

ONE TAKEN, THE OTHER LEFT.

"Are you going to the Grantham's to-night, Dick? It's our last chance before the contingent sails."
Dick Hartley was silent for a moment. "Yes, I will go," he said, slowly, almost as if he seemed, reluctantly.

"Oh, don't, if you don't want to," hurriedly replied his companion, and as he spoke his fingers played abstractedly with something which lay at the bottom of his pocket—a tiny gold circle with a gleaming stone. He fervently hoped his friend wouldn't want to go. But in Hartley's breast pocket lurked also a diamond ring, and in his heart he cursed his luck that Jack Lessor should have chosen this night, of all nights, for a final visit to those who, to him, were but acquaintances of a few weeks' standing.

THE PORTLAND TRAGEDY.

Brainerd Talked Very Little Since Shooting—Arrangements for Inquest.
Lawrence, Mass., April 25—George Brainerd, the New England telephone construction boss, who shot four fellow-workmen and Deputy Fire, two fatally, in the rooms of the New-England Telephone Company, in Portland, Wednesday, was known to the local telephone men and made frequent visits to this city.

Why Women Don't Get Rich.
What Hetty Green, the Richest Woman in America, Has to Say on the Subject.
Nearly every woman wants to be rich, but she has vague ideas of how she should go about making money. She reads in some newspaper about some woman who has been successful in stock operations, and in the first spare cash she gets she invests in stock with some customer broker.

REGO AND PRINCESS CHIMAY.
To Appear in Paris Music Hall—She is Scored by Her Two Sons.
Clara Ward, with her gipsy husband, Rego, spent ten days here on their way to Egypt, from London, where they now are, says a Paris despatch to the New York Herald.

A SENSATIONAL CASE.
German Arrested in Paris Charged with Giving Away Gun Secrets.
Paris, April 25—An espionage case, calculated to create a certain sensation, was revealed yesterday by the arrest of a German in one of the large hotels, on a charge of having communicated to Herr Krupp, the secret of the manufacture of guns at the Commentry Arms factory. It is alleged that the drawings and descriptions were supplied by four workmen, two of whom have been arrested at Monthoucon.

This is the deadly season. Wet feet and chills mean colds, gripe, pneumonia, with consumption as a possible result. Your safety lies in using DR. SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE. A few doses will stop you coughing. You will be completely cured in 24 hours. It heals and strengthens the sore lungs. 25 cents a bottle. Money returned if you are dissatisfied. S. C. WELLS & CO., Proprietors, Toronto, Canada.

KILLED FIFTH MAN.

Monster Elephant Ends Life of Trainer.
HELD HIM IN RIVER.
Threw Man to Bottom of Stream and There Held Him With Forefeet—After Lively Chase Was Brought Down by Poisoned Apple and Then Shot.
Peru, Ind., April 25—Henry Huffman, well-known animal trainer, with the Wallace shows, met a horrible death here today, killed by "Big Charley," a monster elephant, while the animal was bathing in the river. "Big Charley" would his trunk about keeper Huffman and hurled him far into the stream.

RAILROAD FIREMAN A HERO.
Climbed Out to Engine Pilot and Saved Child from Death.
New York, April 25—Fireman Clarence Lior, of the Allegheny Valley railroad, has just proved himself a hero by saving the life of a child from instant death, says a World special from Dittwood, Pa. The train was running at a high rate of speed when a little girl on the track near more than 75 yards ahead. He jerked open the door of the cab, rushed along the running board and on to the pilot. He was just in time to cling to the lagstake, lift the girl from the track with his foot and fling her into the ditch.

Brief Despatches.
Gloucester, Mass., April 25—The second strike of the stone workers on Cape Ann, practically ended yesterday, the strikers would have accepted 3,000 men, may be said to have been averted.

Pan-American Bible Study Congress.
Buffalo, N. Y., April 25—Energetic work was carried on by the board of directors of the Pan-American Bible Study Congress to announce its programme as nearly complete. Among the speakers will be Charles Waters, of London, Eng.; Geo. B. Stewart, president Auburn Theological Seminary; E. E. Belsey, of London, Eng.; and several others.

