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GERMAN HOUSEHOLD ECONOMY.

The American consul at Nuremberg reports on an interesting statistical study of household economy in Germany. In the report considered the government took into account 852 families, the heads of which were asked to keep a careful account of the wage income from all sources and the outgo for the period covered by the study. The total annual income was \$444,501, and the total expenditures \$453,005, leaving a deficit of more than \$8,000 at the end of the year. For skilled industrial workmen the average annual income in Germany, among the families considered, was found to be \$448. The average income for all the families in the reckoning was \$521.70, while average expenditures amounted to \$531.69, which left each family owing approximately \$10 at the end of the year. When it is considered that these averages may be accepted as the averages for the better class of wage-earners in Germany it would seem that, so far as the matter of comparison is concerned, the average American wage-earner, whether skilled or unskilled, has little about which to complain. The showing in Germany is more remarkable on account of the differences between earnings and expenditures, and suggreater economy in household affairs, else wage-earners in Germany will soon find themselves burdened by a growing debt which them. growing debt which they cannot hope to overtake.

Capt. Godfrey L. Carden, a special agent of the department of commerce and labor, who has just finished an extended trip through Russia, with a view to learning trade conditions, officers and offices. They will mainmakes a report very encouraging to tain their own clerical sleuths. Americans. He says he found a big demand for American manufactures, especially machinery of all kinds, and that the supply is not up to the requirements. Here is a field which may be worked to advantage. Russia has entered upon a new era of development along various industrial lines, in which the need of machinery is very great. America excels in the manu facturing of machinery, and that fact is becoming more and more widely recognized abroad. What is wanted is active work in the way of canvassing for orders. And with American ships to carry the goods the gain would certainly be still more rapid.

The propaganda for good roads is accomplishing great results. The effect of the campaign is being felt in fight under the eyes of Justice Ashley had it landed, would have knocked almost every state in the union. The M. Gould several days ago. awakening to the necessities of the situation has come none too soon, but Mr. Lipscomb the attorney of the denow that the battle is practically won and millions of dollars are being invested in the improvement of the highways of the nation it cannot be realized too soon that constant and tempted to intimidate Rev. Dr. Eduntiring vigilance is the price of good ward Mott, Collier's pastor, by writing roads. No matter how well built the new roads may be, unless liberal provision is made for their maintenance they will deteriorate and become little better than at present.

A high school on Long Island has is sued an edict against hair puffs and cosmetics. With regard to the former something desperate needs to be done as at the present rate of puff decoration, the average woman's head threat ens to blot out the landscape, and it is necessary to attack the evil with the growing generation if a race of top-heavy women are not to afflict the eye of beauty-loving mankind.

College professors calculate that if the birth-rate decrease continues for 150 years there will be no births at all by 2060 A. D. In that case few will

Wheat exports are dropping. What a pity that America's extensive wheat lands cannot be turned upside down and cultivated on the under side for a

Hens are lifting mortgages in Kan sas. But the roosters keep on doing the crowing, which some cynics say is by saying that Mr. Payne had, that oughly concealed." also c' aracteristic of the human race.



Carrie Nation Gives Advice on Wooing



ASHINGTON .- "The first thing a fellow ought to do when he goes courting is to get a line on his future mother-in-law, because she's going to be either his best friend or his worst enemy."

It was Carrie Nation who confided this bit of philosophy to a reporter. The enforced leisure of the Washington workhouse, where she was being held pending a hearing on a charge of destroying property, had given Mrs. Nation the chance to turn her attention from her pet theme, and

it was an off day for the demon rum as far as she was concerned. "I am going to devote a large part of my time hereafter to seeing that mothers-in-law get the attention they ought to have from the American people," she said, warming to her theme Why, a man ought to love his motherin-law as much as he does his wife, and if he does not it's a sign either that he's soaked all the decency out of him with whisky or burned it out with these fool cigarettes. If a man does not like the mother of the girl he's going with he ting lately."

better light out and book his spare time somewhere else, because it's sure thing that the girl will turn out to be just like the old lady.

