



Strongarm's Hard Fought Battle

Once upon a time there lived a very brave knight named Strongarm. He was the best wrestler in the whole country, for nobody could throw him. "I am the strongest," he declared, and the people all said "Yes," but one old man shook his head. "Nay," he said, "there lives one who boasts a greater strength than yours, proud knight."

"I know him well, Sir Knight. I am he." This time Strongarm laughed. "This passes jest," he said. "Why, I could toss you as I could a baby, had I but the time. Now I must pass on." "Nay, not yet," begged the boy with his brightest smile. "Come, see what I can do."

coveries, has this caution against the ice-cream peddler who is now abroad in the city streets: "The ice-cream season is at hand, and the street vender is doing a thriving business among school children and street urchins. Few people realize what a menace to health is found in the sale of this delicacy. Medical authorities are beginning to realize that it is an important factor in the spread of disease. A number of cases have recently been observed in which symptoms of irritant poisoning and even death were the result of eating ice cream bought of street peddlers."

keep a sediment of dust if they be woolen, and will surely sift some of the deposit upon the garments nearest them. That is the reason why light silk or muslin gown is often mysteriously soiled while in a trunk. The dust comes, not from without, as is supposed, but from within. Don't try to carry books or heavy pictures in a trunk. Send them by freight or leave them behind for a few months.

Having "carpeted" your trunk well with your heaviest clothing and covered this with tissue paper, you should place the medium weight clothing next above. Your light woollens and heavier silks have their place here. Happy is the woman who has a trunk long enough to admit of her placing her skirts full length in it, for a skirt can bear much folding from side to side, though but little from top to bottom, or vice versa. The creases from the one fall naturally into the lines of the skirt, but those from the other are contrary to, and there is no real excuse for them.

In fact, the less folding done, the better. If your skirts are narrow enough and your trunk wide enough to lay them from side to side, so much is gained. Between every separate fold of the skirt and daintily placed among the founces and lace there should be one or more layers of the tissue paper. Never turn a skirt wrong side out. The daintier the material the more surely will it lose its freshness if you do.

Cover the second or medium layer of clothes, this also arranged so that the surface is absolutely smooth, with the paper, and you are ready for your gossamer trifles of gowns if you have any. These should be packed, as I have said, at the very top, next the tray. This is the place for your crepe de chine, chiffons, and silk muslins.—By Gertrude Quintan.

He Must Go Back. New York, June 27.—The district attorney of this county has received a telegram from Columbus, Ohio, saying that Governor Nash has signed extradition papers, at the request of Governor Odell, for the apprehension of William H. Hahn, former vice president of the insolvent Manhattan Fire Insurance Company, who has been indicted for grand larceny.

Art in Packing a Trunk. You can save hundreds of dollars a year on your wardrobe by knowing how to pack your trunk. There is nothing to which the proverb, "There are two ways of doing everything, the good and the bad," applies more than trunk packing. Delicate gowns can be ruined by a day's travel, if poorly packed, or they can be as fresh as new after six months of frequent packing and unpacking if the owner knows how to prepare them for travel.

Increase is Shown. New York, July 2.—A statement of net earnings of the United States Steel Corporation for the quarter ending June 30 has been issued. Earnings for April last were \$12,320,766; for May, \$13,120,930, and for June, estimated, \$12,250,000, making a total of \$37,691,696 against \$26,362,000 for the same period last year. This statement shows an increase of net earnings for the quarter of \$11,329,696.

Suit to Break a Will. Chicago, July 2.—A suit to set aside the will of John M. Williams, of Evanston, who died on March 9, 1901, at Mountain View, Cal., leaving \$2,000,000, has been begun in the circuit court by his widow, Annie D. Williams, and his son, Alan H. Williams, on the ground that John M. Williams, at the time of executing the will, was not of sound mind and memory.

ROAD WORK TO BEGIN

Large Force Goes on Str. Prospector

Men and Boilers to Go to Grant's Concession on Stewart River.

Monday night the dauntless little steamer Prospector will sail from Dawson on her regular Stewart river trip with the banner cargo of passengers and freight of the season. She will carry to Independence creek on the Stewart, at which point the government road from Dawson to Whitehorse will cross the Stewart, sixty men who will be employed on that road. Outfits, tools and provisions for the party will also be items of the steamer's cargo.

Portland Boy a Hero. Portland, July 2.—Bravery and presence of mind on the part of a year-old Michael Cohn saved his mother and four little brothers from being cremated this morning in a fire which destroyed the dwelling of the family, at Hall and Fifth streets. Young Cohn went into the room, which was filled with smoke and flames, and dragged out his unconscious mother and then returned carrying a lighted lamp. The mother immediately took fire and was destroyed. Young Cohn, who rushed to the assistance of his mother and the brothers, succeeded in rescuing them all.

Freak Given a Name. New York, July 2.—It has been decided that the strange fish just received at the Battery park aquarium from Bermuda is a specimen of the channomuraena vitata, or strange channomuraena, first discovered in 1844, and part snake and yet fish. More than 10,000 persons viewed the marine freak during its first day of exhibition.

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Ellen Terry. Henry Irving and Ellen Terry separated forever. The greatest Shylock has lost his Portia. At the end of two at a most inauspicious Terry has chosen to Irving yoke. The revival of "Faust" by Cissy Loftus, the younger than the great and replace her in the theatre-goers. Her Marguerite has Alone, superb in spirit three-years, Henry Irving's could not "Faust" has been with in honor of the great actor has a prodigious and sumptuous and sumptuous. The Merchant of Venice. The young one from the young, as Bassanio. But the question is, Portia? At the same time of the coronation announces an performance of "The Merchant of Venice." At the head of the cast name of Ellen Terry. Ellen Terry in a production at a rival theatre manager! The theatrical world is the first time in years that she has appeared under any management of Henry Irving. Not even the fact that it is to be played to whom Ellen Terry has for many years. She will act only is predicted that have his hands in Irving's are chiefly empty. Leading ladies meet the doors of the drama-Potter has been possible Portia. Mrs. Langtry has been elsewhere has been these are all rumors. Since the theatrical world. Some years ago Ellen Terry threatened to desert Irving, who by the most artistic stage settings, useful, craft, by the study has helped the world that is in a buzzed some four gossip that Henry Terry in health and reverses, was the latest drawing card. After a storm of union it was announced that Ellen Terry would a great actor to America. A triumphal tour would poured into the Irving combination. He recovered health and act had never suffered. An incident of that recording. Ellen Terry and the company to New York. "Robespierre" without seats and the house was. No one has ever dis the Irving combination drawing card. No one has ever to the great actor development of her Henry Irving advantage. Terry's presence is more necessary than has been called his tremendous popularity through active role and the inevitable time. The London Tree and London's favorite are Irving's. When London is the theatrical scene the office receipts show the festivities, which is putting forth his Wives of Windsor combination and Ellen Terry. After twenty-three years has joined the "trying sharp" here, "like a at his heart. The great English theatre late Queen capped by conferring upon the dear friend an lifetime of art," as always called by