

Astor-Huntington Marriage Today

STAATSBURG, N. Y., April 30.—William Vincent Astor and Miss Helen Dinsmore Huntington, whom he has known since childhood, were married here shortly after noon to-day, in the big oak-panelled library of Hope-land House, the home of the bride's parent's Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Hunt-ington.

Less than fifty persons witnessed the ceremony, and of these three were the superintendents from the Astors, the Huntingtons and the Dismores estates respectively. The other guests were relatives and close friends of the families. Plans had been made for an elaborate church wedding, but Mr. Astor's recent illness, which threatened pneumonia, made necessary the abandonment of these plans.

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Redmond a Descendant of Sax- on Conquerors,

John Redmond, the Irish nationalist leader, who has been the controlling power in English politics during the present crisis, claims descent from the conqueror of Ireland, the Norman Raymond Le Gros, lieutenant of Strongbow and winner of the decisive battle of Baginbunna in Wexford. The dramatic irony of his now being the leader for Irish emancipation is brought out in an article in the April Forum by his nephew, L. J. Redmond-Howard. Though a strong fighter Redmond shuns publicity, and enjoys best the quiet months of grouse-shooting that he is able to get at Parnell's old shooting lodge in the wilderness of the Wicklow hills. In comparing him with his brother William, the writer says: "William is a Catholic first and an Irishman afterwards; John Redmond is an Irishman first and a Catholic afterwards." At the Vatican when welcomed by Pius X. as "leader of the Catholic party," Redmond answered with dignity. "Pardon me, holy father the Irish party is not Catholic but nationalist, like their country; though Catholics do happen to form the greater part of its subjects." During the Parnell crisis, indeed, he was forced into anti-clericalism, though without becoming a secularist. His tolerance has been a strong prop to the nationalist cause.

No One feels helpless by the side of the self-helper.
George Bernard Shaw.

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The New Little Girl on The Street.

Betty Babbit was bitterly homesick, and in her own home, too. You, see, Betty had, as she said, "always lived in a small town. Always in this case meant only nine years, but to Betty that seemed a very long time. Betty's father was a doctor, who had given up his country practice and had come to the city to make a new home.

She was out leaning over the garden fence, looking longingly at a group of children who were playing happily together, when an old man came along.

"What is your name, little girl, and why aren't you playing with the others?" he asked.

"Betty Babbit is my name," she answered, and then she hesitated a little. "I want to go out, but you see I'm the new little girl on the street, and,"—swallowing a big lump—"you see, they haven't asked me."

Now no longer able to swallow the lumps, she sobbed right out: "I want to go back home, I don't like to stay here a little bit; and mamma's homesick, too, only she won't say so. Oh, dear! Oh, dear! I want to go back where I know people, and where everybody liked me—well, any way, they acted as if they did," she added, feeling that perhaps she had not been very modest.

The old gentleman had small children in his own home, three little granddaughters, consequently he knew about the griefs of little folk. "I must find some friends for this little lonely Betty Babbit," he said to himself, "Wonder what I'll do first."

But before kind old Mr. Small had time to plan out his course of action, Betty made friends for herself, and this is how it happened. Katharine Kimball, who lived on the opposite side of the street, and who was nine, too, had brought her little sister Mary out to play, Mary was three, and was just toddling around, so happy to be allowed to play with the "big girls."

The girls were playing school on the steps, and Katharine was teacher. In her desire to make the play-school as nearly like the real school as possible, she had forgotten her promise to her mother not to let the little one go into the street.

Mary, tiring of the school exercises, and seeing Betty over the way, decided to go to her. Just as she was half way across the street, a big touring car dashed around the corner and was almost upon the child before the chauffeur noticed her, but not before Betty saw the dear, chubby little girl coming, and throwing open the gate with a bang that almost took it off the hinges, ran and dragged her out of danger.

"I was coming to see oo," gurgled little Mary, patting Betty's cheek, quite unconscious that she had been in such danger.

Katharine and Katharine's friends came running over, and very soon Katharine's mother, and they all took little Mary in their arms and cried over her, and then they hugged Betty, too. Katharine's mother said: "What is your name, and how did it happen that you weren't over on our steps playing school with the others?"

"Betty Babbit," answered Betty, trying not to cry again. "The girls don't want me, I think. You see, I'm the new little girl on the street."

"You are the brave little girl on the street," replied Katharine's mother, and now I am going to tell you mother what a brave daughter she has, and ask her if you may come over and play with Katharine."

"You may be teacher, Betty," said Katharine, generously.

A few days later, the friendly old gentleman, coming along Park street, and meeting Betty almost flying home from Katharine's called out:

"Well, Miss Betty Babbit, how are you to-day, and are you still the new little girl on the street?"

