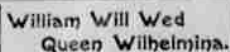
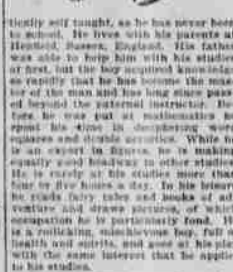


Miss Rosemary Sartoris,
Gen. Grant's Grandchild.



land, born July 1, 1911, only child of the late Prince Frederic of the Netherlands and Princess Louise of Prussia, sister of Emperor William I. The prince has a younger brother, Victor, born Dec. 7, 1917, an officer in the Prussian regiment of chasseurs, No. 1 of the Guards, and two sisters, later Princesses Louise and Elizabeth, respectively 18 and 16 years of age. He married the queen of Roumania (Carol's sister), and his paternal grandmother, the Princess Marie of Nassau and the Netherlands, born in 1831. The family is a very wealthy one and is connected with several royal houses.

**Alexander Is Great
In Trigonometry.**



A Rich Pearl-bed.
Of the wonderful richness of the new
pearl discovered recently along the coast
of New Guinea, the following is a
typical sample. A little boat of 14
men furnished 22 pounds of pearls in 33
days. These pearls are of the finest water and
are pink, yellow, gray and black. A
high as 24 pearls have been found in
one water shell. The waters have been
found to be a deadly poison to
the back of divers. A Persian sea
diver, however, capitalized at £200,000
has obtained a concession covering 15
miles of coast, and, with the latest in
diving machinery, will take waters to
depth of 400 feet. At the present depth
the largest shells found are 10
inches in diameter. A wonderful increase
in the world's wealth in pearls.

**Pulpit From Which
Wesley Preached.**

In nearly all the churches of England you will be found relics of the days of the Middle Ages. Nowhere is it more interesting than there, in the little church of South Leigh, in Cambridgeshire. In fact, there are three relics of considerable importance in that lovely little edifice. Among these is an interesting and exquisite fresco of the thirteenth century which was brought to light a few years ago. It represents the "Judgment of Death" and is painted on one of the side walls.

While the visitor is naturally attracted to this queer painting he usually is more interested in a little wooden post

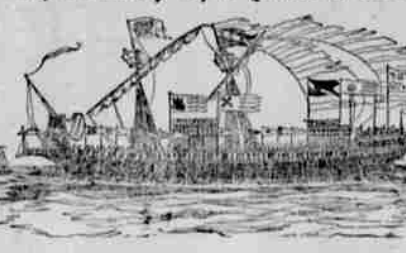


pit standing at one side of the chancel near the altar rail. It has an enormous East appearance, and it is not until the visitor has examined the little polished brass plate that he begins to grow at himself. The pulpit is the one from which John Wesley preached his sermons. The little tablet on one of the pews records this fact.

"Girl Wanted"--A Wail From the Klondike.

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The Galley of Marco Polo.



The story of Harpoot has long been remembered as one of the most striking episodes of travel and adventure ever written by an explorer. It could easily be called the "Arabian Nights" of the East, for it is almost incomprehensibly unknown in Europe up to this hour, but has been regarded as an Arabian Nights story.

Some portions of the countries he traversed seem to this day remain unexplored by western travelers, and those parts which have been explored are so full of strange and wonderful things, that they have been called the "Arabian Nights of the East."

In a recent edition of his book is shown a picture of his "Arabian Nights of the East," and it is a picture of a scene which has been described in the "Arabian Nights of the East." It is a picture of a scene which has been described in the "Arabian Nights of the East."

A Key of Pure Gold.

There was a banqueting room at Haddorff, England, recently by Sir William Broadbent, the well known physician and Fellow of the Royal Society of England.

The event was made the occasion of the annual convention of presenting one with the freedom of a city.

A gold emblematic key, of the honor granted, inclosed in a magnificent box, was given him at a banquet attended by the city fathers and distinguished guests.

The key is of pure gold, having the arms of Haddorff engraved in precious colors on one side of the head.

On the reverse, it is engraved with an inscription stating the occasion of presentation and the recipient's name.



THE
FIRST CHRISTMAS

O'er holy Judea the angels are winging,
 "Glad tidings! We herald the birth of a king,
 His name shall be mighty," the angels are singing,
 "And joy to all ages and peoples shall bring."

On Bethlehem's hill slopes the faint sheep are crying,
The sheepfolds deserted, the flocks all alone,
While down through the valleys the shepherds are hieing
To kneel at the feet of the Christ on his throne.

Afar o'er the desert the camels are fleeing,
The Magi with gold and with spices they bring,
And ever above them the star is retreating;
It points to the manger of Bethlehem's King.

In Bethlehem's stable the sleek kins are lowing.
The star, like a censor, doth overhead swing.
The thorns and the cross and the spear all unknowing.
Sweet Mary smiles down on the Christ child, the King

On Calvary's brow are the three crosses shining,
No Magi adoring, no angels to sing;
But the crowns of this earth are in glory declining,
Since thorns crowned the head of Emmanuel the King.

The Khedivial Medal.

England has a war of her own in instilling enthusiasm into those of her troops who have carried the flag to all parts of the world. One of these is to give to the men who have displayed bravery or otherwise distinguished themselves in the campaigns in which they have taken part medals to com-



memorials the dead, and there are few soldiers in the British army who do not covet these badges. One of the last campaign medals to be distributed is that known as the Khirvud medal, which was awarded to those who took part in the 1914-15 campaign in Persia. It is a beautiful specimen of the art of the medallist, and is in shape and in such and such a half an inch diameter. It is surrounded by a double strap, on which the words "Hittin" and "Ghaz" have been inscribed. Embossed on the face of the medal is a stand of English and British cavalry, and in the center of which is the emblem of the khedive. On the back is an inscription bearing the name of the person to whom it is presented.

Forced to Kiss Her.



Why so glum, Harold? Santa Claus forgot you?"
No, not that, but Miss Forty got under the mistle-
toe for her, thinking she would run."
Well?"
"She didn't."

STRAY NOTES OF INTEREST.

All meat in Manila comes fresh killed, since for fully a century fish, such as beef and game and fowl are always sold at the markets alive.

Buffalo has long been known, but none of them is available to supply the demand for the construction of the Russian railroad through Manchuria. It comes from Germany, and is shipped across the Pacific. In water, these animals are fed on rice, a tributary of the silver and by water routes to the limit of the road.

George Fredrick Wente proposes to have an open gallery, like an Italian loggia, built around the churchyard.

Dr. Aaker Bresdahl of The Hague, the famous Hematology expert, has offered to present \$60,000 guilders (over \$18,000) toward the building of a permanent

Hendrikus museum, provided that this can be brought to contain all the records of Hendrikus in the various Dutch collections. It is doubtful, however, whether the Dutch government or the Amsterdam municipality or the city family will consent to transfer these Hendrikus to a special museum.

country no fewer than 151,000 liquor establishments of various kinds, or one in every 28 of the population.

It is a notable fact that the Russians of the upper class are the largest consumers of high grade champagne outside of English royal circles.

Practically similar the coffee produced in the world is imported into the

Parties were first used by the British Treasury in the middle of the sixteenth century, the first revolving chambered wheel being invented 200 years later.

—up to that time the most powerful feet the world had ever seen.

In Japan what we call "after dinner speeches" are made before dinner, thus ensuring beauty and fascinating light on conversation during the meal itself.

In 15 years I have had over 2,000 women come to Siberia. Fully 90 per cent of the women having accompanied the men to their own free will.