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A man recently in New York made a wager that he would marry and marry within an hour a young lady whom with his companion he had seen arrive at the hotel where he was living. There is nothing in the American marriage law to prevent this dispatch. He introduced himself to the fair damsel she called upon his suit a minister was called in and they were married within an hour. The wager of no inconsiderable amount was handed the bridegroom who left with his bride the following day. It was shortly afterwards discovered that the couple had been man and wife and that they had been traveling about playing the same trick at various hotels.

MILITANT SUFFRAGETTS DEFIANT AFTER ARREST

London, April 24. — Mrs. Charlotte Despard, militant suffragett who was arrested last night at Trafalgar square for creating a disturbance, was today fined \$25 but she goes to jail for 14 days rather than to pay the fine. Miss Nina Boyle and Miss Julia Wood who were arrested with her chose to serve ten days and seven days in prison in place of paying the fines. The women were arrested while climbing the Nelson monument ringing bells to attract crowds and trying to make speeches.

A Railroad Man's Prayer.

An old time Railroad man, having been converted, was asked to lead in prayer. The following was his response: "O! lord, now that I have flagged thee, lift up my feet from the rough road of life, and plant them safely on the deck of the train of salvation. Let me use the safety lamp, known as Prudence; make all the couplings in the train with the strong link of Thy love, and let my hand lamp be the Bible; and Heavenly Father keep all switches closed that lead off to the especially those with a blind. O! Lord, if it be Thy pleasure have every semaphore block along the line show the white light of Hope; that may make the run with out stopping. And Lord give us the ten commandments for a schedule, and when I have finished the run on schedule time and pulled into the great dark station of Death, may Thou the Superintendent of the universe, say 'Well done thou good and faithful servant; come and sign the pay roll and receive your check for eternal happiness.' Amen. The above was handed us by A. E. Paschall, of Nutbush, who is anxious for our readers to read the impressive and unique prayer — The Record.

Shot Little Son And Killed Self.

New York, April 24. — Despondency over separation from his wife due to religious differences is believed to have been the cause of V. Robins shooting his nine-year-old son and cutting his own throat with a razor. Mrs. Robins will testify before the coroner's jury this afternoon.

Never Failin Method Uv Killin Uv Fly.

The best thing about this suggestion is its never failability. Hold fly in tub uv water until thoroughly soaked. Then remove legs, one by one. This done ley fly on large stone an strike ten hard blows wi h ax, an then throw him in thi fire. If this hez failed to produce thi disired result, fly on nearist rail road track. Then ast th' man tu lend you hiz largest engun an run over it. — Mrs. Handy Goad, The Durham Sun.

The Democrats Predicts Great Relief.

Representative Underwood in discussing the proposed tariff bill says, the enactment of this bill into law will mark the end of an era in the physical administration of this country, and that it will decrease the cost of living. Within a reasonable time after the merchants have disposed of the goods brought under the protective tariff, the people of this country will find the cost of living greatly reduced.

Largest Ship Ever Built in Great Britain is Launched.

Glasgow, Scotland, April 21. — The largest steamship ever built in Britain, the Cunarder Aquitania, was successfully launched on the Clyde today. The vessel is double shelled and carries boats sufficient to accommodate 4,250 persons, the entire complement of passengers and crew. The vessel has forty-seven thousand tons gross displacement.

News and Observer Insurance \$28,000.

Raleigh, April 25 — Mr. Daniels in an interview tonight, expressed his gratification that nobody was hurt in the News and Observer fire. He said his first thought was the danger in which his employes might have been placed and was greatly relieved to learn that the loss was only monetary. The insurance, it was learned, was only 28,000 instead of \$40,000.

Boy Loses Life In Fire Near Waynesville.

Waynesville, May 4. — The 12-year-old son of R. L. Noland who lives at Fines Creek near this city was burned to death in a fire which destroyed the residence of his father shortly after midnight last night. The remainder of the family made their escape from the burning building with difficulty. Nothing was saved from the house. Neither the building or contents were insured and the origin of the fire has not been learned.

Useful 'Liza Jane.

Evidently 'Liza Jane was a very useful person. She and the old woman came into a Lonpon shop and the old woman began examining some pieces of cheap calico. She pulled at one piece first this way, then that, wetting it and rubbing it with her fingers to try if the colors were fast, [says The Youtn's Companion. But she seemed not entirely satisfied. At last she cut off a piece with a pair of sissors and handed it to 'Liza Jane. "Here 'Liza Jane," she said, "you chew that, and see if it runs." And 'Liza Jane raised it to her mouth and solemnly went to work.

Entire Family Killed.

Nogales, Ariz., May 2. — The only apparent result of the shelling of Empalme today when state troops evacuated, was the killing of an entire family. A shell from the gunboat Guerrero burst over a house in the suburbs of the town, killing a man and his wife and several children. No Americans were reported injured.

Rifle fire late to today indicated that the federals had begun a movement in pursuit of the fleeing constitutionalists, whose hasty exit occasioned the shelling. It was believed federal reinforcements recently arriving at Guaymas had begun an advance.

The state troops left on trains consisting of 17 engines and 40 box cars, all the available railway equipment. Thus, pursuit by rail was prevented.

Rules for Der Married Man

If you'd lead a happy life, Never argue mit your wife, Say you like her bonnet new, Let her run your bizness, too; Always gif her all der money, Often call her "Dear" and Houey," Say der cooking vas devine, Dot your socks vas mended fine, And dot angels in der skies, Never had such hair und eyes, Stay right in der house each night, Say her mudder vas all right, Now if you mine vords should doubt, Disobey — und you'll find out.

Are Drinks on Increase.

Raleigh, May 3. — Raleigh has had a Police Commission for the past two years that retires with in the incoming of the new commission form of government the coming week. The final report of the commission shows that upwards of \$18,000 was collected in fines and costs from the police court the past two years, compared with less than \$2,500 for the two years previous, with without commission management of the police department. The cost of maintenance of the police department of the city for the past two years was \$24,305. There were nearly a hundred more arrests for drunkenness the past year than during the year previous.

Mike Knew a Thing Or Two.

It was during the dinner hour, and Mike and Pat were playing seven-up while waiting for the whistle to blow. In the midst of the game Pat paused. "O'll bet you twenty-foive cents, Moike," said he, "thot Oi kin cut the ace of diamonds the furrus shot." "O'm wid yez, Pat" promptly replied Mike, producing the coin. Whereat Pat carefully shuffled the cards, and then going to another part of the building and getting an adz, he cleanly cut the dock in two. "O'll take the twenty-foive cents Moike," he happily remarked. O'i guess Oi cut th' ace of diamonds alright." "Begorra, an' Oi don't think yez will," responded Mike, taking the card from his pocket. "O'i flipped it from the deck whin ye wint after th' adz." — Los Angeles Herald.

They were strolling through the woodland. "Yes" the youthful professor was saying, "it is a very simple matter to tell the various kinds of trees by the bark." She gazed at him soulfully. "How beautiful," she exclaimed. "And can you — or — tell the various inds of dogs that way?" — April Lippincott's.

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No. 108	"	8:12 A. M.	No. 21	"	11:18 A. M.
No. 144	"	10:20 A. M.	No. 139	"	6:25 P. M.
No. 22	"	5:00 P. M.	No. 131	"	9:17 P. M.

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