

# PRETENDED TO BE A PEERESS

## Mysterious Fair American Bluffs Her Way Into a Seat in the House of Lords.

### KING EDWARD OFFENDED BY GIFT OF THE QUEEN

#### London Goes Copper Mad—Duchess of Roxburgh Quarrels With Servant Over Two Shillings—Crippled Marquis' Plight.

(Journal Special Service.) London, March 20.—A mysterious American woman, who is able to trace, made a determined and partially successful effort to pass herself off for a peeress and enter the peeresses' gallery in the house of lords the other night during an interesting debate. She followed the Duchess of Marlborough so closely that the officials thought she must be with her. When challenged for her name she mumbled "Lady" something and said she was with the duchess.

The woman, who is slightly deaf, did not hear the conversation, and so the mysterious American actually sat down among the peeresses. But not for long. The other women began to discuss her, and finally an official was sent for, who questioned the stranger closely. The American calmly said:

"Well, I've won that bet, anyway, and was shown out rather unceremoniously. The Duchess of Marlborough, by the way, is now constantly seen everywhere with her husband and in better spirits altogether. This is due, so she claims, to the severe disease administered to the duke by King Edward some time ago.

#### King and Queen Quarrel

It is now an open secret in court circles that King Edward was deeply offended over the affair of the unemployed, when Queen Alexandra, without consulting her husband, gave \$10,000 to the foundation of the queen's unemployed fund. The king only learned of it by picking up a newspaper. In fact, no one knew of it except Miss Knollys, the queen's faithful secretary. The king has never approved of the unemployed fund, which he looks upon as a temporary measure, which may do more harm than good. There is some disagreement on this point between the king and queen, but the latter invariably has the best of the argument.

#### I will retire to Sandringham forever," is the queen's variable answer to all such inevitable little matrimonial disagreements. The queen has certainly come out best in the argument, for she and the Dowager Empress of Russia have purchased a summer place in Denmark, where they can both retire when they are in any way harassed.

#### Struggle Over a Tip

The Duchess of Roxburgh (nee Goelet) has set an excellent example at Claridge's hotel by refusing to be "served" by servants. During her last stay at the hotel, the duchess had a great struggle over a sum of two shillings. The two shillings were charged for a trifle which should have cost six pence, and the duchess made a thorough investigation into the matter and after absolutely refusing to pay her case.

Those who imagine that the servants at Claridge's and other smart hotels thrive on American millionaires are very much mistaken. The American visitors at Claridge's give far less to servants than the English, for the very good reason that they are marked out as victims and resent it.

There was a very mysterious dinner at this hotel the other night. There were about a dozen Japanese and a few Englishmen. They dined and talked in a private room. The result of the dinner was the placing of orders in British dockyards for battleships of the Dreadnaught type.

#### London Mad Over Copper

There are a number of American business men in London just now staying at the Cecil and Savoy hotels, all anxious to bring off big London deals. There is a great secrecy about one individual who represents a well-known machinery company in New York, who is striving to get patent apparatus introduced into the general postoffice. His friends are confident that under the new government he will succeed.

#### "Copper" is the chief topic of conversation at the Hotel Cecil. Several business men who are staying there spend their entire day in the city buying various copper enterprises. The

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## NOTE.—Safety lies in buying only the Royal Baking Powder, which is the best cream of tartar baking powder that can be had.

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Moody invoked a laugh by saying that he could imagine Swift and Armour meeting Rockefeller in Washington and saying, "Good morning, Rockefeller, had your immunity bath yet?"

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# BURY I. DASENT HEAD OF ADMEN'S LEAGUE

## League Elects Portland General Electric Company's Man as Its President.

Bury Irwin Dasent was elected president of the Portland Admen's league last night. He is an advertising man of national reputation, having been engaged in electric light and power exploitation in New York and other eastern cities before coming to Portland to become advertising director of the Portland General Electric company. Other officers elected were William



Bury I. Dasent.

#### MARKET BUILDING TO BE TWO STORIES HIGH

Instead of erecting a one-story building on the market block at Third and Market streets as provided in the franchise of the People's Market Association, Manager Knoerschild has petitioned the council to change the franchise to permit him to erect a two-story building of either brick, stone, cement or concrete. The original franchise called for a building 200 feet long by 55 feet wide, but if a two-story structure is built, it is desired to reduce the width to 37 feet. G. J. Owen, general manager of the Evening Telegram, and W. J. Hofmann, advertising manager of The Evening Journal,

#### HERE'S ONE WAY TO GET AN OVERCOAT

By the use of skeleton keys burglars entered the entrance to the saloon rooms of Holbrook at Leaven, in the Stearns building, Sixth and Morrison streets, last night and carried away several garments and pieces of cloth. Included in the stolen property was an overcoat valued at \$15.

#### CITY ASSUMES PART OF COST OF BIG FILL

An adjustment of the costs of the fill on Union avenue between Belmont street and Hawthorne avenue was effected yesterday afternoon by the judicial committee of the city council. Thomas Hislop, one of the principal property owners affected, has been fighting to avoid the costs for more than a year.

#### NORTH COAST PURCHASES NEW SPOKANE RAILROAD

Spokane, March 20.—Robert E. Strahler, promoter of the North Coast railway, has arranged to purchase the right of way, grade and equipment of the Spokane-Columbia River & Navigation company for \$50,000. The company planned to build a line from Ringold, B. P., to Spokane, a distance of 153 miles, and had secured 53 miles of right of way and the roadbed had been graded and bridged for 25 miles. A meeting of the stockholders and farmers along the line will be held next week to ratify the sale.



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# EATING CATS AND DOGS IN LAND BOARD REFUSES TO APPROVE RULES

## KAISER'S DOMAIN

High Prices of Meat Force Germans to Consume Pets and Horses.

(Journal Special Service.) Berlin, March 20.—That the high prices of meat in Germany have driven some of the Kaiser's people to eating dogs and cats, as well as enormous quantities of horseflesh, is the startling revelation of the Prussian slaughterhouse statistics just published. In the course of the last year 87,000 horses and 1,972 dogs were butchered for human consumption.

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## Southern Irrigation Appears With Request for Change, but Meets With Failure.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Salem, Or., March 20.—The Columbia Southern Irrigation company, the successor to the Columbia Southern Irrigation company and to the Three Sisters Irrigation company, appeared yesterday before the land board through its attorney, Sorenson Smith, and Mrs. Willet represented the Water Users' association.

# GOULD LOST FIGHT FOR OAKLAND BAY SHORE

(Journal Special Service.) San Francisco, March 20.—Federal Judge Morrow today sustained all contentions of the Southern Pacific and made permanent the injunction against the Western Pacific restraining the latter company from occupying or continuing the work on the north retaining wall of the Oakland estuary, which the Western Pacific sought to use for a coast terminal. The decision holds that the Southern Pacific acquired title to the present line of low tide by deed from the Oakland Waterfront company, and that the Western Pacific has no right to extend its lines beyond the bulkhead and that the Southern Pacific has a right to build out to navigable waters, which right is being obstructed by the Western Pacific. The Western

#### NO MORE FOR ME

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Pacific asked a stay for 10 days, and intimated that it will appeal.