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DRIFTING TO IMPERIALISM

Yale's President Predicts an Emperor at Washington.

Regulation of the Trusts Necessary to Prevent the Destruction of Popular Government—Boston Congregation Startled by the Prophecy.

BOSTON, March 11.—"We shall have an Emperor in Washington within twenty-five years unless we can create a public sentiment which, regardless of legislation, will regulate the trusts!"

With that sentiment last evening President Hadley, of Yale, startled a congregation largely made up of the richest church society in New England—the Old South. President Hadley delivered the third in a course of Lenten addresses in the Old South by college presidents, and his specific topic was "The Development of a Public Conscience." He said:

"How do things stand as regards the need of a public conscience in this country today? The American standard of personal morality is, on the whole, high, as compared with other nations and other ages. We have developed personal virtues through individual conscience very well.

"But our actions in politics and in a social and business sense proved our moral standards in these directions desperately low.

"There is an appalling contrast between our methods of dealing with each other as individuals and the low standard observed in dealings between different parts of the whole organization of society. Competition used to prevent a man from practicing great extortion upon his neighbors, even if he wanted to, and in politics we once had at least a rough form of relative justice.

"But today, with our industries organized into trusts and the imperialistic spirit developing in politics, the general development of the principle of trusteeship will become appalling, unless we cultivate a higher standard of morality than ever before.

"Legislation will never protect us from the evils of trusts or of deteriorated politics. The essence of a trust is that you must trust the head of it to exercise his power wisely or to abuse it, according to the kind of conscience he possesses.

"Trusts have got to be regulated by public sentiment, and that public sentiment is not merely the opinion of any particular part of the whole people, but is a readiness to accept, in behalf of the community, restrictions, independent of the question of whether you or I shall be personally harmed by these restrictions.

"You say the community will not be governed by this principle. We must expect that the community will, however, for the alternative is an Emperor in Washington within twenty-five years. Public affairs can no longer be played as a game, but must be directed by an intelligent and active public conscience. Individual effort is helpless and hopeless.

"This is the opportunity of the church, hungry for something to do. Its function as a disseminator of information has been appropriated largely by the press.

"The church has the sympathy of the best men and must proceed to make Christianity and patriotism synonymous and both synonymous of the world's progress.

"The public conscience must be awakened as, nineteen hundred years ago, Christ awakened it, and it can be done if we continue to preach the Gospel which he presented."

ACCUSED BY HIS SISTER-IN-LAW

The Unusual Sequel of a College Man's Romance.

TRENTON, N. J., March 11.—A college romance had an unusual sequel here yesterday, when Harry Schock, son of a well-to-do family of Stroudsburg, Pa., was arrested, charged with having stolen a watch and chain from his sister-in-law.

Young Schock graduated last year from Cornell University. While at school he met and became enamored of the beautiful sister of ex-Mayor Frank A. Magowan, who was visiting in Ithaca. When he finished his course Schock often visited this city, and in January last he and Miss Magowan were married by Rev. Wesley A. Hunsberger, who, it is said, married ex-Mayor Magowan and Mrs. John A. Barnes.

Young Schock's marriage, it is said, did not please his family and he took up his abode at the Magowan residence, on East State Street.

Some time ago a burglary in the Magowan residence was reported to the police. Mrs. John Magowan's watch and some other articles were missing. The watch was found in a Philadelphia pawnshop. From a description of the person who pawned it suspicion attached to Schock, and then Mrs. John Magowan made the complaint which resulted in his arrest.

The arrest caused a great stir. It was made in front of the postoffice this afternoon while Schock and his wife were out walking. The prisoner was released in $200 bail after being in a cell for three hours. Schock at police headquarters gave the name of "John Kennedy."

Col. John T. Van Cleef, a prominent lawyer, has been engaged to look after Schock's interests. A brother of Schock is a lawyer in Stroudsburg, and it is understood the family has come to the rescue of the young man.

DEATH OF AN OSSIFIED WOMAN.

She Expires After Becoming Almost Completely Petrified.

