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ORDER OF EASTERN STAR.—Friendship Chapter, No. 11, holds meetings first Tuesday in each month, at 3:30 p. m., and third Tuesday in each month, at 7:30 p. m., in Masonic Lodge room. Mrs. G. M. Robbins, worthy matron; Mrs. M. A. Scrimgeour, secretary.

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GREAT COALING WHARF

Features of One Being Built at Puget Sound Navy Yard.

FOR USE OF BIGGEST WARSHIPS

Plant and Shed Will Unload Coal From Colliers, Store It and Redeliver It to Battleships at the Rate of Two Hundred Tons Per Hour. Quarters For the Workmen.

Over at the Puget sound navy yard a piece of construction work is being carried on by a bridging and dredging company that is full of interest in itself as an example of the latest move in modern engineering methods and also significant in its magnitude of the place which the government foresees for the Bremerton yard among the naval stations of the country, says the Seattle Times. The work consists of the construction of a coaling wharf and storage shed adapted to unloading coal brought to the wharf by colliers, storing it until it is wanted and then redelivering it to the warships at the rate of 200 tons per hour. The entire structure, including the coaling plant and the wharf beyond, will have a length of approximately 1,300 feet, or nearly a quarter of a mile. This will bring the end of the wharf into thirty feet of water at low tide and will make it possible to coal the largest battleships in the navy at any time.

When this plant is completed, the Puget sound yard will not only be highly efficient, but its advantage over Mare Island in lower cost of maintenance will be even more conspicuous than it is now, for while at Mare island the government is under continual expense in keeping open the ship channels which the shifting bottom of the harbor as continually strives to close in Puget sound the conditions are such that permanent improvements in widening and deepening the channels are so in fact as well as in name.

The new plant will be at the western end of the navy yard, about 100 yards east of the boundary. It will consist of two principal parts, the storage s[illegible] and coaling plant, which will b[illegible]ing and [illegible] feet in length from the sho[illegible] once more, but the wharf, which will e[illegible] and don't [illegible] feet beyond the outer end [illegible]

The shed or storage plan[illegible]is, of [illegible] vided into bins of suitab[illegible] handling coal easily and qu[illegible] will be connected with the ou[illegible] by an electric car system [illegible] will be 92 feet wide, 55 feet hig[illegible] 620 feet long, with a total storage [illegible]pacity of 22,000 long tons. The wha[illegible] where the actual coaling operations will be carried on will be supplied with two movable steel towers which will operate along the outer 350 feet of the wharf, leaving about 300 feet of trestle carrying the car tracks from the main shed to the outer wharf. The towers will be eighty feet in height and will have arms or booms of sixty feet in length that can be swung out over the deck of a collier. In coaling a warship the coal will be run through chutes from bins at the end of the wharf directly into the bunkers of the ship.

For 350 feet along the coaling wharf a channel will be dredged 100 feet wide, 350 feet long and 30 feet deep. The material secured by the dredging will be used to fill in under the storage shed, with the results that the shed will be put practically on solid ground.

As soon as the contract was signed the contractors began the work of preparation for carrying on the work by the most improved methods of construction. Buildings were erected near the scene of the work, and a little colony of workmen moved in and took possession. Sleeping quarters and a messhouse were built for the men, a general office building for the company and an office for the government inspector, together with a power house and shop building. Everything possible is being done by machinery. The plant for driving the 5,000 piles that will be required is made of two land pile drivers with double drum engines and 3,000 pound hammers and two floating pile drivers of heaviest construction.

For building the shed a timber tower sixty feet in height has been erected, equipped with a four spool bridge erecting engine. The equipment also includes a steam cut off saw for cutting and squaring all timbers used in construction, an air compressing plant which will furnish power for driving all wood boring tools and air hammers for driving spikes. The materials to be used will include 3,500,000 feet of Puget sound fir, 5,000 piles and 500 tons of iron and steel.

