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IRVING'S HEAD.

Why the Spot That Washington Touched Could Not Be Seen.

Among Dr. George Haven Putnam's early recollections was a meeting with Washington Irving. He tells of it in his "Memories of My Youth." The Irving home was near Yonkers and the Putnam family occasionally visited their neighbors. Dr. Putnam remembers one Sunday afternoon when his father was busy arranging some of Mr. Irving's papers and the old gentleman took pains to give him some word about his own childhood. "His mother told him some years later, when he was old enough to be interested in historical events and personages, that when he was a year old the nurse, taking him out in his baby carriage, saw at the corner of Broadway (General Washington passing by on horseback. The nurse, holding up the little boy, called out to the general that here was a boy that had been named after him, and she hoped that the general would be willing to give the boy his blessing."

"Little Washingtons were not so plenty in 1784 as they became in later years, and the general was quite ready to delay his ride for the purpose of giving a greeting to his little namesake. He took the boy up on the saddle and, placing his hand upon the little one's head, gave him a formal blessing. I looked up with interest at the head that had been touched by Washington, and then found myself perplexed at Mr. Irving's word that I should not see the spot on which the general's hand had rested.

"I spoke to my father afterward about the incident, and he said, 'Why, you stupid, don't you know that Mr. Irving wears a wig?'

EMPEROR PENGUINS.

Very Ceremonious They Are With Their Bows and Speeches.

In Sir Ernest Shackleton's "The Heart of the Antarctic" there is a chapter by James Murray, the biologist of the expedition, on those queer creatures, the penguins. The following is an extract:

"Their resemblance to human beings is always noticed. This is partly due to their habit of walking erect, but there are truly a great many human traits about them. They are the civilized natives of these regions.

"Emperor penguins are very ceremonious in meeting other Emperors or men or dogs. They come up to a party of strangers in a straggling procession, some big, important, sidelong fellow leading. At a respectful distance from the man or dog they halt, the old male waddles up and bows gravely till his beak almost touches his breast. Keeping his head bowed, he makes a long speech in a muttering manner, short sounds following in groups of four or five. Having finished the speech, the head is still kept bowed a few seconds for politeness' sake, then it is raised, and he looks in your face to see if you have understood. If you have not comprehended, as is usually the case, he tries again. He is very patient with your stupidity.

"Their most solemn ceremonies were used toward the dogs, and three old fellows have been seen calmly bowing and speaking simultaneously to a dog, which, for its part, was yelping and straining at its chain in the effort to get at them."

The Provencal Tongue.

Mistral, the great Provencal poet, has been likened to Robert Burns for the work he did. But Burns' task was child's play compared with Mistral's. The Scottish poet found his language fully grown and completely alive; Mistral had to create his means of expression. Provencal had lost every resemblance to a literary tongue, and the new poet-patriot had to mold it afresh, to recreate and to build up on the ruins left by the vineyard and the farm "Our Provencal," said Mistral, "was a country lass, ragged and wild." She is now a wonderfully beautiful creature, but it is doubtful whether all the genius of Mistral can keep her alive. The educational reformer in France does not like such irregular beauty.—Chicago News.

Newspaper Reporters.

I have always had great sympathy for newspaper reporters—a class of men generally about equally feared and criticised. During a large part of my life since my graduation I have been brought in constant contact with the men of this profession. Only on rare occasions have I suffered at their hands serious injustice, due either to deliberate intent or to gross misunderstanding. I have generally found them courteous and considerate, honestly desirous of getting the truth and of reporting it accurately.—Abbott's "Reminiscences" in Outlook.

Regret.

Regret is a dangerous thing. You let a little one no bigger than a mustard seed into your heart, and before you know it you're gobbled out a whole brood. Everything is woven into a pattern of the whole, and the Lord knew the figure he had in mind.—Ellen Glasgow

She Boiled.

"What did your wife say when she saw you dance three times with that pretty young woman?"
"Nothing. She just boiled the party."—Detroit Free Press.

The Single Thought.

Stella—Were you two souls with one single thought?
Bella—That was just the trouble; he wanted to stay single.—New York Sun.

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D. C. Purdy and wife to A. C. Purdy, lot 29, blk 3, Wrenn's Add Highland Park and N 50 ft. S. 100 ft. lot 7, blk 29, Highland Park. W. D. \$1000.00.

Freda K. Grant and husband to T. G. Kiess Jr., lot 4, blk 75, Highland Park. W. D. \$10.00.

Frank Altmeyer to Katie Bollin, lots 9 and 10, blk 11, Deerfield Park. W. D. \$1.00.

