HE WILL CHANGE WIVES

Spouse Will Get Divorce That Artist May Wed His Affinity.

EVERYBODY SEEMS SATISFIED

Prospective Bride Already Living At Future Husband's Home—The Women Met on Friendly Terms and Said Cordial Good-Bye.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4—A remarkable story of a change in the marital relations of Ferdinand P. Earle, an artist, and son of the late Gen. Ferdinand P. Earle, the hotel man, is published today, apparently on the authority of Mr. Earle himself. The arrangement which Mr. Earle says has been decided upon included the return to France of his wife, where it is planned she is to secure a divorce, and this accomplished, Mr. Earle is to wed a young woman whose name is withheld, but who is already living with her brother in Mr. Earle's country home near Monroe, Orange county, N. Y. A young son is to accompany the wife, who is to be sent away to France.

The arrangement, strange to say, is apparently acquiesced in by all the persons involved. A part of the arrangement was carried out today when the wife and child boarded the steamer Ryndham, which sailed today for Europe. Earle and the woman he is to marry accompanied the wife to the steamer to see her off.

Earale, in a lengthy published interview says he is acting on his convictions, and maintains that his scheme of life is one designed to secure happiness. He also says he is a socialist, but that his determination was not evilved from the teaaching of socialism, but from his own conception of a man's duty to himself. He is not a believer in free love, but in the freedom of love when its dictates run counter to the formal precepts laid down by society.

Earle frankly admits that his wife, a Frenchwoman, whom he married 10 years ago, was very dear to him, but that eventually something began to arise between them which he cannot explain. This state of affairs grew continuously.

A few months ago, while traveling to Europe, he met the young woman whom he plans to make his wife. Like himself, he says, she was a socialist and held the same views he did as to the happiness of wedded life. They became attached and realized that their marriage had been forcordained before their birth.

When this knowledge came to him, he says, he went to his wife's father in France, told him the situation, and the father seeing the point of view, a lawyer was called in and a divorce arranged. Then he came home, told his wife and persuaded her that it was for the best. Then the woman who was his real affinity, he says, came to his home and met his wife. Her mother came with her, and later her brother, and all have since lived under the same roof, according to the artist's story.

HOT FIGHT ON AT CONVENTION OF EAGLES

Order is Embarrassed Because of Complicity in Their Political Affairs.

NORFOLK, VA., Sept. 4.—The second day's session of the National Convention of the Fraternal Order of Eagles opened today with an increased attendance. The forenoon was devoted to the hearing of the reports of the grand officers; presentation and request for petitions communications and memorials and the hearing of the reports of the judiciary committee and finance committees, in the afternoon the reports of the grievance appeals and credentials commitees were heard and the report of the ritual committee was received.

The session of the Grand Aerie was kept busy this afternoon reading reports and compiling statistics preparatory to the final readings. New delegates continued to pour into the city all day bringing with them large numbers of visitors.

The latest arrivals are from the far West and Southern cities. It is believed that the parade tomorrow will find 10,000 men in line. Delegations of marching clubs and degree teams are arriving on every incoming boat and train.

There is a strong factional fight on in the order between the administration and the anti-administration and candidates for office on both sides are numerous. It is claimed by both factions that the order is in a state of embarrassment because of complicity in their political affairs, and both sides declare that the only remedial steps that can alleviate the tension of the situation is the installation of their respective clans.

Man and Woman Rob On Highway.

PETERSBURG, VA., Sept. 4.—William Ward and his wife, Anna, typical negro hoboes, were arrested here today, charged with highway robbery in Chesterfield county. They held up J. T. Pitman, a citizen of that county, Monday night. They flashed a pistol in his face, and under threats of death, forced him to give up his money.

The ancient Egyptians used a form of blast furnace in 2000 B. C. We have pictures of these ironworkers on the tombs at Thebes.

The Scrap Book

In His Own Line.

Jim Jackson was brought before a judge charged with chicken stealing. After Jackson's conviction the justice, with a perplexed look, said:

"But I do not understand, Jackson, how it was possible for you to steal those chickens when they were roosting right under the owner's window and there were two vicious dogs in the yard."

"Hit wouldn't do yer a bit o' good, jedge, for me to 'splain how I kotched dem chickens, fer you couldn't do hit yerself ef yer tried it fohty times, an' yer might git yer hide full er lead. De bes' way fer you ter do, jedge, is jes' ter buy yo' chickens in de market, same ez odder folks does, an' when yer wants ter commit any rascality do hit on de bench, whar yo' is at home."

