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Keeper of Secrets of Kings.

ord Knollys, who is retiring, after ring been private secretary to King orge and the late King Edward, received many tempting offers to ite his autobiography, but, needless say, has steadfastly resisted them.

An enterprising publisher, from United States, once ran him down ring his vacation, and placed a nk check before him, inviting him fill it in for any sum he liked to me in return for a book of no fewer an 50,000 words.

"My terms would be five million dols," Lord Knollys remarked, quietly. e publisher gasped. "Good grous, sir, are you serious?" he asked. "Quite," Lord Knollys rejoined, and en, with one of his merry twinkles his eyes, he said:

"Would it not be worth a good deal ore to you if I had to say frankly I know?"

The publisher realized the force of e argument, and was bound to adt that it would be a hopeless task induce an indiscretion on the part the veteran courtier.

Get Paid for Bathing.

To promote health and comfort mong their 700 employes, Harrison os. & Co. of this city have offered give every man employed at their ant 15 cents each time he takes a th.

There are no strings to the offer. All at is necessary is that the bath be ken in the elaborately fitted bathoms of the concern. As soon as a orkman finishes bathing he will reive a check from an attendant, and pay day he may have the checks shed at the rate of 15 cents apiece. The idea was suggested by Dr. Frans D. Patterson, fromer chief police rgeon of this city, whom the comny has secured to look after the welre of the men. Dr. Patterson is an d University of Pennsylvania footll player and oarsman.—Philidelia Dispatch to New York Tribune.

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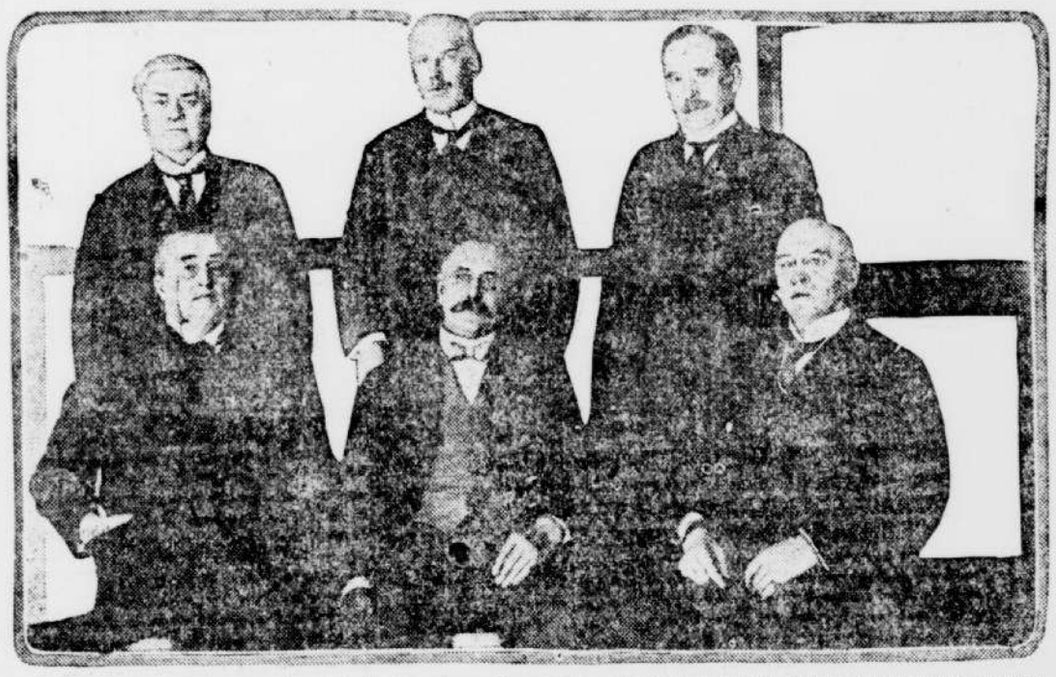


Photograph of the International Joint Boundary Commission, which was organized last January and consists of three Americans and three Canadians. Standing, left to right: H. A. Powell, C. A. Magrath and George Turner. Sitting, left to right: F. S. Streeter, James A. Tawney and T. C. Casgrain.

