A PAGE OF BRITISH NEWS FOR THE READERS OF THE DAILY BRITISH WHIG

Only Son Discovers His Policeman "Accidentally" , Sisters Dead in the Kitchen

EX-SERVICEMAN

Man Served Continuously, Tailor Held in Connection Except for Leaves, 1914-18

Sergeant John Breeze (37), formerly of the Monmouthshire Regiment, caretaker of the drill hall at Cwmcarn. Hitchin, Eugene de Vere was detained port, Mon., is in custody, charged with by a police-sergeant. the murder of three of his children:— He is the one-legge Iris Breeze, aged 8; Olive Mary Breeze, aged 4; and Betty Charlotte Breeze, aged 18 months.

RETURNED ALONE

One evening, Breeze and his wife a half miles away, leaving their four in children in the caretaker's quarters.

Later they separated. Mrs. Breeze calling at her parents' home, her husband promising to call for her later. But he went straight back to the drill

and chatted freely with his father-iniaw, showing no signs of agitation. He then left for home with his wife

On the way he embraced his wife. and saked her not to go to the drill N.W. hell, and ran away in the direction of Abercarn, while his wife and son, now greatly distressed, went along the lonely canal bank to their home. GAVE HIMSELF UP.

rifle, said to be from the drill hall, on | girl and her mother lived.

He served during the war with the called and spoke to Mrs. Walker, who and Battalion of the Monmouthshire had just returned from her own emfor short leaves, from November, 1914 way. until the Armistice. He took part in the Battle of Ypres and in the fighting

He was a collier by trade, but for ran down the stairs, gasped "My the last 18 months had worked very daughter has been murdered," and colirregularly, and this, coupled with his war experiences, is believed to have preyed upon his mind.

Historic Fort of Edward I. is Entrusted to

Beaumaris Castle, Anglesey, one of black clothes. the best preserved mediaeval fortresses Just now a keen controversy is rag-in Britain, has been placed by Sir ing on the subject, and has attained Richard Williams Bulkeley, Lord- international proportions. The French Lieutenant of the Island, under the are standing out for black, and the care of the Department of the Office English and Americans are for colo

tenant of the castle for life only, and as when she is dressed in black, prewas very anxious that the historic ferably in all-black should be properly preserved. MOURNING WITH RELISH "I have no right to give it away."

with ten low Moorish towers, within the main entrance is the banqueting hall, which is 70 feet long by 23 broad. The most interesting feeture, however, is the chapel, with its beautiful groined roof, which is in excellent preservation.

| Comparison of the french have a lively distributed by the french have a lively dist SEA CONNECTION.

eaumaris Castle was surrounded by Beaumaria Castle was surrounded by a fosse connected with the sea by a canal, which enabled ships discharge their cargoes under the castle walk. An iron ring, to which vessels were moored, may still be seen near the main entrance. The only event of importance in the history of the castle was its surrender to the Parilament in 1646.

In a telegram from Beaumaris, Sir Richard Bulkeley stated there was no authority for the published statement regarding the sift of Beaumaris Castle to the nation.

OF WORTHY WIVES

Dame of the Order of Worthy Wives is an honor to which women may be able to aspire if members of the women in may be able to aspire if members of the Women's Freedom League have their way.

Alias F. A. Underwood, secretary of the league, laughingly suggested the creation of such an Order when she discussed her letter to the Prime Minister protesting against the exclusion of women from the New Year Honors list.

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Talboys and Minns have been dubbed "In the last Honors list not one woman received an honor of importance ficulty in distinguishing between the pair. As servants they have served honors awarded in recognition of work list not one dubbed woman received an honor of importance ficulty in distinguishing between the honors awarded in recognition of work list not one dut England, Wales, Scotland, and Ireland, and will also be used for strengthening long service or pension funds in connection with the Queen's number of honors awarded in recognition of work list not one dut England, Wales, Scotland, and Ireland, and will also be used for In returning to his position, Mr. Page bumped into and nearly knocked in unses themselves.

It bishops and many prominent clergy, done for the Conservative many be sent to the head done, and will also be used for land, and line.

Christ Church, was a tutor at Keble he made use of three of us." he added, "and all three had biblical Christian names—David, John, and Samuel."

