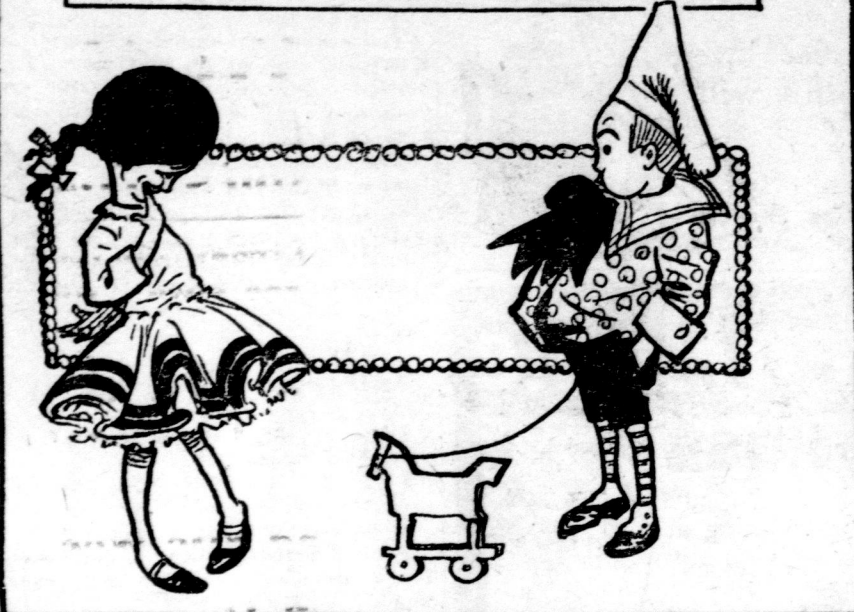


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MIXED-WORD PUZZLE

PAHOE BARONE



These little children have combined their names in the above panel. Can you remove the boy's name and leave that of his little sweetheart?

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By Fergus Hume

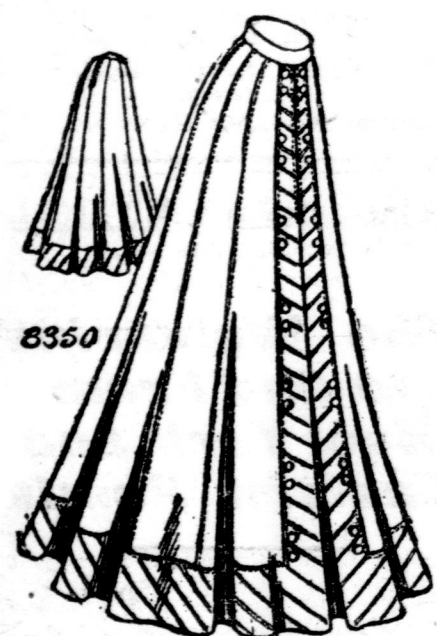
"Don't say too much," she remarked in a low voice. "Even this safe may not be strong enough to withstand a burglar of the new school."

"Well, I don't care," cried the stockbroker recklessly, inserting his key into the lock; "my jewels are insured. Come, ladies, you can all feast your eyes, and—as I have bought the gems to sell them again—I am open to an offer."

He said this jokingly, yet meant to sell if he could. Some of his guests drew back rather annoyed, as they thought that Mr. Tait was going too far in importing city manners into his house party. Maud, however, watchful, again whispered to her uncle, but he shook her off, and entered the strong-room—now open to bring out the jewels. When the box which contained them was placed on a near table, and the contents were displayed, all thought of Tait's bad manners disappeared.

Advertiser Patterns

DESIGNED BY MARTHA DEAN.



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One of the most becoming styles in skirts is that having a panel effect in front. It suggests height and slenderness of waist, and with breadth at the lower edge, gives a pretty flare. The model here shown shows the panel with inverted plait. Striped and plain woolen was combined in this instance. The pattern is cut in five sizes—22, 24, 26, 28 and 30 inches waist measure. It requires 4½ yards of double-width material for the 24-inch size.

