAUGATUCK, Conn., April 21.—The will of Tracy S. Lewis of Brooklyn, N. Y., admitted to probate here today, provides for a bequest of \$50,000 to the borough of Naugatuck to be used for improving parks which were given to the community by his father. The sum of \$10,000 is left to the Ecclesiastical Society of the Congregational Church of Naugatuck and \$10,000 to the Grove Cemetery Association of Naugatuck. The will bequeaths the yacht *Scenic*, his personal effects and \$25,000 to the widow, Mrs. Grace Meacham Lewis of Brooklyn. The sum of \$100,000 is left in trust for a daughter one year old, Mr. Lewis, who died a few weeks ago, was president of the Beacon Falls Rubber Shoe Company, located near here.

MRS. HAYDEN FOUND DEAD IN HOTEL ROOM

Sudden Attack of Heart Trouble Given as Cause.

Mrs. Lucille Hayden, 28, was found dead yesterday afternoon in her room at the Hotel Netherland, Fifth avenue and Fifty-ninth street. It was learned that she had been under the care of a physician for two years for heart trouble and the report of the Medical Examiner said that death apparently had been caused by a heart attack induced by a hot bath. Mrs. Hayden took her daily automobile ride in the morning and at noon told her chauffeur she would call him at 3 o'clock. He waited until 5 o'clock, then he notified the hotel management. Mrs. Hayden was found lying dead on the floor of the bathroom. Patrolman Mark Byrne of the East Sixty-seventh street station was sent to the hotel to get a report, but information was refused, he said, by a man who said he was the manager.

ILLINOIS SUPREME COURT BARS BOY FROM ESTATE

Chicago, April 21.—Henry Anthony Marsh, son of Henry Field of Chicago and Peggy Marsh, is not entitled to inheritance of the Marshall Field millions, the Supreme Court of Illinois decided today in ruling that the Marshall Field will specifically exempts from inheritance any illegitimate offspring.

PEGGY MARSH'S SON LOSES FIELD RICHES

The decision cuts the child off from a share in property variously valued at from \$100,000,000 to \$200,000,000 and ends a friendly suit in the Field family to determine the boy's standing.

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