Nine Keble College servants have a total of 340 years' service between them a college record:

GRANDPA AFFECTED

BY ACT OF 1601

An Act of Queen Elizabeth's reign, dated 1601, dealing with the responsibilities of grandfathers, was quoted at Sutton, Surrey, when George March, stream and the surrey of the maintenance of his four grandfathers, was unamoned in respect of the maintenance of his four grandfathers, was unamoned in respect of the maintenance of his four grandfathers, was unamoned in respect of the maintenance of his four grandfathers, was unamoned in respect of the maintenance of his four grandfathers, when deeper deep

Kicks it and Finds His Quarry

MURDER

With Brutal Death of Girl

While working out a cross-word puzzle in a small temperance hotel at He is the one-legged man for whom Scotland Yard have been looking in

connection with the murder of Polly Walker, the 17-year-old girl found The tragedy was discovered by the strangled in her bedroom at Camdel only surviving child, Ivor, aged 16. De Vere was identified by Mrs. Tadner, the wife of the proprietor of the went shopping at Risca, about two and hotel, through a photograph she saw

> Saying, "I am the man," the cripple admitted to the local police that he was De Vere. A remarkable feature is

blue-eyed girl, with golden bobbed hair, was found with a stocking tied tightly round her throat and terrible injuries to her head, in the house where she lived with her widowed mother and brother at Arlington road.

Her mother went to work at 8 o'clock in the morning, and it is believed that the girl was murdered about an hour afterwards. A woman living in the house heard The son entered the kitchen first, footsteps on the stairs at 9 o'clock. It and there found his three little sisters seemed to her that a man was hurrylead in bed. There was a service ing from the third floor, where the For hours the girl lay dead, other lodgers in the house ignorant of her and for a couple of hours a search was fate. At 1 o'clock a girl sent by Miss made for the missing husband. Even- Walker's employers to inquire the tually he gave himself up to the police cause of her absence from the shop in Kentish Town where she was cashier

> ployment at a picture palace in Kings-"There must be something wrong." said Mrs. Walker, and went up to the girl's bedroom. A minute later she

Elegant

There are various problems in the charge. fashion world, as in the political world, which will never be settled, and one of these relates to the question of

French people speak from the point Sir Richard explained that he was a woman is never so elegant-looking

for the overawing of the turbulent of a third or fourth cousin is quite Cymry. It consists of an outer wall sufficient to provoke them into the

gadrangular in shape, with a large dispute is a clash of national psycho- strikes downwards over its head.

SUCCESSION ORDER OF WORTHY WIVES

"The tendency of recent Govern-The tendency of recent Governments in awarding honors to women," said Miss Underwood, "has been to bestow them on the wives of men who have already received an honor for services rendered. If it is the wish of the Government to mark out for distinction women who have been efficient partners of their husbands, who have done good work, then they should no intention of giving up work, however.

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SERVED 50 YEARS

David Talboys and John Minns, known to generations of undergraduates as "David" and "John," have already received an honor for the Government to mark out for distinction women who have been efficient partners of their husbands, who have done good work, then they should invent some special Order for this class of case.

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Libishops and many prominent clergy, Keble being the Churchmen's college.

Taiboys said that he was scout to the present Bishop of London when he was an undergraduate.

"When Dr. Lock, now Canon of Conservative organization?"

Taiboys said that he was scout to the conservative party.

"I do not wish to raise any objection to that," she continued, "but why should these honors all go to the chairman or other male official of some Conservative organization?"

This Church was a tutor at Keble Conservative organization?"

Donations may be sent to the head offices, or branches at 58 Victoria street, S.W.1, for England and Wales: Scotland; and 36, South Frederick conservative organization?

ARE THEY PROFANE? Girl Hockevists Resent the

More than 100 hockey girls who took the brain-worker, Charles E. Hecht. part in the tournament at Windsor, recently, resent the suggestion made cation Society, told a conference of by the official organ of the Women's educational associations at University Hockey Association that bad language College.

DUCHESS INTERRED AMONG SOVEREIGNS



The remains of the Dowager Duchess of Argyll, who died recently in London, were conveyed to the lonely Isle of Iona, off the Scottish coast, and laid to rest in the ancient cemetery of St. Oran's where lie the remains of many Scottish kings. The body was taken ashore in a small boat, and Duncan Cameron, piper to Her Grace, played a lament as he headed the funeral cortege to the graveside. Ina Erskine, daughter of the late Archibald mother to the Marquis of Lorne, remembered as a Governor-General of Canada, and "step mother to the Marquis of Lorne, remembered as a Governor-General of Canada, and "step mother mother to the Marquis of Lorne, remembered as a Governor-General of Canada, and "step mother mother mother mother to the Marquis of Lorne, remembered as a Governor-General of Canada, and "step mother But he went straight back to the drill he walked all the way to Hitchin from Camden Town. (Hitchin is 32 miles from King's Cross.)

