

as there is plenty of available water, I expect to hear of his exporting wheat inside of another year.

DIGNITY IS RIDICULOUS.

"When Lebaudy visits, Europe his assumption of imperial dignity is always ridiculous; but on these trips he is by no means the fool some people take him for and drive some absurd harping in the matter of securing supplies for the development of his kingdom. Troja, his capital, is a city of tin, the buildings being altogether of corrugated iron, but he will soon commence its construction in a more permanent form. He has decided upon a currency system and the coinage will probably be minted in Birmingham, England. Dies are being cut for postage stamps and I am told he will try and get into the postal union. Improved agricultural machinery is to be introduced, and the more serious stage of the agricultural development of the country is to be proceeded with expeditiously. He will not tolerate adventures.

"Whatever the public may think of Lebaudy and his schemes, I am decidedly of the opinion that he is working along the proper lines and that he will make a tremendous success and that without the aid of any other backing than his own."

MARRIED LIFE WITHOUT A HITCH.

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old historians, was Sir Reginald Fitz-Walter, lord of the manor, and the title deeds to the priory and the surrounding land were handed to the worthy priest on the morrow. And thus, according to the legend, originated the giving of the Dunmow flitch. The first application for the flitch of which there is any record, was made in 1445 by one Richard Wright, a laborer of Badesburgh, near Norwich, and the bacon was "after proof" delivered to him by John de la Crosse, prior of the convent. The old custom continued long after the dissolution of the monasteries by Henry VIII as compliance with it still constituted part of the manorial tenures.

QUEER STORIES.

Some queer stories have been handed down about customs for this strange ceremony of connubial bliss. One of them, which might commend itself to less scrupulous winners of the prize in these days, relates how a man who, with his spouse, had been adjudged worthy of it, was "reined with a secret compulsion in his mind" when the words of the oath were recited to him and departed without the flitch. Another couple who had been awarded the flitch were deprived of it by the judge because they fell into a dispute as to how it should be dressed. One recent pair lost it because it was shown that they had bribed two witnesses to swear falsely that they had always lived happily together. There were several candidates for the flitch in the early part of the eighteenth century, but it was seldom won. Complaints with the strict letter of the conditions appears to have been more rigidly insisted on in those days than now. A man and his wife successfully claimed it in 1763 but after that, according to Horace Walpole, the custom was abandoned for a while, the lord of the manor holding that the flitch had been wrongfully claimed, and that the occasion was always productive of "illness and rioting."

Its revival in its modern form dates back about a score of years when Dunmow discovered that there was money in it if properly worked. But local statistics do not indicate that the prospect of some day winning the flitch has any effect in stimulating matrimony among the sceptical inhabitants of the ancient town. In fact, claimants to it from Dunmow itself seldom come forward. When everybody knows everybody it is a very difficult matter for any couple to maintain that their married life has been "without a hitch."

MAYNARD EVANS.

MURDER JEWS TO KEEP PEASANTS BUSY

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From the cottage in time. Their charred remains were subsequently found among the ashes.

NOT TO BE KILLED, ONLY MAIMED.

At Mariampol, in the province of Suwalki, word was passed around among the Jew-baiters not to kill but to maim the Jews. Accordingly the mob there stopped short of actual murder, but made up for the omission by torturing the victims who fell into their hands. Bands of anti-Semites marched through the streets selling all the Jews within reach of their clutches. After catching each Jew they proceeded to twist his arm until it broke, or to smash his finger bones with blows of a huge club, or to wrench out one or two teeth with a common pair of pliers, or otherwise to subject him to torture.

At Ostrow, in the province of Radom, a Jew hunt was organized, and all the Jews who were seized were driven in gangs to the nearest river and ducked in the presence of a jeering crowd. Some half dozen Jews were drowned in the course of this popular pastime, and the crowd watched them go down without making the least effort to save them.

At Bobruisk, in the province of Minsk, more than 200 Jews were seized and driven into the courtyard of a factory, where they were compelled to bare their backs and submit to be flogged. In a few places some of the younger Jews provided themselves with rifles and revolvers and bravely defended themselves against the attacks of their persecutors. In the majority of cases, however, Jews were slaughtered and tortured almost unresistingly.

SERGEI VOLKHOVSKY.

BABY ELEPHANT BECOMES A LION.

Special Correspondence.

LONDON, July 12.—His new famous appearance at the Kessler dinner was only an incident in the social career of Jumbo, Junior, the world's smallest elephant, now resident in London. Although the fact didn't get into the papers, the pocket pachyderm had been a feature of several fashionable functions before he distinguished himself by passing the birthday cake at the party, and he is at present "booked" for a dozen or more coming Mayfair functions. In fact, to put it paradoxically, the elephant seems likely to become even a greater lion than was the monkey, Cuscuta.

Captured by an American, Charles E. Mayer, in the wilds of Burma, this note of dumb intelligence is, but 33 inches high, weighs 26 pounds and proudly parades his importance at the age of twelve months. It cost just \$7.50 per pound of his weight to deliver the little elephant to his English owners.

Jumbo, Jr., used the Kessler club

at the first wrung of the social ladder. Then he showed his versatility by playing "Home Sweet Home" on a mouth organ at Lady Wernher's children's party at Bath house, where he presented a miniature of himself to the most beautiful young woman present—aged twelve.

