

SZECHENYI TAKES BRIDE'S MONEY

By Hungarian Custom, Sweet
Gladys Vanderbilt Will Give
Her Funds to Him.

DEMAND CAUSES A ROW.

ELDER BROTHERS OF THE BRIDE
ESTRANGED BECAUSE AMERI-
CAN GIRL WAS SO FOOLISH AS
TO COMMIT THIS ACT.

New York, Jan. 25.—With the wedding of Count Szechenyi and Miss Gladys Vanderbilt set for Monday morning, the arrangements are still cloudy, and it will probably be Sunday night before they are finally completed.

The two elder brothers of the bride, Cornelius and Alfred, had notified their mother, it is reported, that they would not be present at the ceremony, but she is now in communication with them, and hopes to win them over.

The amazing marriage settlement forced by the count is said to be responsible for the estrangement of the brothers from their only sister. The Hungarian custom, which compels the turning of all of the bride's fortune into one common fund, of which the husband has the custody, was too much for Cornelius and Alfred Vanderbilt. But the girl was of age and had her way.

She also has insisted on the European custom being followed in connection with the wedding. If her demand is carried out all of the male members of the Vanderbilt family who are present at Monday's wedding will be attired in Hungarian court dress, which includes the tight-fitting knee breeches adorned with silver buckles and bows. Several of the men guests, intimate friends of the family, have also been asked to wear this costume.

The wedding will take place in the big ballroom of the Vanderbilt town house. Reginald Vanderbilt will give his sister away, unless Cornelius can be induced to attend. After the wedding a reception will be held and breakfast served.

The newly-made countess and the count will tour the South and Southwest until March, when they will sail for Hungary.

LETTERS MISSING

New Sensation Is Sprung in the
Noted Druce Case.

London, Jan. 25.—The Druce case, which has been so prolific of sensations, has offered still another. The solicitor for George Hollamby Druce, who claimed to be the son of the Duke of Portland, in the latter's dual personality of Thomas Charles Druce, and as such to be heir to the title and estate, has made public the correspondence he has had with the public prosecutor, in which he asks that official to assist him in locating letters offered him by Miss Mary Paterson of New York, but which have fallen into the hands of a man purporting to be his representative. In a letter to George Hollamby Druce, Miss Paterson said she had several letters written by T. C. Druce to her mother, in which Druce referred to himself as the Duke of Portland. George Hollamby Druce sent Miss Paterson money to come to England, but according to her later letters a man, representing himself as an agent of George Hollamby Druce's solicitor, called on her and got the letters. The solicitor is anxious now to find the letters, as he says they are necessary in the defense of Miss Robinson, who was arrested on a perjury charge.

Dutch Goes Free. Philadelphia, Jan. 25.—After a trial of three days Andrew Jackson Detsch, charged with murdering Harry Ferree in a boarding house in this city last November, was acquitted. The jury was out nearly three hours. The announcement of the verdict caused an enthusiastic demonstration in the court room. The killing of Ferree was sensational, and owing to the peculiar circumstances, the case created great interest. Detsch claimed he killed Ferree in mistake for a burglar, and the jury took this view of the case.

British Fleet Withdraws. Peking, Jan. 25.—Vice Admiral Sir Arthur William Moore, commander-in-chief of the British naval forces on the Chinese coast, has advised the British legation here that he is entirely satisfied with the assurances given him by the viceroys of Canton regarding the future patrol of the West river, and consequently the British flotilla, which has been patrolling the river since Dec. 3 for the purpose of suppressing piracy, has been withdrawn.

Prohibition Gets a Boost. Lansing, Mich., Jan. 25.—A drastic prohibition proposal was unanimously and favorably reported in the constitutional convention by the committee on liquor affairs. The section reads as follows: "The manufacture and sale of malt brewed, vinous and intoxicating liquors shall be forever prohibited in the state after May 1, 1909, except for medical, scientific, sacramental and medicinal purposes."

Aoki Arrives Home. Tokyo, Jan. 25.—Viscount Aoki, ex-ambassador to the United States, has arrived here. Viscount Hayashi, foreign minister, sent a representative to Yokohama to receive him. At the Shinjohshi railroad station in this city he was met by Baron Chinda of the foreign office, by many officials of the diplomatic service and numerous friends who extended to him a cordial welcome home.

You needn't suffer with sick headache, indigestion, constipation or any other troubles arising from a disordered stomach. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will cure you and keep you well. It keeps on hand the year around.

DRAMATIZATION OF POPULAR NOVEL BY MRS.
MARY J. HOLMES COMING TO THE GENNETT.



MISS RUTH RAYNER.

As "Sunshine" in Tempest and Sunshine, Next Monday Night.

RESIGNS POSITION WITH PENNSY

Harry Dilks to Go With East-
ern Telephone Company.

Harry Dilks who has been employed by the Pennsylvania railroad signal department has resigned to take a position in the office of the Edison Telephone Company of Buffalo, New York. Mr. Dilks is a graduate of Purdue where he specialized in electric signal work.

The native women of Ecuador are so used to strong heat and light that they even do their spinning out of doors in the blazing sun.

