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PRINCESS PASSENGER IN RUNAWAY BALLOON

Royal Italian Woman is an Enthusiastic Aeronaut and Athlete.

Ascends Far Into the Heavens to Witness London Sunrise.

LONDON, March 18.—One of the most ardent followers of ballooning is the young and beautiful Princess Catiand di Teano, of Italy. Born Donna Vittoria Colonna, she is partly of English parentage, her mother is the only child of the late Lady Walsingham by her second husband, the Duke of San Teodoro.

Donna Teresa Caracciolo, as this young lady was called, married when very young the Duke of Marino, now Prince Marc Antonio Colonna, the head of an ancient historic house.

FAR UP TO SEE SUN RISE. The princess tells of one ascent made last midsummer to see the sun rise, which rather fell short of her expectations because she could not keep awake to watch the dawn as seen from a great height. But as all the party of four were in the full swing of a London season and its late hours, it is not surprising to hear that the ladies immediately made themselves as comfortable as they could on the bags

of ballast and went sound asleep. Whether the dawn came "like thunder out of the China Sea" or not she did not say; but rather dwell on the ease and precision with which the descent was made within reachable distance of a farmhouse, out of the kitchen chimney of which smoke could be seen.

ONE HARD EXPERIENCE.

There has been, however, one alarming experience in the Princess' aerial trips, which caused great anxiety to her friends at the time. It was at the end of last September and the day after the famous balloon trials of races which started from Paris that the Princess, another lady, Lord Royston and Jacques, the famous professional aeronaut, ascended late in the afternoon with a hurricane blowing. The inky darkness and deluges of rain, as well as the tremendous speed with which they drove along—eighty miles an hour—soon swallowed up all landmarks and bearings, and for four hours they sailed on the wings of the wind, without having the least idea as to what direction they were being borne. As may well be imagined, the two members of the party kept a sharp lookout and presently Lord Royston's yachting experience enabled him to call out that a light which suddenly glimmered beneath them must be a lighthouse.

They were then only 150 feet above the ground, and without a moment's hesitation Jacques pulled the rippling line and so caused the balloon to collapse at once, taking the chance of a sudden and even violent descent to earth instead of the risk of being carried out to sea. The descent was both violent and sudden, but fortunately it ended in a mild and softer even than usual by reason of the deluges of rain, and the sea was only 100 yards off, so there had indeed been no time to lose.

At last they discovered they were on the coast of Holland, and even after they had struggled back to means of transit it took them twenty-four hours of ceaseless travel by boat and train to

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TO LET.

ROOM TO LET, with or without board. Apply 49, Sewell street, 12-3-4.

TO LET—Shop, 7 Haymarket Square. Inquire on premises. 12-3-4.

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TO LET—183 Guildford street, lower flat six rooms, or upper flat nine rooms. Apply Mrs. YOUNG, up nine rooms, patent closets. Apply Mrs. Young, upstairs, or F. E. DEMILL, Bay Shore. 12-3-4.

TO LET—One flat of 4 rooms, situated at 49, corner Sydney and Sheffield streets. Rent reasonable. Enquire on premises. 12-3-4.

TO LET—Store from May 1st. Store 609 Main street. Apply 143 Union. 12-3-4.

TO LET—Shop 68 Pitt street. Suitable for shoe-making or laundry. 12-3-4.

TO LET—Upper flat, off Douglas avenue. Apply 431 Main St. 12-3-4.

TO LET—One flat with seven rooms, modern improvements. Apply to William Humphreys, 118 St. James street. 12-3-4.

STORE TO RENT—New occupied by McLarnon Belling Co., 109 Prince William street. For particulars apply to F. J. LYNCH, 141 Paradise Row. 27-2-4.

TO LET—On Dorchester street, self-contained house, 15 Dorchester street. Apply 115 Charlotte street. Can be seen Thursdays. 22-2-4.

SHOP TO LET—At 109 Main street. Enquire J. E. COWAN, 99 Main street. 12-3-4.

SHOP FOR SALE OR TO LET—Small freehold property, 280 Prince William street. G. S. FISHER & CO. 12-3-4.

TO LET—Three flats and shop on the corner of St. James and Charlotte streets. Flats can be seen on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons. Apply to DANIEL MULLIN, Fugatey Buildings. 12-3-4.