For providing suitable quarters for the men the contractors have built two houses, one to be used as sleeping quarters and the other for the kitchen and dining hall. The building used for the living rooms is 24 by 108 feet and is partitioned into rooms 8 by 9 feet, with two berths in a room. Through the center of the building runs a corridor which will be supplied with stoves or some form of heating apparatus and will be used by the men as a place of assembly during the winter evenings. The cookhouse and dining room are contained in a building 20 by 56 feet. The dining room has twelve tables, with accommodations for 100 men.

An American Bamboo.

The agricultural department at Washington, recognizing that bamboo, the very mainstay of Japan, is a material which would have many commercial uses in this country did not the cost of importation mount so high, is trying to introduce its cultivation in the United States, says the Philadelphia Press. Bamboo requires a hot climate, a soil with plenty of moisture and roots and no frost. It is believed that the plant will flourish on the waste lands of the southwest.

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A REMARKABLE CURE.

Severe Case of Lockjaw Yields to New Antitoxin.

Reports are being prepared by the Newark (N. J.) hospital board to be presented to the State Medical society and the New York medical board concerning a case of lockjaw that was cured in that institution with tetanus antitoxin procured from the New York board of health, says the New York American. The patient whose life was saved is Samuel Gohy, twelve years old.

When Gohy was received in the hospital, his jaws were already set, his head was thrown back, the muscles of his body were contracted and his limbs were stiff.

Work was at once begun to save the boy's life. It was five days before the boy's rigidity yielded to the antitoxin, and thrice in that time the doctors feared he would die, but now he has entirely recovered.

A Negro Bishop's Advice.

Bishop B. W. Arnett of the Pittsburg A. M. E. conference in his farewell address to the young ministers advised them to pay strict attention to their own wives, says a dispatch from Williamsport, Pa., to the New York World. "When you marry," he continued, "and you go to church on dark nights, have but one lantern and let your wife enjoy that light with you. Do not allow another man's wife to have the light [illegible] to walk in the dark or you [illegible]e trouble." The bishop [illegible] the young men to learn [illegible] strive to feed your [illegible]arning and cease [illegible]th a two dollar hat [illegible]"

Your cho[illegible] two [illegible]k B. Bennes of oth[illegible] a caribou and a bea[illegible]ry.

Th[illegible]rown land office at Fr[illegible], say that they cannot re[illegible] season when so large a nu[illegible]oose heads have been brought [illegible]at place as have been brought in thus far this year by visiting sportsmen nor a time when the heads were so large and handsome. Of thirty heads b[illegible]ederic-ton in the first [illegible] sea-son eighteen [illegible] more than fifty [illegible] that there are t[illegible] northern New B[illegible] ten years ago.

N. T. Depauw of New [illegible] recently brought out a [illegible] from the southwest Miramic[illegible] that measures sixty-one and a half inches, and has sent it to New York to be mounted and placed on exhibition. F. W. Tolles of Naugatuck, Conn., killed a few days ago on Rocky brook, New Brunswick, a moose whose antlers spread sixty and three-fourths inches, with twenty points on the right side and fourteen on the left, the largest blade having a width of seventeen and a half inches in the web. C. D. Butler of Pittsfield, Mass., who accompanied Mr. Tolles, shot a moose with fifty-seven inch antlers. D. H. Mast of Milton, O., while hunting on the Miramichi shot and killed a moose at the distance of 350 yards, one shot from a 35 caliber Winchester rifle.

[illegible]al Strike.
[illegible] in the cellar?
[illegible] the coal.
[illegible] up the chimney?
[illegible] Bless my soul!
[illegible] yet so familiar,
[illegible]ree believe it's true.
[illegible]ere, children; hold your hands here;
Feel it comin' up the flue?

Gracious me, it makes one happy!
Bring your chairs and sit around.
Feels just like it did last winter;
Sounds just like it used to sound;
Same old rosy, cozy corner,
Same old warm and grisly rug,
Same old cradle over yonder;
Same dear baby just as snug.

