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MINNEAPOLIS WOMAN'S PRIZE.

Wealthy Widow Weds Son of Late Lord Mackenzie.

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 6.—It has just developed that Mrs. Grace Farrell, a handsome and wealthy young widow, who has recently made her home in this city, was married on September 25 to the Honorable C. J. C. Mackenzie, a son of the late Lord Mackenzie of Kilmorack, Scotland.

While Mrs. Farrell was spending the winter on the Pacific Coast she met Mr. Mackenzie at the home of mutual friends, and in time a formal engagement ensued, culminating in the marriage, which occurred at All Saints' Church, in Omaha, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. Mackenzie are now en route to New York City, from which place they will sail on Wednesday next for Europe.

MEXICAN MONEY ADVANCED.

Caused by Exportation of Silver to the Orient.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

El Paso, Tex., Oct. 6.—The advance of silver bullion and the exportation of great quantities of Mexican silver dollars to the Orient during the last few weeks have caused an advance in Mexican money. The banks in El Paso are paying 49c cents now and another advance is expected.

During the last six weeks there has been over $15,000,000 in silver shipped through this city by express en route to the Orient, and almost every train now carries west from $100,000 to $200,000. The reason of this sudden exportation of silver has not been explained, but the supposition is that the money is needed for the increased trade of China and the Oriental islands.

PLEADED NOT GUILTY.

Mrs. Nessenheiner's Trial Set for December 17.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Hannibal, Mo., Oct. 6.—Mrs. Alice Nessenheiner, under indictment, charged with the murder of her husband, Speak Nessenheiner, on July 14, by administering a deadly dose of morphine, was arraigned before Judge Hoy in the Hannibal Court of Common Pleas this afternoon, and a plea of not guilty was entered by her attorney, J. W. Northcutt. Application for the release of the prisoner on bond was refused and she was taken to the Palmyra jail. She refused to part with her 18-months-old baby, and the little one occupies the same cell with her. The trial of the case has been docketed for December 17, and Northcutt gave notice that he would ask for a change of venue.

Republicans Plan a Rally.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Pana, Ill., Oct. 6.—John Barrett, ex-Minister to Siam, and Commissioner to the Philippines; Colonel James Campbell of the Thirtieth Volunteers; Doctor Robert Nourse of Virginia; William McFarland, ex-Secretary of State of Iowa; Senator Cullom, Richard Yates and the candidates for State offices, will address the Republicans at Shelbyville Tuesday, October 16. This will be the main political rally of the campaign.

FEEDS BRAIN WORKERS

A Food Made Expressly for Them.

A literary woman, Mrs. J. C. Roberts, 136 Holmes St., Dallas, Tex., has discovered that a properly selected brain food is of great benefit to any brain worker. She says: "My duties as journalist require me to write all day, particularly in the winter, but heretofore, after luncheon, no matter how light I made it, I found myself incapacitated for work for an hour or two, for my brain would not respond to the demand.

"I saw an advertisement of Grape-Nuts for brain workers and determined to give it a trial. I am charmed with the result, and am now in perfect health. I use Grape-Nuts for luncheon, and never suffer any inconvenience whatever, returning to my work at once, feeling as bright as when I left it. I know from experience that this preparation is invaluable for brain workers, who are apt to find that that period of time given up to digestion is one of almost total eclipse of mental power."

To this day and age of concentrated effort it is wise for brain workers to use a food especially adapted for rebuilding the brain and nerve centers. Grape-Nuts food was invented by an expert especially for that purpose. Knowledge of the food elements contained in the grains and how to prepare these elements so as to be quickly absorbed by the body and used directly to replenish the lost phosphate of potash (which is exhausted by mental work) have brought about the result. The proof can be had by any brain worker who will take the trouble to use Grape-Nuts for a few days.

LITTLE CHANGE IN ENGLAND'S CABINET.

Salisbury Appears Inclined to Retain Nearly All His Official Family.

IRISH PARTY AGAIN DIVIDED.

Opposition to Mr. Healy Is Most Bitter and He Is Declared by Home Rulers to Be a Renegade.

London, Oct. 6.—As a Conservative majority daily becomes more and more assured speculation as to the personnel of the next Cabinet grows rife, all sorts of guesses are published. None of these, however, seems inspired. Many take it for granted that sweeping changes will be made, but from a peer high in Conservative councils the Associated Press learns that the make-up of the next Cabinet will be so similar to that of its predecessor that it will come as a startling surprise.

