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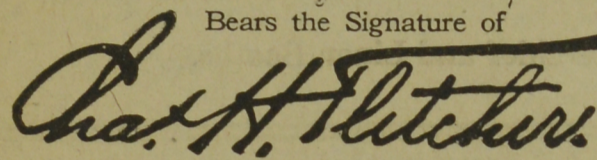
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Acid—Use ammonia or chloroform. Chocolate—Soak in kerosene and wash in cold water.

Coffee—Treat with boiling water when fresh.

Fruit—Soak fresh stains in milk or use oxalic acid.

Grass—Rub the spots with molasses and wash.

Grease—Rub French chalk or fuller's earth on spots.

Ink—Use salt and lemon juice.

Mildew—Use lemon and salt or javelle water.

Mud—Soak in kerosene.

Paint—Use turpentine or benzine.

Perspiration—Boiling water will remove it.

Tea—Use boiling water.

Wine—Put dry salt on fresh stains warm milk on old ones.

PERSPIRATION STAINS.

To Clean White Blouses—Perspiration stains may be removed from white blouses without any trouble if they are soaked before washing in cold water to which a little carbonate of soda has been added.

Boiled white will come from the wash boiler much whiter if a few drops of turpentine are added to the water.

TO CLEAN VEILS.

Sponge mourning veils with warm water, white soap and a pinch of borax. If the veils shine use a little alcohol and two or three drops of vinegar instead of the borax. For sponging black use a piece of black woollen cloth. After sponging on both sides place a moderately thick piece of wrapping paper over the veil and press with a warm iron. Veils of Brussels net are freshened by the same treatment. When dry either fold loosely or roll around a pasteboard tube. If draped on a hat a veil can usually be pressed in this way without removing.

WHITE VEILS.

To clean white veils put the veil in a solution of pure white soapy water and allow it to simmer for ten minutes. Drain carefully and put it in some warm water, squeeze it two or three times to rinse it free from soap and then pass it through clean cold water to which has been added a little liquid blue. Pour a pint of boiling water upon a teaspoon of starch dampened with cold water and pass the veil through it. Clap it well between the hands, pull out to shape carefully and pin every point down, keeping the edges all quite straight.

BEGS BY DAY RICH BY NIGHT

San Francisco, Dec. 14.—Beggars by day, rich man by night off alms. This new version of a "double life" is contained in a divorce suit filed by Mrs. Lillian Geraldine Van d'Loye against Robt. Van d'Loye.

Discovery of her husband's queer duplicity, says the plaintiff, came when she found cards in his pocket with this inscription upon them: "I am deaf and dumb. Alms, for pity's sake, alms."

The complainant says she met the defendant last September at a dinner and he proposed and they were married. The defendant, she says, represented that his father was rich and allowed him an income of \$100 a week. Later she ascertained his real name was J. Leslie Sheldon and that he held out the tin cup in daytime with the plea that he was trying to get money to go home to Topeka.

YOUTH HELD FOR MURDER

Pittsburgh, Dec. 14.—James Plummer, aged fourteen, has been held on a charge of murder by the Grand Jury for the killing of Peter Lalonde, aged seven. The boys quarreled over a bicycle and the shooting followed. The Plummer boy had just escaped from the detention home of the Juvenile Court when the shooting took place. He is the youngest person ever charged with murder in Alleghany County.

"Thrill buys its own tobacco," remarked the Man on the Car, "and always knows where the next pipeful is coming from; tightwaddery borrows."

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THE FIFTH CHILD IS THE FLOWER OF THE FAMILY

The View Set Forth by an English Lady Physician—Has Made a Thorough Investigation of the Matter—The Nation Morally Responsible for the Decline in the Birth Rate, it is Claimed—An Important Subject.

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(By Lydia Kingsmill Commander)

London, Dec. 14.—Which child of the family is the best? "The fifth" says one woman doctor. "The first" counters another. Benjamin Franklin was the fourteenth, and Abraham Lincoln the first, so there you are.

The question was raised by Dr. Isabel Poulteney speaking on "The problem of the Birth-rate," at Westminster.

"A woman doctor of science recently tried to find out which child of the family, in order of birth is the most physically fit," she said. "The result of her investigations in families all over the country proved that it is the fifth child. But with the restriction of families now so prevalent there is seldom a fifth child."