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with, and perhaps Maud might act as the malignant fairy; but somehow the marriage would be brought about, and in some way sufficient money would be provided, so that the prince and princess could live happily ever after. Lesbia would not have thought in this comfortable fashion in the face of such obstacles as barred the way to the altar; but then she was much more practical than her lover, in spite of the fact that she dwelt in seclusion, while he battled in the work-a-day world.

And then, as George fondly imagined he had discovered a few hours previously, Maud Ella was not the wicked fairy after all. Rather was she about to play the agreeable part of the fairy godmother, and bring together two lovers parted by adverse circumstances.

When Maud afterwards thought of the trust George placed in her she wondered at his folly, and had a contempt for his honorable nature, that could estimate human nature so highly. But George never doubted for one moment but that the appointment was made in all good faith, and for the express purpose of helping himself and Lesbia. He therefore waited impatiently for the striking of the clock. Only once did it cross his mind as odd that Maud should choose that hour and that meeting place to forward his love suit, since she could easily have spoken to him in a respectable locality and at a respectable hour in the morning. But he brushed this thought aside as unworthy of her kind heart, and when the hour of three chimed out he opened his door softly and slipped out to keep his appointment.

George had started so frequently at the Henley mansion that he knew his way to the picture gallery exceedingly well. Also, it was Mr. Tait's hobby to have the corridors and many of the rooms lighted all night in a subdued manner. It prevented burglary, he declared, and certainly the sight of an illuminated house would daunt those who prefer to work in darkness or only by the light of a bullseye.

George therefore found himself in a soft glow when he emerged from the bedroom and stole on tiptoe towards the head of the stairs. Here he descended and took his way towards the back of the house to the picture gallery. This portion of the great mansion was not lit at all. But as he walked, seeing what Mr. Tait said about the lighting scaring burglars, and seeing also that the safe was placed here. But whatever was the broker's whim, George found the long gallery in darkness, and as he entered by a door placed in the middle of it, he halted there doubtfully. He could see no light save what filtered through the skylights, and did not know where Maud waited for him. At the far end of the gallery were double glass doors leading down steps into the garden. These were usually shuttered at night, but George noticed with some surprise by the gleam of starlight which came through them that on this special night the shutters had not been put up. This was strange, considering the gallery which were concealed in the safe; but then, as the young man reflected, it was also strange that Tait should place his treasure house at the other end of the gimcrack gallery, which could be so easily broken into. But as he walked on the authority of Poe's tale of the "Purloined Letter," the more unlikely a place in which valuables are hidden the safer they are. Not one of the London fraternity of thieves would believe that the wary stockbroker would be so foolish as to place his safe or strong-room or treasure-house, or whatever he liked to call it, in such a locality. Therefore no creature of the night would come to rob. There was considerable method in Tait's apparent madness, after all.

But George had scanty time for such reflections, as the hours were swiftly moving towards dawn, and he yet had to converse with Maud. His eyes grew accustomed to the semi-darkness of the gallery, and he glanced up and down to see if he could spy the dark form of the girl. At this moment he heard the clink of metal upon metal. The sound came from the direction of the strong-room, and as he turned his gaze thence, he suddenly saw a vivid stream of light, proceeding apparently from a bullseye. In a flash it struck him that the strong-room was being burgled, and he almost without thinking he uttered a loud cry and sprang forward to lay hands on the thieves.

The light disappeared as he raced up, and when within measurable distance of the safe he stumbled over a body, motionless on the floor. It was that of a woman, as Walter could tell by the draperies he mechanically clutched in his fall. Before he could pick himself up two dark forms dashed past him toward the glass doors. Walter, anxious only to lay hands on the thieves, rushed into the gallery, and as he turned his gaze thence, he suddenly saw a vivid stream of light, proceeding apparently from a bullseye. In a flash it struck him that the strong-room was being burgled, and he almost without thinking he uttered a loud cry and sprang forward to lay hands on the thieves.

