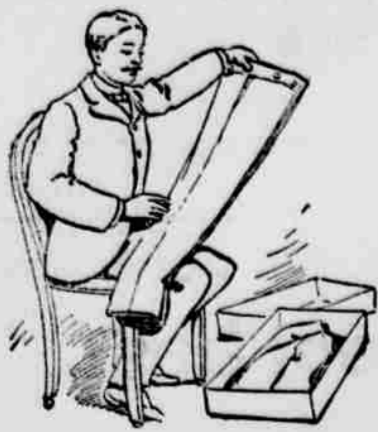


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IRELAND IMPROVING.

While Sir Thomas Lipton was waiting for a breeze during the recent successive days of calm he expressed his views of Ireland, and among other things said that emigration from that country had fallen off greatly during the past few years, says the Spokesman-Review.

A little over half a century ago, or in 1845, the population of Ireland, according to Mr. Pim, president of the Statistical Society of Ireland, was 8,295,061. In 1898 it was 4,543,782. The cause of this enormous decrease was emigration. Mr. Pim shows that between May, 1851, and December, 1888, 3,754,899 Irish people left their native shores. About 1,240,000 emigrated in the decade preceding 1851, during which occurred the great famine.

The Irish emigration of the seventeenth century was principally to France. That of the nineteenth century has been almost exclusively to the United States. In 1876 and 1877 there was a slight increase in the island's population, but for the twenty-one years following the emigration exceeded the births.

Mr. Pim says that since 1898 there has been a perceptible increase in the population, and Sir Thomas Lipton confirms his views and attributes the decrease in emigration to the United States to the fact that the conditions of life in Ireland have become more favorable, especially for those classes from which the greater portion of emigrants were drawn. In other words there are greater inducements for the Irishman to stay at home than ever before.

According to Sir Thomas, the changes through which the Irish feel less inclined to leave the Emerald Isle are brought about by three causes. They are the favorable working of the land acts; the establishment of co-operative creameries in all parts of the country; the establishment of better local government.

The government under the later land acts has been purchasing land for the last ten years which is rented directly to the farmer at a reduction of from 35 to 50 per cent below former rates. The rents are fixed by commissioners appointed for that purpose, who adjust them according to local conditions and under terms that enable the tenant within a certain number of years to become absolute owner of the land.

Such a policy has begun to make the people more contented. It is resulting in doing away with some of the evils of absentee landlordism, and with an opportunity to own the soil and build up a permanent home the Irishman is filled with more hope than for many years heretofore.

The establishment of co-operative

creameries, however, has been one of the strongest influences in checking emigration. The manufacture of butter has advanced to a marvelous degree of perfection and is likely to become the great industry of the people. The value of the annual product has increased to such an extent that the revenue from this industry for last year was \$3,000,000 greater than for the previous year.

With a release from the pinching poverty from which the Irish have suffered for so many years, with prosperity in pastoral industries, with improvement in municipal government whereby the people may enjoy a larger share of the responsibilities, with a reduction in rents and an opportunity to acquire and hold a home, it may be that the Irish question will settle itself naturally without political conflicts, and that the people may again enjoy that prosperity and contentment which was theirs before the years of oppression began.

A Night of Terror.

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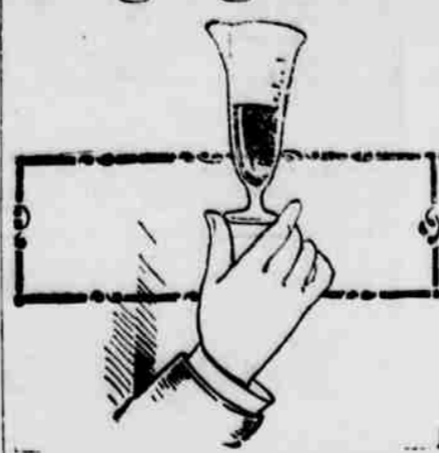
SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE of Oregon, for the County of Wasco.
Charles G. L. Benson, plaintiff,
vs
Hettie A. Benson, defendant.
To Hettie A. Benson, the above named defendant:
In the Name of the State of Oregon:
You are hereby notified to appear and answer the complaint in the above entitled suit and cause on or before six weeks from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: the 10th day of September, 1899, and if you fail to so appear and answer or otherwise plead, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in his complaint herein, to-wit: that the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant be dissolved forever and that plaintiff have judgment against defendant for his costs and disbursements and for such other and further relief as to the Court may seem meet and equitable.
This summons is published by virtue of an order made and signed by Hon. W. L. Bradshaw, Judge of the above entitled court, on the 21st day of September, 1899, directing that said summons be published once a week for a period of not less than six consecutive weeks.
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