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AND THE UNWILLING AUDIENCE WAS COMPELLED TO LISTEN.

A Long Winded but Resourceful Sheriff's Treatment of the Crowd of Loungers That Rudely Interrupted His Yarn About a Bear.

The sheriff of Salmon county was a

good story teller-that is, he so consider-ed himself. Whether the story diverted his hearers or not was a matter of little moment to him. He would start a story which had no visible point and no apparent end and keep on telling it, shaking with laughter himself and chapping his victim on the back with his immense paws. The miners and cattlemen who frequented Shoup's store at Salmon City had a social code of their own. When a man got launched into an impossible story, they simply pulled a string attached to a rather oversized gong which Macnabbs, who ran the store, had put up for the express purpose, and the story teller

was cut off short. .

But the sheriff was better than the gong. The second time he started one of his stories little Johnny Harris gave the gong a pull. The sheriff paid no atten-tion to it and still talked. The next night the sheriff began to tell about a trip east. The gong was rung until every one in the building was arm sore, and then his auditors gave it up and bore with the sheriff as best they might until he tired himself out and started for home. Just before he left he said:

"Mac, why don't you let that feller in that's bin a-ringin? If 'twuz me, I'd git mad standin out there even if I knowed that you wuz a listenin to me tellin

"We got to do somethin to head that old land pirate off," said Charley Bryan, the miner. "because if we don't and this thing keeps up we'll all of us be so weak by spring that we won't be able to git out into the hills."

The sheriff did not come to the store for some time after this occurrence. He had been obliged to make a journey into the hills to post some notices on a mine; con-sequently the crowd had had time to regain its spirits a little. Then, too, Sam Slick, a veteran stock raiser and practical joker, had been added to the ranks after long absence from the country. One Saturday night the sheriff burst into the store and after buying two-bits' worth of obacco took his accustomed mackerel barrel and placing it near the stove in the enter of the circle began:

"Say, boys, I heerd an awful good story np, to Lemhi county. You know this per Sam Deemer? Well, he's the greatest ar bunter in all that county," he said.
"What county is that?" broke in Slick.

"Lemhi," answered the sheriff in the one of a man answering the census enu-

"That's old flat footed, black haired am, ain't it?" asked Slick. "Yes," said the sheriff hurriedly. "I know him,

"Well, the sheriff continued, looking round the circle for confirmation, "they u't no one that kin touch the old Deemon b'ars. Why, he's killed more b'ars an any man in Idaho."
"Who told you that?" said Slick.

"Why. I know it: I've seen the hides." "What kind-black, cinnamon or griz-

"All kinds; don't make no matter to

The crowd by this time had caught the oened his mouth he was plied with quesans. Finally he got so confused that every time he started to speak he could only blurt and stutter. Then the floods of his anger burst loose, and he rose from his eat and burst out of the store.

"Well, well," said Slick when he recovered from the spasms of laughter into which the occurrence had thrown him. we've got rid of the sheriff fur good, I

reekon. The sheriff didn't come around again or some time. About a month afterward sauntered into the store and went up

to the counter. He was very much sub-dued, and it seemed as it his pride was "Good ev'nin, Mac," he said, "Gimme two bits' worth of eatin, will you?" And

when Mac handed the tobacco out to him e turned and stood with his elbow restag on a pile of dress goods and listened. Finally he pulled his big ulster together as if to go.

"Whar have you bin lately, sheriff?" said Sam Slick, seeing that there was no danger of an incursion on the sheriff's

part.
"Oh, I've bin pretty busy up to my house, puttin in this 'lectric light from the plant over on the river and gittin things generally fixed up. I wish some of you boys'd come over and take a look at it. Things is fixed up nice. Why-don't you come over now? You hain't got anything special to do?" The crowd went, and the sheriff show

ed them everything and how the electric light worked. Finally he said: "You ain't seen the cells yet. Come this

Then he opened the door and ushered the crowd in one by one through the broad-grating. As the last man passed the sheriff instead of following him banged the grating to and locked it. The visitors all ran back to the grating and tried to open

"Hey, sheriff!" they shouted. "This ain't no joke: this is blame mean. Let us

oft of here!" "Take your time, gents," said the sher iff: "you ain't in no danger, and I hope

you ain't in no hurry." Then be pulled an armchair up in front of the door, while the crowd waited expectantly. When he got himself settled, the sheriff began: "As I was a-sayin that Saturday night, this yer old Sam Deemer was the orneryest old cuss after b'ars

The visitors knew they were in for it.
The sheriff sat there and told them that old moss covered, four mile long lie that was a half cousin to old Father Time himself. They had to listen, for they couldn't get away. When the sheriff was through, he unlocked the door, and as he

bade them good night he said: "Well, I guess we are about even, so we kin start square next Saturday night, when I want to tell you a story about a friend of mine down in Texas name

But his visitors never heard his words; they just wandered away, meeklike, as fast as they could without running.

Too Bad. "My husband has had dyspepsia dreadfully lately. He has been such a suffer-

er."
"I am sorry to hear it. I had no idea that you were without a cook."-Detroit

William Herwood of Honolulu is to epresent the Hawaiian Sugar Planters' iation in this country.

E. H. Keller, one of the doorkeepers of the senate, so much resembles Senator Mason that Senator Wolcott of Colorado recently mistook him for that senator Senator Thomas R. Bard of California and his brother, Dr. C. L. Bard of Ventura, Cal., are to erect a hospital in that city as a memorial to their mother. This hospital will eventually be presented to

the city. Congressman Allen, popularly known as "Private John Allen," says he recent-ly made an investment that netted 150 per cent. "I bought Sulzer a 2 cent newspaper." says Mr. Allen, "and he paid my car fare."