The Marquis of Lansdowne, who, next to Mr. Chamberlain, is the object of more attacks than any other Cabinet Minister, can have the War Office portfolio again if he desires, and he probably will accept it, as he has implicit belief in Lord Roberts, and is anxious to co-operate with him in reforms which he has been contemplating for some time, but would not begin with Lord Wolseley, the late Commander-in-Chief, and General Sir Evelyn Wood, the Adjutant General, with whom his relations are greatly strained.

It is not to be that either Lord Lansdowne or the Duke of Marlborough has been offered the Lord Lieutenancy of Ireland, and it is quite improbable that either will have such an offer, though Earl Cadogan does intend to resign much to the relief of the leading Conservatives in Ireland, who are bitterly opposed to Mr. Gerald Balfour (the Chief Secretary), and Earl Cadogan's attempt at nonpartisan government.

Lord Salisbury will resume the premiership and the Foreign Office portfolio; at least everything that is being said by fellow-members of the Cabinet point to his doing so. Probably the only important change will be in the Admiralty, for which the Right Honorable Robert William Hanbury is being favorably considered. Lord George Hamilton, who formerly was at the head of the Admiralty, could have the portfolio again, but he prefers to remain at the head of the Indian Office.

The Earl of Selborne, at present Mr. Chamberlain's assistant, has been selected for preferment. He is regarded as one of the strongest men in the Government, and may have a seat in the Cabinet in the place of the Right Honorable Walter Long, president of the Board of Agriculture. If he does, he will add one more to the long list of Lord Salisbury's relatives controlling England's destinies, as he married the Premier's daughter.

Still Fighting Mr. Chamberlain.

The vigorous personal attacks upon Mr. Chamberlain continue and seem to gather bitterness as the reality of defeat draws near to the Liberals. The Honorable P. J. Stanhope's reverse is construed by the Conservatives as a rebuke for his bitter denunciation of Mr. Chamberlain. But Mr. Stanhope adheres to his attitude reiterating that he is ready to prove in the courts that Mr. Chamberlain only "whitewashed" Mr. Cecil Rhodes in the House of Commons because another member had letters in his pocket incriminating Mr. Chamberlain with the raid. This member, though not named by Mr. Stanhope, the Associated Press learns is Abel Thomas, a Liberal representing East Carmarthenshire in the last Parliament.

In the meanwhile, Mr. Chamberlain is apparently unmoved, and his serenely sending letters to the nation and stumping the country, putting all his vigor and the strength of his personality into the campaign, in marked contrast with the other Cabinet members. While Mr. Chamberlain is practically the only interesting figure in the struggle in England, they are in Ireland several men and bodies stirring up the country into such a chaotic condition of party lines as has never occurred before and it would excite the greatest interest were it not for the fact that England was so occupied with her own local contest.

It is claimed that Mr. Timothy M. Healy has split the Irish party to almost as great a degree as did the late Charles Stuart Parnell, and that the bitterness injected into the fight equals that historic division. The Freeman's Journal declares that any one voting for Healy's candidate is "without an atom of self-respect," and describes his campaign as one of "secret calumny and vilification."

The paper blames him for the loss of Galway, saying:

"Galway has disgraced the national solidarity, broken once more by the treason of renegade home rulers and the flag of union has been planted beyond the Shannon."

On the other hand, the Dublin Independent supports Mr. Healy and Mr. Cardinal Logue has also come out with a declaration in his favor.

Notable Changes in Ireland.

As a result of the split, Londonderry and Galway have changed their colors, and their constituencies are likely to follow suit. The Duke of Abercorn, whose son, the Marquis of Moneo, ousted Mr. Hanlston from Londonderry, said to a representative of the Associated Press:

"Frankly you can say to the Americans that the people in my part of the country, the North, are more prosperous and more thrifty than ever. The Irish Channel and lack of coal, and many other facilities, are drawbacks to the development of many of our industries. But everything will come in time, and whether Ireland returns an increased or decreased majority, I think she will improve commercially; slowly, perhaps, but surely. So we may eventually decrease the number of good Irishmen who annually go to your side of the water."

John Farrell, who was so curiously ousted from South Meath, only secured the nomination by recanting his action in presenting the keys of Dublin to Queen Victoria on the occasion of her visit to that city, in the following words:

"I would sacrifice my official position of Sheriff if I ever again had to undergo such a humiliating degradation."

