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LURE OF LOVE

"No Vote No Husband" Is
The Slogan

TO ENLIST CUPID

IS THE PLAN OF THE SUFFRAGETTES.

The Man Who is a Believer in Equal Suffrage is to Be Aided in His Endeavors in Winning His Suit—The Interesting Campaign.

Spokane, Wash., July 19.—"No vote, no husband," is the slogan of 250 marriageable girls who have just organized the College Equal Suffrage Club, of Spokane, under the presidency of Mrs. Z. W. Comerford. Each has taken a solemn vow to convert her suitor to woman's right before entering upon a engagement.

The plan to enlist Cupid into the ranks of an army was originated by half dozen timid members, who, after several conferences, persuaded Mrs. Comerford to launch the movement and recruit the membership to 500 before the beginning of September.

This does not mean that the methods introduced by Mr. Adam, when he first met Miss Eva, are to be harbored here, but that the valiant knight must break customs instead of dances and gain for his lady love the privilege to cast her ballot if he is to have the wealth of satisfaction in his game of wooing.

"While our members are not going to be quite as radical as the Chicago girls," said Mrs. Comerford, "there will be absolutely no encouragement to those who do not believe in the suffragists' cause. We expect to start a school for conversion. The girls will not be pledged to refuse a suitor who is not a suffragist, but it is expected that every member will use her best endeavors to win the man for us."

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"It is pretty well understood among those who are in earnest in this campaign that the man who is open to conviction on the matter of equal suffrage will be the one who is to encounter the least difficulty in winning his suit. That, we believe, is one of the strong points in our campaign.

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"We have practically all the suffragists in Spokane lined up in the work, and it may be we shall extend the campaign throughout other parts of the country, and in this we believe we have the best plan of campaign that has yet been devised.

In this connection we shall make an attempt to enlist every unmarried girl in Spokane, believing that no Rev. Anna Shaw says, in the young blood there is strength.

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One of the exploits of the highwaymen was to seize a toll gate house. They bound the keeper and his wife, and stationed one of their number, dressed in the gatekeeper's uniform, outside the gate. Peasants were allowed to pass on the payment of the usual fee, but prosperous-looking travellers were overpowered and robbed, and then imprisoned. In the afternoon of the gatekeeper's house or the out-building, while their horses and vehicles were assembled in the walled court yard.

After the total of forty persons relieved of their money had suffice, the bandits gathered together the best安然 and prepared their departure—but before they left they shot dead in sight of the others a man named Fahl, of Augustow, who had offered resistance. The son of the gatekeeper returned late in the afternoon and released the prisoners.

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Father Lives In Basement.

Blythe, Ont., July 19.—The Infante Alfonso of Bourbon Orleans, has been deprived of this title and stripped of his Spanish honors and decoration, on account of his marriage, on July 11th, in Coburg, Germany, to Princess Beatrice of Saxo-Cobourg, without the royal consent. Prince Alfonso is the great-grandson of Louis Philippe, the dethroned King of France. He was born in Madrid in 1885.

Evans Left \$12,000,000.

Salem, Mass., July 19.—The will of Robert D. Evans, President Taft's summer landlord, who died last week, left his entire estate, valued at \$12,000,000, to his widow.

There is talk of a Union depot at Regina.

DAILY MEMORANDA.

City Council—S. p.m.—Rev. R. B. Nelles, at the Salvation Army, to-night.

To-Morrow, 7.30 p.m. sharp, St. James' Club Searchlight, Str. America, 35c.

Lawn Social, Princess St. Meth. Church, Tuesday, July 20th. Good programme, 14th Band, Mr. Phewes, Elocutionist.

GEM JARS

ALL SIZES

AT—

Robertson Bros.

MONGOLIAN BLOOD BARS HIM.

Navy Hero Refused Citizenship in United States.

New York, July 19.—Unusual interest is being taken in the federal building in the case of William Knight, a seaman of the battleship Connecticut, whose application to become a citizen of the United States, although he has been in the navy for twenty-seven years and received from congress a medal for bravery in the battle of Manila Bay, under Admiral Dewey, was denied by Judge Chatfield, in the United States court in Brooklyn. Despite the ruling of Judge Chatfield, the consensus of opinion of those connected with the naturalization bureau is that Knight has a good chance of winning his case against the government on appeal.

