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## The New Regime in the House.

The net result of the upheaval in the house of representatives over the matter of rules is that the committee on rules will consist of ten members instead of five, as heretofore, and they will be appointed by ballot. Heretofore the speaker of the house has named four members of the committee, he himself being the fifth. The change is radical and is the outcome of contentions which have been going on in congress for a generation at least.

Six of the ten members of the committee on rules will be chosen from the party having a majority in the house and four from the minority. This will give the two leading parties the control of the rules. The importance of the committee on rules in the business of the house is well known. It has been frankly confessed again and again that co-operation on the part of this committee is essential to the success of any legislative program. It has often been charged that the speaker of the house, who created the committee which created the rules through which he governed proceedings, such as the introduction and consideration of bills, ruled with the power of a czar. This power, such as it is, will in future devolve upon the six committeemen chosen from the ranks of the majority.

It was said that the old rules committee made the house "do business." Now that the committee has been doubled business ought to hit a pace to beat all records.

In the Austrian parliament when a deputy wants to make an indelible impression he hurls an inkwell at the prime minister.

The habit of chewing gum is gaining in London. Old England picks up most of our bad habits when we drop them.

The voters' turn to insurg will come at the next election, but lots can happen between this and Nov. 8.

If the corporation tax is paid the treasury will be \$10,000,000 to the good; if not, not.

## Census Confidences.

In order to quiet fears which have been noted in a large element of the population that business confidences shared with census takers may lead to unpleasant consequences of some sort the bureau has prepared and set out an official statement relative to the decennial census, its origin, purpose and uses. Public spirited citizens who come in contact with large numbers of people are asked to explain the real facts about the census and urge their neighbors to give full replies to the census takers.

All bureau officials, supervisors, clerks, enumerators and interpreters are under oath not to disclose any information shared with them for census purposes. It is, of course, necessary to get at the facts about each individual farm, factory and mining or lumbering plant. But the farm will ultimately appear only as one among the many millions in the country, or one of the 1,000,000 or 500,000 worth over and under certain sums and producing over and under a certain number of live stock, bushels, pounds or tons each year. Particulars as to the details of manufacturing, banking and buying and selling are equally indefinite in the final showing, but help to make the grand summaries of the census approximately correct and valuable in just so much as they are complete and truthful.

## Insurgent Woman.

That woman is not in rebellion against nature, only against arbitrary limitations, is the opinion of Edwin Bjorkman, writing in Collier's Weekly on the meaning of woman's new activities. Mr. Bjorkman argues that woman's point of view has changed because social and economic conditions have changed. Woman is adjusting herself and to this end must experiment and do the things long held to be unconventional.

When the adjustment of woman arrives after the unsettling process of this change her position may not be relatively altered. She may lead where once she followed and command where once she obeyed. This will be where man is found wanting. Progress cannot wait upon man's fidelity nor ignore woman's transcendent powers. Woman has always been a factor. She swayed the Alexanders and Caesars as well as the grand monarchs of later days. The difference is that now she works in the open and shines not the limelight. Her experiments, failures and all are beacons for the sex.

Germany wants trade and not territory—for the present at least. Her explanation that she is creating a modicum navy to protect and command respect for her commerce is plausible enough to open minds.

Men now berating Easter hat extravagance will shortly cast longing eyes on the straw hat window displays with panamas ranging from \$15 to \$50 "just too lovely for anything."

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## Alaric the Goth.

Alaric, the first of the barbarian kings who entered and sacked the Eternal City and the first enemy who had appeared before its walls since the time of Hannibal, is said to have received as the price of his departure from the city (during the first siege, in A. D. 408), 5,000 pounds weight of gold, 3,000 pounds weight of silver, 3,000 silken robes, 3,000 pieces of scarlet cloth and 4,000 pounds of pepper. In order to furnish a portion of the ransom it became necessary to melt down some of the statues of the ancient gods.

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## The Strength of a Shark.

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## Where Science Fails.

Euclid was deep in mathematics. "My dear," announced his wife, "I want to give Mary Smith a wedding present that will look like it cost more than the one she sent me, but really be less, and I don't know what she paid for it. How much should I spend?" Herewith he sought safety in flight.—New York Sun.

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A newly engaged couple were enjoying some blissful moments alone after dinner. They had broken the wish-bone at table. "Tell me what you wished," she asked shyly. "Tell me what you wished," he returned. "Well, I will if you will." "I hate to do it. It might not come true." "But maybe it would. Now, you promised, you know." "Well, I wished you'd let me kiss you. Now, what did you wish?" "Oh, I haven't tell!" "But you promised!" "Well, I wished you'd get your wish."—Ladies' Home Journal.

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## Chinese.

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## Novel Ammunition.