Mr. Farrell was thereupon declared suitable as member, and would have been sent to the House of Commons but for the ingenuity of friends of James Laurence Carew, who was defeated in the contest for the College Green division of Dublin, not only on account of his attending the royal garden party, but because of his support of Mr. Healy. Owing to a technicality, Mr. Carew was elected for South Meath without opposition.

Queen Despises a Daughter-in-Law.

The Free Lance has published a remarkable interview with former Queen Natalie of Servia, who has been summering at a villa near San Sebastian. The Queen does not mince her words in regard to her son and the present Queen of Servia. She says:

"The charge that I sent her insulting post cards is an infamous bit of malignity on her part, got up as a pretext for the dismissal of a few officers of my household still at Belgrade, and in order to pocket their allowance. Never was a man more infatuated than my dear, deluded son by this petty, narrow-minded, narrow-hearted Servian subject, fifteen years his senior."

No language is too strong, apparently to express Queen Natalie's dislike for Queen Draga. She recounts her fruitless efforts to nip the affair before it approached a serious point.

The theatrical world keeps busy. In addition to the reopening of Terry's Theater, Thursday, with "A Parlor Match," the Lyceum opens to-night with a new drama, "Auld Lang Syne," under the management of William Mollison. This is his first theatrical enterprise.

"Red Pottage" has been dramatized, and it will shortly appear.

Charles Wyndham reopens his theater October 9 with H. A. Jones's new play, "Mrs. Dane's Defense."

Olga Nethersole sailed on the St. Paul to-day on an American tour.

Vroom, the dramatist, will sail shortly to produce "Marcee of Gascony" for the first time in America, under the management of Jacob Litt. Another Vroom play will appear at Drury Lane at Easter.

—The Tenth District Republican Congressional Committee held a meeting yesterday afternoon at Concordia Turner Hall. Chairman Ranchenstein of Clayton called the meeting to order. The outlook in the district was discussed and the committee made out an itinerary for Mr. Bartholdt.

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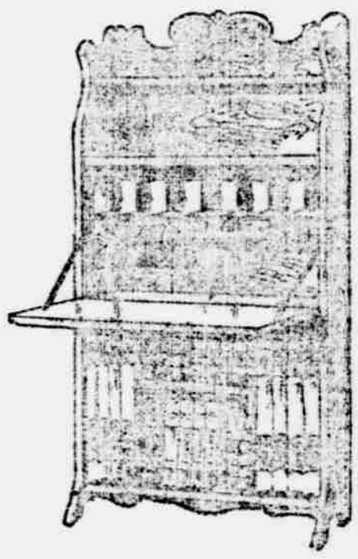

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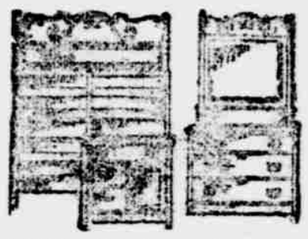
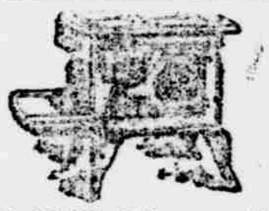


BEDROOM SUITE—Like cut—a good, substantially made bedroom suite, beveled mirror, daintily carved, large mirror; this is a suite that contains years of service; worth $20. *Our October Sale Price.....* **$13.75**



COOKING STOVE—Like cut—this is the best stove of its class ever offered for the money; it is neat and attractive in appearance and perfect in operation; nicely nickeled; worth $9.50. *Our October Sale Price.* **$5.90**

Willow Rocker

Like cut—200 only; a Rocker built for comfort; the back is high and well braced and the seat is the popular basket shape—full roll arms; worth $5.00.

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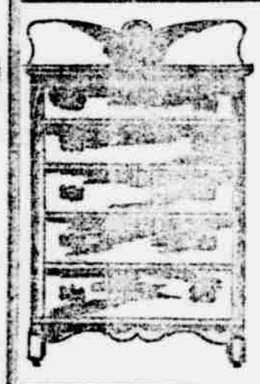

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CHIFFONIER—Like cut—very convenient and well made—worth $6.50—*Our October Sale Price....* **$4.00**

CHIFFONIER—Quartered oak, hand carved, highly polished, worth $9.00—*Our October Sale Price....* **$5.75**

CHIFFONIER—Fitted with a large mirror and hat box—worth $14.00—*Our October Sale Price....* **$9.50**

CHIFFONIER—Beautiful in design and perfect in finish—oak or mahogany—worth $21.00—*Our October Sale Price.* **$14.50**

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SIDEBOARDS.