TOURISTS SEE CANAL

More Than 20,000 Americans Are "Doing" Panama.

Interesting and Curious Throng Spend Their Time Riding Over the Isthmus in Sightseeing Cars.

Colon, Panama.—The rush of tourists to the isthmus is in full blast. No doubt, the record will go higher than last year, or any year, but there are no signs that it will total the figures given in the forecasts of the steamship managers working their special brand of enthusiasm. Panama was to see 40,000 Americans "doing the canal;" the tourists probably will exceed 20,000, but that number puts a strain on the accommodations there.

And who are the tourists? Naturally they are mostly well-to-do citizens out for a holiday "taking in" the canal. They are not the fashionable people in its New York sense of the word. The latter have barely, it would seem, heard of it. They can only move in little certified flocks.

The great bulk, however, is made up of successful business men and their wives and families, for whom nothing is too good.

A surprising number, too, are farmers who have been fattening on prosperous seasons in fat lands.

On our steamer we had men and women from Illinois—Peoria, if you please—Michigan, Indiana, Ohio, Iowa, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, New York, New Jersey, Colorado, Virginia, Pennsylvania. One Rhode Islander was in his ninety-first year.

Sightseeing Car in Panama.

Everybody has made preparation for tropical temperature—crash, alpaca and immaculate linen suits among the men and every wonderful and expensive dress and waist conceivable in lace and linen and light fabrics, with reserves of silks and satins and jewels for gala nights.

All of which may be preface to a few words on the marvel of the woman tourists. Probably their greatest labor is writing postal cards.

When not writing postal cards they are taking snapshots. Let any one say "Look at that," and a hundred of the pestilential machines are pointed in the direction indicated. After the shot the invariable question is, "What was it?"

The girls of all ages are, however, pleasantly fluttery and positive about this modern industry.

"I don't bother a bit what it is," said one. "I just snap it. Stand a moment, please," and another art sin is added to her beadroll. Of course their paradise is the sightseeing train. And what is a sightseeing train?

You must know the passage from Colon to Panama across the isthmus brings you within measurable view of the whole canal—just enough to irritate you. Hence excursions three in number are provided to widen and deepen your knowledge. These trains start on alternate days from Colon and Panama. The first takes you to the great triple locks—one behind the other—at Gatun on the Atlantic side and to the great Gatun dam and spillway; the second takes you to the Pedro Miguel single lock and the Miraflores double locks at the Pacific end; the third takes you down through the nine miles of Culebra cut. The train consists of three show cars with the cross seats ranged in rising tiers. On the lowest level stands a guide, who talks gently through a megaphone, retailing the wonders which the audience is witnessing—three cars, three megaphones, three lectures.

The trains by using the working tracks are enabled to go close to the locks, and so forth. The train stops; the lecturer quits, having invited the audience to alight and to take a close look, and everybody is on foot, scrambling to the front more or less decorously, for they are a polite and good natured folks. Thus you pass over dizzy heights in safety; you gaze down or look up; you snap everything with your camera and, exclaiming everything from "My!" to "How perfectly wonderful" you pass on to the next wonder.

DEAF MUTE SITS ON JURY

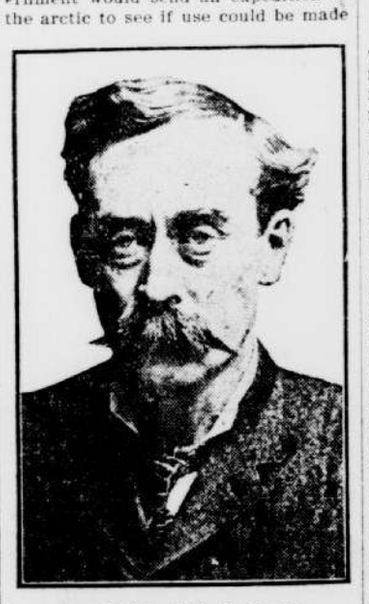
Mystery of a Philadelphia Court Unexplained, But New Trial Is Granted When Discovery Is Made.