I have just seen Jumbo, Jr.'s command from King Edward to appear at Buckingham palace, and probably before this account is published, the pinnacle of social triumph will be reached by the smallest of his species in record time—for the little elephant has only been here about three months. There may also be political preferment in store for him, hints having reached me that his effigy may be adopted as the emblem of the new protectionist party being formed in England by the Right Honorable Joseph Chamberlain. Meanwhile, however, various noblemen and leaders of fashion are demanding practically every moment of Jumbo, Jr.'s time.

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"ENGLAND'S ARMY IS UNFIT FOR WAR"

Lord Roberts, former commander-in-chief of the British army, has started the country by announcing that the army of England is unfit for war. After a stirring speech made by Lord Roberts, the government decided not to oppose Lord Roberts's resolution, urging the necessity of keeping up enough land forces to repel any possible invasion. Lord Roberts at a banquet said he could not speak for the American forces until he had paid his promised visit to the United States, which he hoped to do before long, but he believed West Point the finest military college in the world.

quality are all the tastes and education of the new favorite. He goes to meet his social engagements in a four-wheeled cab, and discriminates nicely in the matter of food and drink. This was illustrated at the Kessler dinner and is among the unrecorded events of that notable affair. The dainty young elephant scorned everything on the menu except the birthday cake, which he was requested to pass to the guests. As he did so he leisurely consumed \$500 worth of it leaving the other \$100 worth for the guests. He would drink no Scotch whisky whatever but insisted on champagne. Altogether his food and drink cost the host just double the amount of any individual present. When it came to distributing the dinner favors, Jumbo, Junior, made himself deservedly gracious to the women. Edna May says he gave her just the diamond ornament she coveted, but no matter whether the trinket was of diamonds, rubies or sapphires each recipient declared no better selection could have been made.

WILL BUY AMERICAN BISON FOR A DUKE.

Special Correspondence.

LONDON, July 12.—The Duke of Bedford—owner of the finest private zoo in this country—has been rather unlucky lately with his herd of American bison. Some peculiar form of disease attacked them and he has lost many of his most valuable animals. He now feels that new blood is essential. Accordingly he is sending to the United States in August one of his stewards and a veterinary surgeon, Frederick West, of London, who is a recognized authority on the American

bison, with the object of securing some of the best species in order to replenish the herd at Woburn Abbey. The veterinary has instructions to pay what he likes so long as he assures himself that his purchases are healthy. The duke has one of the largest collections of animals in the world, and prides himself on the fact that he is a good judge of the various species.

COMING TO STUDY OUR ARMY BOOT-MAKING.

Special Correspondence.

LONDON, July 12.—Following the strike of the boot-makers employed on army work in England, which culminated in a march on London a week or two ago when the strikers attempted to enter the house of commons, I learn that a delegation repre-



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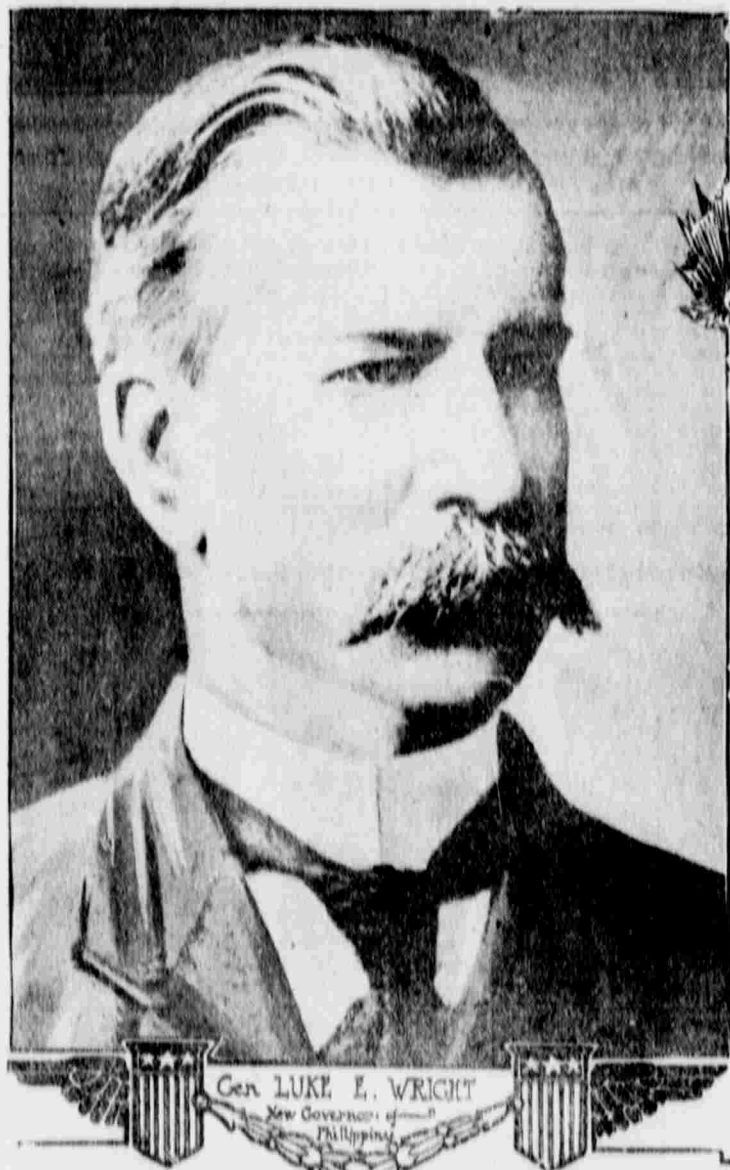
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WRIGHT A FAILURE AS FILIPINORULER?

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