During the sieges of mediæval times it was very common for the beleaguers to throw from their catapults and other military engines dead bodies of dogs, swine, together with pieces of horse-flesh and similar carrion into the city or castle besieged in order that the defenders might by the stench of this putridity be forced to surrender.

## Silken Garments.

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## Useful Cement.

A useful cement for mending earthen or stone jars, stopping leaks in the seams of tin pans or iron kettles or tightening loose joints of iron or wood is made by mixing litharge and glycerin to a thick cream. This will resist acids, heat and cold if the article is not used until the cement has hardened.

## Aluminium.

Although aluminium can be welded to other metals with a blow torch, two pieces of aluminium cannot be joined in that manner.

## Jasmine.

Jasmine is an Indian shrub. Its starchy, wax white blossoms are indescribably sweet. All the burning pain and passion and pathos and mystery of the Hindoo race seem to rise up to you in its breath.

## Illuminating Gas.

Gas for lighting a dwelling was first used in New York city in the residence of Samuel Leggett, which formerly stood at 8 Cherry street.

## Wild Zebras.

The zebra when wild is a ferocious animal, and an unwary hunter is likely to suffer from its teeth and hoofs. The author of "Kloof and Karroo" says that a Boer in Cape Colony had once forced a zebra to the brink of a precipice, when the desperate creature turned upon him, attacked him with its teeth and actually tore one of his feet from the leg. Another author writes of a soldier who mounted a half domesticated zebra. The creature, after making the most furious attempts to get rid of its rider, plunged over a steep bank into the river and threw the soldier as it emerged. While the man lay half stunned upon the ground the zebra quietly walked up to him and bit off one of his ears.

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### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior. United States Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, February 26th, 1910. Notice is hereby given that Fred Zumwalt, of Zumwalt, Oregon, who on May 25th, 1903, made Homestead No. 12934, Serial No. 03929, for S½ NE¼ and N½ SE¼, Section 29, Township 2 North, Range 47 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. M. Lockwood, United States Commissioner, at his office, at Enterprise, Oregon, on the 21st day of April, 1910. Claimant names as witnesses: Joseph Gila, of ... Omor Stubbfield, of Zumwalt, Oregon, Ed Lord, of Zumwalt, Oregon, Horace Dale, of Zumwalt, Oregon. 30c5 F. C. BRAMWELL, Register.

### NOTICE OF FILING FINAL ACCOUNT.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Wallowa. In the matter of the Estate of Samuel James Dorrance, Deceased. Notice is Hereby Given: That W. C. Dorrance, the administrator of the estate of Samuel James Dorrance, deceased, has rendered and presented for final settlement and filed in said court his final account of his administration of said estate, together with his report and petition for final distribution, and that on Monday, the 9th day of May, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the court room of said court at the court house in Enterprise, in said county, has been fixed and appointed as the time and place for the settlement of said account and the hearing of objections thereto by any person interested in said estate. Notice is further given: That said account is for final settlement, and the said estate is ready for distribution, and on confirmation of said final account final distribution of said estate will be immediately had. First issue, March 24, 1910. 31c5 W. C. DORRANCE, Administrator of the estate of Samuel James Dorrance, deceased.

## Legal Advertisements

### NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

In the matter of the Estate of L. J. Rouse, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of L. J. Rouse, deceased, has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Wallowa County, his final account as such administrator, and that Monday, the 25th day of April, A. D. 1910, at the hour of ten o'clock, in the forenoon of said day, at the Court House, in Enterprise, Oregon, has been fixed by said Court as the time for hearing of objections to said report, and the settlement thereof. Dated, Enterprise, Oregon, March 23, 1910. First published, March 26, 1910. BENJAMIN T. LONG, Administrator. Thos. M. Dill, Attorney for Administrator. 95c5

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### SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Wallowa County. Max Gumerman, Plaintiff, vs. Helena J. C. Gumerman, Defendant. To Helena J. C. Gumerman, the above-named defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby commanded and required to appear and answer or otherwise plead to the complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court and cause on or before the expiration of six weeks from the date of the first publication of this Summons, which date of first publication is Thursday, March 17, 1910, and if you fail to appear and answer or otherwise plead within that time, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the above entitled Court for the relief prayed for in his said complaint, which relief is for a decree of absolute divorce from the defendant upon the grounds of desertion, and for such other relief as to the Court, shall seem equitable. You will further take notice that this summons is served upon you by publication in the Wallowa Chief, a weekly newspaper published at Enterprise, Wallowa County, Oregon, for the full period of six consecutive weeks, commencing with the issue of March 17, 1910, pursuant to an order of the Honorable J. B. Olmsted, County Judge of Wallowa County, Oregon, made and entered on the 15th day of March, 1910. BUREIGH & BOYD, Attorneys for Plaintiff. 30c7

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