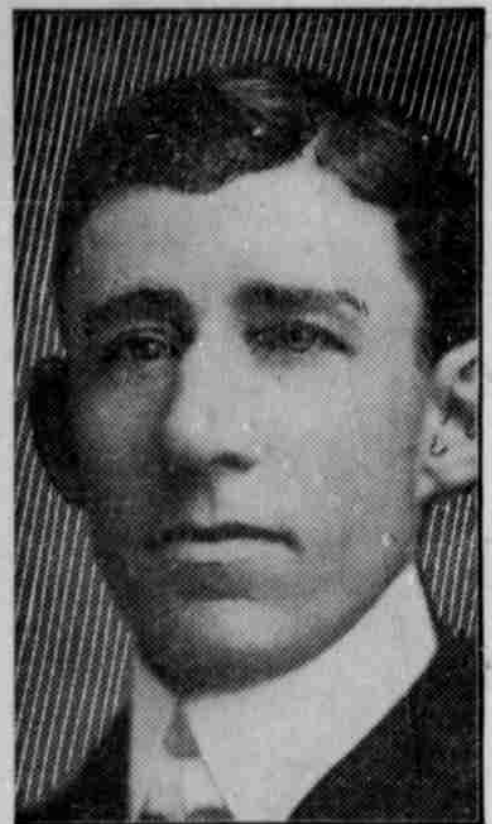


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To order that ironstone china set!"
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TOM JOHNSON POOR.

Loses Fortune by Devotion to Dead Brother's Estate.
Cleveland, Nov. 20.—Mayor Tom L. Johnson, who for years has been credited with possessing a very large fortune, announced yesterday that he had lost everything and would be compelled to give up his beautiful home on Euclid avenue and move into smaller and less expensive quarters. The mayor also stated that he would give up his automobile and other luxuries, because he could no longer afford to keep them.
His fortune was wrecked, the mayor declared, by his devotion to the affairs of the estate of his dead brother, Albert, who was heavily interested in traction properties in the East.
After Albert's death the question was put up to him whether he would resign his office as mayor and take up the management of Albert's estate. The mayor said:
"I decided that I would not. I had entered the fight in this city with certain ideals before me. I wanted to fight privilege and special interests and I had already decided to give up working for dollars. So I concluded to stay right here and do what I could to help my brother's children at long distance.
"Why did I choose the course I did? I'll tell you. It's not because I am a philanthropist, for I am not. I acted from a purely selfish motive. I wanted happiness and nothing else when I closed up my business affairs and took up civic activity."

BIG TOBACCO DEAL.

Kentucky Growers Paid \$14,000,000 by American Company.
Louisville, Ky., Nov. 20.—The big deal between the American Tobacco Company and the Burley Tobacco Society for the 1906 crop and part of the 1907 crop of tobacco, which has been hanging fire for several weeks, was closed yesterday. The price agreed upon in the transaction, which is said to be the largest of its kind ever put through, is an average of 20 1/2 cents a pound for the 1906 crop and 17 cents for the 1907 product. The deal involved nearly 80,000,000 pounds of tobacco held in the pool by the Burley Tobacco society, and an outlay of about \$14,000,000 on the part of the American Tobacco company, virtually all of this money being placed in circulation at once in central Kentucky.
The tobacco sold includes the larger part of the holdings of the Burley Tobacco Growers' association, which was formed several years ago and pooled the crops in 1906 and 1907.
No crop was raised by the members of the association in 1908, although a number of independents raised large crops in central Kentucky, under guard. According to many who are in position to know, the sale of the pooled crop will mark the end of the night riders in central and eastern Kentucky, at least for the present, as it is thought that with these crops out of the way virtually all of the growers will raise tobacco next year.

ASKS MORE TAXES.

Says Germany is Despised—Army and Navy to Inspire Respect.
Berlin, Nov. 20.—Urging increased taxation for the enlargement of naval and military equipment, Chancellor von Buelow, who has recently been criticised by the reichstag for his defense of Emperor William and who later made himself the idol of the German people by exacting from the kaiser a promise that he would limit the imperial power, yesterday made one of the most remarkable speeches ever delivered in the German parliament.
Still pale from his long illness and the strain of his meeting with the emperor at Potsdam, Von Buelow made a vigorous address in support of his eight finance bills that were threatened with defeat in the reichstag because of the dispute between the chancellor, the emperor and the parliament.
"Germany is unpopular among the other nations of Europe," declared the chancellor, "and the only way we can regain our prestige is by the upbuilding of our naval and military forces."
"Germany needs armaments and the money with which to build them. Our financial system is our weakest point. It is the patriotic duty of the German people to inaugurate new taxes."

Two States Quarantined.

