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AMERICAN WOMAN GOES TO BE CANNIBAL ISLE QUEEN

Mrs. Louis Landrock Leaves Her Home in Omaha To Inherit Ten Million Estate in the Fiji Islands. (Omaha Bee)

From civilized life in an American city to "queen" of a "musical comedy island," with cannibals as next door neighbors!

It would be a startling change—even in fiction.

But Mrs. Louis Landrock, of Omaha, is making the jump. She is on the Pacific ocean, en route to Ngau, one of the Fiji islands, and the town of Pontianak, in Dutch Borneo.

She expects to settle down, almost in the center of the Fijis, as part owner of a \$10,000,000 estate.

One of the most eccentric wills in history is responsible for it all.

Way back in 1664, Prince Wolfert Webbert, of Holland, became disgruntled with his daughter, Princess Anneka, for marrying out of royalty. He willed her share of his extensive island holdings to the seventh generation of her descendants.

Held In Trust.
The Dutch government has held the property in trust since that time—waiting for Anneka's great-great-great-great-grand children to put in appearance.

The princess, in the meantime, moved to New Amsterdam, where she told the story of the island kingdom to her children. They repeated it to their children and their children's children.

From the princess there were two distinct lines of descent, for after her first husband was lost at sea, she married Evaradus Bosardus, second pastor of the New Amsterdam church in New York.

Some of the descendants preserved complete records of their lineage.

Mrs. Landrock, daughter of Mrs. Augusta Gardner Keeline, only child of the almost "run out family," was taught from early childhood that she, with her sisters, Nona and Lillian, was to have the promise of wealth fulfilled.

Her Life Secret.

All through her life Mrs. Landrock guarded the story well.

"This is America," she said, just before sailing. "People would only have tapped their heads, had I told them of it."

The lineage chart, which Mrs. Landrock has kept complete, has traveled back and forth between Holland and Omaha dozens of times, and was drafted in its final stage at a cost of 14,000. It dates from 1664 to 1915.

For five years Mrs. Landrock has had a representative in Dutch Borneo and the Fijis. He has been kept busy, she says, looking after crops of coffee, pineapples, coconuts, rubber, etc.

In a recent letter this representative told of a man, in his employ, who had been killed by cannibals.

But Mrs. Landrock—with a dictionary of the Malay language under her arm—is soon to set foot in the Fijis as the seventh descendant of Princess Anneka.

A Civic Creed.

(William Allen White)

I am a progressive because I believe in the continuous orderly growth of human institutions; because I believe that the world is not bunched up for immediate delivery into the millennium; and that only as we give of our lives in the effort to replace human wrongs by human rights do our institutions grow.

I am a progressive because I believe that institutions grow only as they develop greater depths of fellowship among men in our laws and in our customs; that fellowship deepens only as those who enjoy life more abundantly than their brethren surrender their special privileges in the joy of service.

There is no danger of life coming to a common level of mediocrity; the qualities of men will make differences in men forever. I am a progressive because I have seen men of high qualities give and give, and grow in giving, while the world waxed better for the gifts it got.—The Saturday Evening Post.

—Millions of army worms or caterpillars in New Brunswick have stripped the trees of foliage in many places. The railroad tracks are covered with these worms on certain sections and they grease the rails so badly that freight trains are having difficulty getting over the road and passenger trains are run in two sections.

HISTORY OF THE YEGGS WHO OPERATED IN THIS SECTION SOME TIME AGO

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by Baldwin-Felts detectives that there was a woman in the gang. This information was followed up and on Dec. 9, when she went to the Commercial National Bank, Washington, D. C., to obtain some money, which was being transferred to her, she was picked up by Baldwin-Felts men who were assisted by Inspector Grant, of the Metropolitan police department of Washington, D. C. Then also it developed that there was another man who had been a member of the gang. Plans were at once made for his capture but without success until the following week when he was located at Jefferson hospital, Philadelphia, having been shot through the leg by a pickpocket named Eddie McNulty in Philadelphia on Saturday night, Dec. 11, supposed to have been the culmination of a row over the treatment accorded the woman by this man, whom it developed was C. B. Gordon, in that he shot her in the hand with a blank cartridge powder, burning it and scaring her into giving him \$1,000—this taking place at her room in Philadelphia on Saturday, Dec. 4. Upon the information furnished by this woman it was possible to locate ten or twelve thousand dollars of money which has been turned back to the Bank of Halifax, at Houston Va.

When C. B. Gordon was located in Jefferson hospital, Philadelphia a police guard was placed over him until he was sufficiently recovered to be moved to the jail and on Jan. 7th, 1921, was turned over to representative of the Baldwin-Felts agency on extradition papers for his return to Halifax county, Va. He was placed in Roanoke jail for safe keeping until Jan. 27, when he was taken back to Halifax for trial that, was convicted on Jan. 27 for housebreaking and larceny and given 16 years in the penitentiary, upon the evidence of the woman and a chain of corroborative evidence, which led to Louisville, to Philadelphia, Washington, Atlanta, Raleigh, Danville and Houston.

