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LONDON, Sept. 23.—The church fight drags along. The bishop's issuing of an order to the episcopate regarding the archbishop's decision is meeting with compliance, except in a few cases. The rebellious clergy will probably be requested to resign and may be evicted. But apparently the majority of the high churchmen have made up their minds to swallow the pill rather than precipitate disestablishment.

The meeting of the British Association for Advancement of Science was not marked by any startling discoveries, though interesting light was thrown on matters in controversy.

The football season has started and is attended with increased enthusiasm. The association form of the game is still gaining popularity over the older Ragby form.

Cyclists here are much worked up over the rumor of the manufacturers' combine, which is expected to produce a high-grade wheel for \$2. The St. James Gazette says:

"The combination will be welcomed by those having at heart the best wishes of British commerce, for it is an undoubted fact that the cheaper cycles of the Americans and Germans are fast displacing the English bicycle makers out of all the foreign markets."

The controversy as to the comparative merits of British and American railroads continues. W. Ackworth, a railway expert, writing at length to the Times, draws attention to the many American features yet unappreciated in England, laying stress upon American punctuality and speed, and especially the splendid service between New York and Philadelphia, comparing so favorably with the London and Brighton service.

The discovery of the body of an old church at Penn, Buckinghamshire, of a coffin bearing the name of "William Penn" caused the circulation of a report that it contained the body of the founder of Pennsylvania, buried there, according to several English papers, in 1633, or eighty years previous to his decease. It is probably one of Penn's descendants.

Similar instances are not infrequently met with in the English papers. Only recently the Westchester Gazette referred glowingly to the "state of Philadelphia." The close Anglo-American relationship has apparently failed to produce on this side corresponding interest in American history and geography.

LOCAL MUSICAL NOTES.

Interest in the concert to be given Friday evening at the Concord hall by Mrs. Jane Huntington-Yale is not alone due to the fact that Mrs. Yale is one of the best known contraltos in the Northwest, but because the concert is given under the auspices of the Klondike project. Mrs. Yale will be assisted by Hope O. Payne, violinist, and Elizabeth Larkin Schoff at the piano. Miss Payne has studied with many famous violinists abroad, principally in Munich, and at the Berlin Hochschule. The programme follows: "Autumn Gale," Orlé; "The Merry, Merry Lark," Nevin; "The Sweetest Flower That Blows," Hawley; "A May Morning," Dezza; "Summer and Love," accompanied by the composer, Henry Dolefield; "Im Herbst," Franz; Mazurka, A. Zarzycki Op. 26, Miss Payne; "Omnia Parvula," from "La Favorita," Donizetti; "Hindoo Song," Bemberg; "Bendermeer's Stream," old Irish; "The Lass with the Delicate Air," old English; "Loch Lomond," old Scotch; "Creation's Hymn," Beethoven; "Lung dal Caro Bene," Seceh; "Unto Thy Heart," Allisane; violin obligato by Miss Payne. The ushers will be: L. D. Wilkes, A. D. Johnson, W. F. Schaff, H. W. S. Gilbert, Finley J. Shepard and Dr. E. Wood.

Miss Marian Franklyn Keller, of Chicago, formerly of this city, will give a recital Tuesday evening, Oct. 3, at Raundebush hall. Miss Keller will be assisted by Miss Conover, pianist; Claude Madden, violinist; Mrs. Claude Madden, pianist, and Lewis Shawe, baritone. Miss Keller will spend the winter in New York, studying for light opera, having received flattering offers from the Castle Square Garden and other companies in Chicago. Miss Keller has decided, however, to devote one more year to study before accepting an engagement.

Leo White, one of the St. Paul boy sopranos, is again soloist at St. Mark's church, Minneapolis.

Miss Winifred Brill will leave shortly for Chicago to study music with Miss Luella Adelaide Bred.

Mons. Emile Olet will give a recital in October, when two of his pupils, who did not appear in his recital last May, will be heard.

At the First M. E. church this morning Miss Blanche Gibbs will sing "O Lord, Be Merciful," by Barrett, and tomorrow evening "Gounod's 'Jehusalem.'"

A special song service will be rendered Sunday evening next at the People's church.

At the Park Congregational church today the anthem, "The God of Abraham," by Mrs. Graves, will be rendered at the morning service, and "Jesus Is Mine." The evening programme will include the following numbers: "Gloria," "Lovely Appearance," Gounod, solo, by Mrs. Graves; part song, "Ave Maria," Gault; solo, "The Holy Shrine," Newton, Mr. Clow; anthem, "When the Sabbath Was Past," Foster.

TO BLOCK BUREAUS. The Minneapolis Judges Adopt a Rule Governing Divorce Cases.

All the judges of the Hennepin district court consulted yesterday morning to devise some means of defeating the game of the divorce bureaus, at least to the extent of eliminating such desirable elements as "speed," "ease" and "no publicity." The result of the meeting was the adoption of the following rule, which is hoped will embarrass the divorce bureaus very greatly, and make it impossible for them to live up to their "ads":

Rule 3. No default divorce case not upon the calendar on the first day of the term shall be tried during the term unless so ordered by three of the judges, including the judge having charge of the court calendar.