TO LET, at Croucheville, that pleasant and conveniently situated cottage (second house from Kane's corner). Owned by J. H. Magee and occupied for some years by the Rev. H. D. Marr. Nine rooms and clothes closet. Stable and barn pasture. Rent moderate. Apply to RICHARD G. MAGEE or F. W. BLIZZARD. 11-2-4.

STORES TO LET—Large well lighted stores, 93 and 95 Gormain street, with or without floors above and below. Apply to FRED FISHER. 2-2-4.

TO LET—At 23 Paddock street, from May 1st, upper flat—ten rooms—bath room, hot and cold water. Can be seen Wednesday and Friday, 2:30 to 5:30 p. m. Enquire of S. M. WETMORE, Ferry Building, Water St. 25-2-4.

TO LET—Large barn in rear 210 Waterloo street, formerly occupied by Sands' Express. J. E. WILSON, 17 Sydney. 12-3-4.

TO LET—Flat of nine rooms, modern improvements. Inquire at 79 Hazen street. R. E. HOLMES. 2-2-4.

TO LET—May 1st, cottage, corner of Sealey and Spruce streets, near Horticultural Garden gate. New plumbing. Apply G. ERNEST FAIRWEATHER, 84 Gormain street. 2-2-4.

TO LET—Two small self-contained houses, 351 Haymarket Square. 9-10-4.

WHAT WORDS CAN DO.

"Any one who swears," declared the bishop of Carlisle, "manifests the beggarliness of his vocabulary." The Concord Patriot puts it in this fashion: "People swear because they do not know the possibilities of plain English or have not the skill to manipulate it so that it will yield the amount of fire they want. You can do almost anything with common words. No matter how tame and lifeless they look standing in stupid rows as if they didn't know enough to come in when it rained, they can be made to dance like imps, to frolic like fairies, to float angelic on light wings, to glow like fire spirits. They can do things that make the ordinary bits of profanity look like feeble scarecrows stiffened up with a fence stake. The cure for profanity—reformers and educators please make a note—is merely wit enough to handle your words so that swearing will seem like baby talk in comparison."

CINCINNATI, O., March 18.—Two persons were killed and ten injured by the collapse of a three story brick building tonight at the corner of Front and Plum streets, which has been surrounded by the Ohio River flood for several days. The building was occupied by several Italian families, middle aged women and her three year old child were instantly killed. The building was surrounded by ten feet of water which weakened the walls and caused the collapse.

PARIS, March 18.—The Echo De Paris publishes a despatch from Konakry, capital of French Guinea, West Africa, saying that a French column suffered a serious reverse in Upper Guinea while attacking the Thomas tribesmen. Seven French officers were badly wounded and eight sharpshooters were killed and twenty-five were wounded.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

FOR SALE—Two story house, 157 Victoria street. Inquire on premises. 12-3-4.

FOR SALE—Farm, 45 acres, Gondola Point Road, near Armstrong's siding and boat. Fine house, furnace heated, water in kitchen. R. G. MURRAY, 49 Canterbury street, 12-3-4.

FOR SALE—A Turkish Sofa, rose wood finish, will sell half price. Also dining room table. Address A. J. care Star office. 12-3-4.

FOR SALE—Horse, double seated carriage and harness. Apply Star office for information. 12-3-4.

WANTED—Old mahogany furniture. Will give highest cash prices. W. A. KAIN, 115 Gormain street. 12-3-4.

FOR SALE—A great variety of cheap wall paper at McGrath's Toy and Furniture Store. Near Wilson's Foundry, Brussels street. From bedstead wanted. 12-3-4.

WANTED—Parties having old mahogany furniture to sell. Address FURNITURE, care of the Star Office. 12-3-4.

FOR SALE—At Duval's Umbrella Shop, self-opening Umbrellas, 80c. up; ordinary, 50c. up. L. S. Cane. We use no other in our chair-seating. Perforated seats, shaped squares, Light, Dark Umbrella recovering and repairing, 17 Waterloo street. 12-3-4.

FOR SALE—About twenty new and second-hand delivery Wagons, 2 coaches and 2 horses, carriages, different styles, ready for use, glass front coach, new trimmings, well painted, a first class coach very cheap; also three outboard carriages; best place in the city for painting and greatest facilities for carriage repairs. G. EDGE COMBE, 115 and 119 City Road. 12-3-4.