"Oh, no, Mr. Small," replied Betty, her eyes shining. "I'm Katharine's friend now, and we are going on a picnic this afternoon. And isn't this the very best city in the whole world, and isn't this the nicest street to live on? And then she added apologetically: "Of course, I like my old home in the country, you know, but now I'm a city girl, and besides, you see now I'm one of the girls on this street."

—"Congregationalist."

No Standing Still.

It is not enough to rest upon the past. No man or nation can stand still. We must mount upward or go down.—Garfield.

**DOUGLAS FIR
The Tree with a Future.**

There are trees in Canada whose commercial importance is clearly on the wane. According to one of the latest bulletins of the Dominion Forestry Branch, the value of the white pine lumber cut in 1912 was one and a half million dollars less than in 1911. The cut of hemlock decreased thirty per cent; that of cedar decreased twenty-seven per cent and tamarack, the lumber production of which has decreased over forty per cent in the last two years, bids fair soon to become commercially extinct. Of the six leading tree-species in Canada, Douglas fir was the only one whose lumber production increased in 1912. In the province of British Columbia alone, Douglas fir formed over 67.7 per cent of the total lumber cut, and British Columbia is at present by far the richest timber province in Canada, containing, according to some estimates, one-half the merchantable timber wealth of the Dominion.

This remarkable tree attains a height of over two hundred feet with a trunk ten to twelve feet in diameter, forming alone or mixed with hemlock, great forests extending four hundred miles north of the International Boundary. Its natural range extends in Canada to the eastern foot-hills of the Rocky Mountains in Alberta, where it grows to a height of 130 feet and a diameter of four feet, and is considered one of the most important timber trees on the Dominion Rocky Mountains Forest Reserve, which covers an area of nearly 21,000 square miles.

It is also widely distributed throughout the western United States, being able to stand considerable climatic variation and being practically immune to insects or fungus diseases.

Dr. C. S. Sargent, one of the greatest authorities on American trees, describes the wood as hard, durable, and largely used for all kinds of construction. According to a recent Dominion Forestry Branch publication on the "Wood-using Industries of Ontario," it is increasing in popularity in that province for decorative purposes as "it has an attractive grain and figure which readily lends itself to staining." Douglas fir construction timber is shipped to all parts of the world.

The Douglas fir has been introduced into Europe with great success and large forests have been planted which are now yielding handsome profits. Germany and France purchase every year large quantities of seed from the Indians in British Columbia.

Persistence of the Wolf.

During the prolonged chill of the past winter there was occasion to note the extraordinary persistence in Europe of the wolf. In France much stock was destroyed; in Italy wolves from the mountains came down as far as Mt. Soracte, within sight of Rome. It is not surprising, therefore, says the Springfield Republican, that they should now be reported again in Maine, where for some years no trace of them had been seen. According to reports received by the State Commission of Inland Fisheries and Game, they have been doing considerable damage in Piscataqua county, and specially in township

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7, range 10. The wolf is more difficult than most wild beasts to exterminate, because it is both bold and sly, not very formidable except in a pack, and able to survive when most carnivora would perish. Wherever there is wild country in which a few are left they are likely to multiply when given an opportunity, and there are not a few places in the United States where they are not entirely extinct.

Three Deaths From Bubonic Plague

HAVANA, April 30.—A death from bubonic plague occurred here Wednesday, the victim being a Spaniard, who died three hours after he had been admitted to a hospital. The record up to date shows there have sixteen confirmed cases of bubonic plague. Three of the patients died, three have recovered, five are convalescing and five are still under treatment, while several suspected cases are under observation.

William W. Kirby, an actor and lion tamer, was killed by an angry lioness while taking part in a moving picture film performance in University, Cal.

Fourth Death At Rockland To-day

DORCHESTER, April, 30.—In reference to the alleged cholera at Rockland. Dr. Warwick visited the stricken district this morning. The doctors decline to give their opinions until after a microscopic examination. It is understood the physicians do not consider the disease as serious as at first supposed.

Fraser, the Scotch immigrant, whose family is said to have brought the disease, is very ill. Fraser's boy, six years of age, died last night, this being the fourth death since the disease was contracted in this locality. Other patients are doing fairly well.

The stricken vicinity has been quarantined and the doctors are hopeful that the disease will not spread.

All hope was abandoned for the rescue alive of 203 miners entombed by an explosion Tuesday in mines number five and six of the New River Collieries Company, at Eccles, W. Va.,

Admiral Fletner took charge on San Juan De Uloa prison at Vera Cruz on account of the "frightful conditions" discovered there. He said 325 prisoners who had not been accused of any crime whatever were arrested within the last two months in order to force them into the Federal army, Secretary Daniel ordered their release.

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