

JEROME WILL CLOSE HOUSE

New York's Famous District Attorney Will Give Up Residence in Ghetto.

WAS MECCA OF FOREIGNERS

Desire of Younger Lawyers to Move to Old Haunts Up Town Made Expense of Keeping Up House Too Heavy.

New York, Oct. 11.—District Attorney William Travers Jerome will, it is announced, soon give up his residence in Reutgers street, bringing to an end the novel experience he inaugurated upon assuming office on January 1, 1902.

The house Mr. Jerome has occupied is an old, famous mansion in the heart of the Ghetto. His idea in going there was to afford the lower classes of the east side protection, familiarize them with the functions of the district attorney's office and aid them in clearing out many undesirable residents. He continued to maintain his usual country homes for his family, but made the Reutgers street house a sort of office, many of his assistants taking up their quarters there, sharing in the expense. The house quickly became a mecca for all the foreign elements of the east side in their multitudinous troubles and the functions of the district attorney's office were soon well known in all sections.

A desire upon the part of the younger lawyers to return to their accustomed atmosphere up town has gradually drawn them away and left the entire expense to fall upon the district attorney and his secretary. Having accomplished his original idea, therefore, he has decided to close up the house on the first of next year.

OUR WORLD'S FAIR WANDERERS.

They See the Queen's Jubilee Presents—Nothing Queen Could Use.

St. Louis, Oct. 11.—"The poor, dear old queen—five million dollars' worth of presents, and not a thing she could use. Not even a sofa pillow to lay her head on; not even a pair of comfortable carpet-slippers for her tired feet."

This was Jane's comment after looking over Queen Victoria's jubilee presents which are displayed in 25 large glass cases on the upper floor of the hall of congresses. She doubtless expected to see an array of sugar spoons, salad forks, clocks, card-trays, linen napkins and other useful things such as are commonly bestowed upon the brides of our town. John thought they "might have given her a manicure set or autograph album, just to make her think of old times."

But here are over 400 presents, from the queen's subjects in her colonies, and not one of them of any use except a sumptuous carved ivory chair, the gift of the Maharajah of Travancore. The chair is valued at \$250,000 and yet I doubt if the queen ever sat in it. The other presents consist largely of silver and sandalwood caskets, richly carved and many of them inlaid with ivory. Many of them are cylindrical in shape and doubtless containing scrolls of parchment upon which the queen's subjects wrote their felicitations and good wishes. A particularly costly and beautiful casket came from the Sardar Edalji Khurshedji Mottli and the Parsi Community of Surat. One naturally wonders why the Sardar and the Parsi Community didn't send an automobile coat or a necklace of pearls or something real swell.

There are caskets galore from Allahabad, the Dewan of Palanpur Assam, the Maharaja of Orcha, the Rajah of Bobbili in Vizagapatam, Madras, and a whole lot of Indian rajahs and princes. There are also royal saddles and elephant tusks. The Indian rajahs and princes meant well, but someone should have passed the word around not to make any more caskets or music cases. The two swarthy British officers who are guarding these presents are the biggest men I have seen at the exposition. The Patagonian giants are small beside them. I asked one of them what the jubilee presents were valued at. He said that no one had undertaken to estimate their value, and that they were not insured. I also learned that the presents shown are only a tenth part of what the queen received, and that their value had been estimated by American silversmiths at \$5,000,000.

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by the little Jap. He wants to see everything he does and everything he makes and I must admit that these little "Yankees of the East" are by far the most interesting people at the exposition. It is hard to think of them shelling Port Arthur and pounding the Czar's army out of its boots, so gentle, unobtrusive and mild-mannered are they. Not content with occupying a large portion of each exhibit palace with the products of their skill and industry they have thrown in this exhibit on the hill for good measure. Passing through the great carved wooden gates we sat down in a nearby tea house to rest and to drink some Formosa tea served by the little Japanese maidens who, Jane says, "are just too cute for anything."

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