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house and was a great succeevery way. Rev. F. Manning the meeting with Communitying, after which the following. ing, after which the following gram was given, every number heartily encored. Solo, Mrs. Haggan; piano duet, Mrs. F. Haggan; solo, Rub ries; piano solo, Miss Dorothy Patter; violin selection, Mr. Bush; piano solo, Vera McCon floral contest followed next an lunch was served. The remain the evening was spent in social course.



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god! Mescal, I'd utterly forgotten top Naab already has a wife." You've also forgotten that we're

Are you a Mormon?" he queried

Tve been raised as one.' Thats not an answer. Are you one? you believe any man under Gods ought to have more than one wife

But I've been taught that it woman greater glory in heaven. ere have been men here before men who talked to me, and ted before I ever saw you. And Hare, simply. therward—I knew."
"Would not Father Naab release

Release me ? Why, he would have nken me as a wife for himself but in Mary. She hates me. So he pledg-

me to Snap. "Does August Naab love you?" Love me? Not in the way you mean enthaps as a daughter. But Mor-ness teach duty to church first, and ay such love comes—to the wives afterward. But it doesn't—not in the women I've seen. Theres' Mother

*When was this-this marriage to

"Idon't know. Father Naab promisthe Navajo range. It would be to if they found out that you and -jack, Snap Naab would kill you!"

The sudden thought startled the giller eyes betrayed her terror.

I mightn't be so easy to kill," said lare, darkly. The words came un-them, his first answer to the wild affences about him. "Mescal, I'm the Navajo range. It would be ences about him. "Mescal, I'm

-maybe L've brought you un-No. No. To be with you has been itting there on the rim watchthe desert, the greatest happiness we ever known. I used to love to rith the children, but Mary forbade. then I am down there, which is sel-I'm not allowed to play with children any more."

"What can I do?" asked Hare, pas-

Don't speak to Father Naab. Dont im guess. Dont leave me here she answered low. I was not vajo speaking in her now had sounded depths hitherto uned; a quick, soft impulsiveness contrast sharp and vivid. low can I help but leave you if its me on the cattle ranges?" I don't know. You must think. He een so pleased with what you've ne. He's had Mormons up here, two men not of his Church, and y did nothing. You've been ill, beyou're different. He will keep with the sheep as long as he can, reasons-because I drive best, he says, and because Snap s wife must be persuaded to welme in her home."

Il stay, if I have to ge a relapse down on my back again," de-



GLYS

clared Jack. "I hate to deceive him, but, Mescal, pledged or not-I love

you, and I won't give up hope."

Her hands flew to her face again and tried to hide the dark blush. "Mescal, there's one question I wish you'd answer. Does August Naab think he'il make a Mormon of me? Is that the secret of his wonderful kindness?"

"Of course he believes he'll make a Mormon of you. That's his religion. He's felt that way over all the strangers who ever come out here. I don't know the secret of his kindness, but I think he loves everybody and everything. And Jack, he's so good. I owe him my life. He would not let Navajos take me; he raised me, kept me, taught me. I can't break my promise to him. He's been a father to me, and I love him."

"I think I love him, too," replied

With an effort he left her at last and mounted the grassy slope and climbed high up among the tottering yellow crags; and there he battled with himself. Whatever the of Mescal's surrender, and the insistence of his love, stern hammerstrokes of fairness, duty, honor, beat into his brain his debt to the man who had saved him. It was a longdrawn out battle not to be won merely by saving right was right. He loved Mescal, she loved him; and something born in him with his new health, with huth-her heart is broken. She loves the breath of the sage and juniper forest, with the sight of purple canons and silent beckoning desert, made him fiercely tenacious of all that life had come to mean for him. He could not

give her up-and yet-Twilight forced Hare from his lofty retreat, and he trod his way campward, weary and jaded, but victorious over himself. He thought he had renounced his hope of Mescal; he re