Robert Dick Douglas, a grandson of Stephen A. Douglas of Illinois, has been appointed by Governor Russell to the ffice of attorney general of North Carolina. He is but 25 years old and the youngest man to fill that position in North Carolina. Joseph Jefferson, the actor, has pur-

chased real estate in Chicago valued at \$87,000. Mr. Jefferson paid that amount for it, giving \$47,000 in cash and assuming a mortgage of \$40,000. The property consists of a three story brick apartment building in Forty-seventh street.

D. O. Mills of New York thas prom-

ised the University of California about \$24,000 to defray the expenses of a two year astronomical expedition from the Lick observatory to South America or Australia, the object of which is to study the movement of stars in the line of

Professor Giovanni Schiaparelli, director of the Brera observatory at Milan, has been retired after 42 years of service. He is celebrated for his discovery of the ca-nals in Mars. His observations on meteorites, on the double stars and on the planets Mercury and Venus are of the highest astronomical value

William McClary of Philadelphia bas given \$50,000 to the Masonic home of Pennsylvania in memory of his son, Charles J. McClary. It is his desire that \$20,000 be used for the general welfare of the home, and that the remaining \$30,-000 be used for establishing an orphanage for the children of members of the

General Joe Wheeler writes in Succes that the czar's peace plan came to naught "because it would be in the nature of things impossible for man and nations to abruptly cast aside a habit that was ac quired before history began and is, after all, an instinct. All animals," continu the general, "fight and will continue to,

The Duke of Rutland, now 82 years old, has been a member of six consecu tive British cabinets. He is the last sur-viving member of Lord Derby's first administration and also the oldest member of the Carlton club. In 1841 the dukethen Lord John Manners—was William E. Gladstone's fellow member for Newark. In 1898 he was a pallbearer at Mr. Gladstone's funeral.

Mr. Justin McSweeney, formerly one of the most prominent owners on the Australian turf and a well known Sydney citizen and man of business, has been making revelations of a sensational char acter regarding horse racing at the antipodes. He confesses that he has lost £30,000 in horse racing and that with his own limited experience he has seen about 30 wealthy men ruined on the turf.

THE NEW CENTURY

The fin de slecle woman has stepped

forward and become the new century woman.-Louisville Commercial. Have you caught on to the new game yet? It is guessing what will happen to the world in the new century. Anybody can try it, and one guess is as good as another.—Brooklyn Standard-Union.

Each one of the New York newspapers claims to have printed the "first paper published in the new century." It is too bad to have the century start off with a misunderstanding like this. — Atlanta Journal.

It would be a sensible thing at the be ginning of the new century to have ou timepieces mark 24 hours in a day instead of doubling on themselves in two sets of 12. But it is too sensible for the begin ning of the twentieth century, though it will come long before the beginning of the twenty-first.

BRAKES AND COUPLINGS.

Francis Rawle of Philadelphia has been elected president of the Halifax and Yar mouth railway, to succeed Thomas Rob

Robert S. Logan, formerly of St. Louis has been made assistant to the general manager of the Grand Trunk railway of Canada.

The Victoria, Vancouver and Eastern Railway company has been organized to build a railroad from Vancouver eastward through the Kootenai mining dis

Euston station is the oldest as well as one of the largest in London. There are 13 platforms varying from 400 to 1,000 feet long, in addition to which there are two Broad carriage ways 700 and 1,000 feet respectively in length. The station covers an area of 16 acres.

THE COOKBOOK.

Never add nuts to any cake you desire to keep for any length of time. They will mold and ruin it. A cut lemon may be used instead of

vinegar to make tough meat tender. Rub thoroughly and let stand three or four minutes before cooking. Cheese crackers for the salad course are easily home made. Sprinkle Parme san or, grated American cheese thickly over the crackers and bake in the oven

until the cheese is melted and browned. Serve cold. A substitute for Welsh rabbit may be made by melting half a pound of rich cheese on a hot plate over hot water meanwhile toasting four slices of bread This should be buttered and the cheese seasoned with salt and cayenne, poured

PERT PERSONALS.

How lonesome the bumptious kaiser must feel just now in view of the fact that he celebrated the dawn of the new century a year ago!-Boston Heralds Mr. William Waldorf Astor didn't get a baronetcy on New Year's day or even a knighthood. When you are pitying gourself for your own paitry sorrows, think of that.—New York Journal.

able! They are half sick, they keep on working, you hear them say "I will be better to-morrow". How foolish! They will be worse to-morrow Women, do not take such chances when you are rundown, you need a remedy; and when you take a remedy, you need the very best; you do not want a cure all, you do not want oldfashioned remedies. Take the best, take the one that cures, the one that has made its reputation by curing women. Dr. Coderre's Red Pills are for women alone. Thousands upon housends of women have testified to their great merit. They can cure you quickly, perma-

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irs. J. J. Buddington, 70 Clinton Street, Grand Rapids, Mich.: "My case was indeed a bad one when I began to take Dr. derre's Red Pills. I was suffering from female weakness. I srandown. My blood was very poor. I was looking awful. I am now stronger and stouter than I have been for years. I never thought that any Pills could ever do so much good for me."

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your interest and take it kindly. My

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but I feel that you must be told. Now,

do take it in the right spirit. It is this

You ought not to wear green. It is so very unbecoming to you."

He Needed the Man.

versation," said Senator Sorghum as he

approached the musicians who were dis-

cussing their art, "but who is this man

"But the map you last mentioned. You

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