ENCOURAGING IS SCHOOL OUTLOOK

Pleasurable Anticipation on
Part of Authorities.

Prospects for an excellent spring term in the Richmond public schools are very good. It is expected that the influx of new students will be greater than the number leaving. There will be no graduating class in February, but many members of the class will take post-graduate work and get their diplomas in June. The work will be heavier in the spring term than during the winter, on account of the length of the spring term.

ONE OF THE STRONG SCENES FROM LOTTIE BLAIR PARKER'S "UNDER SOUTHERN SKIES."



This Play Will Be Seen at the Gennett Next Friday Night.

AMUSEMENTS

THEATRICAL CALENDAR.

NEW PHILLIPS.

Week of Jan. 27—Vaudeville.

GENNETT.

Jan. 27—"Tempest and Sunshine."
Jan. 31—"Under Southern Skies."
Feb. 18—"Yankee Doodle Boy."

"Tempest and Sunshine."

W. F. Mann presents "Tempest and Sunshine," a dramatization of Mary J. Holmes' novel, at the Gennett on Monday night, Jan. 27. Mr. Parker, who dramatized this famous book has succeeded in constructing the strongest play which has been offered at popular prices for some time and one which will prove doubly fascinating to the public. "Tempest and Sunshine" grows with interest at each succeeding act and the climax at the end is nothing short of a triumph in modern stage craft. W. F. Mann has spared no effort or expense to make this production a feast for the eye and the settings could scarcely be more beautiful, according to report.

"Under Southern Skies."

Few plays of recent years have secured such a strong hold upon public favor as has "Under Southern Skies," which comes to the Gennett next Friday night. Since it has been seen here "Under Southern Skies" has appeared in many cities and always to large and enthusiastic audiences. Its reputation is now so well established that it has become almost unnecessary to print any encomiums of the play and production, the mere announcement of the coming of the attraction being all that is necessary to draw crowded houses. This wonderful popularity is not hard to account for, for there is not a dull or uninteresting moment from the rise of the curtain until its fall. Almost the entire first and second acts are filled with life, gaiety and fun. The entire production this

season will be quite up to, if indeed it does not surpass, the standard of excellence set last season.

Vaudeville at the Phillips.

Miss Eva Hazeltine, piano overture. Volare and Clarke, novelty wire act. Billie Sheets, bird and animal imitator.

Ed Kind and Son, black face singing and talking. Kitty and Master Nelson, Sterling, comedy sketch.

Miss Pearl Hale, illustrated song, "Sweetheart, I'm Thinking of Your Dear."

Lottie Gilson and company, singing, dancing and character impersonations. The cameragraph, showing the latest motion pictures.

Above is the complete program that is to be presented at the New Phillips Vaudeville theater this week—a program that bears evidence of more than ordinary merit and interest; at least this is indicated by the reports that precede the performers. A local setting will be given the program in the fact that the Kings Ed and Son—are to make their appearance each night during the week in a black face singing and talking act. If they are given the welcome they hope for they contemplate embarking upon the vaudeville sea. The headliners this week are Lottie Gilson and company, dancers and character impersonators, who are counted on to conclude the bill in such a way that a well established feeling will characterize all the members of the audience.

Manager Murray is still convinced that making the performance at night a continuous one from 7:30 to 10:15, is a good plan, affording better opportunity for many to attend, and avoiding the crowd that would mark a single performance. The three usual features for the week will be provided. A souvenir matinee for the ladies on Wednesday, a contest for the amateurs on Friday night and a matinee for the children on Saturday.

The Business College.

The school received an invitation to attend the grand annual to be held at Marion, Ind., on Friday evening, Jan. 24th. Owing to the distance, students decided they would not attend, but understand the affair was most enjoyable.

Next Friday evening there will be an annual at Munch and any ex-students who may be able to attend will find a cordial welcome.

Mrs. Beattie who has been on the sick list for the last ten days was reported better yesterday evening.

Miss Effie Welsh has been doing some stenography work for Mount and Son this week.

The basket ball team went to Milton Friday night and played a very close game for when time was called the last half the score was a tie. However, the two teams continued to play until Milton won by one goal.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Campbell attended the annual supper given at East Main street church Friday evening.

Dun's Review of Trade.

New York, Jan. 25.—R. G. Dun & Company's weekly review of trade says: More manufacturing plants have resumed and money is abundant at easy terms, but business feels the weakened purchasing power of the thousands still unemployed. Buyers have arrived in large numbers in the local jobbing dry goods market, placing fair orders at the lower prices named on some descriptions, and this forward business was also liberal at other large centers. Mercantile collections continue to improve, although still backward at many points. Industrial news is slightly more encouraging on the whole, but there is much idle machinery, and the coal output has been curtailed on that account, together with the tardiness of winter. A little better demand is noted for products of iron and steel, and more plants have resumed.

Forty Rendered Homeless.

