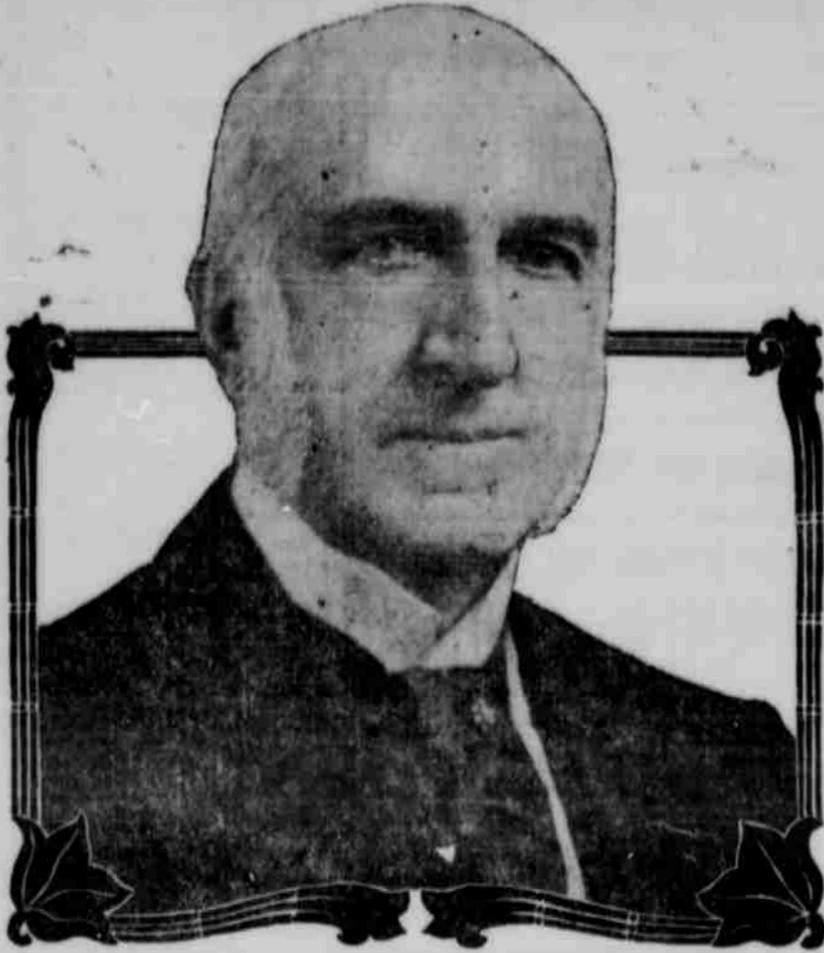


SENATOR FROM NEW YORK



United States Senator Chauncey M. Depew of New York is perhaps more intimately known to the people than any other man, excepting those who have been elected president. Senator Depew, before his election to the senate in 1899, had represented the Vanderbilts in the huge financial affairs of that family for many years, and was president of the New York Central road for a long time.

M'KINLEY'S WATCH.

TIMEPIECE WORN WHEN HE WAS SHOT TREASURED BY NEPHEW.

Prominent Resident of Fort Worth, Tex., Falls Heir to Historic Relic —Is Magnificent Example of Goldsmith's Art.

Fort Worth, Tex.—It was discovered the other day that the heavy gold watch which was carried by President William McKinley when he was shot by the anarchist, Czolgosz, at Buffalo, is owned and in the possession of a Fort Worth man, a nephew of the victim of the assassin's bullet.

The nephew is A. J. Duncan, secretary and general manager of the Citizens' Light and Power company. He is a son of one of President McKinley's two sisters. His mother, Mrs. A. J. Duncan, was formerly Miss Sarah E. McKinley. She now lives at the family house in Cleveland, O., with the other sister. Both women are more than 70 years old.

It had long been the understanding in the McKinley and Duncan families that A. J. Duncan was to receive William McKinley's watch, as a cousin inherited the grandfather's timepiece, but none of the members of the two families had any idea of what tragic circumstances the watch would fall into Mr. Duncan's hands.

After the Buffalo tragedy and the subsequent death of President McKinley the watch was left in the possession of Mrs. McKinley until her death, more than a year ago. Then it was turned over to Mr. Duncan, as had been originally understood. The watch, until a few weeks ago, remained with Mr. Duncan's mother in Cleveland.

Shortly after his election to the presidency the first time Mr. McKinley had the watch specially made for him in Canton, O. While not a large watch, it is heavy, as it contains a large amount of gold decoration. The timepiece is open-faced, with gold numbers embossed on the face.

On the rear of the watch is the national emblem, an eagle supporting a shield bearing 13 stars. The figure is not engraved, but is embossed on the back of the watch. The whole watch is the result of careful and painstaking workmanship and is a magnificent example of the goldsmith's art. Attached to a beautifully rolled gold link chain is a black ivory seal with President McKinley's monogram.

Mr. Duncan is attached to the watch by many ties. Not only is it for him a family heirloom, but it is a relic of historic value. He keeps the watch carefully guarded.