BRAVE LOVE.

He'd nothing but his violin,
I'd nothing but my song.
But we were wed when skies were blue
And summer days were long.
And when we rested by the hedge
The robins came and told
How they had dared to woo and win
When early spring was cold.
We sometimes supped on dewberries,
Or slept among the hay,
But oft the farmers' wives at eve
Came out to hear us play.
The rare old tunes—the dear old tunes—
We could not starve for long
While my man had his violin
And I my sweet love song.
The world has ayo gone well with us,
Old man, since we were one—
Our homeless wanderings down the lanes—
It long ago was done.
But those who wait for gold or gear,
For houses and for kine,
Till youth'a sweet spring grows brown and sere,
And love and beauty tine,
Will never know the joy of hearts
That met without a fear
When you had but your violin
And I a song, my dear.

An Interruption.

A little boy in his night dress was on his knees saying his prayers, and his little sister could not resist the temptation to tickle the soles of his feet. He stood it as long as he could and then said, "Please, God, excuse me while I knock the stuffin' out of Nellie."

The Mad Dog.

William J. Stevens, for several years local station agent at Swansea, R. I., was peacefully promenading his platform one morning when a rash dog ventured to snap at one of William's plump legs. Stevens promptly kicked the animal halfway across the tracks, and was immediately confronted by the owner, who demanded an explanation in language more forcible than courteous.

"Why," said Stevens when the other paused for breath, "your dog's mad."

"Mad! Mad! You double-eyed blankety-blank fool, he ain't mad!"

"Oh, ain't he?" cut in Stevens. "Gosh! I should be if any one kicked me like that!"—Everybody's.

Politeness Pays.

In one of the churches of New York, according to District Attorney Jerome, there was once an old woman who insisted on bowing her head every time the name of Satan was mentioned during the service or sermon. The rector, after noticing the eccentricity for many months, asked her: "Madam, why do you bow at the name of Satan? It is not customary, you know." "Oh, I know that," she said, "but it doesn't cost anything to be polite, and one never knows what will happen."

On the Job.

A New York printer who occupies a floor in Seventeenth street directed one of his clerks to hang out a "Boy Wanted" sign at the street entrance a few days ago. The card had been swinging in the breeze only a few minutes when a red headed little lad climbed to the printer's office with the sign under his arm.

"Say, mister," he demanded of the printer, "did youse hang out this here 'Boy Wanted' sign?"

"I did," replied the printer sternly. "Why did you tear it down?"

Back of his freckles the youngster was gazing in wonder at the man's stupidity.

"Hully gee!" he blurted. "Why, I'm the boy!"

And he was.

A Sympathetic King.

Louis Philippe knew that Marshal Soult clung to power and that his fall would be bitter to him, but when the time came the future ministers, with Thiers at their head, were assembled at the Tuilleries, while in the next room Louis broke the news to Soult. The interview took a long time, and the ministers were not without apprehension. Finally the door was opened just enough to allow the king's queer pear shaped head to pass, and he whispered: "A little patience, gentlemen; just a little patience. We are weeping together."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Couldn't Go to Egypt.

An old gentleman advertised for an agreeable companion to visit Egypt with him. This advertisement was seen late at night by a young man who had been dining freely. He cogitated awhile and then told the club porter to call a hansom. The cab was procured, and with a little muscular exertion on the part of the porter and the cabby the young man was stowed away in its recesses.

He told the man to drive to the address given in the advertisement. Arrived there he was assisted to the pavement and with much dignity ordered the cabby to practice on the bell and knocker of the old fashioned residence. The advertiser stuck his venerable head out of the window, and after a parley conducted with explosive indignation, which was met with unruffled assurance from the pavement, the ancient came down and unbolted the door. When he had picked up the diner and stood him in the corner the following conversation took place:

"Now, sir, what do you mean by waking me up at this hour?"

"Come t'ansher 'vertishment."

"Well, sir, this is no time to come on such an errand. What have you to say?"

"I've come to tell you—very sor-ry—can't go with you."

A Volunteer.

A darky preacher was lost in the happy selection of his text, which he repeated in vigorous accents of pleading.

"Oh, bredern, at de las' day dere's gwine to be sheep an' dere's gwine to be goats. Who's gwine to be de sheep an' who's gwine to be de goats? Let's all try to be like de lil' white lambs, bredern. Shall we be de goats, sisters? Naw, we's gwine to be de sheep. Who's gwine to be de sheep, bredern, an' who's gwine to be de goats? Tak' care ob youh souls, sisters. Remember dere's gwine to be goats an' sheep. Who's gwine to be de sheep an' who's gwine to be de goats?"