Dr. Poulteney strongly indorsed the resolution condemning "race suicide" passed at the Lambeth Conference a few weeks ago and said "The nation is morally responsible for the decline in the birth-rate. There has been an improvement since the war but undoubtedly restriction of families is taking place on a large scale. After every allowance has been made for housing difficulties and for the natural desire of parents to have only those children whom they can afford to bring up properly there are strong reasons for assigning selfishness as the cause in the majority of cases of restriction."

"There are married women who confine their attention in this respect to the earlier days of marriage, only to find that Nature, having been badly treated, will not respond when they desire that she should do so. Restriction is a foe to chastity. People are not justified in getting married if it is not their intention to have children. People are not morally free to follow person inclination in such a matter. Moreover restriction leads to the loss to the nation of the superior children, those later in the family, of whom the fifth is the best."

Dissents from it

Dr. Mary Scharlieb, President of the London School of Medicine for Women dissents from the views of Dr. Poulteney. Dr. Scharlieb is a leading woman physician and a scientist of high standing.

"I see no reason why the fifth child in a family should be any fitter physically than the first, second, third or fourth," she said. "By all the natural laws the first child should be physically the fittest. That this is not always so is due in most cases to the ignorance and inexperience of the mother. The unfortunate first-born is to a certain extent experimented on in its upbringing and rearing. When the others come the mother has practically bought her experience at his expense. This all goes to prove the necessity for teaching our girls mother-

craft. It should be taught at home and as a regular subject in the schools."

The Cleverest Children

Dr. Scharlieb does not agree with those who think that the last child in the family is the most intelligent. "The cleverest children," she says, "should naturally be those who are born a time when their mother is at her best both physically and mentally, which is not the case when she has had a family and is getting on in years. Repudiating the idea that selfishness, pure and simple, is responsible for birth control, Dr. Kennedy-Bell gives a sociological explanation."

"I am quite convinced from a close observation and knowledge of all sorts and conditions of people," says Dr. Bell, "that these censures and strictures are unduly severe. We showed, during the war, that we had a very clear idea of the meaning of the word duty, and thousands of those who are restricting their families today are acting from a sense of duty, however mistaken they may be in the view they take. They are simply afraid to have children."

The enormous population in these islands, the difficulties in the way of emigration, the universal unrest, the struggle for existence and the high cost of living, the dark cloud of uncertainty as to what is going to happen to the next generation—all these have sunk deep down into the consciousness of our fellow countrymen, and they fear and hesitate."

WILL ON RECORD OF PHONOGRAPH

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Earl H. Reynolds of the South Bend Elevator Company and a member of the Board of Trade has made his will on a phonograph record.

Attorneys James E. and Francis J. Callahan dictated their names as the spoken "signatures" of witnesses.

"The voice is mightier than the pen," said Attorney James E. Callahan. "The judge before whom a phonographic will is offered for probate can tell whether the testator was strong or weak from the tone of his voice, as reproduced by the record. He can also judge whether the testator was of sound and disposing mind, from the fluency or lack of fluency evidenced by the record."

"The Illinois statute, which provides for a written will, should be modernized."

IN FALL

The leaves are falling day by day, in fall they always act that way. Each year they drop before our eyes. Yet poets all express surprise.

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WIFE WANTS A DIVORCE

Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 14.—Claiming he spent his leisure moments with another woman, Mrs. Elsie M. Koch asked for a divorce from Albert G. Koch, well-known local real estate dealer.

Denying the accusation of his wife Koch told the court he put out the light in his wife's room at a hospital so that the attendants would think he had gone and remained at his wife's bedside beyond the time permitted by the hospital rules. He then asked for a divorce.

He charged that repeatedly since three days after their marriage which took place thirteen years ago, his wife told him she "made a mistake" in marrying him and did not love him.

Once he tried to kiss his wife, he said, but she pushed him from her and "would not allow it."

CUT PRICE OF BRIDAL SUITES

New York, Dec. 14.—Edward M. Tierney, chairman of the committee in charge of the National Hotel Men's Exposition, recommended that hostellers cut the price of bridal suites, "both in order to encourage matrimony and as a part of the general price-cutting programme."

"Knowledge is power" so the old adage has it, but we are not sure there would be any advantage in knowing what D'Annunzio is trying to do.

The man who is too lazy to take a bath doesn't save any energy. Nature keeps him busy scratching.

A husband quits regarding his wife as a jewel after he discovers that she is set in her ways.