Madison, Ill., Jan. 25.—A mysterious explosion in a hard coal stove started a fire, which destroyed the greater part of two city blocks in the heart of the business section of Madison. The loss will exceed \$100,000. Forty persons were left homeless without breakfast and some in night clothes suffered intensely from severe cold in trying to save contents of stores and residences. A drove of panic-stricken horses rushed through the fire fighters. An 18-inch fire wall saved the First National bank. Washburn's department store, where the fire started, is entirely destroyed.

Rebaters Pay Heavy Fines.

Kansas City, Jan. 25.—George L. Thomas, a freight broker of New York city, and L. B. Taggart, his clerk, pleaded guilty in the United States district court here to the charge of conspiring to pay rebates to shippers. Judge Smith McPherson then fined Thomas \$7,000 and Taggart \$4,000, omitting jail sentences previously assessed. Both defendants were in court and after sentence was passed checks covering the fines were tendered and accepted by the judge.

Harris Denies Report.

Columbus, O., Jan. 25.—Governor Harris denied the printed reports that he would not accept the nomination for governor in a letter written to F. A. Berthick, master of the Ohio Grange, who had written to him asking for a confirmation or denial of the story.

Whisky Broker Sulcises.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 25.—Joseph C. Bloch, senior member of the whisky brokerage firm of Bloch Brothers, shot and killed himself in his office here. His friends say he has been ill of nervous prostration for some time.

EX-PRESIDENTS TO GET FAT JOBS

Two Bills Are Now Pending in
House and Senate, Each
Containing Provisions.

NATIONAL REPRESENTATIVE

WILL SERVE FOR AMERICA AT
THE PAN-AMERICAN AND ALL
OTHER INTERNATIONAL CON-
FERENCES.

Washington, Jan. 25.—As an outcome of Grover Cleveland's recent article in a popular periodical, bills have been introduced in the house and the senate which will provide suitable work for ex-presidents of the United States and give them a good income for life. Both measures provide that former presidents shall be ex-officio representatives, for life, of this country at the pan American and other international conferences in which the United States may participate, fixing their salaries at \$10,000 per annum and allowing them \$3,000 per year for private secretaries, together with all traveling and actual expenses incurred in carrying out the work of the commission. The dues of the commission, of which four members are to be appointed by the president from civil life, will be to investigate and from time to time, report upon the several propositions looking to the substitution of judicial decisions for force in international relations, with a view to securing more enduring peace among the nations of the world. Representatives Bartholomew of Missouri stands sponsor for the measure in the house, and Senator McCray of Kentucky for that in the senate, and both believe that the plan outlined will not only take care of the men who have occupied the white house for four years or more, but will give permanence and stability to the investigations calculated to abolish war as a means of settling international disputes.

Is The Stomach Disposable?
An operation for the removal of the stomach in a Chicago hospital recently, promoted discussion among the surgeons, whether the stomach could be removed and the patient be able to live without it. The patient had well along in the operation, when the great herb laxative compound, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, was administered. The patient was able to eat and live without his stomach. To keep the stomach in good condition, and cure constipation, indigestion, etc., use the great herb laxative compound, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It is sold at 50 cents a bottle.

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PRISON PAPER

IGNORES THAW

Indiana Reformatory Daily
Does Not Speak of Trial.

Jeffersonville, Ind., Jan. 25.—The Reformatory, a daily, six-page, four-column newspaper, is now being published by the printing trade school at the Indiana Reformatory. The issue was delayed when first projected a year ago on account of the lack of printers, but there are now twenty-three in the printing school and the paper will come out regularly as it is intended always to have enough in training. Charles Reeder, instructor in the school, is editor.

The intention of W. H. Whitaker, superintendent of the institution, is to provide the inmates with the daily news without the sensational features

played up in many of the metropolitan papers. He will bar such subjects as the Thaw trial, even so far as mentioning them.

CLEM CARR IS NOW MUCH BETTER

Friends in Richmond Are Encouraged.

The many friends of Mr. Clem V. Carr of Solomon, Kans., who reside in this city, will be glad to hear that he is much improved. Mr. Carr had a serious attack of pneumonia and friends were very doubtful as to his recovery.

C. C. & L. ticket agent will sell you sleeping car tickets to Chicago for their 11:15 P. M. train. Call on him. ap6-t

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For the Form and Complexion
DO NOT BE THIN

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GEISHA SKIN FOOD should be used by every woman who has the least desire to be attractive. It is the only preparation known to medical science that will round out hollowed, thin cheeks, or scrawny neck with FIRM, HEALTHY FLESH and REMOVE WRINKLES from the face and hands, no matter how deep the furrow. FOR DEVELOPING THE BUST or to make the breasts firm, large and beautiful, nothing can equal it. To prevent the breasts from shrinking after weaning baby, mothers should always use GEISHA SKIN FOOD. It will restore a bosom to its natural contour and beauty lost through nursing or sickness. On sale at all principal department stores and druggists, or will be sent to any address, postage prepaid, in plain sealed wrapper, upon receipt of Fifty Cents.

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H.—THE CAMERAGRAPH—Latest Motion Pictures.

Special Matinee each Saturday: children, 5 cents; souvenirs at Wednesday's matinee. General admission, 10c. Reserved seats at night, 5c extra. Amateurs Friday night. Those wishing to appear, apply at box office.

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