To The Electors of The Town of Aylmer

The following is a synopsis of a By-Law of the Corporation of the Town of Aylmer, to authorize the guarantee by the said Town bonds of the A. BRANDON MANUFACTURING COMPANY LIMITED, to the amount

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Aylmer is submitting for the assent of the electors entitled to vote on money By-Laws. By-Law No. 989 for the purpose of authorizing the said Corporation to guarantee the bonds of the pose of authorizing the said Corpora-tion to guarantee the bonds of the A. BRANDON MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED, to the amount of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars, which bonds are payable in fifteen equal, annual instalments on the First day of June in each of the years 1925 to 1940 inclusive, with interest at the rate of six per cent, per annum, pay-

to 1940 inclusive, with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly on the First days of June and December in each year.

The reason and object of the said guarantee is the purchase by the said A. Brandon Manufacturing Company, Limited, of the lands, building, plant and equipment of what is known as the Shoe Factory Building and plant in the Town of Aylmer, and the establishment and carrying on by the said lishment and carrying on by the said A. Bradon Manufacturing Company, Limited, of a shoe factory in the said plant for the term of fifteen years

August, and to himself; bitterness he would not allow himself to feel. And my lad." yet he feared the rising in him of a new spirit akin to that of the desert itself, intractable and free.

"Well, Jack, we rode down the last of Silvermane's band," said August, at supper. "The Navajos came up and helped us out. To-morrow you'll see some fun, when we start Silvermane. As soon as that's done, I'll go, leaving the Indians to bring the horses down when they're broken." "Are you going to leave Silvermane

with me?" asked Jack. "Surely. Why, in three days, if I don't lose my guess, he'll be like a lamb. Those desert stallions can be into the finest kind of saddlehorses. I've seen one or two. I want you to stay up here with the sheep. You're getting well, you'll soon be a strapping big fellow. Then when we drive the sheep down in the fall you can begin life on the cattle ranges,

will guarantee Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars of fifteen yearly bonds of the First Party, to enable it to raise sufficient capital to purchase the lands, machinery and equipment hereinafter mentioned, and also to have sufficient working capital that it, the First Party, will establish a Boot and Shoe Factory in the Town of Aylmer, and Factory in the Town of Aylmer, and there continuously operate its plant and equipment for the term of fifteen years from the date of commencement of operation.

AND WHEREAS this Agreement

AND WHEREAS this Agreement is entered into for the purpose of reducing to writing the terms upon which the Second Party shall guarantee the said bonds.

NOW THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH that in consideration of the premises and of the mutual covenants and agreements hereinafter contained, the parties hereto agree each with the other of them, their successors and assigns as follows:—

1. The First Party shall conclude the purchase of the lands and premises, plant, machinery and equipment generally known as the "Shoe Factory Property in the said Town of Aylmer," free from all liabilities whatsoever, and will operate the said plant and factory for the term of fifteen years from the date of commencement of operation, namely the First day of of operation, namely the First day of June, 1924.

June, 1924.

2. The Second Party shall prepare nad pass all necessary By-Laws to guarantee the bonds of the First Party for the sum of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars and no more, payable in fifteen equal, annual instaments with interest at six per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly.

3. The First Party shall before the delivery over to it of the guarantee herein referred to, make, execute and deliver to the Second Party a first mortgage on all the lands, buildings, plant and machinery, equipment, fixtures, both movable and immovable as security for the payment of the said bonds, and as indemnity against the payment of any moneys that the Second Party may have or be called upon to pay under or by reason of its said guarantee, and as security also for the due performance of this agree-ment on its part.

ment on its part.

The said mortgage to the second gage as the first party may require to give to a trustee to secure said issue of bonds, but same as aforesaid shall be a first charge on the assets there-

4. The said guarantee shall not be given or delivered to the First Party until the said property and assets have been purchased free from all incumbeen purchased free from all incumbrances by the First Party, nor until the said mortgage has been duly executed and delivered, nor until the First Party has executed and delivered this Agreement to continuously operate the said factory for the term of fifteen years from the date of commencement of operation.