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George was indifferent to the gems, as he thought that Lesbia's eyes were brighter and much more beautiful. He was playing his board, and retired to his very comfortable bedroom which Miss Ellis's care had provided. As a mere clerk he should not have had such luxurious surroundings, or, indeed, have been in a splendid house at all; but he loved him, and could not do enough for him. Therefore George was housed like a king, and, after the manner of youth, took his comforts easily. It never occurred to him that in his humdrum position he had no right to be pampered and petted. By right of good looks and delightful manners, he had hitherto gone through the world very much spoiled by the fair sex. He therefore took everything as his right.

While waiting for three to strike from the stable clock—it was now two—he seated himself before the fire, and lighting a pipe, gave himself up to dreams of Lesbia. In one way or another he was determined to make her his wife, but it was difficult to see how he proposed to keep her on his small salary, particularly when much of that same salary was required to support his mother.

But that George indulged in the rosy dreams of youth and had such a profound belief in the kindness of fortune, he would have dismissed his proposed marriage as an impossibility. He was against it, and so was Sargent; his mother did not approve of the marriage; and there was Maud Ella to be considered. A more hopeful man would have been despondent, but not so George. He felt sure that everything would come right; and that life was a fairy tale in which the fated prince—who was himself—carried off the lovely princess—who, of course, was Lesbia. And she was in an enchanted castle—so he glorified Rose Cottage—watched by two dragons—Canning and Mrs. Pretty—but helped also by a faithful dwarf, by name Tim Burke. Finally, there was Mr. Hale, as the wicked magician to be reckoned

To Be Continued.



Nos. 5223 and 5584—With the approach of the holiday season, the thoughts of the children naturally turn to Christmas, and what Santa Claus has in store for them. An acceptable gift that all the little folks will appreciate can easily be made at home after the above designs. The little ones soon tire of the most expensive playthings, but these home-made toys will be a source of endless delight. They are indestructible, and so cunning and lifelike that "Grandma" and "Aunties" will feel well repaid for the time spent in their making. There is nothing that will please the baby more than these animals, the monkey especially can be made to assume the most natural attitudes, and the rabbit is just as cute as the real live "bunny." The expense is very slight, just a yard or so of cotton flannel, a bit of bright red cloth for the elephant's blanket, and some right colored stuff for the monkey's jacket and cap. A small remnant of Turkish towelling makes a very realistic-looking sheep, or elderdown will do equally as well. The dog and pig are easily made from pieces of cotton flannel. A piece of wire wound with cotton is used for the monkey's tail. Sticks inserted in the legs of the elephant give extra firmness. The outline of the features is a very simple matter, the mouth is indicated by black thread, and shoe buttons are used for eyes. A white celluloid hairpin or bone crochet needle will serve admirably for the elephant's tusks. The two animal sets here illustrated, each consisting of three complete patterns, with full directions for making and buying of material, will be mailed to any address upon the receipt of fifteen cents for each set, or both sets for twenty-five cents.

SHOOTS DOWN NEW YORK P. M.

Stenographer Attempts to Slay Edward Morgan and Takes His Own Life.

New York, Nov. 9. — Postmaster Edward M. Morgan, of this city, was shot down in the street car as he was leaving his house in West One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, for the post-office, this morning, by Eric H. B. Mackey, a stenographer employed by a downtown law firm, who then shot and instantly killed himself. The single bullet which struck Mr. Morgan entered the right side of the abdomen and passed out at the left side without penetrating the wall. There was no internal bleeding, but every likelihood

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"One day a friend came to see me, and calling me by name, said, 'Lizzie, if I were you I would try a dose of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills as they are good for heart trouble.' My husband told me a box, but for two days I was not feeling any better, but on the fourth day my husband said, 'I believe those pills are doing you good.' I was able to say, 'Yes, I feel a good deal better this morning.' He said, 'Well, I will get you another box right away.' I took two boxes and three doses out of the third one, and I was perfectly well and have not been sick since then."

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that the wounded man would recover in a short time.