"This law of heredity that I've been studying lately is a wonderful thing. It's the keynote of the whole matri-monial problem. Now, if a fellow begins to think his girl's mother is pret ty nice dispositioned, he don't need to look any farther than that house for And after he gets married it's a wife. most likely that his mother-in-law will be willing to do more for him than his wife will in the way of cooking and economizing and minding his chil-

Mrs. Nation owns to 63 years, but says she will fight to the death against the demon rum. She has now achieved the crowning triumph of her nine years' crusade—the smashing of furnishings in the big Union station

Mrs. Nation's defense was that she did not destroy private poverty but a public nuisance.

Carrie thinks the country has im

proved in the last three years.
"Taft ain't my style," she admitted,
"but he's a whole lot better than Teddy Roosevelt. He's a well-meaning man and he don't drink, and though I may have said at times that he was chasing around the country eating a whole lot more than is good for him, the presidential line we've been get-

Put Spies on the Trail of Uncle Sam



THE Pressed Steel Car Company of Pittsburg, which was recently in the throes of a long strike, is establishing a branch in Washington, not for the purpose of acquiring new business in that district, but to keep in di-

will maintain a similar office in the national capital to keep close watch on what the government is doing and make an annual report to its head offices wherever they happen to be The corporations hope through the newspapers to disseminate the action and policies of the Union's executive

"Business is taking the place of pclitics in our government," said Mr. Hofstot. "The government of this country ery day. The commercial interests are exist.

ecoming more important than poli Commerce and business are the mainstay of the nation, and expect only the right that the government should give greater rights to them.

"Politics in the future should take a back seat. This will increase as the years pass. My own view is that evbig industrial firm should keep in close touch with the doings of the government, and particularly with those departments devoted to the commercial and industrial interests." Mr. Hofstot was asked about poli-

"What I get in politics—" he exclaimed. "Why, if a man wants have his name sullied and his reputation dragged down in this country all he has to do is to get into politics; run for office and the rest is easy."

It is anticipated that the other big corporations of America will follow the ideas outlined by the head of the Pressed Steel Car Company. There are agencies already in existence representing the two biggest corporations in the world in Washington known to-day, the Standard Oil Company and the United States Steel corporation. But as for business offices with regular corps of workmen and public communication with the affairs of the government they do not now

Attorneys Fight in Washington Court



UNITED STATES District Attorney Daniel W. Baker and Andrew A. Lipscomb, the leading crim-

fense in the trial of John W. Collier. a policeman, charged with killing his captain on inauguration day. In the course of the trial Lipscomb insinuated that the district attorney had ata letter to the bishop of Washington objecting to Dr. Mott appearing as a character witness for Collier.

Mr. Baker was on his feet in an instant with an objection, but Lipscomb was not to be headed off.

"I want to show you that the district attorney's office has attempted to in-timidate this witness!" shouted Lips-

"Mr. Lipscomb knows that he is not telling the truth!" shouted the district

"You're a liar!" shouted Mr. Lipscomb.

Then the district attorney made for him. Mr. Baker weighs 250 pounds. He is not so agile as in his college inal lawyer of Washington, passed the lie and engaged in a rough-and-tumble launched a wallop at Lipscomb, which, Mr. Baker was the prosecutor and was bad, and the blow landed on the

Then Liscomb and Baker clinched and rights and lefts, uppercuts and jabs stirred up the court room dust and likewise the ire of the judge, who ordered the bailiffs to separate them Before the court officers could inter-fere, the defendant, Collier, jumped into the melee and stopped the proceedings. Justice Gould called the fighting attorneys before the bar, gave the district attorney a severe repri mand and fined Lipscomb \$50 for con-

Anecdotes of the Nation's Lawmakers



D URING the heat of the tariff ses D sion Representative Sereno Payne of New York, who boasts Sereno E. large a girth as any member of gress, had occasion to go to the White House with frequency. The amount of house with frequency. The amount of new she gave up on these occasions to the newspaper men would have starved a space writer to death in about two days. In addition, Mr. Payne, who was always polite on such occasions, finally became a little bit gruff, because of the rapid-fire bombardment of questions which were daily thrown at him. Finally, a reporter on a Washington newspaper, who was about as large around the waist line as Mr. Payne, recorded the call of the Republican leader at the White House

day, "waddled" in to see the president and out again. The next day, when hailed by the same reported for news

Mr. Payne got even by retorting:
"Tell your paper that its reporter waddled after Mr. Payne, who replied that he had no news."