5. The Second Party shall, subject, to the approval of its ratepayers, guarantee the due payment of the said bonds and all interest falling due thereunder, and deliver the said bonds when executed and guaranteed by the Second Party to the Royal Bank, Ayl-

Second Party to the Royal Bank, Aylmer, as Trustee.

mer, as Prustee.

6. In consideration of the Second Party guaranteeing and delivering the said bonds as aforesaid, the said First Party shall purchase all the property hereinbefore mentioned, and shall eshereinbefore mentioned, and shall establish and carry on the manufacturing of boots and shoes and other footwear in the Town of Aylmer, and will operate the same continuously for the said term of fifteen years from the commencement of operation, and will pay all principal and interest on the said bonds as and when the same shall respectively fall due, and will indemnify and save harmless the Second Party therefrom.

7. And the said First Party shall,

Limited, of a shoe factory in the said plant for the term of fifteen years continuously.

The Corporation of the Town of Aylmer in giving the said guarantee is to be secured by a first mortgage on the lands, buildings, plant and equipment of the A. Brandon Manufacturing Company, Limited, as purchased by it, and is to be further secured by a life insurance policy on the life of Alexander Brandon and James Lamont Brandon for the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars, on the endowment plan, payable in fifteen years.

The following is a copy of the agreement entered into between the Corporation of the Town of Aylmer and the A. Brandon Manufacturing Company, Limited:—

"THIS AGREEMENT made in duplicate the 17th day of March in the year of our Lord, one thousand ninehundred and Twenty-Four.

BETWEEN:—A. BRANDON MAN-UFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED, a Company incorporated under the Laws of the Province of Ontario, hereinafter called THE FIRST PARTY.

and

THE CORPORATION OF THE

THE FIRST PARTY.

and
THE CORPORATION OF THE
TOWN OF AYLMER, hereinafter
called THE SECOND PARTY.
WEREAS the First Party has been
recently incorporated for the purpose
of manufacturing boots and shoes and
other footwear, and are desirous of
opening up and establishing a business
in the said Town of Aylmer, and has
agreed, provided that the Second Party

turned with a resolve to be true to you'll grow lean and hard, like an iron bar. You'll need that horse, too,

"Why-because hes' fast?" queried Jack, quickly answering to the implied suggestion.

August nodded gloomily. I haven't the gift of revelation, but I've come to believe Martin Cole. Holderness is building an outpost for his riders close to Seeping Springs. He has no water. If he tries to pipe my water-The pause was not a threat; it implied the Mormon's doubt of himself. "Then Dene is on the march this way. He's driven some of Marshall's cattle from the range next to mine. Dene got away with about a hundred head. The barefaced robber sold them in Lund to a buying company from Salt Lake. "Is he openly an outlaw, a rustler? inquired Hare.

"Everybody knows it, and he's finding White Sage and vicinity warmer than it was. Every time he comes in he and his band shoot up things pretty driving wild steers. There's where lively. Now the Mormons are slow to wrath. But they are awakening, All the way from Salt Lake to the border outlaws have come in. They'll never get the power on this desert that they had in the places from which they've been driven. Men of the Holderness type are more to be dreaded. He's a rancher, greedly, unscrupulous, but hard to corner in dishonesty. Dene is only a bad man, a gun-fighter. He and all his ilk will get run out of Utah. Did you ever hear of Plummer, John Slade, Boone Helm, any those bad men?"

> "Well, they were men to fear. Plummer was a sheriff in Idaho, a man high

> machinery and supplies, as approved by the Trustee.
> IN WITNESS WHEREOF the par-

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have hereunto affixed their respective corporate seals by the hands of the proper officers in that behalf." (SEALS) (SIGNED)
Oscar McKenney, acting mayor; D. C. Davis, clerk; A. Brandon Manufacturing Co., Limited, per A. Brandon, president; I. A. Ballantine, Secretary.
The amount of the liability to be

ng Co., Limited, per A. Brandon, president; I. A. Ballantine, Secretary.