S. R. Aerus and wife to C. H. Pearson and wife, lots 4 and 5, blk 2, Ridgewood Park, Highland Park. W. D. \$3000.00.

Vendia M. Adamson to Jozef Sundin, N 4 lot 6, blk 7, G. L. Wrenn's Add to Highland Park. W. D. \$10.00.

Joseph C. Wolff and wife to Geo. E. McDonald, lots 24 and 25, blk 6, Deerfield Park, Land and Improvement Association, Subdivision, Twp of Deerfield. W. D. \$1.00.

David Minard Shaw to Lottie Corey Shaw, lot 13, Oakmont Subdivision in Twp. of Deerfield. W. D. \$1.00.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends, Rev. W. Suhr, Highland Park Business Men's Association and the A. O. Fay Lodge for the kindness and sympathy shown us in our late bereavement.

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BASE BALL

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feat at the hands of the wallowing Pirates last Sunday at Crescent Park. For five innings the winners looked the easiest kind of picking for Potter, and the first run the locals counted seemed sufficient to win the scrap. The Crescent twirler has the habit of becoming stronger and more effective as the innings roll by but in this game it became apparent along about the sixth frame that he was losing his zip, and the Pirates treated his offerings just like those of an ordinary twirler.

Although the Pirates' good offensive and defensive work and Potter's lack of condition had most to do with deciding the combat, fate also played an important part. For instance, in the sixth inning in which the visitors registered four times. Only one of the four runs had counted when Richards and Flinn were about to negotiate an easy third out, which was lost when Howard and the runner collided. Then, too, the fielding of two or three of the local players was not what it ought to have been.

Of the 11 hits garnered off Potter, seven were collected in the sixth and seventh innings. Fifteen Pirates were strike-out victims, while ten of the locals went out via the same route. Rankin, the visiting hurler must be given credit for twirling a swell game, and no one will begrudge him the victory.

Next Sunday the Crescents begin a three-game series with the Waukegan city team at the latter's grounds, Electric Park, Waukegan. This is not the same aggregation that the locals have played and defeated twice this season, but is generally recognized as the stronger of the two Waukegan teams. This series is for the championship of Lake County and is arousing much interest in Waukegan. Fans in that city regard the Crescents, by virtue of their double defeat over McCann's Waukegan team, as a powerful drawing card in a battle with the strong west side team.

Electric Park can be reached either by taking a Waukegan local train to Washington Street, Waukegan and transferring to the line running west directly to the baseball park, or by taking a Milwaukee train to Edison Court, Waukegan and transferring west to the grounds. Game will be called at 3. Don't fail to see this game as it promises to be one of the most fiercely contested in which the locals will engage this season. The Crescents put one Waukegan team out of the Lake County Championship running, now let's all get together and pull for them to eliminate the other Waukegan contender.

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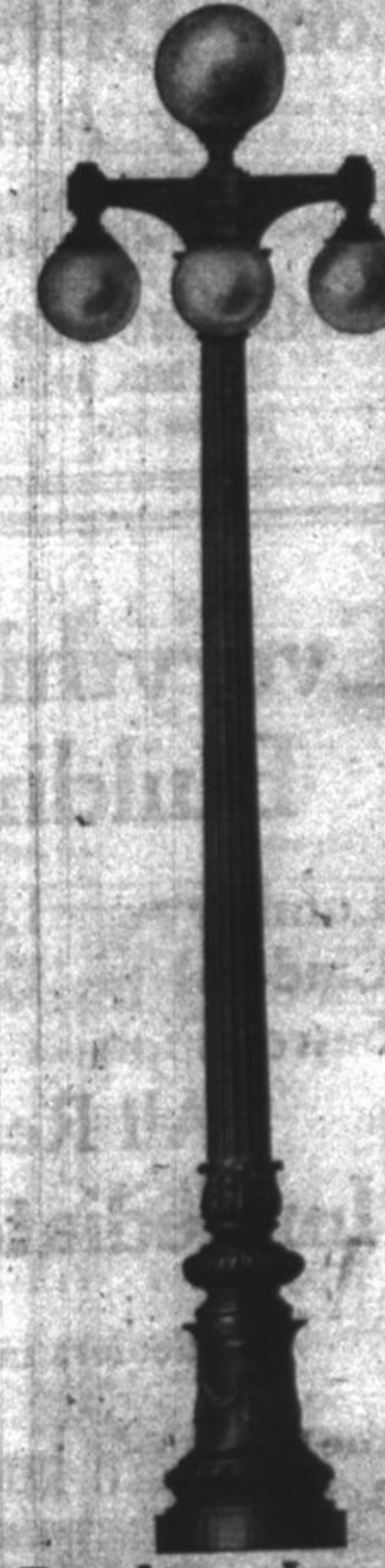
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