Recently Mr. Payne called at the White House and the reporter greeted him with: Well, Mr. Payne, I see you are still

waddling to the White House "You must go around with a looking-glass in front of you all the time. came the reply from Mr. Payne, without the bat of an eye.

Senator Julius Caesar Burrows of Michigan, after an exceedingly busy day in which he called upon the president and several members of the cab-inet, thereby arousing the suspicion of the Michigan newspaper men to a fever heat, was met by one of them, who inquired:

"Senator, have you any news cealed about your person to-day?'
"Yes," replied the senator. "T

IN THE PUBLIC EYE

MORE POWER FOR MORGAN



Through purchase of control of the Equitable Life Assurance society, J. P. Morgan is acknowledged the insurance king of America, the dominating factor in the nation's finances and the master and controlling spirit of the traction situation in New York.

Mr. Morgan has been during the past 25 years the Atlas of the financial world of the United States. He possesses more money power than any man who ever lived in this country.

Born in Hartford, Conn., April 17, 1837, of a family which for generations had been wealthy and aristocratic, he from his youth up enjoyed all the educational advantages that his parents' money and social position could give him. After graduating at the English high school in Boston he went abroad and became a student at Got-At the age of 23 he returned to this country and appar

ently because nothing else presented itself for him to do went into his father's banking business. As his experience in the business grew his father wisely placed upon his shoulders more and more of the firm's responsibilities. He was sent to London as the firm's representative and there obtained a thorough grounding of the exceedingly complicated subject of foreign exchange. When he returned to New York he was made a partner in his father's banking firm.

During the years that followed some of the most luminous of his achieve-

In 1871 he created a market in Europe for \$25,000,000 worth of New York Central stock and sold it there at a profit which amazed old Commodore

In 1877 he handled an issue of \$26,000,000 of government bonds in preparation for putting the national currency on a gold basis.

In 1880 he provided \$40,000,000 for the extension of the Northern Pacific

railroad to the Pacific coast. In 1880 his was the master hand in the reorganization of the Reading railroad and the reorganization of the Baltimore and Ohio, involving syndi-

cate work and the loan of \$10,000,000. In 1893 the Southern railway was created out of the Richmond Terminal

In 1895 the Erie railway was rehabilitated.

SENATE WATCHES DOLLIVER



Senator Jonathan P. Dolliver of Iowa, a leading member of the "insurgents," threw some hot shot into the enemy in his speech delivered at the Press club in Chicago just before congress convened. Mr. Dolliver advanced the theory that the most hopeful sign about the last congress was not what congress did, but the fact that it did not do so unanimously. He also said that he believed President Taft's attitude toward the "insurgents" at the present session will be friendly and that he thought the president had done all that it was up to him to do in the tariff matter, as congress made the tariff revision and not the president.

"The time when a 'skin game' can be worked on the people with the unanimous consent of congress will never come again," said Mr. Dolli-"When I am asked why I do not vote with the majority I say: 'Not un-

til I have made a chemical analysis of it.' 'The real insurgents at the extraordinary session of congress were not the few men who tried to represent the public interest faithfully and carry out the pledges of the party platform, but the interesting group of private interests before whose threats to defeat legislation the leaders of the party

bowed down for the sake of harmony. "It will be a queer state of the public mind when representatives of the people are successfully read out of a party in order to secure a solidarity organized around merely private interests."

Soon after he arrived in Washington Senator Dolliver went up to the White House to see President Taft. He waited for some time in an outer office and then demanded of Secretary Carpenter the reason for the delay. He was told that the president was busy and could not be seen until the

The Iowan slapped his hat on his head and left, telling Mr. Carpenter that when the president wanted to see him he could send for him. It is said the Iowa senator now has a different opinion concerning the president's feelings toward the insurgents.

