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## Money for Nothing

Confidence tricksters, who have been so busy in London recently, are gentlemen who are certain of getting something for nothing from other gentlemen who merely expect to get something for nothing, says the Daily Mail.

A man who parts with a few thousand pounds to an absolute stranger whom he has known for only a few minutes does not do so from any feeling of compassion or charity, but because he really thinks in his own mind that he is on "a good thing" and that the other man is the "mug."

The old, old story has been cleverly told to him and he is fascinated by the lure of gold—and the apparent simplicity of the other man.

A rich uncle had died leaving millions for distribution among really deserving people. The victim is asked to assist in the distribution of this money. He willingly consents, and just to show that he has implicit confidence in his new-found friend he hands him over hundreds of banknotes—and friend and money disappear.

How are the victims picked up? How is it known who has money and who has not? There are various ways of settling these points.

No visitor to London fails to go to the Tower of London, the British Museum, or the National Gallery, and it is here that the confidence tricksters, who are, of course, well dressed and well spoken, lie in wait for their victims.

They see at a glance who are the most likely "mugs," and by following them back to their hotels very quickly get to know all about them. A trap is laid. A confederate strikes up an acquaintance and the new-made friends go for a walk together. Suddenly a man walking in front of them drops a wallet, which they pick up and restore to the owner, who is so grateful (for the wallet contains hundreds of thousands of pounds and a will) that he invites his friends to have a cup of tea and tells them all about his rich uncle.

I have never heard of a woman being swindled in this way.

## English as She is "Intrigued"

If words could speak, there would surely come a wall of protest from that overworked and misused dyslexic, "intrigue." This word, as a noun, means "plot" or "conspiracy." As a verb, it has a corresponding significance. About two years ago, some uninformed persons with idle minds set the fashion of using the word in the sense of "interest," with the consequence that the schoolgirl now employs the adjective form, "intriguing," to describe every object which takes her fancy, from a bouquet to a bull-pup. The tale is told that a young person with bobbed hair who saw Niagara Falls for the first time this summer, clasped her hands and exclaimed, "I'm simply intrigued!"

This fashion of abusing a word which "has a certain use of its own, no doubt," is by no means confined to flappers. Those who should be remote from such slovenly ignorance resort to "intrigue," whenever they wish for a synonym for "interest." Reviewers of books, critics of plays and the writers of frothy fashion notes are alike sinners in this matter of dragging in "intrigue," which has become a daily bore. Even when used correctly, such words as "strenuous," "uplift," "inspirational" can become a weariness to the discriminating reader. When a word is constantly used in error, its persistence in print is an irritation. The limit of absurdity is reached in the caption for an illustration in a New York paper, which described King Tutankhamen's tomb as "intriguing." The pyramids may be "cute," the Sphinx may be "smart," but we refuse to believe that the tomb of the ancient ruler deserves nothing more dignified than "intriguing" to describe its prehistoric calm. This debasement of the word would have interested a more modern Egyptian monarch, Cleopatra, who gave every letter of the word, "intrigue," either in its amorous or political significance. Let us dust the dictionary, discover the right use of "intrigue," and give the over-worked word a vacation.

## Shipping.

S.S. Neptune berthed at the Furness Withy pier yesterday, to discharge some 80 tons of brass and copper salvaged from the Raleigh at Point Armour. The metal will be shipped to England by S.S. Eschem.

Schr. Lillian M. Richards, owned by J. B. Patten, Grand Bank, has arrived at St. Pierre. According to a message received yesterday by the Deputy Minister of Customs, the vessel lost her rudder in the recent gale.

S.S. Kaleas, taking 12,168 quintals of codfish, has sailed from Indian Tackle, Labrador, for Gibraltar, for orders. The vessel was loaded by Philip Templeman.

S.S. Nascope is due to-morrow morning from Hudson's Bay and Labrador.

