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CLAIM OF A CONVICT

HORSE THIEF SAYS HE BELONGS TO ENGLISH NOBILITY.

Felon Number 5117 Confined in Joliet Penitentiary for Seven Years, Breaking Stone in the Quarries, Wants Big Estate.

Chicago.—For seven years a convict who claims blood relationship with members of the British nobility has been breaking stone in the quarries of Joliet penitentiary while, he says, lawyers have searched two continents for him as the missing heir to a \$60,000,000 estate.

Convict No. 5117 is the man. He declares he is Edgar N. Churchill, the grandson and sole heir to the estate of James Samuel Churchill, who died 24 years ago at St. Johns, Newfoundland, and for whose heirs the long search has been made.

More than 30,000 acres of Newfoundland land and nearly a score of ships will revert to the convict if he can prove his claim. Two Chicago women, Mrs. Minnie Smith and Mrs. Ella Gardner of 1022 Sedgwick street, may contest his right. He brands them both impostors.

Revealed His True Name.

Under the stigma of conviction as a horse thief the convict has dragged in the quarries and kept his secret. He gave his name on arrest as Edmund Morris. The other day he declared himself and the story he told his lawyer seemed like a tale from Victor Hugo.

Five years ago the property which he will strive to gain came under the suzerainty of the late King Edward of England. Its settlement has been under the supervision of the Duke of Devonshire.

Convict 5117 insists that the wife of the dead Newfoundland capitalist was his grandmother, that she was Marion Churchill, first cousin of the Duke of Marlborough.

Story of the Convict.

Here is the convict's story: "James Samuel Churchill was my grandfather and died 24 years ago, leaving a daughter, Clairmond.

"Clairmond was married to John Boland, a sea captain. They were my parents. They separated and I took my mother's surname. Later she married W. S. Stratton of Colorado Springs, who died ten years ago. Boland and my mother also are dead.

"My mother's share in the estate would have aggregated between \$40,000,000 and \$50,000,000. That is what I want."

The claimant was convicted of horse stealing in 1895 and was sent to Joliet from Kankakee County to serve from one to fourteen years.

The prisoner's attorney, William G. Anderson, will communicate with Grey & Cox, the London law firm that offered a reward in recent advertisements for information leading to the whereabouts of the missing heir. He also will take legal action looking toward the release of the convict.

PISTOL SHOTS SCARE LOVER

Muscovite Beauty Sought by Two Young Swains Chooses Braver of the Pair.

Irwin, Pa.—Two shots from a revolver fired into the air lost Mike Polav a bride and gave her to his rival, Miskal Malasky. Polav resides in the Youghiogheey River district and recently he met Annie Borak, a pretty Russian girl. Polav started a love making campaign in spite of the fact that the girl had already promised herself to Malasky.

As Malasky was disposed to have a wedding soon, the parents of the girl told her to accept the hand of Polav. The girl followed the directions of her parents and the other night Polav secured a marriage license and started for the home of his prospective bride.

Just near the home of the girl some friends of Malasky stopped Polav and told him to beat it back to the Yough River. Polav was not inclined to take the advice of the men and they turned him around in the roadway and fired shots from revolvers. Polav then decided to obey.

Polav was here the next morning telling his troubles. Showing his marriage license he said he wanted law. He was told to make information. This he did not do.

Annie, chagrined at the turn of affairs, is said to have changed her mind. Malasky jubilantly announced a marriage license will be obtained and Annie will become his bride.

Woman's Chances.

The plan of the Brooklyn priest who suggests a fine of \$100 for every young man who reaches his twentieth birthday unmarried, and a legal requirement that every unmarried woman must propose at least three times each leap year, recalls an interesting table which was once compiled.

Reckoning a woman's entire chance of marrying at 100, the table purports to give her varying chances at different times of life. For example, between ages of 15 and 20 her chance is 14 1/2 per cent. Between 20 and 25 it jumps to 52 per cent, falling between 25 and 30 to 18, and to 15 per cent between 30 and 35. After 40 it is only 2 per cent, and after 60 she has only one chance in 1,000.

The priest thinks that "training, tradition and the natural bashfulness of the American girl" keep her from speaking first. Undoubtedly they do, and it is to be hoped they will continue so to do. "Natural bashfulness," as the father calls it, will go farther and faster in getting a good husband than any amount of cultivated boldness.

Wanted It, and Got It.

Here is a story that will be as pleasing to a true American as it will be obnoxious to a European. Arthur Gleason tells of Joseph Fels in the World's Work. It is about Mr. Fels' invasion of London.

He looked around the streets a bit, and found the office he wished, the right situation and right size.

"I'll take it," he said to the owner.

"But that is not customary. To whom will you refer me? To your solicitor?"

"I haven't any."

"But friends of yours in London?"

"I came here yesterday, haven't got acquainted with anybody yet. Here's the rental money for the first six months. Take it or leave it."

"But won't tomorrow be more satisfactory for coming to a settlement?"

"That's one day too late. I want the office today, now."

He got his office.

Requirements of Dairy.

Some people have an idea that dairying is an easy job and can be done without much effort. Dairy work is just like any kind of work. If it is going to be done profitably it requires thought and care.

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MEMORIAL COMMEMORATES BRAVE ACT OF PIONEER.

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Simpson had just returned from an expedition. He had heard that the Cheyennes and Utes had gone on the warpath, and he had hastened home in time to rescue his family. Seeing the trapper, the Indians hesitated. For Simpson's fame as a shot had spread throughout the frontier, and the redskins knew that several among them would meet death if they persisted in their attempt to capture the children.

Two burros were packed with provisions, a keg of water and all the ammunition the trapper possessed. Driving the burros ahead of them the members of the little family set out from the house. Simpson covered the Indians with his rifle when they approached too near, and the family was unmolested. The hill which appeared to the trapper as a good place for defense was accessible only by a single narrow, rocky path, up which one must climb today in reaching the summit of "Simpson's Rest." The summit of the hill is flat, about half an acre in extent and surrounded by a high rocky wall. It would be impossible to storm such a natural fortress except by over-powering the defenders at the narrow defile which served as an entrance.

The Indians saw that it was hopeless to attempt to storm the natural fortress, so they surrounded the hill and began a siege in the endeavor to "starve out" the defenders. The siege has no parallel in the history of the west. For five weeks the plucky pioneer and his family held their fortress. They killed their burros when provisions ran low. Fortunately, there had been heavy rains, and depressions in the rocks at the top of the hill were filled with water, giving an ample supply. At the end of the fifth week, when hope was nearly abandoned, the Indians suddenly brought in their ponies and rode away with shrill cries. A troop of cavalry from Fort Lyon, 150 miles distant, which had been sent out to render aid to any settlers who might have escaped the marauding Indians, soon came in view, and Simpson and his family were rescued.

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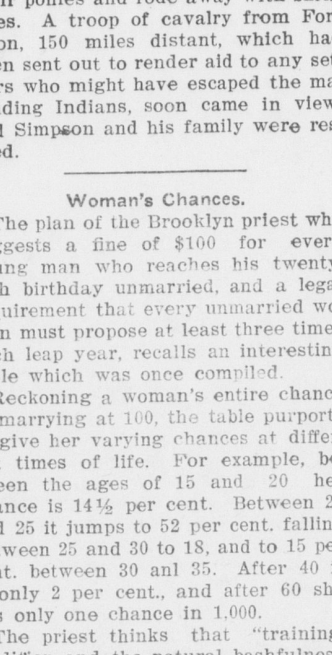
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