The amount of the liability to be created by the said Municipality is the guaranteeing of the bonds of the said Company fer the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable half yearly, the principal to be paid in fifteen equal, annual instalments.

The existing debenture debt of the Town of Aylmer exclusive of local improvement debts is the sum of \$107,075.60 and no sum is in arrears either for principal or interest on account of the said debt.

The total amount of all the rateable property in the said Town of Aylmer according to the last revised assessment roll, being for the year 1923 is the sum of \$1,374,138.00.

The votes of the electors of the Town of Aylmer entitled and qualified to vote on money By-Laws will be taken on the said By-Law No. 989 on Monday, the fourteenth day of April 1924, commencing at nine o'clock in the forenoon and continuing until five o'clock in the after-

April 1924, commencing at nine o'clock in the forenoon and continuing until five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, at the following places in the several polling subdivisions of the Town and by the Deputy Returning Officers hereinafter named, that is to say:—Polling subdivision No. 1, at J. L. Thayer's garage with Ed. Hemstreet as Deputy Returning Officer, Polling subdivision No. 2, at the Council Chamber in the Town Hall, by Margaret Poustie as Deputy Returning Officer. Polling subdivision No. 3 at D. H. Conpor's office by D. No. 3, at D. H. Connor's office by D. H. Connor as Deputy Returning Offi-

cer.

The Mayor of the Town of Aylmer shall on Saturday, the Twelfth day of April 1924, at eight o'clock in the afternoon attend at the Town the afternoon attend at the Hall and appoint by writing signed by him two persons to attend at the final summing up of the votes by the Town Clerk and one person to attend at each polling place on behalf of the persons interested and desirous of promoting the passing of the said By-Law, and a like number on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous the persons interested in and desirous of opposing the passing of the said By-Law.

of opposing the passing of the said By-Law.

AND TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the above is a true statement and synopsis of the said proposed By-Law No. 989 which has been taken into consideration and which may be finally passed by the Council of the Town of Aylmer in the event of the assent of the said electors being obtained thereto after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice in the Aylmer Express newspaper published in the said Town, the date of which first publication was the Twentieth day of March 1924, and that the votes of the electors entitled to vote on money By-Laws will be taken thereon on Monday, the Fourteenth day of April 1924 commencing at nine o'clock in the forenoon and continuing until five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, and that at the time and place above mentioned the polls will be held and that a tenant whose lease extends for the period of time during and over which the liability of the Municipality is to extend or for at least twenty-one years and who by his lease has covenanted to pay all Municipal taxes in respect to the property other than local improvement rates shall be entitled to vote on the said By-Law, provided that he does not later than the tenth day preceding date of voting file in my office a declaration proving the above requirements as set forth in subsection 3 of section 265 of the Municipal Act, but not otherwise.

The Mortgagor shall at all times keep the property and plant fully in-The Mortgagor shall at all times

keep the property and plant fully in-sured in favour of the Mortgagee. Dated this Seventeenth day of March, 1924.

D. C. DAVIS, Town Clerk,

NOTICE TO CREDITORS in the estimation of his townspeople,

but he was the leader of the most desperate band of criminals ever In the Matter of the Estate of Joseph known in the West; and he instigated Edmund Scott, late of the Town the murder of, or killed outright, more than one hundred men. Slade Aylmer, in the County of Elgin, retired Coal Merchant, Deceased. was a bad man, fatal on the draw. Helm was a killing-machine. These men all tried Utah, and had to get

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Always-in good condition Wherever and whenever you buy it,

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out. So will Dene have to get out. But

fore that happens. When you get in

the thick of it, you'll appreciate Sil-

"I surely will. But I can't see that

wild stallion with a saddle and a

bridle, eating oats like any common

presently, if I'm not greatly mistaken.

a little patch of browse: never give

him a drink till he needs it. That's

one-tenth as often as a tame-horse.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of Jacob

W. Keesler, late of the Village of

Springfield, in the County of Elgin,

Notice is hereby given pursuant to

Section 56 of the Trustee Act, R.S.O.