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Lord of Manor Says Action Mis-

STRANGE PRISONERS

Jackdaws Enliven Proceedings of

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wo prisoners at Mariborough street

Two jackdaws were brought before

Police Court recently

ernment Forestry Commission.

was a royal hunting grou

Then Shot Self as Result of Worry Over the

A fowlhouse in the garden of his playing fields of Bedford School, where he was porter, was the scene of the tragedy in which Percy Townsend, aged 46, shot himself and his 18-yearold daughter, Phyllis. husband and her daughter lying there. The man was shot dead through the head. The girl had a bullet wound in the head, but was alive. She was taken to the house and died the follow-

ing morning. A service revolver was found near Townsend, and on the body was a note addressed to the Chief Constable of Bedford. It is believed that he had worried about the future of his crippled

Townsend had served in the Royal Navy, the Royal Fleet Reserves, and the London Salvage Corps. A native of Paddington, he went to Bedford in 1910, and rejoined the Navy for the The revolver had been taken from the school armory, of which he had

HAND'S MAGIC Scorpion and Spider are Paci-

A bird-eating spider from Brazil and Zoo, have belied the reputation of such creatures as being mortal enemies. In Mesopotamia during the war "Tommy" often amused himself by matching such creatures and watching them fight to the death. The odds were usually on the spider, though added. "I have no desire to be arbi-many backed the scorpion. Whilst trary. I have simply sent the usual The castle was built by Edward I, a certain amount of relish; the death the spider has only hair to protect its soft body, the scorpion is well armored, the country, simply to clear up the which to hold its victim whilst it Property Act. The whole amount does which is the main structure. This is What is really at the root of the throws its sting over its back and not involve more than four or five

case.
"In the last Honors list not one out England, Wales, Scotland, and Ire-

MILK HARMS BRAINS Expert Warns of Common Diet

AS BOOKMARKS, AND LEAVES THEM THERE One pound and ten shilling treasury notes are among the novel bookmarks used - and

matter had been magnified out of all they said, was due to her own violent

forgotten-by a man who is a frequent borrower of books "Conduct Would Have Disone of Manchester's graced Foreign Army in Quite a large sum has been African Village" returned by the librarian to this absent-minded borrower.

Undoubtedly a serious mistake had been made by the police, said the

She claimed against two policemen for assault and false imprisonment, and liability was admitted, damages being the sole matter for the jury. "The conduct of these Liverpool Huge Scheme in Worcesterpolicemen would have disgraced a foreign army invading an African village," said Mr. Maxwell Fyfe, who ap-

Mrs. McGee's case was that sh called at the house of a friend, where been begun in Wyre Forest, near she found an aged woman on the floor Bewdley, Worchestershire, by the Gov- very ill. Unable to restore her, Mrs. McGee

instead of the present oaks.

The scheme will probably last five Whereupon, she alleged, Handley years and is under the direction of struck her on the head and knocked In the 13th century Wyre Forest

John E. Ray, Lord of the Manor of McGee became hysterical and abusive Brede, Hastings, who is reported to when advised to go for the parish have demanded quit rent of freeholders doctor, and that they were obliged to on the manner, said that the whole arrest her. Any hurt she received,

"It has been stated that the Hast- Young Inventor's Genius Not Ap-

raising themselves on their legs to do battle as is their wont, refused to recognize each other, and remained perfectly quiet—on the hand of their keeper!

Many deaths are recorded at the gaol which formerly stood in the Courthouse street, and is now a police hands, or rather laws, of bird-eating the perfect to be in some cases 6d. a year, and in others 3d. a year, and in others 3d. a year, and in others 3d. a year for the gaol which formerly stood in the Courthouse street, and is now a police of the press, asked why H.M. Stationary Office did not reprint the Henson Specification?

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Courthouse street, and is now a police station.