Jane, you sit there by the table;
Tom, come sit on mother's knee;
John, go out and get the apples;
Hurry; see how long you'll be.
Rob, run down, bring up your daddy;
Tell him that his pipe is filled;
Tell him that his chair is ready
And that old Jack Frost is killed!
—P. Q. Lear in Philadelphia Record.

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ROYAL MOOSE HUNTING

Stories of the Trophies Secured This Season.

EVEN WOMEN AND BOYS GET GAME

Pluck and Skill of Two Lady Hunters Who Killed a Nine Hundred Pound Moose In Maine—Great Sport Enjoyed In New Brunswick—Large Antlers Secured.

The moose hunting season in Maine has been a great success thus far, more of that game having been killed in the first two weeks of the open time, beginning Oct. 15, than is generally brought down in a month, and the sport has developed many interesting features, including the killing of big bulls by women and small boys, says a special dispatch from Bangor, Me., under the date of Oct. 28, to the New York Tribune. Master E. C. A. Becker, Jr., of Worcester, Mass., is said to be the youngest moose killer on record in Maine, and his trophy is a good one. Master Becker recently spent a week with his father, Dr. E. C. A. Becker, and Charles L. Miller of New York at Louis Ketcham's camps on Nahmakanta lake, and while there killed an 800 pound moose, with antlers spreading forty-seven and one-half inches. The boy, who is only nine years old and not large for his age, also killed two deer, being held in the arms of the guide, George Ferris, so that he could see to shoot one of them.

An interesting story of the pluck and skill of two women moose hunters comes from Eustis, in the Dead river region, from which a party has just returned laden down with game. The party consisted of Forest R. Thompson of Rondout, N. Y.; Sumner L. Patten of Lakewood, N. J.; Henry E. Steele of Belmont, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Clement of Brownville, Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Sherman and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin D. Locke of Union, Me.

The other morning the men of the party went out in one direction to look for moose, while Mrs. Sherman and Mrs. Locke started up the dry bed of a stream in quest of game. When the men returned, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the women had not reached camp, and at 3 o'clock, with only one hour of daylight remaining, the guide became nervous and started out in search of them, followed by their husbands. Just at dark, after miles of tramping in the woods and the firing of numerous signal volleys, the guide came upon the two women, seated on a log, while at their feet lay the carcass of a 900 pound moose, bearing a magnificent set of antlers. The women were not lost, having followed closely the bed of the stream, but they could not carry the moose and determined not to leave their prize to any stray sportsman who might come along and claim it, or to bears, and so they stuck by it, hoping that help would come. The men rigged a carrier, and before bedtime the party and the big moose carcass were back in camp. Both women had taken a hand in the killing of the moose, each firing five shots, of which seven took effect. Had explosive bullets been used, the guide said, any one of the seven shots that struck the moose would have dropped him.

Great sport is reported by the Americans who have hunted in New Brunswick this season. On the Tobique river fifteen sportsmen got thirteen moose and two caribou in a week, and the guides say that fifty moose have been killed on the Tobique and Nepisiquit rivers by Americans thus far this year, one of the heads carrying antlers measuring sixty-two inches, another fifty-eight inches and several over fifty inches. Dr. Flagg and Mr. Mumford of Boston recently returned from the Mir[illegible]

New Paint For the British Navy.

Within a short time all the ships of the British navy will be painted a uniform gray, which will take the place of the black and yellow of the home fleets and the white of the ships serving in tropical waters. After much experiment the selected color was obtained by the mixture of six pounds of white paint with eleven ounces of black.

A Policeman's Testimony.

J. N. Patterson, night policeman of Nashua, Ia., writes: "Last winter I had a bad cold on my lungs and tried at least a half dozen advertised cough medicines and had treatment from two physicians without getting any benefit. A friend recommended Foley's Honey and Tar and two-thirds of a bottle cured me. I consider it the greatest cough and lung medicine in the world." For sale by Wilson & Son.

NIPPUR EXPLORATIONS.

Discoveries in Babylonia Described by Professor Hilprecht.

Professor Hilprecht delivered the third lecture of the course on "The History and Results of the Four Babylonian Expeditions of the University of Pennsylvania" at Philadelphia the other afternoon.