All of President McKinley's personal effects are now in the possession of members of the Duncan family. Most of them are in their Cleveland and New York homes. The collection embraces the president's books, paintings, furniture, and everything which was intimately connected with his private life. In the course of time Mr. Duncan expects to have many of the books and art subjects brought to his Fort Worth home.

THREE-LEGGED COLT BORN.

Freak Foaled at Pittsfield Has Also Feet Like Deer's.

Pittsfield Mass.—A three-legged colt, with hoofs like a deer, was born in the stable of Charles H. Prout.

The head and body are perfect, but the left front leg is missing. The single front leg is in the usual place on the right side. It is shaped like that of a deer. The rear legs are like those of a deer from the hock down and they have cloven hoofs. The feet at the ankles are turned upward and backward, so that it will be practically impossible for the animal to stand.

Mr. Prout was offered \$200 by a traveling salesman for the freak, but refused. It was put on exhibition at the Prout stables and an admission of ten cents is being charged. All day people from all parts of the city go to the Prout stable.

NEW WHAT THE JOB MEANT.

Angry Citizen Put Ordeal Up to Street Car Company.

Not long ago there entered the office of the superintendent of a trolley line in Detroit an angry citizen, demanding "justice" in no uncertain terms.

In response to the official's gentle inquiry touching the cause of the demand, the angry citizen explained that on the day previous as his wife was boarding one of the company's cars, the conductor thereof had stepped on his spouse's dress, tearing from it more than a yard of material.

"I can't see that we are to blame for that," protested the superintendent. "What do you expect us to do, get her a new dress?"

"No, sir, I do not," rejoined the angry citizen, brandishing a piece of cloth. "What I propose is that you people shall match this material."—Harper's Weekly.

"Helpful Hints" That Hinder.

Many of the "helpful hints" followed by our mothers are now proved utterly useless, if not more harmful than helpful. For instance, no one now uses moist tea leaves to clean a carpet or rug, because of the inevitable staining. And salt used on a carpet collects dampness and rusts the tacks. Newspapers, dampened and torn, answer the purpose much more satisfactorily. Rugs should be shaken from the sides, for the strain of the weight on the end is very apt to loosen the welt.

A Poor System.

Eustace Miles, the noted English athlete and food expert, said at a recent vegetarian dinner in Chicago:

"They who, with rich sauces and exciting meats, weaken their digestion in the effort to strengthen their bodies, practice a very poor system indeed.

"Such people are like the embarrassed motorist who pawned his automobile in order to raise \$250 for a new set of tires."

THE FIRST TASTE

Learned to Drink Coffee When a Baby.

If parents realized the fact that coffee contains a drug—caffeine—which is especially harmful to children, they would doubtless hesitate before giving the babies coffee to drink.

"When I was a child in my mother's arms and first began to nibble things at the table, mother used to give me sips of coffee. As my parents used coffee exclusively at meals I never knew there was anything to drink but coffee and water.

"And so I contracted the coffee habit early. I remember when quite young, the continual use of coffee so affected my parents that they tried roasting wheat and barley, then ground it in the coffee-mill, as a substitute for coffee.

"But it did not taste right and they went back to coffee again. That was long before Postum was ever heard of. I continued to use coffee until I was 27, and when I got into office work, I began to have nervous spells. Especially after breakfast I was so nervous I could scarcely attend to my correspondence.

"At night, after having coffee for supper, I could hardly sleep, and on rising in the morning would feel weak and nervous.

"A friend persuaded me to try Postum. My wife and I did not like it at first, but later when boiled good and strong it was fine. Now we would not give up Postum for the best coffee we ever tasted.

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Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

PICTORIAL MAP OF DENVER.

Shows Important Buildings So That They Can Be Easily Recognized.

The new map of the city of Denver, copies of the original drawings of which have been on exhibition and which have attracted much attention because of the careful and accurate portrayal of the city, has just been issued from the office of the Bird's-Eye-View Publishing Company of this city.

The map, which is a pictorial representation of Denver, looking south from the Twenty-third street viaduct and printed in eight colors, is one of the most complete, accurate and artistic representations ever made of any city. Every building is so carefully and accurately pictured that no one living in the city need have any difficulty in finding on the map the exact house in which he lives.

In the downtown sections the principal buildings are so faithfully portrayed that they can easily be recognized from their appearance, but for the benefit of those who are unfamiliar with the city, the names of several hundred of the principal hotels, business houses, schools, churches and office buildings are designated on the buildings themselves. In addition to this there is a marginal index, with thirty-two reference figures at the bottom and top of the map and all the letters of the alphabet at the sides. By the aid of these about 500 of the principal buildings and points of interest in the city can be located in the shortest possible time.

The work is done in several colors, so carefully selected and placed that the perspective of the city is brought out in the best possible manner, considering the extent of the undertaking. The map is in reality a huge picture of the city.

In the margin are found thirty-four photographs of the most important buildings and places of interest in the city, including the new auditorium, the state capitol, the union depot, the Union stockyards and the City park. The picture map is printed on a sheet 64 by 44 inches in size.

Cold Storage.

Hook—"I understand he married a cool million."

Cook—"Yes, but he's complaining now because he hasn't been able to thaw out any of it."—Illustrated Bits.

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