1914, Chap. 121, that all creditors and

others having claims or demands

against the estate of the said Jacob

W. Keesler, who died on or about the

twenty-seventh day of February, 1924.

are required on or before the twenty-

fifth day of April, 1924, to send by

post prepaid or deliver to Edward Ai-

len Miller, of the Town of Aylmer,

County of Elgin, solicitor for Nelson

Wellington Keesler, and Eli Camby Keesler, both of Brown City, Mich., the executors of the last Will and

Testament of the said deceased their Christian names and surnames, ad-

dresses and descriptions the full par-ticulars of their claims, a statement

of their accounts and the nature of

will proceed to distribute the assets

ties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall

executors will not be liable for the

said assets or any part thereof to

any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not then have been re-

ceived by them at the time of such

Dated the fourteenth day of March,

Nelson Wellington Keesler, E Camby Keesler, Brown City, Mich.

Solicitor for the said Executors,
Aylmer, Ontario

distributio

of the said deceased among the par-

Yeoman, Deceased.

with these qualities

horse, and being led to water."

vermane."

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out."

Now Packed in Vacuumized Jins

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 56 of the Trustee Act R.S.O. I'm afraid there'll be warm times be-1914, Chapter 121, that all creditors and others having claims or demands against the estate of the said Joseph Edmund Scott, who died on or about the fifth day of January, 1924, are required on or before the twenty-sixth day of April, 1924, to "Well, he'll come to your whistle, send by post prepaid or deliver to The London & Western Trust Co., You must make him love you, Jack. It can be done with any wild creature. Ltd., London, Ont., the executors of the last Will and Testament of the Be gentle but firm. Teach him to said deceased, their Christian names obey the slightest touch of rein, to and surnames, addresses and descripstand when you throw your bridle on tions the full particulars of their claims the ground, to come at your whistle. Always remember this. He's a desert- | a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, (if any) held bred horse; he can live on scant

browse and little water. Neve rbreak him of those best virtues in a horse. by them. And Take Notice that after such Never feed him grain if you can find last mentioned date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having re-Some day you'll be caught in the gard only to the claims of which shall then have notice, and that the said executors will not be liable for endurance Silvermane will carry you the said assets or any part thereof to Silvermane snorted defiance from any person or persons of the cedar corral next morning when claims notice shall not then the cedar corral next morning when the Naabs, and Indians, and Hare been received by them at the time of apeared. A half-naked sinewy Navajo such distribution.

Dated the fourteenth day of March, 1924. with a face as changeless as a bronze mask sat astride August's blindfolded

The London & Western Trust Co. Limited, London, Ont. E. A. MILLER, Solicitor for the said Executors, Aylmer, Ontario.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

in the Matter of the Estate of Emaline Dempster Gillett, late of the Town of Aylmer, in the County of Elgin, Married Woman, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 56 of the Trustee Act, R.S.O. 1914, Chapter 121, that all creditors and others having claims or demands against the estate of the said Emaline Dempster Gillett, who died on or about the third day of February, 1924, are required on or before the twentyfourth day of April 1924, to send by post prepaid or deliver to James Arthur Dempster Gillett, the executor of the last Will and Testament of the said deceased their Christian names an dsurnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securi-ties, (if any) held by them.

the securities, (if any), held by them.
And Take Notice that after such last mentioned date the said executors AND TAKE NOTICE that after such last mentioned date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and that the said executors will not be liable for then have notice, and that the said the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not then have been received by him at the time of such dis-

Dated the fourteenth day of March

James Arthur Dempster Gillett, Aylmer, Ont. E. A. MILLER,

Solicitor for the said Executor, Aylmer, Ontario.