FANKFORT, Ind., March 11.—Mrs. Mary Black, whose affliction with a complicated attack of Addison's disease, known as ossification, has attracted the attention of medical men and scientists for eighteen months, died last night at her home in this city.

The progress of the disease continued up to the time of her death. She became perfectly helpless, the flesh hardening until her whole body was as rigid as stone and had taken on a marble-like appearance. The hardening process also affected the entire inner organism.

The bronze color of the hardened flesh—a prominent feature of the effects of the disease—gave way to a dark grey color before death. For weeks the woman's features had borne more of a resemblance to statuary than to a human countenance.

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Five hundred rainy-day skirts were put on sale this morning at $1.98, which equal the values we have sold for double this price all season. They have eight rows of stitching at bottoms and 3-button side fastenings. They are in three shades—of blue, brown, and gray, and also have gros grain silk belts. There are all lengths and all sizes in the lot, and at $1.98 are extremely big bargains.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Commander and Mrs. Cowles will entertain at dinner this evening in honor of the Vice President. The Japanese Minister and Mme. Takahira also have dinner invitations out for tonight.

The engagement has been announced of Miss Irene Augusta Bainbridge, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Augustus Bainbridge, to Lieutenant Alga P. Berry, of the Tenth Infantry, U. S. A.

Miss Ruth Mason, the eldest daughter of Senator W. E. Mason, who is a student at the National University Law College, will receive the degree of LL. B., in June. It is said that she will practice law with her father in Chicago.

The Hon. Maud Pauncefote attended the opera in New York Friday evening as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Wetherbee.

Capt. and Mrs. George B. Haycock are at the Chalfonte, Atlantic City.

Representative and Mrs. Heatwole, with the latter's young daughter, Miss Archibald, left for their home on Saturday. They spent the winter at the Gordon.

Capt. and Mrs. Warren Beach have closed their New York home and are at their Washington residence, 1811 H Street.

Dr. and Mrs. Culver have purchased a yacht and are going to cruise in Cuban waters. They gave a musicale yesterday in New York and late in the present week will leave for a short stay at Palm Beach.

Mrs. C. H. Tebault and Mr. Grantland L. Tebault, who have been the guests of Mrs. Malcolm Henry, left today for a visit to Georgia, en route for their home in New Orleans.

Miss Anne O'Hagan, editor of the "Puritan," is visiting Mrs. Emily Y. O'Brien, 2504 Nineteenth Street.

SPREADING THE GOSPEL.

Annual Meeting of the Woman's Baptist Missionary Society.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Baptist Missionary Association of the District will be held this afternoon and evening at the First Baptist Church, corner Sixteenth and O Streets. At the afternoon session, beginning at 2:30 o'clock, ...e reports from the societies will be read. The election of officers will occur late this evening. An address will be delivered by Miss Righter, a recently returned missionary from China, who was in the Orient during the Boxer troubles.

In the evening Miss Righter and Miss Goddard, also a missionary who has returned from China, will tell of their experiences in the Flowery Kingdom.

MRS. NATION COMMENDED.

A Baltimore Preacher Compares Her With Joan of Arc.

BALTIMORE, March 11.—Rev. Dr. Don S. Colt, pastor of Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, preached last night to a large audience, choosing as his theme "The Saloon Ought to be Destroyed." He paid a high tribute to Mrs. Carrie Nation, whom he compared to Joan of Arc, and vigorously attacked the licensing of saloons in this country, as well as the introduction of the same system in America's new possessions. He said in part:

"The attack of that earnest, brave, good-hearted, motherly woman of Kansas has awakened the nation and brought the saloon question before the minds of the American people in a new and striking light. This important question will never be finally settled until it is settled right. A few years ago the people in Kansas enacted legislation which made liquor dealers outlaws. How is it, then, you may ask, that they still exist in that State? Simply because the saloon power is ever eagle-eyed, and when the community was found to be composed of lukewarm citizens, conservative business men, and a large class of criminals it seized the opportunity to regain its foothold. So Pilate and Herod joined hands. Even the courts of justice became intimidated and would not enforce the law. Now in the midst of this darkness a woman—a mother with a loving yet broken heart that had known the misery wrought by this demon liquor—rose up as the impersonation of the wrath of God and hurled herself against this iniquity. This woman says that the voice of God commanded her to destroy the saloons. I am not the man to say that it was not His voice. If I have any knowledge of the Almighty my knowledge is that he came down to this world to destroy the work of the devil, and if the saloon is not the work of the devil there never was one!