SIDEBOARD—Like cut—Golden oak, large mirror—worth $12.50—*Our October Sale Price.....* **$7.95**

SIDEBOARD—Swelled drawers, extra large mirror—worth $17.00—*Our October Sale Price....* **$11.75**

SIDEBOARD—Quartered golden oak, highly polished—worth $26.00—*Our October Sale Price...* **$18.50**

SIDEBOARD—High grade throughout—worth $36.00—*Our October Sale Price.....* **$26.00**

HEATING STOVE.

Like cut—a very popular heater. Has steel drum and ribbed fire-pot. Air-tight damper and feed door. It is beautifully nickeled and ornamented—a good, durable low-priced heating stove—worth $6.00—*Our October Sale Price.....* **$3.98**

BED DAVENPORT—Very choice. The frame is made of quartered golden oak and mahoganized feather flaked birch. The upholstering is in a variety of figured or plain imported material; can be opened into a bed—worth $30.00—*Our October Sale Price....* **$20.00**

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TAPESTRY BRUSSELS, worth 65c, per yard	52c
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VELVETS, worth $1.05 per yard	85c
MOQUETTES, worth $1.15, per yard	95c
AXMINSTERS, worth $1.25, per yard	$1.05
AXMINSTERS, worth $1.45, per yard	$1.15
ROOM RUGS, worth $14.00, each	$9.85
ROOM RUGS, worth $20.00, each	$12.50
INGRAINS, worth 40c, per yard	25c
MATTINGS, worth 25c, per yard	16c
OILCLOTHS, worth 25c, per yard	19c
LACE CURTAINS, worth $1.25, per pair	75c

CANE-SEAT CHAIRS

(like cut), a pretty well made chair—has high back, turned spindles, embossed panel—extra heavy base, woven cane seat, worth $1.00—Our October Sale Price **60c**

BOX COUCH (like cut)—This couch opens and has a full length box for wardrobe use. It will hold a skirt without folding. It is strongly made; covers are in fancy cretoane and denims—worth $6.50—Our October Sale Price..... **$3.98**

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DEATH OF NATHAN WALDSTEIN.

Pioneer Lumberman Passes Away After an Operation.

Nathan Waldstein, a well-known pioneer lumberman of St. Louis, died yesterday afternoon at his home, No. 1621 Kennett place, as the result of an operation which he underwent on last Tuesday. He had a relapse, which, in connection with his advanced age, made his recovery impossible.

Mr. Waldstein was 65 years old, and was born in Germany. He came to this country as a youth. For many years, and up to the time of his death, he was president of the Waldstein Lumber Company. He was also president of the Lumbermen's Exchange. He lived with his only son, Franz Waldstein, who was associated with him in business as assistant secretary of the Waldstein Lumber Company.

The funeral will take place to-morrow at 2 p. m. from the residence. The following honorary pallbearers have been selected: A. J. Lanz, C. E. Striffler, J. N. Birgen and B. Kimbell.

The active pallbearers will be selected from the office force of the Waldstein Lumber Company. The funeral services at the house will be conducted by Max Hempel. The burial will be in Bellefontaine Cemetery.

FLORAL PARADE IN PEORIA.

Mrs. C. H. Smith Awarded First Honors for Handsome Equipage.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Peoria, Ill., Oct. 6.—Ladies' Day at the Corn Exposition and Carnival brought out the largest crowds of the festival season. The visitors from out of the city number into the thousands. The feature of the day was the beautiful floral parade, which proved the most pleasing event in the carnival programme of the week. For this parade society turned out in a body, and there were many handsome equipages in line.

Mrs. Frederick H. Smith was awarded first honors, her cabriolet being decked in violet chrysanthemums.

To-morrow will be a day of rest, a sacred concert by the carnival chorus and orchestra being the only event on the programme.

Prohibition Ticket Completed.

Dallas, Tex., Oct. 6.—The State Prohibition ticket was completed here to-day by filling the vacancies, as follows: For Governor, H. C. Damon of Corsicana; Lieutenant Governor, J. B. Adams of Forth Worth; Electors-at-Large, E. C. Heath of Rockwell and D. H. Hancock of Farmersville.

MARRIED BY BISHOP TUTTLE—Harry F. Ross, who is employed by the glass company at Crystal City, Mo., was married yesterday to Miss Grace McClure Graves of Kokomo, Ind. The ceremony was performed by Bishop Tuttle in Christ Church Cathedral. Mr. Ross formerly resided in Kokomo.