At present it has to be expensively photo-printed to special order if any private person wishes to have a copy for reference. Yet this young Staffordshire man invented the aeroplane Stationmaster Retires After Fifty Years

Stationmaster Retires After Fifty September 29, 1842 (Patent No. 9478), is surely an historic document, if ever there was one.

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He recalls an incident during the funeral of King Edward when at Paddington a horse slipped and threw a general. Lord Roberts and Mr. Page HERMIT REMAINS

It seems likely that the "Hermit of lignant growth has been given by the issing," the old man of 70 who, after discoverers to a lay audience. 28 years in the village, has had to shelter in a shed, may not be forced to "leave his little wooden hut" after all. This is in spite of the action of the Depwade Rural District Council in making an order for the shed to be Church pastors will benefit as the council in the co

JOAN, AGED FOUR, ASSISTS A SOLOMON'S JUDGMENT BY CHOOSING HER OWN MOTHER A little rosy-cheeked girl of four, Jumped into her arms. Nestling her face against her mother's, she ceased to sob. In a minute she was smiling. Mr. Bingley ordered that Joan should be be a little was enacted in the Marylebone of the little was enacted in the little was enacted

beside the magistrate, H. C. A. Bing- ents, but the welfare of the child. ley, who had to decide between con- "A TERRIBLE ONUS." tending parties for the girl's guar-Her father, Walter Jennings, a the child could not bear her. On the

agreement made in 1922.

Mr. Jennings wanted to hand over the child to a foster-mother, Mrs.

Mr. Bingley said this difficult case Annie Robinson, with whom she had previously, lived. He said the mother was living in one room, and alleged that she had previously reviewed a leged upon magistrates in calling upon their that she had previously neglected the THE TEST.

"Just hand the child to Mrs. Robinand words of endearment.

remain with her mother. He had to Joan occupied a seat on the Bench | consider not the interests of the par-

He had nothing to say against the salesman, of Victoria-mansions, Edg-ware road, summoned the wife, Muriel Jennings, of Earl street, for the return of the child in accordance with an lit was understood that this was the first case of its kind to be brought

was an instance of the fresh difficulties which the Legislature had put to decide matters which were formerly dealt with by the Chancery Division

of the High Court. The Act was extremely vague, and son," said the magistrate, when the did not even say that fathers had any toster-mother entered the witness-box. rights to their children. It was amaz-Joan was placed in the fostermother's ing that magistrates should be called arms. She cried and struggled to get upon to construe this Act in these away, heedless of the woman's kisses circumstances. He assumed that as a mother was stated to have equal rights "That is enough for me," said Mr. with the father, the father also had Bingley. "Let Joan go to her mother." certain rights: but the onus put upon Joan ran towards her mother, and magistrates by the Act was terrible.

Uses Slotted Board and Head of Salvationists Special Set of Men on Pegs

was one of the competitors in the from Salvation Army funds, friends boys' champlenship of London at the providing him with an income. annual congress of the London Chess Cross, who has gained several chess prizes at the Worcester College for the

can identify by markings. the board, taking in the situation accountants in London which his rivals can see at a glance. Registrar in Liverpool Court of Pas- Movements of his opponents are at sage, when Mrs. McGee, an elderly once told him, and a rare pace is kept married woman, was awarded £100 up, for each competitor must make a ninimum of 20 moves an hour under peril of disqualification.

WOMAN LEADS Miss Dodsworth Heads Exams for

For the first time in history, the First Certificate of Merit in the Final wish to end their days in these houses Examination for Incorporated Ac-

Eight hundred acres of forest will went for help, and asked Constables were men. Miss Gladys Elizabeth be cleared and larch and fir planted Joseph Handley and John Cantwell to beat all the men and headed the her down, and then both carried her to ... "I shall stay with Mr. Barron for the police station, followed by a large the present," she said, "though I may crowd, twisting and bruising her arms one day decide to set up in practice She was charged with disorderly turally very pleased at the result, and that her statement was true, and also night oil in preparing for the examinpear at the top of the list. I have always been keen on mathematics, and

I thoroughly enjoy every branch of my tion, and three women passed the in-

FOOTBALL BAN FOLLOWS DISORDER

84 YEARS AGO Complaints regarding the conduct ments. Her counsel suggested that of spectators on the ground of the "this highly sensational statement was the product of a mind suffering" ball Club resulted in the council of the from morbid hallucination.