Professor Hilprecht took up the story of the researches from the time of the return of the explorers to Nippur in 1890, after having then abandoned the work temporarily because of the hostility of the Arabs, says the New York Times. In the interim, he said, an epidemic of cholera had swept throughout the country, which in a measure the Arabs attributed to the exercise of superhuman powers by the explorers as a punishment for their wrongdoing. Work was resumed on the mound covering the temple of Baal with much larger forces of men. Within a short time the whole of the Parthian fortress, built on top of the temple ruins, was uncovered.

Professor Hilprecht said that among other discoveries there was found in one of the chambers of the outer wall a large number of tablets and other objects of lapis lazuli and other substances, the cuneiform, Saumarian and Semitic inscriptions on which showed them to date back to periods 3,000 years B. C. When the fortress was destroyed, they were in the hands of a jeweler.

"The history of one of these little tablets," said Professor Hilprecht, "is plainly written thereon and assuredly substantiates the truth of the Biblical story of Abraham. Three thousand years before Christ it was owned by a king, who presented it to a deity, so that he might have long life. This fact he inscribed thereon. When Nippur was overthrown, the conquerors carried this tablet with their other spoils to Susa.

"After a lapse of nearly 1,200 years from the date of the inscription it was retaken by another king and again placed in the temple. This time a second inscription was engraved upon the reverse side relating these facts. Hundreds of years after the jeweler secured it."

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RECLAIMING IRELAND.

United Effort to Revive Almost Forgotten Industries.

To make Ireland a desirable country to inhabit and thereby not only check the outflow of her people, but also encourage those already abroad to return, is the object of the art industrial settlement opened in Dublin the other day, says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. The heads of the settlement will be Miss Evelyn Gleeson of the Irish Literary society of London, Miss Lily Yeats and Miss Elizabeth C. Yeats, daughters of the Irish portrait painter, J. B. Yeats. These young women are ardent Irish patriots and personally talented. Miss Gleeson is a powerful writer on pro-Irish themes. Lily Yeats has made a reputation in London as a teacher of art needlework. Elizabeth Yeats is a gifted art critic.

They have taken a large and beautiful house in Dublin and intend to convert it into a center both of propagandist and practical work for the industrial rebuilding of Ireland, particularly as regards art industries. In their scheme for rebuilding Irish industries the Misses Gleeson and Yeats have the hearty sympathy of Irish patriots everywhere. They will add one more active force to the large number that are now striving to bring Ireland back to the path of national greatness.

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Don't Know it.

How To Find Out.

Fill a bottle or common glass with ye[illegible] water and let it stand twenty-four hou[illegible] sediment or [illegible]tling indicates [illegible] unhealthy con[illegible]tion of the ki[illegible]neys; if it stai[illegible] your linen it [illegible] evidence of ki[illegible]ney trouble; too [illegible] frequent desire t[illegible] pass it or pain [illegible] the back is al[illegible] convincing proof that the kidneys and bla[illegible]der are out of order.

What to Do.

There is comfort in t[illegible] knowledge [illegible] often expressed, that Dr. [illegible]'s Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy fulfills eve[illegible] wish in curing rheumatism, pain in th[illegible] back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every pa[illegible] of the urinary passage. It corrects inabilit[illegible] to hold water and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of **Swamp-Root** is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists in 50c. and $1. sizes.

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Major J. W. Woodcock, one of the best known oil operators in the country dropped dead from heart disease recently, at his home in Portland, while mowing his lawn.—*The Pre*[illegible]

Mrs. M. A. Birdsall, Watk[illegible] whose portrait heads this [illegible]ment, says: "I write this th[illegible]itude for benefits I received [illegible] Miles' Heart Cure. I had p[illegible] of the heart, severe pains un[illegible] left shoulder, and my general he[illegible] was miserable. A few bottles of Dr. Miles' Heart Cure cured me entirely.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. G[illegible] were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crook, of Clifton, Sunday.

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