GASOLINE ENGINES—The Toronto Gas & Gasoline Engine Company, having in connection with The Dominion Works of Chatham, Ont., makers of the Defence Marine Engines, and now known under the name of The Canadian Gas Powers & Launches Ltd., are in a position to fill orders for stationary, portable and marine engines. Stationary engines for rough mixers, cement mixers, grain grinding, threshing and other uses. Parties wishing to purchase a Marine Engine will please call and inspect our Solid Brass Engines, especially adapted for salt water, at 67 Water street, St. John, N. B. —CANADIAN GAS POWERS & LAUNCHES, LIMITED.

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FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET, 48 Horfield street. 12-3-4.

BOARDING—Room with board at 59 Elliott street. 12-3-4.

TO LET—Furnished rooms at 77-79 Waterloo street for light housekeeping at very moderate rates. 22-3-4.

BOARDING—GUILD HOUSE. First class board can be obtained by day or week. Apply at 10 and 12 Charles street. 2-2-4.

SCHOOL BOARD KEEPS RECORD OF SPANKINGS

Names of Paddles-Users and Paddles Reported on Weekly

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., March 18.—Says a novel record among the other school memoranda in the shape of reports on the number of children spanked during the week, the reasons for punishment, the names of the spanker and spankee and of a witness to the ceremony.

This record is kept as the result of a resolution adopted a number of years ago, which provided that when a child has committed some offense that merits corporal punishment, another teacher shall be called as a witness while the offending teacher administers the chastisement. The resolutions also provides that a full record of such disciplinary measures shall be kept and placed on file with the secretary of the Board of Directors.

Under these circumstances it ought to be a comparatively easy thing in years hence, when any of these Says boys has achieved greatness, to turn back to the records of early school days and ascertain the character of his behavior then.

If all School Boards were to keep such records they might form the basis of an interesting set of statistics, showing whether bad boys always turn out to be good men and good boys to be of no account in later years.

BOSTON, March 18.—Falling in his first attempt to commit suicide by being restrained from jumping off the steamship Anglian, lying at the Hoosac Tunnel docks, Charlestown, today, Frank Hobbs, a printer, succeeded in killing himself about half an hour later by diving under a moving train on the adjoining pier.

The wheels of the train decapitated the man. Hobbs was 32 years old.

HOUSEHOLD HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A woman to go to the country in a small family. Good home. Hot and cold water in house. Apply at once. MISS HANSON'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 133 Charlotte street. 12-3-4.

WANTED—Reliable girl for general housework. Must be good cook. Good references required. Best wages paid. Apply 195 Waterloo street, Ring left hand bell. 12-3-4.

WANTED—Pantry Girl. VICTORIA HOTEL. 12-3-4.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. No washing or ironing. Good wages. MRS. J. WILLARD SMITH, 175 King street, east. 12-3-4.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. References required. Apply MRS. R. W. TILTON, 256 Gormain. 12-3-4.

WANTED—Respectable girl for general housework. Good wages. Apply 223 King street. 12-3-4.

WANTED—Capable girl for general housework. Small family. Good wages. References required. Apply 15-3-4.

WANTED—Maid for general housework. No washing. Must understand cooking. Apply with references at 88 Orange street. 12-3-4.

WANTED—At Clifton House, one dining room girl. 12-3-4.

WANTED—A cook. Apply MISS STONE, 171 Gormain St. 12-3-4.

WANTED—Girl wanted for general housework. Apply at once to MRS. G. W. CAMPBELL, 29 Leinster St. 12-3-4.

WANTED—Capable house maid before March 20th. Apply 33 Queen Square. 12-3-4.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 255 Gormain street. 12-3-4.

WANTED—Maid for general housework, in family of three. Must understand plain cooking. References required. Apply 104 Carmarthen street. 2-3-4.

WANTED—At HOTEL EDWARD. Dining Room Help at once. 22-2-4.

MEN AND BOYS WANTED.

WANTED—Room and board by young gentleman. Apply G. M. care Star Office. 12-3-4.

PRINTER WANTED—A young man with a year or two experience at press work. Good pay. Apply between 7 and 8 o'clock, at 108 Union street. Also young lady compositor wanted. W. H. UNDERHILL. 12-3-4.

WANTED—Young man 18 or 20 years, willing to work nights. References. J. ALLAN TURNER. 10-3-4.

WANTED—Boy wanted, LEBARON WILSON & CO., 68 Gormain street. 12-3-4.

WANTED—Junior clerk, one with some knowledge of clothing or boots and shoes preferred. Apply to C. B. PIDGEON, Cor. Main and Bridge streets, N. B. 12-3-4.