And no such order shall be made except upon a showing, first, that great prejudice will result to the plaintiff if such order is not made, which showing is to be made by affidavit, and secondly, that the facts pleaded in the complaint are true, and that the plaintiff is entitled to obtain the order sought.

Second—No such order shall be made except upon a showing that the complaint in said action has been filed, and that the plaintiff has been diligent for at least thirty days prior to the date of the application for such order.

McKinley's Steward, whose name is Sinclair, is considered a most careful buyer. He served President Cleveland eight years, and Mr. Cleveland recommended him to Mr. McKinley. His salary, fixed by law and paid by the government, is \$10,000 a year. He has an office in the basement of the White house, but lives with his family on Sixteenth street, a few blocks distant. He is responsible for all the property belonging to the United States within the executive mansion and is bonded for \$200,000. The value of some of the property under his care, from a historical standpoint, is incalculable.

Red Hair Figures. Three out of every 135 English-speaking people have red hair.



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FATAL ACCIDENT IN THE SHOOTING OF A BIG WELLSVILLE, O., SEPT. 23.—While making preparations to "shoot" the Rayl oil well, on the Ridinger farm, near here, this afternoon, the well overpowered and the oil ignited from the fire under the boiler, causing a terrible explosion. Two men were killed outright and three others injured, two of them, it is thought, fatally. The dead are: Chalmers Wilkinson, Jewett, O.; John Williams, East Liverpool, O.; injured: John Rayl, Wellsville, O.; Charles Rogers, Hookstown, Pa.; Edward Kerner, Seio, O. Rayl and Rogers will probably die.

PROVED FATAL TO BOTH.

HARRISTON, Miss., Sept. 23.—Peter Haines, a well-to-do negro, had a quarrel with his wife, and threw a lighted lamp at her, which exploded, enveloping the helpless wife and child in flames. In a few minutes, burned her to death. The negro made a fruitless attempt to smother the flames, and was himself fatally burned.

VALUABLE PLATINUM FIND.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Sept. 23.—The owners of Cripple Hill gold mines, six miles from this city, have discovered platinum in paying quantities in their mines. The find was accidentally made while assaying for gold. The assay showed five to six ounces of platinum to the ton. This metal is worth \$135 a pound.

MURDERED ACTOR WELL KNOWN.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 23.—Frank Leiden, who was killed at the City opera house in New Orleans last night by Julia Morrison, was known in private life as Frank Leidenheimer. He was born in New Orleans thirty-eight years ago and was a member of a prominent family here. He followed a theatrical life for the greater part of his life, and was a stage manager for E. H. Sothorn, Thomas Keen, Edwin Arden and Frohman.

FENDIST SHOT IN THE BACK.

MIDDLESBORO, Ky., Sept. 23.—"Gen." Sowler, son of Councilman Sowler, of Middlesboro, a noted leader of the Sowler faction, which raised ten years ago around Middlesboro, was shot through the back from ambush last night near his home. It is believed the feud is to be revived.

COMING TO AMERICA.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 23.—The Cunard line steamer Campania, which sails from this port today for New York, will have as passengers, Edgar Allan Poe and Charles Bessard and Lady Bessard and Rt. Hon. Arnold Morley, former British postmaster general.

YELLOW FEVER RECORD.

KEY WEST, Fla., Sept. 23.—New cases of yellow fever number forty, and deaths number twenty, during the past twenty-four hours, and the weather is becoming rainy and favorable for the spread of the fever.

DAY'S NEWS IN BRIEF.

Washington—Adj. Gen. Corbin has gone to Newport to be present at the wedding of Miss Julia Grant.

Repsbach, Hesse—The czar and zarina of Russia, arrived here today. They were received by the Grand Duke of Hesse and proceeded to the Wolfsgarten castle.

London—The ringleader of the band of highwaymen who stole the sum of £20,000 from a train to London, and a large bank in this city has been arrested.

New York—The stock of gold coin in New York treasury is now \$127,000,000. This is said to be larger than any previous holding of gold in thirty years.

Owensboro, Ky.—The plant of the Owensboro Woolen Mills company was totally destroyed by fire. Loss, \$100,000; insurance, \$45,000.

Sebastopol—Torrential rains have done great damage to houses here, and the vineyards and orchards in the vicinity have been devastated. Communication is interrupted by a portion of the city.

Victoria, B. C.—The steamer Barbara Bosworth, belonging to the Bosworth Steamship company of this city, sank in the Skeena, River Saturday last, carrying down with her 400 cases of salmon, which had been loaded at the cannery on the river.

Stockholm—At the elections yesterday for the second chamber of riksdag, Stockholm returned twenty-one out of twenty-two Liberal candidates.

Chicago—Louis Enroch, Cook county treasurer, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States district court today, placing his liabilities at \$20,123. He scheduled assets of \$28,200, most of which consist of debts due on account, and unliquidated claims.

DEATHS OF A DAY.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Sept. 23.—Capt. H. J. Hester, department commander of the Oklahoma G. A. R., and receiver of the United States land office at Enid, died today. He was chief clerk of the interior department under Hoke Smith.

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