"I believe that God spoke to Moses when I consider the greatness and character of his work. When I measure Joan of Arc by her character and her deeds I believe that God also spoke to her.

"And when I go to Kansas and consider the life of Mrs. Nation and what she has accomplished am I to compare her to Joan of Arc? I say 'yes!' She is not a fanatic; her speeches are logical. I may be prejudiced, for I have lived in Kansas, but somehow when I measure up results I cannot but feel that God has also spoken to this remarkable woman.

"The saloon ought to be destroyed, for it has do right to exist to damn our sons and our daughters. And I hear a cry from the Hawaiian Islands, from Cuba and the Philippines which says 'save us!' And I believe that the time will yet come when the saloon shall be destroyed, for the hand of the motherhood of this nation is already raised against it."

A NEW JERSEY MYSTERY.

Woman's Body Thrown Into a Stream by Two Men.

GLOUCESTER, N. J., March 11.—The body of an unknown woman was found in Timber Creek, below this city, two weeks ago, and was buried in potter's field. The body was at first supposed to be that of "One Armed Jennie," a familiar figure of the police courts, because the woman had lost a part of her right arm. Investigation, however, dispels this belief, and adds a strong suspicion of murder to the case. The body was that of a woman about forty-five years old, with dark hair mixed with gray. Her head was tightly tied in a knitted nubia. The body had been in the water about two months.

John Cox and John Cummings, who run a flatboat in Timber Creek, about the middle of December told many persons of an uncanny experience they had. Their boat was moored to a wharf near the Westville Road Bride at 3 o'clock in the morning, waiting for a turn of the tide to let them push out. While they were waiting a team stopped on the bridge, and in the dim light the boatmen saw two men moving about in the wagon. While Cox and Cummings looked on they saw a heavy bundle thrown into the stream. The team was then turned about and driven furiously in the direction of Gloucester, whence the rig had come. The boatmen thought something wrong had happened, but, although they told their story the next day, nothing was done, and, as no body was then found in the creek, they had forgotten the incident.

Daniel Lynch, who keeps the toll-gate a half mile above the bridge, remembers that a team passed through about the time spoken of by the boatmen. In the wagon were two excited men. They paid toll to Westville and in about seventeen minutes returned with the horses white with foam, and dashed through the gate at a furious pace. No official action had been taken to fathom the mystery of the woman's body, but with these new facts brought to his attention, Coroner Bushey is now at work on the case.

A Hunter Battles With a Lynx.

ALTOONA, Pa., March 11.—S. H. Lightner, of Mooresville, while hunting foxes Saturday, encountered a sixty-pound lynx in the wilds of Harry's Valley. The animal driven out of cover by a hound, attacked Lightner savagely. The hunter fired at the beast with buckshot, but missed at close range. Before he could reload Lightner had his clothing badly torn by the beast, which the hound pulled off him. A well-directed charge of birdshot finished the lynx, just as it was about to spring on the hunter a second time.

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25,000 yards of the most desirable widths, shades, and kinds of Ribbon,

and they are in the house—and will be on sale TOMORROW morning at prices that will give you the fullest share in what is the most remarkable Ribbon event of many seasons. In addition to being permitted first choice—we were given full freedom—with the result that only such shades as are most popular will be found in our offering.

These mills are makers of the celebrated "Blue Cross" Ribbons, than which none have higher reputation for merit. We've made six lots of the 25,000 yards—and each price is at just about **one-half the actual value.**

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13c the Yard.

The same number and the same colors, but 5-inch width—of which the regular price is 35c a yard,

19c the Yard.

GAMBLING IN HIGH SOCIETY.