The only excuse known for the shooting was that Mackey had complained to the authorities at the post-office in Washington that his mail had been tampered with, and that someone turned out an electric light when he was reading it in the corridor of the postoffice. Mackey had received a reply that there was no evidence of tampering with his mail, and that the incident of the electric light was an accident. Mackey's employers, the firm of Hunt, Hill & Betts, declared they could account for the tragedy only by the theory that Mackey was insane. Besides a revolver it was found that Mackey carried a dagger and a slingshot.

BLOODY BIRMINGHAM

Twelve Men Killed in Gun Fights Within Last Twelve Days.

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 9. — With the killing last night of John Henry Adams, a negro, by Policeman Smith, twelve men have met death in Birmingham by pistols within the past eight days. In addition to the quadruple tragedy last night, a number of other violent affairs have been reported in the city and suburbs yesterday. Joe Red was shot and killed through a window in a dance hall last night in Ensley, just after he had finished dancing with another man's "party." Edward St. Claire was held up by an unknown highwayman in Bessemer late last night, and when he attempted to run the highwayman fired upon him, inflicting a dangerous wound. Sam Usen, a Bulgarian, was found dead in a pool of blood at his home in Ensley this morning. Louis Smith was placed in jail at Ensley yesterday for hitting another man in the head with a rock, and robbing him, late Saturday night.

CASTRO FOR 1911

Movement in Venezuela to Once More Make Him President.

Caracas, Venezuela, Thursday, Nov. 5, via Willemstad, Curacao, Nov. 9. — The movement in Venezuela to make it possible for President Castro to continue in office for another term after 1911, when his present term expires, is growing. It was first officially recorded at La Victoria on Oct. 22, when a demand was made for the amending of article 127 of the constitution, in such a manner as to make it possible for Castro to continue in office. On Oct. 28 the municipality of Caracas, and a

great many other cities and towns passed resolutions addressed to Congress to the same end.

The Hague, Nov. 9. — The reply of President Castro of Venezuela to the second note of the Netherlands has been received here. There will be several meetings of the cabinet to discuss the communication before any definite decision is reached regarding a future course of action.

LORDS MAYOR SHOWS HISTORICAL PAGENT

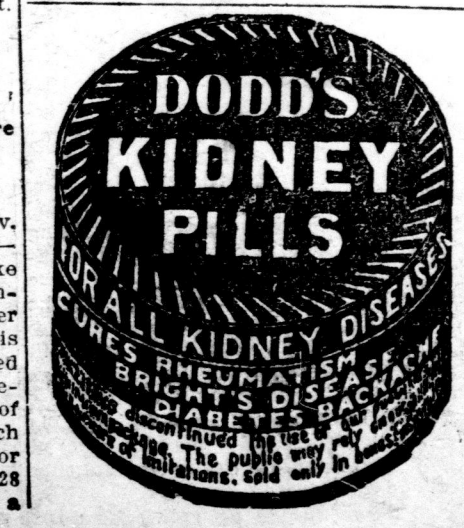
New and Novel Way of Installing Old London's New Mayor.

London, Nov. 9. — The lord mayor's show today, celebrating the installation of Sir George Truscott in succession to Sir John Charles Bell, was a more dignified and interesting spectacle than usual. Of late years the ceremony had become a mere circus procession. The principal feature today was the historical pageant, organized by Louis N. Parker, the dramatist, poets and musicians from Chaucer to Milton, and many of the notable figures of those times, appeared in the parade, costumed with historical accuracy. Shakespeare was naturally most conspicuous, and was accompanied by a picturesque entourage of characters from his plays. These historical pageants will be continued progressively in future shows.

BOSTON BROKERS ASSIGN.

Boston, Nov. 9. — The assignment of Burnham, Bennett & Co., members of the Boston stock exchange, was announced at the opening of the board today. The assignment was made to Guy W. Cox, of the law firm of Butler, Cox, Murchie & Bacon.

No statement of the firm's liabilities was made in connection with the announcement of the assignment.



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