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THREE CHATHAM CHILDREN MEET WITH UGLY ACCIDENTS

Trio of Unfortunate Little Ones who Will Remember Yesterday—Serious Injuries From the Attack of an Infuriated Sow.

Doris, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Winters, North Chatham, fell in the cistern yesterday and but for a premonition of danger that the mother had, the child would have lost its life.

The little girl was playing with her doll in the yard. It had never been the custom of the child to play near the cistern before. Suddenly something told the mother that her baby was in danger and, rushing out, she could see nothing of the child. Running frantically to the cistern, the top of which was off, the parent found the child in the water head downwards. Mrs. Winters pulled the child from her perilous position by the feet and, taking the little one in her arms, undressed the child and wrapped her in flannel. She then summoned Dr. Duncan.

On examination, the physician found that providentially the child had not breathed after falling into the well, and that there was no water in the lungs. Beyond giving stimulants to counteract the effect of the shock the doctor found that his services were not required. The presence of mind of the mother had done everything necessary.

Howard, the five-year-old son of

Harry Stevens, met with a nasty accident yesterday. The little fellow and his sister were playing in the yard when the lad accidentally was struck by a hoe on the forehead. His scalp was badly cut and the wound required several stitches to sew it up. The little fellow was very brave while the physician was dressing the injury and never winced.

James, the seven-year-old son of Mr. Earhart, who works for Mr. McGeech, had a horrible experience yesterday. A sow was in the barnyard with a litter of pigs and the lad began to play with the little porkers. The mother became aroused and fiercely attacked the young intruder, knocking him down. The cries of the child attracted Mr. McGeech, who rescued him from the vicious attack of the brute.

The unfortunate child was brought to Dr. Duncan. He found that the hog had indeed made a frightful assault upon the lad and that it was a wonder he had escaped. The sow, infuriated by the interference with her offspring, had knocked the child down and seized his head in her mouth. The teeth had cut deep gashes on both sides of the forehead. The gash across the left temple reached to the bone. The pig had also inflicted ugly bites about the body.

The danger from the wound is great, as there is serious likelihood of septic poisoning resulting from the bite of any animal feeding on the food that a pig does.



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smile gone, moved them aside and the car was off again.

ANGRY MOB BROKE LOOSE.

All restraint in the great crowd broke. Through the middle of the street men ran with women and children mingling with the officers of the law, whose clubs were swinging and arms moving in vain, almost to keep people from danger. Men stooped to pick up stones and were overturned to be pushed and kicked by the others. Before the car had started two policemen boarded it. They simply made two extra targets for the stones and bricks. The car had not gone 50 feet before one's helmet was crushed and the other policeman was in danger of having more than his helmet damaged.

There was a perfect fusillade of stones. They came from all directions and crashed through windows, front, rear and sides of the car. The men aboard dodged and jumped from side to side to escape them and were successful with the exception of the motorist. A great jagged edged rock struck him full in the forehead and he dropped to the floor of the platform. It was a deep, ugly gash the rock left in the blood flowed from it in a stream. The unfortunate man dropped into a pool of his own blood that covered the entire platform.

The assistant, as soon as the man dropped, grasped the brakes and controlling handle and faced the mob. A few feet more and the car was upon an insurmountable barricade. With a sudden jerk it came to a stop and all aboard it were thrown forward, one of the conductors falling amongst a pile of broken glass to receive some ugly flesh wounds and cuts.

The conductors and one motorman joined the strikers and the wounded man was sent to the hospital. He said his name was Marshall and he lived at Green Point, L. I.

Five arrests were made and thus ended the first day's attempt to run cars.

**ALL NOT GOLD
THAT GLITTERS**

Correspondent Claims That Misleading Reports are Circulated About the Soo

Shult Ste. Marie, May 10.

To the Editor of The Planet: Dear Sir,—Allow me, through your paper, to correct an error I noticed in your issue of April 17, and signed by D. C. Fleming.

I would say in reply that I have very exaggerated notions of the Soo.

In regards to the steel plant, he states they turn out some 600 tons of steel rails daily. Now I pass the plant every morning and evening, so know what I am talking about. The foundation for the plant is just nicely started, and if they turn out that amount of steel now what will they when everything is in running order? And again he states that nearly all the men rent rooms and board at the hotel. I think I am quite safe in saying there are more people in the Soo who have no house to go to than there are boarding at the hotels. If there were not so many people writing to the papers about the Soo, who know nothing about it, there would not be so many men walking about the place with no money and looking for work, which they cannot find. Thanking you for your space, I am, Yours truly,

WM. DEECHAN.

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SAD STORY OF SHIPWRECK

Terrible Tale Told by Rescued Sailors at Singapore.

Men Adrift for Forty-Two Days Were Forced to eat Their Comrades' Flesh.

Victoria B. C., May 15.—The steamship Empress of India, which arrived this afternoon, brought a terrible tale of shipwreck and cannibalism which was recounted to the naval court at Singapore by Johansen, a Swede, and Martaranna, a Spaniard, sole survivors of nineteen men who sailed from Cavite on the bark Angola, October 12. They were cast ashore from their raft on South island, of the South Katana group, after 42 days of horror, and taken on board a junk two months later, which landed them at Singapore on April 13.

The Angola was wrecked on a coral reef when six days out from Manila and went to pieces soon after she struck. The boats were smashed and the crew made two rafts out of the wreckage. They had been twenty-two days at sea when one man died and then one by one the other sailors died and their bodies were thrown to the sharks which followed.

A Frenchman went mad and attacked the captain with an axe and when the mate went to the captain's assistance he killed him with an axe and drank his blood and ate his brains. The others killed the Frenchman and ate part of his body. Then one by one the survivors died until but two were left, who survived on small fish taken with hooked nails and lines made of pieces of canvas.

They drifted about until, after 42 days of terrible suffering, they were washed ashore on the island of Soubi, on November 24. By that time their bodies were covered with large boils and they were so weak that they could not walk, but had to crawl on their hands and knees. There were about 200 natives on the island. The men went up to the chief's house and lived there for about two months. They had only currants, mangoes and little fish to eat.

After living there about two months, a Chinese junk arrived from Singapore with a cargo of rice, and the survivors went on board her. They stopped on the junk for two months, and then went on in her to Pulo Madi and thence to Singapore.



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