Knight's application for citizenship was denied on the ground that the naturalization laws expressly state that those persons in whose veins there is blood of a race other than black or white cannot become citizens of the United States. Knight's father was an Englishman, and his mother was half-Chinese and half-Japanese.

CANADA AN EXAMPLE.

English Speaker Envies Such Happy Land.

London, July 19.—Sir R. Parks, speaking on the land tax question, said that he had been taxed in a happy country where problems which perplexed us were not brought under the consideration of the legislature. When we are told sometimes to copy New Zealand or Germany, he thought we might with advantage turn our eyes to the growing prosperous dominion of Canada, where such land regulations as are now being proposed here would not be tolerated for a moment.

MAMMOTH FISH.

Alexandria Bay, N.Y., July 19.—A sturgeon weighing 107 pounds was the prize landed near Ash Island, about five miles below here, by Con. Hunt of this place. Hunt is acting as guide on the houseboat Dora, owned by Captain D. H. Hass, and was fishing for bass when he hooked the big fish. The prize measured six feet and three inches, and was shipped to New York.

Son Takes Up The Burden.

New York, July 19.—John D. Rockefeller has transferred several million dollars' worth of real estate to his son, John D. Rockefeller, Jr. The transfers, it is understood, are a part of the plan of the oil magnate to lay aside the burdens of active business.

Scalded By Burst Pipe.

London, Ont., July 19.—Fireman Bennett, of the C.P.R.C., met with a serious accident when a steam pipe in the cab of his engine exploded. He was terribly scalded about the head. It is feared he will lose his sight.

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Blythe, Ont., July 19.—The man was completely destroyed by fire and Rev. J. L. Small and family are now living in the basement of the Presbyterian church. The fire originated in the stable, and the minister's horse was burned to death in his stall. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Will Go To England.

Ottawa, July 19.—Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux left, yesterday, for La Malbaie, where he will remain for a fortnight. The minister will likely go to England in September in regard to the question of cheaper telegrams.

The Trades and Labor Council of Hamilton has appointed a committee to decide on the advisability of building a Labor Temple in the city.

AWFUL STORY

A Wife Declares Husband Whipped Her.

SHE BLEED ALL NIGHT

THE WOUNDS HE CAUSED BY A WHIP.

Then He Rubbed Them Over With Salt and Water—The Cruel Brute Has Been Sent Up For Trial—The Wife's Awful Story.

Toronto, July 19.—W. N. Rhindress was committed for trial by J. J. Barker, J.P., Georgina township, for assaulting his wife, occasioning actual bodily harm.

The defendant pleaded not guilty when arraigned. He will come up before the county judge next week.

"He said he was going to give me a whipping," stated Mrs. Rhindress in giving her evidence. "He asked me if I would rather live or take a whipping. He ordered me to take off my clothes. He said to me when I was undressing that if I didn't hurry up it would not be well for me.

"He then got a whip, and shut all the doors so no one could hear. After he had given me six stripes he rested a while. He then told me to get on the floor and get some more.

"After that he hung up the whip, and told me to get some salt and water so he could wash my wounds. They bled all that night.

"He whipped me because he thought I was away with Wilbert Ruttle. He said he would do it again."

The prisoner was brought to Toronto jail from the village of Udoa, where he appeared before Mr. Barker, and is now awaiting his trial.

MANY CONCERNED

In the Massacres at Adams Some Time Ago.

Constantinople, July 19.—The report of the court-martial, held at Adams in connection with the massacres there, censures the vlasti and other local officials. It announces that ten of the murderers already have been hanged and adds 800 deserve death, 15,000 deserve penal servitude for life and 80,000 deserve minor punishment. If the government decides to carry out the punishments, it will establish a cordon around the town and deal with the matter expeditiously. The court, however, recommends that, as a general reconciliation has occurred, universal amnesty should be granted on the occasion of a national fete.

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