Philadelphia, Pa.—A new trial was granted in common pleas court after it had been discovered that a deaf mute had sat as a member of the jury during the hearing of an ejectment suit. How the man became a member of the jury and why he sat through the trial, unable to hear or speak, is a mystery which none of the court attaches could explain.

PEARY SEES U. S. TAKE ARCTIC

Rear Admiral Believes Government May Try to Make Use of Polar Lands.

New York.—Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary predicted the United States government would send an expedition to the arctic to see if use could be made of the large tracts of unexplored territory there.



Rear Admiral R. E. Peary.

The admiral added that he would not head such an expedition, he said, because he felt too old now to make more polar explorations.

Raold Amundsen, who expects to explore the arctic in the Fram, would take "a big chance" if he allowed his ship to be frozen in the ice and drift, Mr. Peary believed. The ship might remain frozen in four or five years and drift anywhere.

CHURCH WITH SEVEN MEMBERS

Methodist Conference Is Unable to Solve the Problem of Extending Usefulness of Institution.

New Haven.—One of the smallest churches in this country is the Parker (Conn.) A. M. E. Zion church of Meriden, its membership numbering but seven regular members with an average attendance at church of about fifteen persons.

The smallest of the congregation has always been a puzzle to those interested in the church. It has been organzied sincce 1890, but never seems to grow any larger despite the efforts of revivalists and well-known colored organizers who have visited the church for the purpose of building it up.

During its twenty-two years of existence many preachers have been assigned to the pastorate, but owing to the smallness of the congregation of late years it has been impossible to raise enough money to pay the preacher for his services.

At the last meeting of the Methodist conference the question of the Parker church was discussed at length by the delegates. Scheme after scheme for the building up of the impoverished treasury, and the congregation, were discussed, but none seemed feasible. W. C. Andrews, a lay preacher holding a pastorate in Providence on a salary, then came forward and offered his services as a preacher.

Leaving his family behind, the preacher went to Meriden, where he assumed charge. Inasmuch as he had no income, it become compulsory upon him to provide a roof for himself. Securing some old boards and timbers, the preacher built a small room on the rear of the church. For weeks he labored from morning to night until at last he had for himself a cozy home at no expense to the church.

Determined still further that the church would not have to support him, he cast around for a suitable position whereby he could earn enough to live on. Mr. Andrews was not afraid of work, and prominent business men of Meriden who had heard of his efforts and his sacrifice secured for him a position with the Meriden Gas company as a porter.

Here six days in the week the preacher toils as a porter. In the afternoons and evenings he gets out and works among his parishioners, performing all the duties of a minister, such as visiting the sick and officiating at marriages and funerals.

Bent on performing service to his congregation, Mr. Andrews, however, shuns all publicity ,and performs his good deeds without making known his work.

PUTS HENS IN GYMNASIUM

St. Paul Poultry Man Increases Number of Eggs With Artificial Garden and Other Devices.

St. Paul.—Hens should have a gymnasium, proper training and an occasional change of diet in order to break egg-laying records, according to Samuel E. Mahan, a local poultry dealer. Mr. Mahan recently established in connection with his chicken coop a gymnasium, where daily each hen is given two hours of exercise.

He declares that as a result of this training the average production of each hen has increased in nine days from 55 to 85 per cent.

A feature of the gymnasium is an artificial garden bed, where the hens exercise their muscles but find no nourishment.

WOMEN NOW SMOKE CIGARS

But in Reality They're Only Leaf Covered Cigarettes, and Sold on the Continent.

London.—Englishwomen are developing the smoking habit more than ever.