Just then a solitary Irishman who had been sitting in the back of the church, listening attentively, rose and said:

"Ol'll be the goat. Go on; tell us the joke, elder. Ol'll be the goat!"—Lippincott's.

He Knew His Father.

"Suppose," said a father to his little boy, "you have half an apple and I give you another half. How much have you?"

"A whole apple," said the boy.

"Well," continued the father, "suppose you had a half dollar and I gave you another half dollar. What would you have then?"

"A fit," promptly answered the boy.

Passed in the Dark.

It is said that General Knyphausen, who commanded the Hessian mercenaries in America in 1776, knew little about the sea and less about geography. On the voyage to America he was on Lord Howe's ship, where he passed several uncomfortable weeks, as the voyage was unusually long. Knyphausen was a martinet so far as disciplne was concerned. He had strong scruples against interfering, but the time came when he could keep silence no longer. He marched stiffly up to the admiral and said: "My lord, I know it is the duty of a soldier to be submissive at sea; but, being intrusted with the troops of his serene highness, my master, I feel it my duty to inquire if it be not possible that during the extremely dark nights we have lately had we may have sailed past America."—Detroit Free Press.

Divorce Wanted.

Scene: Lawyer's office. Enter little girl, sobbing bitterly.

Lawyer—Why, little one, what's wrong?

Little Girl—Are you Mr. Blank, the lawyer?

The Lawyer—Yes. What is it you want?

Little Girl—I want (sob)—I want—a divorce from my pa and ma.

A Director of the Union Pacific.

Pushing into the private car of Mr. Harriman, a messenger boy said:

"Hello! I got er telegram for McKeen."

"You mean Mr. McKeen," interrupted Mr. Harriman, with a frosty smile.

"Yep, I guess so; the head cheese of the motive department."

Mr. Harriman took the telegram and had it sent to Mr. McKeen.

"What do you do?" he asked the lad, with a glance around at his companions.

"I'm one of the directors of the Union Pacific," said the boy, taking the challenge.

"What?" exclaimed Mr. Harriman.

"Yep. I direct envelopes over at the master mechanic's office," was the reply as the lad left the car.

A Matter of Etiquette.

The wedding ceremony was concluded. The proud but bashful bridegroom hesitated and then leaned over and whispered to the officiating clergyman, his natural tendency toward stuttering increased by embarrassment, "Is it k-k-kistomary to c-c-cuss the bride?"

She Won Her Uncle.

Uncle Harry was a bachelor and not fond of babies. Even winsome four-year-old Helen failed to win his heart. Every one made too much fuss over the youngster, Uncle Harry declared.

One day Helen's mother was called downstairs and with fear and trembling asked Uncle Harry, who was stretched out on a sofa, if he would keep his eye on Helen. Uncle Harry granted "Yes," but never stirred from his position—in truth his eyes were tight shut.

By and by wee Helen tiptoed over to the sofa and leaning over Uncle Harry softly inquired:

"Feepy?"

"No," growled Uncle Harry.

"Tired?" ventured Helen.

"No," said her uncle.

"Sick?" further inquired Helen, with real sympathy in her voice.

"No," still insisted Uncle Harry.

"Dus' feel bum, hey?"

And that won the uncle!—Ladies' Home Journal.

Scotch Ostentation.

Boswell, at a public dinner, complained that he had his pocket picked of his handkerchief. "Pooh," said Dr. Johnson, "it's nothing but the ostentation of a Scotchman to let the world know that he had possessed a handkerchief."

JAPS AIM AT GERMANY

Will Japan Declare A "Monroe Doctrine" For Portion of Asia?.

SHE KEEPS ON BUILDING SHIPS

Army Officers Believes Her Show of Hostility Toward United States is A Feint to Hide Other Designs—Reasons for Believing So.

WASHINGTON, D. D., Sept. 4—A prominent army officer whose name for obvious reasons, cannot be mentioned, expresses the opinion that Japan is permitting her people to make a show of hostility against this country, with which the Japanese Government is on excellent terms, for the well-considered purpose of distracting attention from Japan's intention of forcing recognition of her Asiatic "Monroe doctrine."

"Ever since Germany, in 1899," said this officer, "made a pretext of outrages on missionaries to get a lease on the Kiao-Chau peninsula and extend her sphere of influence to the greater part of the Saan-Tung peninsula, Japan has watched her aggression with a jealous eye.