SEEDS. Have a choice lot of Fresh Field and Garden Seeds, including 12 Varieties of Tople Peas. Also, 10 Varieties of Beans; Carrots, Turnips, Parsnips, Lettuce and Radish; American and Canadian Timothy Seed, at lowest prices. K. HAMM, Marsh Bridge, St. John, N. B.

PROVINCIAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

Annual Meeting—Prize Offered by Col. McLean—Coming Matches.
The New Brunswick Provincial Rifle Association met at Major Parks' office last evening in their annual meeting. Most of the members were present. The council in reporting the work of the year, spoke of the increased attendance at the last annual matches, and referred hopefully to the promise of a much greater interest during the coming year, because of the admirable range now nearly completed at St. John, and the formation of rifle clubs in the provinces under the plans now formulated by the minister of militia.

Public Peril.
If all Christian Scientists are as fanatic as Mrs. St. John, wife of a Baptist minister in New York city, it will behoove the authorities to take measures to restrain them. This woman traveled from her home in New York to her father's house in Southampton, Ct., via New Haven, in public conveyances, when she knew that she was ill with the smallpox, the pustules being already broken out, so that every person she came near was exposed to the contagion. She acted deliberately, putting her confidence, both for herself and others, in the power of prayer. Being at her father's house, she refused to have a doctor; but some of her relatives have taken the precaution to be vaccinated.

The New Comet.
Cape Town, April 25—The comet, first seen here this morning, is visible on the eastern horizon. It is brilliant and triple tailed, and is approaching the sun. To CURE A COLD IN A NIGHT—Use Vapo-Cresolene. It has been used extensively during more than twenty-four years. All Druggists.

Her Answer.
They were old friends, but they hadn't met in many years. And the tide of life had hurried on. With its joys and hopes and fears;—but both the women had met at last.—Old playmates again. They talked of girlhood's dreams, now past;—its buoyant hopes, now slain. "Ah, Kate," said Madge, "you're not the same. You've lost your charm of face. You've lost your pretty, rosy cheeks. You've lost your form of grace. Your chestnut hair has turned to gray. Your lips have lost their red. All things are changed—soon our day will turn to night instead."

SPORTING EVENTS OF A DAY.

THE RING.
Manslaughter Charge in Smith Case.
London, April 25—Jack Roberts, whose knock-out of Billy Smith, the New York pugilist, Monday night, resulted in the death, Manager Bettison, of the National Sporting Club, where the fight took place, and the referee, timekeeper and four seconds, were arraigned today on the charge of manslaughter and remanded for trial on their own recognizances for £100 each.

BASE BALL.
National League.
No games were played yesterday, owing to wet weather.
National League Standing.
At Chicago. R.T.E. Cleveland . . . 1 1 0 0 3 3 0 0 3 5 2 Chicago . . . 0 1 2 0 0 3 0 1 1 7 12

YACHTING.
Sir Thomas Lipton's Plans.
Boston, April 25—Sir Thomas Lipton has written the Hull-Massachusetts Yacht Club that he will not sail in the Shamrock to Boston for the race against the Independence and possibly the Constitution. He will visit until he comes to New York before giving a definite answer.

Intercolonial Railway. On and after MONDAY, March 11, 1901, trains will run daily (Sunday excepted), as follows: TRAINS LEAVE. Express for Halifax and Campbellton, 7.00 Express for P. du Chene, Halifax and Pictou, 8.00 Express for Sussex, 8.15 Express for Quebec and Montreal, 12.00 Accommodation from Halifax and Sydney, 23.15 TRAINS ARRIVE. Express from Sussex, 8.30 Express from Montreal and Quebec, 12.40 Express from Halifax, Pictou and Pictou du Chene, 15.00 Express from Halifax and Campbellton, 16.15 Accommodation from Halifax and Sydney, 24.45 Daily except Monday. All trains run by Eastern Standard time. Twenty-four-hour station. D. POTTINGER, General Manager. Moncton, N. B., March 6, 1901. City Ticket Office 57 King Street, St. John, N. B. We Freely Acknowledge our present standing and ability of the students of whom it has been our good fortune to have had the training. This year's class is no exception, but is fully up to the standard of former years. Business and professional men in want of bookkeepers and stenographers are invited to call upon us or write us. No recommendation will be made unless we are sure of giving satisfaction. No better time for entering than just now. Send for Catalogue S. WEBB & S. Oddfellows' H.

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