EDWARD OUT-OF-DOOR KING



No other European sovereign is so much a man of the open air as King Edward, who has just celebrated his sixty-eighth birthday anniversary. He is singularly energetic, though not active in the sense of one who walks rapidly and When there is nothing better available for an out-of-door occupation he does not despise the gentle game of croquet, though he has never fallen a victim to golf.

He is not afraid of rain and he actually revels in the brisk freshness of a heavy shower. He hardly ever uses an umbrella. For life out of doors he prefers clothes which will resist the rain, but he does not like a mackintosh. * Clad in a long, cloth cape, which completely covers his other clothes, he scorns to take shelter from even a tropical downpour.

He likes the sea, not only in its fairer moods, as when he is yachting in pleasant weather on the Solent, but also when he can watch it in storm. On his tour abroad this year the king was perpetually out of doors, in the royal yacht or ashore in motor-cars or carriages. He picnicked wherever he could, even at Girgenti and Pompeii. Malta was entirely traversed in the duke of Connaught's motor car.

Few are more skilled in the management of a sporting estate than his majesty. His head keeper, Mr. Jackson, constantly consults him and the king takes no mere surface interest in the intricacies of game preservation, with due regard to the rights of others. He arranges the beats personally and with much skill and he enjoins a rather strict observance of all the rules.

MONEY IS THE NEW LEADER



The Democrats in the United States senate have a new leader. He is Hernando de Soto Money, senator from Mississippi. The senate is pretty well made up of money these days, having several multimillionaires on its salary list. It often is called the "Millionaire's club." The new minority leader, however, has money in name only. Of course the Mississippian who will lead the party of Jefferson in the affairs to come before the senate has a few dollars, but as compared with Elkins, Guggenheim, Depew and several others he is a poor man.

Senator Culberson of Texas has been the mi-

nority leader in the upper branch of congress for several years, but soon after the lawmakers convened for the sixty-first session he announced

that he would give up the honor because of his health. Many thought Senator Bailey, also of Texas, would get the place, but it went to Senator Money.

Mr. Money has had ample experience in congress to make him a good header of his party forces. He was first elected from the fourth Mississippi district in 1875 and served 10 years. He was out of the house until 1893 and was again elected, serving until 1897. While a member of the house he was elected in 1896 to the senate, but did not take his seat until March 4, 1899. AT FIRST SIGHT.



He-Rosalie, I can't tell you how I worship your almond eyes, your velvet cheeks, like peaches, and your cherry lips!

Rosalie-I suppose you are the new gardener.

Ship's Figurehead.
Carvings for more than 500 vessels
were made by William Southworth, who recently died at Bath. He made a specialty of the carving of figureheads for many years, and some splen-did ones were the product of his skill. The rise of commercialism has blotted out the poetic significance of the figurehead and few figureheads are seen nowadays.-Kennebec Journal.

Rough on Rats in Out Buildings.

In setting Rough on Rats in out buildings after mixing it well with any food decided upon, separate into small bits, place on several pieces of boards, and put these here and there under the floors. Close up all openings large enough for Dogs, Cats or Chickens to enter, but leave some small openings for Rats to get in and out. One 25c. box of Rough on Rats, being all poison, will make enough mixture to clear out in one or two nights settings, hundreds of Rats and Mice. 15c., 25c., 75c., at Druggists. E. S. Wells, Jersey City, N. J. Rough on Rats in Out Buildings.

The Doctor's Fault.

Judge—I am led to understand you stole the watch of the doctor who had just written a prescription for you at the free dispensary. What have

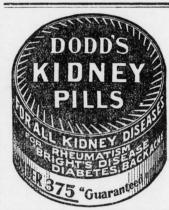
you to say to this charge?
"Well, your honor, I found myself in a desperate quandary. His prescription said 'a spoonful every hour,' and I had no timepiece."

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