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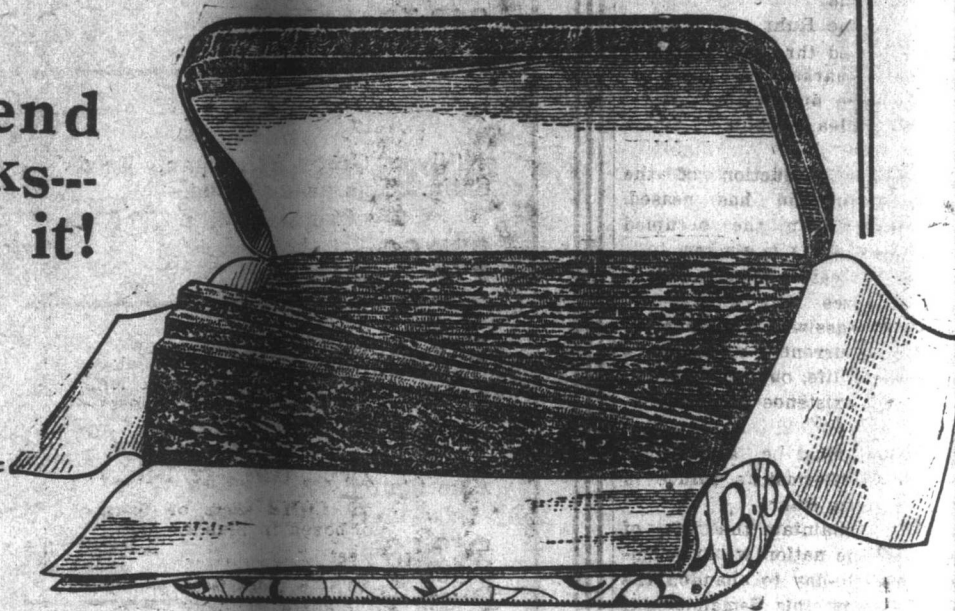
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## Great Cast in "The Old Homestead"

STAR MOVIE MONDAY.

Theodore Roberts and George Fawcett

Head Roster of All-Star Players.

The phrase "all star" has been much abused, but the cast of "The Old Homestead," which comes to the Star Theatre next Monday, may truthfully be said to be of that calibre. Theodore Roberts, George Fawcett, T. Roy Barnes, Kathleen O'Connor, James Mason, Ethel Wales and others make up a list that is hard to surpass.

This Paramount picture is based on Denham Thompson's famous play in which that celebrated actor appeared for thirty-two years, but is far more extensive in character and presents a great drama with plenty of comedy and a smashing climax.

The story is familiar—how the son of Uncle Josh is falsely accused of theft and goes away to meet with stirring adventure and finally to be restored to his home and sweetheart. But there is far more than that to the story. There is adventure, love, human character in abundance, humor that is rich and spontaneous and pathos that is deep and convincing. Tears and laughter abound.

James Cruze directed with discretion and sympathy this great story, which was adapted by Perley Poore Sheehan and Frank E. Woods, scenarized by Julien Josephson and supervised by Walter Wood.

## Facts.

More than 154,000 houses have been built under the Act of 1919

Four-fifths of the water consumed in London comes from rivers.

ARCHAEOLOGY FROM THE AIR. Photographs taken from the air have helped antiquarians in this country by disclosing old Roman military tracks.

Pictures and other objects of art to the value of about £2,000,000 were exported from London to the United States last year.

Wireless transmitting and receiving sets have been fitted to the lifeboats of about forty ships. These sets have a range up to fifty miles.

Two-thirds of the total population of Warwickshire live in Birmingham, which ranks next to London, being the second city in the country.

Chess has been the principal pastime of the German village of Stroebeck for more than 200 years. The game is even taught in the schools.

"Of the people who go into the County Courts, only about twenty-five out of every hundred tell the truth," said a London registrar recently.

For the first time in ninety-nine years a wedding has been celebrated in the Wesleyan Chapel at Downley, a hamlet near High Wycombe.

Recruits for the British Army during a recent twelve months numbered 44,950; during the same period over 51,000 men were rejected for physical reasons.

After being harpooned, a sperm whale charged a whaling vessel, shaking it badly, snapping the propeller blades and bending the propeller shaft nearly double.

£100,000 Film Baby.

Claimed to be the youngest "film star" in the world, Baby Peggy Montgomery, aged three years and a half, has just signed by proxy a £100,000 contract.

Although really a butcher by trade, a "quack" doctor practising in Switzerland employs nine assistants, and makes an annual income of about £10,000.

Soldiers at Aldershot are now to have the use of a tailors' and shoemakers' shop, where they will be done repairs which are beyond the scope of the soldiers themselves.

The capital of Iceland, Reykjavik, may be heated by means of hot water from the natural hot springs outside the town, thus doing away with the use of coal for firing.

Of the 229,061 tons of butter imported

ed during the year ended June 30th, nearly forty-five per cent. came from British sources, New Zealand supplying 63,619 tons.

A rick in Wiltshire which caught fire was extinguished by the local fire brigade, who sent in a bill of £113 17s. 4d. for their services, more than the rick was worth.

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