

WILL ASK KING'S CONSENT TO WED

Lover of Senator Elkins's Daughter IS Hurrying To Italy.

COURT STANDS IN THE WAY.

ETIQUETTE MUST BE FOLLOWED BY PREVIOUS ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE DUKE OF ABRUZZI'S ENGAGEMENT TO AMERICAN GIRL.

Rome, March 21.—The duke of Abruzzi is returning to Rome according to a report in circulation here last night, to obtain the full consent of King Victor Emmanuel to his marriage with Miss Katherine Elkins, daughter of Senator Stephen B. Elkins of West Virginia. Although confirmation of the report is lacking, the fact that there has been no official denial given out in Rome and the statement made at Washington that the duke would again visit America in the near future seems to lend considerable weight to it.

Should it be true that the duke's return to Rome at this time is for the purpose of obtaining royal consent to his marriage some announcement on the subject is likely to follow his arrival here. Italian court etiquette provides that in the case of the marriage of any member of the royal family official announcement must be made several weeks in advance of the event by the prefect of police to the reigning houses, the royal princes, members of the diplomatic corps and high officials of state. The house of Savoy would be represented on such an occasion by one of its princes, probably one of the brothers of the duke of Abruzzi.

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Presence of Anna.

A clergyman was talking on the prevalence of selfishness. "We incline," he said, "to put ourselves too far ahead of other people. We could all make no better resolution than to be less selfish. As it is we are too much like the art student. There was, you know, a poor Vermont art student who shared a studio bedroom with a journalist from Wisconsin. The Vermonter went out one morning to do the marketing and brought home two chops. He laid them on the table, and the cat leaped up and devoured one.

"Hang it," he said to his Wisconsin friend, "the cat has eaten your chop."

—Washington Star.

A Puzzler.

Solomon was fain to admit that there were three things too wonderful for him, yea, four which he knew not: "The way of an eagle in the air, the way of a serpent upon a rock, the way of a ship in the midst of the sea and the way of a man with a maid." Had Solomon lived till this day and generation, says the Philadelphia Ledger, he would have added a fifth puzzler to wit, the way of an express company with a prepaid package.

A Word of Approval.
So you approve of your European son-in-law?

"To some extent," answered Mr. Cumrox. "It's a certain relief to have some of our family quarrels conducted in a language that I don't understand."

—Washington Star.

Changed Conditions.

Mamma—My dear, the good book tells us to love our neighbors as ourselves. Little Ethel—Yes, mamma, but people didn't live in flats then.—Kan-sas City Independent

It has been observed that they who most loudly claim for liberty do not most liberally grant it.—Sam Johnson.

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SOCIAL NEWS

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Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Kinsey entertained at their home on North Eighth street, the game was played at nine tables. The dining room was prettily arranged with pink and white carnations. An elaborate four course luncheon was served. The home guests were Messrs. and Mrs. William Campbell, George Williams, P. W. Smith, B. B. Johnston, Erie Reynolds, Mark Wilson, W. A. Sample, Charles Holton, Howard McCall, George Eggemeyer, Joseph Mills, Charles Sifer, John Lontz, Walter Schmitz and Frank Parsons. Mrs. Henry Gennett and Mr. Harry Gennett.

The musical and smoker will be given by the members of the Country club Monday, March twenty-third, instead of Tuesday, as previously announced. The edition which will be given April twenty-second, is being looked forward to by the members and it will be one of the chief features of the club's social calendar this spring.

The Aid society of the First Presbyterian church met yesterday afternoon at the church. One of the main features of the program was a discussion of the year's work. The society meets the first and third Friday in each month.

Did you ever stop to consider that by your manner you may commit an unpardonable breach of etiquette? Probably the lady you met is not finely dressed, nor can she chatter about social affairs as you like your friends to do, but that doesn't excuse your speaking to her in the sturtest manner and making her feel anything but comfortable. Perhaps members of the social world had better be a little careful, not only for the good of others, but themselves.

The Pansy club met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Ketta Thompson, 11 North Fifth street. The hours were spent in a social manner after which a luncheon was served. The club will meet again in two weeks.

The Mary F. Thomas W. C. T. U. will meet Monday afternoon in the dome room of the Morrison-Reeves library at two-thirty o'clock. All members are asked to attend as this will be a business meeting.

Robert L. Hearn of Portland, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Randal of East Main street, for a few days.

STEDMAN'S LOST BOOK.

How the Poet-Banker Paid for an Outburst of Temper.

Mrs. J. L. Adams entertained at a luncheon party yesterday afternoon at her home on South Fourteenth street. The hours were spent at needle-work and afterwards a two-course luncheon was served. The guests were: Mrs. J. M. Hughes, Mrs. Gilbert Dunham, Mrs. Rondahl, of Chicago, Mrs. Addington, Mrs. Young, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. James Mifford, Mrs. Sarah Flynn, Mrs. Lillie Stone, Mrs. J. E. Hornaday, Mrs. Dr. Davis, Mrs. George Eggemeyer and Mrs. Holthaus.

Miss Jennie Robbins of Detroit, Michigan, is the guest of Mrs. Robert Stinson and Miss Juliet Robbins for a few days.

Mrs. Walter-Vossler returned Thursday after having spent two weeks visiting with relatives and friends in Ohio.

Miss Rose Gennett will entertain the Gabbers tonight at her home on East Main street.

A one o'clock luncheon was given today at the Westcott hotel by the county women teachers. Places were arranged for one hundred and fifty. Mrs. Moni McRae of the English department of Purdue university gave a short talk after the luncheon. The male teachers will give a banquet in the near future.

The following were among the nine o'clock dancers last night at the Odd Fellows' hall: Agnes Twigg, Martha McClelland, Hazel Freeman, Mary Gair, Mildred Gair, Rose Gennett, Fannie Jones, Marie Campbell, Alton Clapp, Ruby Hauer, Katherine Schneider, Martha Ballard of Fairhaven, Vermont, Juliet Swaine, Opal Husson, and Bertha Garver. Messrs. Emmett Bartel, Charles Morgan, Tom Campbell, Robert Carter, George McKone, John Clements, Henry Bullock, Ramsey Poundstone, Raymond Mather, Frank Davis, John Smoyer, Paul Fisher and Julian Cates.

Miss Francis will give a recital tonight at Earlham college. It will begin promptly at eight o'clock. Several town people with a number of Earlham students will be on the program. The numbers are all well-chosen and the audience promises to be quite successful in every way.

Miss Mary Emils has returned from Chicago where she has been spending a few days.

The Daughters of the American Revolution are meeting this afternoon with Mrs. Robert Kelly of Central avenue.

Several of the churches will have special musical programs tomorrow.

The Ceramic league will meet Friday, March 27 at the Morrison-Reeves library.

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