BOYS WANTED—Who have the desire to learn the dry goods business. To come at once. F. W. DANIEL, Co., Charlotte St. 12-3-4.

WANTED—Paint makers, steady employment, highest wages. First-class hands. C. B. PIDGEON, corner Main and Bridge streets. 12-3-4.

WANTED—Young man having two or three years' experience at type setting. Apply SUN PRINTING CO., LTD. 12-3-4.

WANTED—A man with good business experience, wanted a partnership in an established manufacturing or wholesale business. Can furnish capital. Apply to "PARTNER", P. O. Box 17, Saint John, N. B. 12-3-4.

Wanted at Once

1,000 Laborers for Railroad Construction. Must pay transportation to Winnipeg. 1 First Class Painter, 1 Hotel Waitress. Apply to D. J. McRAE, Globe Building, St. John, N. B. 12-3-4.

A BLUFF WITH A CORK LEG. "Cork legs are not bad in their way," said the man who had one. "Some people are rather sensitive about theirs, but I'm not. I even have a little fun with it sometimes. I was in the smoker of a railroad train the other day talking with three other men while we puffed away at our cigars when the conversation turned on socialism. Every man had an incident to relate about some acquaintance's remark that he was a socialist. One man, however, above the knee, at the same time smiling pleasantly. One man faltered, another became deathly pale, and the third got up and hastily left the car." —New York Press.

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As there is no standard shape of face and figure, so no shape of hat will suit all men. That is only one reason why we have in stock HATS of all the different shapes, styles, grades and prices.

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A. FITZGERALD, 25 Dock street, Boots, Shoes and Rubbers repaired. Also a full line of Men's Boots and Shoes at reasonable prices. Rubber heels attached, 50c.

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WANTED—A neat appearing girl for confectionery store. Address S. W. S. care Star. 12-3-4.

WANTED—Girls to sew by hand. Good wages paid. Steady work. Apply at once. J. SHANE & CO., 71 Gormain street. 26-10-4.

IF YOU WANT male or female help or a better situation in St. John or Boston, try GRANT'S Employment Agency, 69 St. James street, West side.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 18.—Henry A. Tillingham, a well known and prominent business and club man of this city committed suicide at his home 211 Hope street, this afternoon, by shooting. Despondency and illness are the causes assigned for the act. He leaves a wife and two children. He was the secretary and treasurer of the Textile Finishing Machine Co., and was a member of the Hope University, Agawam, Hunting Squantum Clubs and of the board of trade.

To cure Headache in ten minutes use Kuntorf Headache Powders, 10 cents.

ARTICLES LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—A gold locket and chain, between Adelaide Road and High street, monogram H. P. W. Finder please leave at 110 Adelaide street. 12-3-4.

LOST—A pair of antiques prayer beads Sunday night. Please return to 29 Elliott Row. 12-3-4.

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BY AUCTION.

I am instructed by Messrs. Megarity & Kelley to sell by auction at their store, Haymarket square, Monday morning, March 25, at 10 o'clock, 5 Horses, Driving Express and Sloop Harness, 1 R. T. Open Carriage, 1 Basket Phaeton, 2 Express Wagons, 1 Sloop, 1 Grocery Pump, 1 Sleigh, Block and Tackle, Forks, Shovels and Blankets, 1 Computing Counter Scales, 1 Platform Scale, 1 Safe, Counter Scales, Cheese Case, 5 Bx. Cheese, 1 Cask Raw Oil, 2 Casks Molasses, 29 Cases Ginned Goods, 15 Bx. Soap, 5 Bags Glass Seed, Case Assorted Whips, 15 Bags Onions, Show Cases, Stoves, Fixtures and a large assortment of fresh and up-to-date groceries, Haying Utensils, Rakes, Forks, etc.

WALTER S. POTTS, Office North Market street. 12-3-4.

FLATS AND HOUSES WANTED.

WANTED—Upper flat of 5 or 6 rooms, modern improvements, for family of three adults. State location and price. Address FLAT, care Star Office. 4-2-4.

REAL ESTATE.

TENEMENT HOUSES for sale and to let. Apply J. W. MORRISON, Ritchie Bldg., 29 Princess street. Ring 1643.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

STENOGRAPHER AND TYPE-WRITER, with six years' experience, wants trustworthy position. Apply "TYPIST," care Star Office.