Of course they do not as a rule get beyond cigarettes, but recently a petit brand of cigars has been put on the market. It is something like the thin cigarettes which one buys on the continent for a couple of centimes, except that the flavor and strength are more akin to the Egyptian cigarette.

It is a leaf-covered cigarette, with sufficient pungency to make the fair smokers think they are doing something daring in lighting up what looks like a cigar.

SCOTS ARE ANGRY OVER SEAL

Insulted by English Shields on Coat of Arms—They Are Placed Fourth.

London.—A bitter dispute is raging in the Scottish capital over a question of the national honor. The new great seal of Scotland, which has just been "made in England," has on the obverse side the royal arms of Scotland, in which the Scottish quarterings are first and fourth, the English second, and the Irish third, as differing from the royal arms of England, as used by the sovereign for all national purposes, which have the English quarterings first and fourth and the Scottish second.

On the reverse side of the seal there is an effigy of the king, and in completing the design two very small shields were included bearing the royal arms quartered Englishwise. It is these two small shields which have roused up the storm.

The great seal of Scotland is only used for purely local grants by the sovereign. And the Scots are wild over this "English importation," which they regard as a gratuitous insult to the people north of the Tweed.

Dies After Fight in Prison.

New York.—Cooper Jones, a negro prisoner at Sing Sing, fought with John Rogers, a white prisoner, over the alleged theft of some tobacco. Jones' skull was fractured, and he died some hours later.

TELLS OF LIFE IN GAY HAVANA

Old Formalities Are Giving Place to American Ways, Says Wife of Mexican Minister to Cuba.

Washington, D. C.—Senora Adela P. de Codoy, wife of the Mexican minister to Cuba, is spending the winter in Washington, where she is well known and popular. In a recent interview she had much of interest to say about Havana, where she has her home. The interview in part was as follows:

"Havana is a beautiful city and we found Americans coming there in vast numbers, usually from Florida or from New Orleans after the carnival time. It is worthy of a visit, indeed, to spend an entire winter there if one has the leisure. Many seem to possess that comfortable combination of plenty of time and the requisite cash and it was delightful to run across friends from every part of the United States in the streets of Havana. My long residence in Washington has given me friends in every state sometimes, which adds so much to the pleasure and filling out of life.

Havana Suburban Road.

"Winter in Havana is a season of delight. We have established our home along the ocean front and truly it surpasses description. The mingling of deep blue water with deep blue sky, the white winding road along the sea and the magnificence of flower and foliage make a picture which one misses and regrets. Havana, I am sorry to say, like so many other Latin-American cities, is giving up the patio and villa type of the south of France and that of the American south and southwest is becoming more prevalent. I regret the patio sincerely, but the younger generation find more to admire in the story on story house with all the modern accessories. There are, however, still some splendid old mansions in Havana, where the patio exists in its pristine glory. This style is where the rooms of the home look out into an inner court filled with flowers, where a fountain tinkles and the family delights to gather for intimate communion. Some of the old government buildings have the patio.

"Social life in Havana is as admirable as the climate. I think the mingling of the odd ceremonial customs with the less formal ones of today has bred an air of easy social intercourse, which is most agreeable and not at all restrictive. Many of the older residents continue the formal method of life which is part of Spanish civilization. Many others have adopted the easy ways of Americans, so that one may see the customs of two worlds and of two differing eras flourishing side by side. There are so many balls and theater parties and dinings without number; in fact, it is rather unusual during the social season not to have guests to dinner and then go with them later to a ball or the opera or the theater. There is much visiting and one may make a visit after a supper which follows the theater, something unheard of here. But then often the daylight hours are sultry and they are given to home duties and those avocations which keep one out of the sun, while the brisk breezes which spring up with the departing day inspire energy to visit and enjoy social pleasures. I do not find the heat debilitating or more oppressive, as a rule, than in other parts of the world in summer. Washington can be very warm, as all who know will testify, and it has not the advantage of a constant breeze from the sea which Havana enjoys every evening and through the night."