FIVE HUNDRED DRAFT DODGERS HAVE BEEN LOCATED

The apprehension of nearly 500 draft deserters since the publication of the slacker lists began has justified the position of the American Legion and veterans or the world war in general in their leisure to have the lists published.

More than half of the 60,000 names of draft deserters have been published, according to information obtained by officials of the legion. The unpublished names are being released at a rate that should complete their publication in the next month.

Of the approximately 500 deserters who have been apprehended, about 200 have been tried and 80 convicted. Members of the American Legion have assisted in running down the deserters.

Oil the Invincible.

(The Villager)
Oil in Colombia; oil in Mesopotamia; oil in the Caucasus; oil in Mexico! Man's desire for gold explains many a difficult page in the history books; has oil now succeeded gold as that treasure which the whole world covets and schemes to possess? How often since time began have diplomatic gates opened and closed, "on golden hinges moving!" Is it now to be written of them that the hinges are oiled in a literal sense that we never meant when earlier we used the phrase? Well, we have still to believe that the best guide to civilization's estimate of the value of things is supply and demand. And of gold we have read lately that the Government must be asked to subsidize the mining of it, just as it is proposed to subsidize farmers and cotton growers who find no sufficient desire for their products. Think of having to offer men inducements to dig for gold! Times do change and with them the things we sought in our times! Now the new diplomacy floats on oil; National responsibilities lie in it; the destinies of peoples are mixed with it.

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SOMETHING THAT THE TOBACCO GROWERS SHOULD KNOW

A Movement in New England To Produce the Best That Can Be Made. (United States Tobacco Journal)

During the debate over the tariff at the Hartford convention of leaf tobacco merchants, the point was made by a prominent New York delegate that the prosperity of the domestic industry did not depend upon the scale of taxation on the imported article so much as it did upon the quality of the goods furnished by the growers of domestic tobacco. "When you furnish a good quality article in abundance, you make money regardless of a high tariff or a low tariff," declared this speaker. "When you produce a poor article, you lose money."

The organization of the Connecticut Valley Leaf Tobacco Improvement Association, which was announced to the trade in last week's issue of this paper, is the answer of the New England leaf tobacco growers and packers to this thought. Not that the suggestion of the New Yorker was the reason for the organization, because the New Englanders had long had such an organization under contemplation, and had utilized for many years the activities of the Federal and State experiment stations. But being unwilling longer to depend upon outside agencies, they got together and committed themselves to providing for a movement which will unquestionably mean better tobacco, better grown, and better handled and packed.

And in fact, the successful operation of this plan will mean a great deal more to the tobacco growers and packers than another dollar wrapper duty would. At the best the increased duty would have been a palliative of temporary importance only. It would have kept out a type of tobacco that is competing with the New England product. The plan the New Englanders have adopted means the production of tobacco that upon merit holds its own place in the economy of the American cigar and tobacco industry. They are hoping to produce tobacco that is so desirable as to be indispensable and which merely on its merit, will have nothing to fear from any tobacco, grown anywhere and under any conditions.

The benefits of the Improvement Association's work will not be confined to the New England wrapper, but will extend equally to all the types and grades produced. While the Shadegrown has had the most spectacular development and constitutes the most highly evolved tobacco product of the American continent, the aggregate value of the Sungrown wrappers, binders and fillers far outweighs the value of the Shadegrown crop.

The Improvement Association has started, possibly, an era of far reaching importance to the tobacco industry of the country. The marvelous efficiency already achieved by the New England tobacco growers is a matter of trade knowledge. Carried out along the lines embraced in the program of the Improvement Association, the progress that may be made cannot be predicted at this time. It is not beyond the reach of possibility that the New England product will find a world market, rather than continue to be confined to the domestic cigar industry. The German firm that paid 22 guilders for fancy wrappers recently, would in all probability, be willing to pay \$7.48 for equally desirable wrappers of American production.

The possibilities for good in the Improvement Association far outweigh the advantages that might accrue to New England from an addition dollar of wrapper tariff.

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—An everbearing Valencia orange tree, which is destined to revolutionize the orange industry, has been discovered by horticulturists in a grove at Tampa. The tree is about fifteen years old and has been bearing continuously eight years and apparently authentic records indicate that at no time during that period has it failed to have fruit and blossoms at all stages of maturity. Everbearing Florida lemons have been common for many years.

—During the coal strike the change in the atmosphere of London

—To show their contempt for burglar insurance, burglars in New York City recently tore into bits the policy of the man they were robbing and scattered the pieces around the rooms.

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