Fashionable Men and Women Arraigned by a New York Minister.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Men and women, who, in their homes, indulge in fashionable games of chance, received a severe rebuke in the famous old Grace Protestant Episcopal Church yesterday morning from the rector, Rev. Dr. William R. Huntington.

Grace Church, though now enclosed by the growth of the Broadway shopping district and more remote than formerly from the fashionable residential section, is still attended by a congregation of great wealth and influence. Bishop Potter was formerly its rector. Dr. Huntington is not known as a sensational preacher, but in the first of a series of annual sermons which he is to deliver each year to the New England Society in New York he commented frankly upon social conditions in the greater city, severely criticising the prevailing practice of hazarding money at cards.

There is need of a vigilance committee right at hand, he declared, capable of doing much for the cleaning of the social and civic life of New Yark. With a membership of between 1,400 and 1,500, the New England Society might do much toward that end. In the clubs, Dr. Huntington said, the question has been asked what is the limit of luxury; to which the answer had been given that there is no limit except a man's income.

"Is it possible that it can be true," Dr. Huntington continued, "as has been said that among the leaders of society in New York there are persons who lend their countenance to the carrying on of public games of chance by renting property which is used for such a purpose? Is it true that there are many hostesses in fashionable life who will allow young men to depart from their drawing-rooms greatly impoverished after having played games of chance in which they could ill afford to lose? Is it true that there are young women in good society who openly display jewels which have been bought with profits made at the gambling table in their homes? How vulgar, how infamous!

"There can be no doubt that all this is true to a very large extent, and that such games are played under one high-sounding name or another in the drawing-rooms of houses where it is known there is no fear of a raid by the police. Indeed, the players are often those who are engaged in the effort to purify the morals of this city. Here we are with a committee of five and of fifteen trying to rid the city of poolrooms and of policy shops, while behind closed doors of private houses, into which no detective will dare enter, this gambling is said to be going on.

"No need of the spirit of discipline? What, then, is to become of society? With Sunday lapsing into a mere tradition, with the day which a New England mystic, not overfriendly to Christianity, made bold to call 'the backbone of our civilization,' turned by common consent, from a holy day to a holiday; with marriage, the cornerstone of the family life, which in its turn is the cornerstone of the state—with holy wedlock degenerating into a mere fast and loose contract, and with love of pleasure so omnipresent and omnipotent as to have obliterated every land mark of decency, who shall say that the call for a revival of the spirit of discipline is illtimed?

"Let society men and women assist in the work of making New York a better town in which to live by commencing the work of reform in their own homes. In no land where Christianity exists do women have greater influence upon public life than in the United States. Men are largely what women make them, and women should, therefore, use their influence with men to bring them to a realization of what they owe to God. They might well commence by trying to induce men to spend less time in their clubs and more in the worship of God."

KIDNAPPED DURING THE NIGHT

A Delaware Woman Awakes to Find Her Son Missing.

WILMINGTON, Del., March 11.—When Mrs. Alice Wagner, who lives on Penny Hill, awoke yesterday morning she was astonished to find that the house had been entered and her five-year-old son, Frederick, who was sleeping in a crib in a room adjoining hers when she went to bed, missing. She at once notified the neighbors and a search was made, but no clue to the missing child could be found.

Mrs. Wagner is the wife of Frederick Wagner, who has a blacksmith shop opposite her home, but they have not lived together for two years. The search revealed that a horse and wagon belonging to the father was missing and that he was not at the house where he boarded. They could not tell what had become of him.

The woman was almost crazed by grief, and, after keeping up a search with the neighbors during the greater part of the day, came to Wilmington, where she notified the chief of police. The police are now making a search, but have not found any clues.

Mrs. Wagner is confident that her husband has her child. How the alleged kidnapper managed to enter the house and steal the child without the mother hearing them she cannot understand. Nothing had been disturbed, but the back door had been forced open and the child taken from his crib on the second floor. The house is in a lonely place and few people pass there early in the morning, though in the daytime the road is well traveled. While Mrs. Wagner thinks her husband has the child, she does not remember the father having ever made any threats to take the boy. Mrs. Wagner is slightly deaf, which may have been the reason she did not hear the noise made by the one who took the child. The police will first make an effort to locate the father.