"Japan needs three years more in which to get her ships, already laid down, completed and her war material and equipment assembled. She has perfected alliances with nearly all of the Germany's enemies, and if she can distract attention from her warlike preparations for that period of time, she will be in position to oust Germany from the soil of China, and then sit tight and defy the Teutons to retake their base.

"Japan's navy really outclasses that of Germany now, and if Japan should carry out this program Germany might find herself in a very delicate, if not an untenable, position. She would have to carry the war right to Japan, and, as Russia found out, that is no easy undertaking. We know from the reports of our agents that Japan is exhibiting great activity in her shipyards and arsenals. If she is not going to fight us—and I do not think she is—then at whom is she aiming?

"Japan's fear that the 50-year lease of Germany on the Shan-Tung peninsula may develop and grow into a vested right is given color by the fact that the French got possession of Tonquin in a similar manner. Japan has declared that she will not permit the dismemberment of China. She has already driven Russia off of Chinese soil, much to her own advantage, and she seems quite capable of driving out others whom she also deems intruders. Meanwhile, it would be highly desirable for Japan to conceal her real object, and how could she do that better than to allow it to be assumed that she intended to give battle to this country, while she is in reality preparing to fight Germany?

THE ROYAL BOX.

The king of Italy is an ardent collector of coins, giving particular attention to those of the Romans and ancient Greeks.

Princess Ludwig Ferdinand of Bataria has formed a league to promote the wearing of shorter skirts. The kaiserin and other prominent women are said to be in entire sympathy with the movement.

The Prince of Wales has two sets of visiting cards, one for use abroad and the other for England. The English one bears the words "The Prince of Wales," the other the French equivalent, "Prince de Galles."

Prince Victor Marayah of India, whose father rules one of the provinces of the Indian empire, has announced his intention of entering Cornell College of Agriculture this fall. The prince, who is an athlete, is to try for a place on the Cornell football team.

The shah of Persia has cultivated his talent for drawing with considerable enthusiasm. His hobby takes a very curious form, for we are told that in his palace at Tehefan he has a studio the walls of which are covered with white paper, on which he does his sketching. When the four walls are covered with drawings he has them repapered and starts again.

TRAIN AND TRACK.

A single rail line with four tracks on an elevated structure is proposed between Newark and Jersey City. Some very influential people are back of the project.

It was an interesting coincidence that the new Bangor (Me.) railroad station was opened for business on the fifty-second anniversary of the day when the first railroad train pulled out of Bangor for the west.

The Los Angeles-Pacific company, operating electric railways to several beach resorts near Los Angeles, Cal., has imported 60,000 sleepers from Formosa. These are of hard wood, most of them being of narra, a wood much used in the east for interior work.

Thomas H. Briggs of Hope Valley, R. I., is the youngest locomotive engineer in the state. He is twenty-two years old, and constitutes the entire engineering force of the railroad that runs from Wood River Junction to the little manufacturing village of Hope Valley. Five round trips is his daily stunt.

Jamestown Official Bankrupt.

NORFOLK, VA., Sept. 4.—Robert H. Sexton, director of congresses and special events at the Jamestown Exposition, has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy. His liabilities are placed at $3,263; assets, nothing. His creditors are in Baltimore and St. Louis.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICE.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA.

In the matter of J. G. Freeman and I. H. Smith, trading as J. G. Freeman & Co., Bankrupts, in Bankruptcy.

To the creditors of J. G. Freeman and I. H. Smith, trading as J. G. Freeman & Co., of Hampton, in the county of Elizabeth City and district aforesaid, bankrupts:

Notice is hereby given that on the 19th day of August, A. D., 1907, the said J. G. Freeman and I. H. Smith, trading as J. G. Freeman & Co., were duly adjudicated bankrupts; and that the first meeting of their creditors will be held at the office of F. S. Collier, Esq., in Hampton, Va., on the 16th day of September, A. D. 1907, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupts, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting

Dated Newport News, Va., September 5, 1907.

JNO. B. LOCKE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

F. S. COLLIER, Esq.,
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New pupils must be at least seven (7) years of age, and must show physician's certificate of successful vaccination before they can be enrolled in the schools.

Non Resident pupils will be admitted upon the payment of the usual tuition fee, nine (9) dollars for the primary and grammar schools, and twenty-five (25) dollars for the High School, provided that no resident pupil is thereby deprived of a seat in the schools.

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