CUTS SERMON; FIGHTS FIRE

Then Having Saved Neighboring Property Long Island Priest Continues Services.

New York.—Glancing out of a window while preaching a sermon in St. Patrick's church, in Smithtown Branch, L. I., Rev. William J. Duhigg saw fire in the home of G. E. Sampson, opposite the church. The priest halted in the middle of a sentence.

"My friends," said he, "there is a fire in a neighboring dwelling. It is our duty to try and save it."

Not stopping to remove his vestments Father Duhigg ran out of the church, followed by the men of his congregation. He quickly organized a bucket brigade, which saved the outbuildings, but the dwelling was destroyed.

Then Father Duhigg led the members back to church and continued his sermon.

Woman's Appendix Cost $100,000.

Paris, France.—Seeking to escape the fate of her sister, who died after an operation for appendicitis in this country, Mrs. Tomasco Dornello, wife of a Peruvian millionaire, is on her way to Paris to have a famous French physician operate. Making the trip with her family, two maids and a private physician, Mrs. Dornello estimates it will cost her $100,000 to get rid of her troublesome appendix.

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"Hear you laid the cornerstone for a new depot at your town."

"Yes; and there were some novel features. We put under it a railroad sandwich and a piece of pie."

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Watonga, Okla.—Mrs. Ida Bollinger of this town, makes the following interesting statements for publication:

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All He Wanted.

A Boston man tells of a certain irrepressible bore who always made use of a formula when anyone sought to put him off and thus spare the objects of his attention the annoyance of an interview with him. This formula was: "But I assure you I want but one word with him—only one word!"

On one occasion he sought out a noted lawyer. The latter's clerk met him very solemnly with: "Why, haven't you heard? Mr. Blank died last night."

The words were scarcely out of the clerk's mouth when the applicant was saying, conciliatingly: "But I assure you I want but one word with him—only one word!"

How Long Will the Women Stand 'Em?

"I am a mean man," confessed the Erratic Thinker. "My father bore the same unenviable reputation, and I had an uncle who served a term in the penitentiary and was twice mentioned for the legislature. So no one need be surprised when I remark that perusal of the dry goods advertisements causes me to wonder how soon corsets will become so long that their wearers will be obliged to roll them up around the ankles to keep from treading on them?"—Kansas City Star.

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From Mrs. HENRY HEAVILIN, Cadiz, Ohio.

Fort Worth, Texas.—"I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and derived great benefit from its use. It carried me safely through the Change of Life when I was in bad health. I had that all gone feeling most of the time, and headache constantly, I was very nervous and the hot flashes were very bad. I had tried other remedies and doctors, but did not improve until I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has now been sometime since I took the Compound and I have had no return of my old complaints. I always praise your remedies to weak women."—Mrs. HENRY HEAVILIN, R. F. D. No. 5, Cadiz, Ohio.

From Mrs. EDWARD B. HILBERT, Fleetwood, Pa.

Fleetwood, Pa.—"During the Change of Life I was hardly able to be around at all. I always had a headache and I was so dizzy and nervous that I had no rest at night. The flashes of heat were so bad sometimes that I did not know what to do.

"One day a friend advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it made me a strong, well woman. I am very thankful that I followed my friend's advice, and I shall recommend it as long as I live. Before I took the Compound I was always sickly and now I have not had medicine from a doctor for years. You may publish my letter."—Mrs. EDWARD B. HILBERT, Fleetwood, Pa.

From Mrs. F. P. MULLENDORE, Munford, Ala.

Munford, Ala.—"I was so weak and nervous while passing through the Change of Life that I could hardly live. My husband had to nail rubber on all the gates for I could not stand to have a gate slam.

"I also had backache and a fullness in my stomach. I noticed that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was advertised for such cases and I sent and got a bottle. It did me so much good that I kept on taking it and found it to be all you claim. I recommend it to all women afflicted as I was."—Mrs. F. P. MULLENDORE, Munford, Ala.

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