GIRL STUDENTS ROBBED.

A Mysterious Woman Visits College Homes in Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, March 11.—A well-dressed young woman thief, with plenty of nerve, visited three of the student homes of the Woman's College Friday, sauntered through the spacious corridors, boldly entered the rooms of six of the students who were temporarily absent and departed with $20.50. All this was done in broad daylight while the students were going about the building as usual, but with never a thought that a thief was among them.

A number of the students noticed the young woman going about the building with an air of being at home, but thinking she was a new student paid no attention to her. When the thefts became known the stranger was remembered. Those who saw her say she seemed to be between twenty and twenty-five years old, was tall—about five feet seven inches—and was dressed in black, with black hat and black veil turned up.

The thief evidently made a thorough search, as she visited several rooms where the students happened to be "at home." She entered one room where there were several students, but excused herself and asked for "Miss Webb." She was directed to Miss Webb's room. That young lady, however, did not receive a visitor that afternoon. Only money was taken by the stranger, who ransacked the rooms until she found the pocketbooks of the girls she robbed. Nothing else seemed to strike her fancy, and in one instance she even left a lot of small change in a pocketbook. Those whose rooms were entered and the mounts they lost were: Miss Kerr, $10; Miss Marion Haddock, $5; Miss Keho, $2; Miss Prouse, $2; Miss Howell, 50 cents, and Miss Thompson, $1.

George Filbert, cashier of the college, notified the police, but no clue to the identity of the thief has yet been discovered.

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THE REWARD OF KINDNESS.

A New York Man Secures a Widow and a Quarter of a Million.

NEW YORK, March 11.—E. J. Keogh, twenty-one years old, of this city, was a poor man December 5, 1900. Today he is possessor of a beautiful wife, worth $250,000 and five stepsons.

Keogh was employed at the home of his wife's parents. He married Mrs. Clara E. Meserar, who is thirty-six, a divorced wife of J. L. Meserar, and daughter of the late J. W. Wilder, a wealthy New York publisher. There was no romance about the marriage. Keogh's wife says she admired him because he knew what hard work meant, realized the value of a dollar, was kind to her and the children and had good sterling common sense.

Smallpox in Pennsylvania.

HARRISBURG, Pa., March 11.—The fact that no new smallpox cases were reported during last week gave the health authorities reason to believe that all danger of an epidemic was passed. Yesterday, however, six new cases were reported, three from one house in Harrisburg, and three from New Cumberland. All were removed to the Sanitary Hospital.

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This new lot possesses all these merits, and that other important one—low price.

Included in this sale are several lots of Children's Gingham Dresses for early spring wear.

Night Gowns.

Cambric: tucked yoke; ruffle on neck and sleeves. Each.....50c

Nainsook: square neck; yoke of tucks and embroidery; ruffle of embroidery on neck and sleeves. Each.....75c

Nainsook, Cambric, and Muslin: trimmed with lace, embroidery and hemstitched tucks. Each.....$1.00

Nainsook: square neck; yoke of fine tucks, embroidery, beading and lace insertion; narrow lace-edged ruffle on neck and sleeves. Each.....$1.[illegible]

Drawers.

Cambric: hem and two clusters of tucks; yoke band. Pair.....25c

Muslin: cluster of tucks and ruffle of embroidery. Pair.....39c

Cambric: umbrella effect; deep ruffle trimmed with insertion and lace edge. Pair.....50c

Short Petticoats.

Muslin; cluster of tucks and ruffle of embroidery. Each.....50c

Cambric; umbrella effect, wide lawn ruffle, trimmed with lace, with two clusters of tucks above. Each.....75c

Long Petticoats.

Muslin; umbrella flounce, trimmed with three ruffles of lace insertion; narrow ruffle edged with lace; extra dust ruffle. Each.....$1.00

Cambric: deep lawn umbrella flounce; two clusters of hemstitched tucks and hem. Each.....$1.00

Children's Gingham Dresses.

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