The audience rose and cheered at its said she had woven most extraordinary Petition Against Eviction Widely This is the first time that a detailed description of what is believed to be the organism associated with ma-

Salaries of North Wales Calvinistic Church pastors will benefit as the re-sult of a £100,000 fund raised through

In a plea for the co the owner, they reappeared with him, this time on his arm and looking very apprehensive—awaiting sentence.

An amusing story of a boy's revenue, that ied to a valuable discovery, was told by Sir William Brags at the Royal Institution.

TOY CURES PARALYSIS.

A paralysed boy in the Children's had been annoyed by his little sister on the eve of her birthday party. Conceiving a deep scheme of revenue, he crept into the celiar where jeilles for the feast were "setting," and poured witnesses in the succidence of the succide of a 14-years-old servant employed at Barmouth road, Wanteman Lincoln who, hearing himself described as "a common-looking fellows, or he would not have made so many of them."

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Supported Financially by Friends

General Booth receives no salary This fact is revealed in the 21st Year Book of the Salvation Army. In theory, it is added, he has ab-Blind, where he is a pupil, has a solute control over the finances of the slotted board and a special set of chess- army, "but, as a matter of fact and men on pegs, each one of which he practice, he has indeed little to do with His hands are forever running across system, devised by some of the ablest it. He is surrounded by an ironclad

The army is now established in 81 countries and colonies, and proclaims its message in 58 languages. In 1925 work was found in the United Kingdom for 254,082 men. the 8,938 women and girls received in the army's homes during the year, 8,046 were passed out as satisfactory. the majority going to situations or to

the care of friends. Eventide Homes for old people have a long list of applicants from men and women of all faiths and no faiths who

Tells Strange Tales of Doped Men and Many

Crimes Appearing, heavily veiled, in the dock at Flintshire Quarter Sessions, Hilda Cubbon, aged 20, of Sandiway. Cheshire, asked that six charges of burgiary should be taken into consid-Five of the offences related to Flintshire and one to Cheshire. She had been accused of burglary at a village inn near Mold and was sentenced to three months' hard labor. On her arrest, Cubbon made a sen-

unable to verify many of her state-Lincolnshire Football Association or-dering the ground to be closed for six weeks. The club is forbidden to play "The inference was she had been

he attributes their pacific behaviour to the magic influence of the human hand.

After 50 years' service on the Great Western Railway, James Page, stationmaster at Paddington, is about to retire.

Tribute to Alexandra Aids Nurses' his career, Mr. Page remarked that whereas it used to be the custom for travellers to take heavy trunks, the invavelling public is now a suitcase of the magic influence of the human and his memory has never since had any adequate recognising the committed while in London for three was one.

William Samuel Henson received no support them, and his memory has never since had any adequate recognising the committed while in London for three was one.

BARNARD'S LECTURE So packed was the audience in the largest lecture theatre of the Imperial College of Science of Science

Mr. Page has received gifts from the father-in-law reproached him when he kindly attention to the comfort of Royal travellers.

He recalls an incident during the lous notions" with which his intended father-in-law reproached him when he dather in law reproached him when he father-in-law reproached him when he dather-in-law reproached him when he father-in-law reproached him when he capital is the father in law reproached him when he father-in-law reproached him when he dather-in-law reproached him when he father-in-law reproached him when he capital is the father-in-law reproached him when he father-in-law reproached him when he father-in-law reproached him when he capital is the father-in-law reproached him when he father-in-law reproached him when he capital is the father-in-law reproached him when he father-in-law reproached him when he capital is the father-in-law reproached him was indeed and it is the father-in-law reproached him was capital in the father-in ion, and Mr. Barnard then re- fairy tales of elaborate plans to com-

OVER 20 THEFTS Youth of Twenty-three Captured

After Chase More than 20 burglaries were taken Two jackdaws were brought before in Mead, the master being in the laborers in and around the old-world laborers in and around laborers in and around laborers in and around laborers in and around l After his arrest Montgomery bolted from two constables, and was chased through a churchyard, over several walls, and through a house before his

Dudley Castle And Frounds, the break, pastry, cases, ours, make the foot Law Act and "may" make an order, not "shall." The case was adjourned for the foot have an annual rent of 10s. Act said "may" make an order, not "shall." The case was adjourned for the attendance of the grandfather, the attendance of the grandfather.

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