

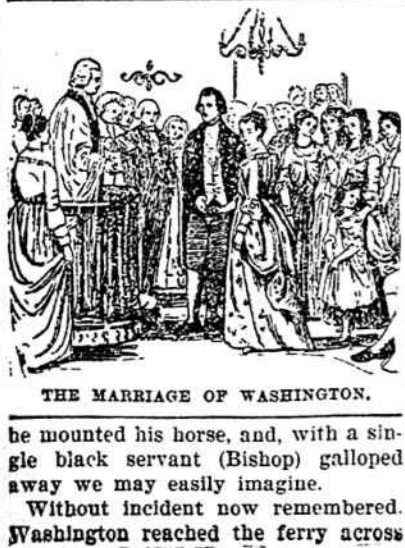


THE HEART OF WASHINGTON



WASHINGTON AT MOUNT VERNON.

In the praise that has been bestowed upon George Washington the vocabulary has been well high exhausted, but not quite. So far as I have been able to learn, he was never called "a good fellow" by any eulogist. On the contrary, it seems certain that, so far as the men of his day were concerned, he was rarely, if ever, half-fellow-well-met. Thus in the letter which Thomas Jefferson wrote to Dr. Walter Jones on January 2, 1814, he said of Washington: "His heart was not warm in its affections."



THE MARRIAGE OF WASHINGTON.

Washington was repeatedly smitten. At twenty years of age he asked permission of William Fauntleroy to go courting Miss Betsy. Fauntleroy's daughter, even though his efforts would necessarily be directed to "a revocation of a former cruel sentence" which she had pronounced upon him.



THE MINIATURE OF HIS WIFE THAT WASHINGTON WORE FOR FORTY YEARS.

[When Washington died this picture was found on a gold chain about his neck, where he had worn it during all his married life.]

fainted at the thought of what she had missed!

More interesting to this account than either of these boyish romances is the story of his falling in love with Miss Mary Philpotts, of New York. It was in the year 1756. Washington was on his way to Boston, where he was to see the commanding-general of the British forces.



WASHINGTON'S LAST BIRTHDAY.

man none in existence excels this of the Chamberlayne dinner table, for there stands the vivacious widow charming the man who of all men is now most honored by his countrymen—charming him by her exquisite personality as she gave him a flower.

One likes to recall that, even in the state of civilization then prevailing—a state of civilization wherein human life was held so cheap by a great majority of the people that men were found to say they would "as soon kill an Indian as a wolf"—Washington would not wantonly kill a fox. And, in connection with that fact, it will be remembered that the estate was strictly preserved. If a gun was heard anywhere on the plantation the people were under strict orders "to go after" it, and permission to hunt or shoot over the plantation was never given to any one, save only as personal friends were sometimes invited to do so with Washington himself.

KANSAS SALOON RAIDERS

W. C. T. U. Women, Led by Mrs. Sheriff, Wreck Anthony Resorts.

ARMED MEN AID IN THE CRUSADE

Mrs. Sheriff Says She is the Original Saloon Smasher, Though Mrs. Nation Gets the Credit—Women Sing Psalms to the Accompaniment of Shattering Glass and Moaning Bartenders.

Wichita, Kan.—A drug store and two saloons were wrecked at Anthony by fourteen women, all members of the W. C. T. U., and the damage exceeds \$2000. The women were led by Mrs. Mary Sheriff, of Danville.

They first attacked Henley's drug store from the rear. Mrs. Sheriff smashed in the door and her followers, all armed with hatchets, pickaxes and hammers, rushed inside. Five armed men, husbands of some of the crusaders, stood outside to prevent interference.

Next they went to the "Klondike" saloon. Here the bartender had barricaded the doors and was standing inside with a revolver in his hand. He told the women he would shoot if they tried to enter. The men thereupon broke down the door and smashed the plate glass windows.

The Black Watch claims the highest total of killed and wounded among all British battalions during the war in South Africa, while the Second Seaforth Highlanders have the highest number of killed.

The Best Prescription for Chills and Fever is a bottle of GHOV'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price 50c.

There is No Death from Croup, Pneumonia and Diphtheria when Hoxsie's Croup Cure is used promptly. No opium. 50c. A. P. Hoxsie, Buffalo, N. Y.

Denmark leads the world for thriftiness. Her inhabitants have on an average \$50 in the savings banks.

Five hundred motor carriages per year is the average output of a Paris firm for the last five years.

A Colonel in the British South African army says that Adams' Tutti Frutti is a blessing to his men while marching.

Happy is the man who can't remember things he ought to forget.

The Cornfed Philosopher.

"A man," said the Cornfed Philosopher, "usually realizes at middle age that he is a good deal of a fool, though sometimes he needs the assistance of some young person to aid him in finding it out."—Indianapolis Press.

Indian "relies" are being turned out in regular factories, one of which is located in Wisconsin. The relic makers have a secret process by which an ancient appearance is imparted to bones, pots, arrowheads, etc.

His Stomach Removed.

A remarkable surgical operation was performed several days ago on Albert Hansdorf, a German, living on Cherry street. Hansdorf had been hurt internally while at work in a machine shop.

The foreman of the laboratory of a firm of manufacturing chemists in Detroit reports that when he opened a cask of white powder arsenic consigned to his employers recently he found a number of worms which resembled caterpillars, and which seemed to be thriving upon the deadly poison.

Good photographs of living wild mammals and birds are so rare as to command high prices in the market, and the magazines, as well as the newspapers which print half-tone supplements, are usually glad to buy them.

Commeal is the cow feed bought by a great majority of farmers when they are short on the grain ration.

\$100 Reward. \$100. The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh.

Parliament building in Wellington, New Zealand, is the largest wooden structure in the world.

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A Poverty-Stricken Crow.

Visitor (at poorhouse)—"Where did that fine-looking pauper come from?" Superintendent—"The city. He owns the St. Fashion Flats."

"My goodness! Why is he here?" "He charges such high rents that they have been empty since the second year."

An Australian manufacturer, in his search for a cheap raw material for paper-making, has successfully experimented with turf. He claims to produce from the cleaned and bleached turf fibres a remarkably strong and durable paper.

Governor Dietrich, of Nebraska, who is a widower, declines to occupy the gubernatorial mansion in Lincoln, and advises that the building be sold, or that it be maintained at State expense like any other public property.

There is one flavor in pork and beans that all people like. It was devised in the rural homes of New England. It has made Boston the synonym of beans.

In our kitchen we get exactly that flavor. Our beans are cooked by an expert. We put them up in key-opening cans. Your grocer will supply you.

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Send a postal for our booklet, "How to Make Good Things to Eat."

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Impersonating an Officer.

"He was impersonating an officer," said the complainant.

"Did he wear a star?" asked the justice.

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