Buffalo, Nov. 20.—The East Buffalo stock yards are under quarantine. Two carloads of cattle delivered in western Pennsylvania found to be infected with the foot and mouth disease were traced back to East Buffalo. Then the state and federal authorities placed a ban on this market. As a direct result of the conditions growing out of the investigation word came yesterday from the bureau of animal industry of the department of commerce and labor ordering the entire states of New York and Pennsylvania quarantined.

Opium in Cement Barrels.

Manila, Nov. 20.—An opium smuggling plot was thwarted yesterday when 103 cases of the drug were discovered in barrels supposed to contain cement. The barrels were part of a shipment from China to Corregidor Island, and the officials have renewed their activity to discover opium in all shipments from China. The opium was confiscated and a strict investigation was ordered. The Chinese officials will be called upon to permit an exhaustive examination.

Honey Improves Rapidly.

San Francisco, Nov. 20.—Physicians attending F. J. Hency announce that they are well pleased with the condition of the patient, who has shown remarkable vitality and a determination to get well that is helping him along the road to recovery. Mr. Hency passed a quiet day, pulse and temperature remaining about normal, and the pain in his throat has almost disappeared.

Catarrh Invites Consumption

It weakens the delicate lung tissues, deranges the digestive organs, and breaks down the general health. It often causes headache and dizziness, impairs the taste, smell and hearing, and affects the voice.
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Against Adverse Conditions.

Interviewer—May I ask how you acquired your clear and luminous style of writing?
Successful author—Do you think it's a luminous style, young man? Well, I acquired it by long and painful labor in a dimly lighted back attic.

Nor can panurgic craft in making stitches. With effort operose, particular, Transmute into a silken bag for riches A female swine's affix auricular.

Rain is never known to fall in the region between the first and second cataracts of the Nile.

An English brewery has given a contract for a million labels per day for the present year.

Our million immigrants a year are bringing with them \$25,000,000 a year, besides their labor.

The growth of girls is greatest in their fifteenth year; of boys in their seventeenth.

The tropical seas contain a greater percentage of salt than those of the more northern latitudes.

Vanilla comes from a genus of climbing orchid which grows plentifully in the tropics.

How a busy man doesn't love a persistently cheerful individual who succeeds only in being noisy.

The sum of \$5,750 was paid in London the other day for an orchid—an Odontoglossum Crispum Pittanum.

The man who can say "yes" and "no" at the right time has a sufficient command of language.

The art of glove cutting requires great skill, and in France some of the best workmen are paid \$100 a week.

Australia exports 24,000,000 rabbit skins a year. To kill this great number costs about \$325,000.

Dr. Joseph Samde, the royal dentist to the Khedive of Egypt, studied surgery in Chicago for three years.

Wages in the machine factories of Germany advanced last year 10 to 15 per cent.

The Japanese have established a steamship line connecting their ports with Chile.

Decaden has opened a bathing establishment for dogs. It is owned and governed by the municipality.

About 44,000 square miles of arable land are available in Cuba for sugar culture.

A sausage four feet long and one foot thick formed the wedding cake at a Hanover butcher's wedding.

The world uses at least 170,000,000 matches yearly.

Side Lights on History.

Cotton Mather was persecuting the New Salem witches.
"I'm going to make it still hotter for 'em!" he exclaimed, vindictively.
Misunderstanding this remark, some of the best citizens of the community, as we have every reason to believe, went ahead and built the fires.

Omissions of History.

The pilgrim fathers had just landed at Plymouth Rock.
"Just the thing," they exclaimed with enthusiasm, "for a New England farm!"
Whereupon they proceeded to plant the tree of liberty right there.—Chicago Tribune.

Hadn't Forgotten.

Miss Screecher—I wonder if Uncle Jim remembered me when he made his will? I used to sing for him.
Lawyer—Yes, he evidently remembered you—at least your name isn't mentioned in the document.

Thirst for Knowledge.

"I will wait a few moments," said the lecturer, who had delivered an eloquent and instructive address on "The High Mission of Women in Our Modern Civilization," "to answer any question that may be asked."
"There's one thing I'd like to know," Mr. Croxton, spoke up a dyspeptic looking man with a thin, straggling beard. "Where do they get the names for all these breakfast foods?"

The Only Way.

"This bathing pool on the lot you sold me is a fake," blustered the irate purchaser.
"In what way, sir?" asked the crafty real estate agent.
"Why, you told me I would find the water up to my neck. Instead of that I find it only 12 inches deep."
"Well, er—I meant you would find it up to your neck, sir, if you jumped in head first."

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Would Do as Well.

"I am sorry to have to tell you," said the eminent surgeon, "that we shall have to perform an operation."
"That's all right," answered the patient. "Go ahead."
"But the condition of your heart is such that we do not dare to use any anesthetic."
"O, well; tell me what the bill is going to be, doctor. That will be sufficiently stupefying."

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