# SPORTING NEWS

## JACK GRAY WILL NOT PLAY AGAINST ARGOS.

His Ankle Is In Bad Condition as the Result of a Twist in Saturday's Game Tope and Lyon Will Line Up Against Argonauts.

ankle, it is not likely that Jack Gray will be able to play against the Argonauts in Toronto next Saturday. The injured member was badly twisted in the thawa-Tiger game, and since Saturday the big wingman has been using a cane. He has not been out to practice, and will likely rest up for the play-off. The team had a great practice yesterday af-ternoon, the players and all the spares ternoon, the players and all the spares being out. Bramer will be put in Gray's place on the wingline, and Bethune will go in to fill up the scrimmage. Davey Tope is fast rounding into shape and should be in the best of condtion for the Argo game. Both he and Don Lyon will be played, as it is necessary for them to play in one of the regular schedule games to qualify for the play-off and tinals.

There will be a big change in the Tigers' back division for this game as Art Moore may not play, and Simpson may rest up for the game with Ottawa. Tope will play full back, and the half back line may be made up of George Smith, Burton and Harvey. If Simpson does not play he will be on the touch lines ready to jump into the game at a moment's notice should it begin to go against the Jungle Terrors.

According to the Ottawa Free Press, the Rough Riders are hatching up all kinds of schemes to get to some of the yellow and black stars. It would seem to most people that they would behave after the lesson they got last Saturday, but should they start to rough it, and any attecks be made on Ben Simpson, the Tigers have got a plan that will save their captain from very much rough handling. Of all the dirty players most people that they would behave after the lesson they got last Saturday, but should they start to rough it, and any attacks be made on Ben Simpson, the Tigers have got a plan that will save their captain from very much rough handling. Of all the dirty players in the Ottawa team, Ferguson is the purchased at the G. T. R. uptown office.

worst, at least judging by the brutal assault he committed on Saturday. He will be closely watched in the next game, and the first sign he makes of repeating his performance here will see his finish.

his finish.

Outside of Ottawa the Tigers have the reputation of being one of the cleanest teams in the Interprovincial League. They have never been known to play rough house unless the opposing team started it, and in those cases they have always been able to hand back more than they got. Almost every man on the yellow and black wing line is an experienced boxer, and their strength and size, coupled with their science, makes them formidable men to try dirty tactics with.

The Ottawa Free Pressaccuses Simpson of being a great man to yell when he gets tackled. Such a statement is too absurd to need denial. When it comes to quitters Jack Williams has got about to quitters Jack Williams has got about as little nerve as any man playing football to-day. He has never been known for play a decent game after getting a couple of good tackles, and hardly ever finishes a game off his own grounds. With a little more nerve Williams would make one of the greatest players in the Dominien, but as it is any team with a couple of good outside wings has got the Indian sign on him.

Cornwall, not an hour's ride from Ottawa, has made a bid for the play-off. Perhaps their anxiety to have the game is not altogether uninspired.

#### MORE SOFT MONEY FOR JIM JEFFRIES.

William A. Brady Offers the Retired Champion \$10,000 to Step Into th Ring With Al Kaufman-Jeff Thinks It Suspicious.

(Associated Press Despatch.)

New York, Nov. 10 .- The Herald this morning says: Wm. A. Brady, who formerly managed James J. Jeffries, made an offer last night to give the retired heavyweight champion \$10,000 as a gift if he will fight Al Kaufman within 90

Brady, who has had a serious falling out with his old protege, has said time and again that he believed Kaufman could beat Jeffries, and to give evidence of the sincerity of his ideas of the mer

of the former and the latter after long retirement, Brady posted \$10,-with Max Blumenthal to be given Jeffries with no string whatsoever at-tached if he will go ten rounds against

Kaufman.

No stipulation is made as to the event
of Jeffries being beaten. Under the
agreement, which was made with Felix
Isman, Jeffries is to get the sum merely for going into the ring against Kauf-

man. All of the conditions are to be left to Jeffries.

In addition to the \$10,000 which Brady is willing to give Jeffries to get into the ring with Kaufman for a ten-round bout, he also posted \$1,000 to go as a forfeit for a side bet of \$10,000 that Kaufman will be the victor if the fight is held. Jaman covered this sum, taking the Jeffries end. Furthermore, Brady bet \$4,000 to \$5,000 with Jaman that. Johnson will beat Jeffries. Max Blumenthal is the stakeholder of this wager.

After the offer had been made by After the offer had been made by Brady, Isman went to see Jeffries, and told him that if he saw his way clear to make the match \$10,000 would be his absolutely. Isman told Jeffries that he would post the additional \$10,000 for a side bet, and that if Jeffries beat Kaufman he would get at least \$20,000 for the fight.

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When Jeffries was asked what he thought of it he said: "It is so soft that it looks suspicious. Everyone knows Brady's dislike for me. I will give an answer before 4 o'clock this afternoon.

## FOR MAYOR.

#### St. Catharines Will Have Lively Reception Last Evening Enjoyed Fight For Position.

(Special Wire to the Times.)

St. Catharines, Ont., Nov. 10.—St. Catharines is to have a live mayoralty contest at the ensuing municipal elec-tions. Ald. J. T. Petrie, who hasserved the city as alderman for seven years the city as alderman for seven years and has been chairman of various committees, including that of finance, is a sure candidate. His opponent will be Ald. James McBride, for the past two years chairman of the Board of Works and who has administered, the department in a most progressive manner. Other names are also mentioned in connection with the chief magistracy, but it is thought the contest will narrow down to the two whose candidacy is assured.

The Board of Trade has arranged to hold another trades excursion by the G. T. R. from Grimsby, Grimsby Park, Beamsville and Jordan to St. Catharines

on Nov. 24.

The petition that has been in circulation in the city for the abolition of the
ward system in aldermanic elections has
been withdrawn, owing to the impossibility to secure a sufficient number of

#### Basketball.

Last night at the Y. M. C. A. gymna-sium two fast games of basketball were played. The Mills Hardware Co.'s line-up was: Branston, Mills, F. Pearce, C. Kauffman and Wilson, and they defeat-eed the T., H. & B. team, composed of H. Fleming, F. Warren, T. Fleming, C. Hayman and Irons, by a score of 37 to 17.

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The second game was between the Wood Milling Co.'s team and a picked team, the former winning by a score of 22 to 13. The line-up of the Wood Milling Co.'s team was: Pearce and Johnson, F. Finay, C. Webber and McKelvey. The picked team was composed of Crocker and McNeilly, F. Davis, C. Oliver and Fleming. Referee, H. Callowhill.

The Commercial League has been arranged by the committee for the purpose of developing some new men for senior basketball. With Kauffman and Wilson as defence men, Johnson and thranston are likely men for the new senior team. The first big senior game in the committee of the purpose of developing some new men for senior basketball.

#### ASCENSION.

# by the Church People.

An attendance that completely filled the spacious lecture room of the Church of the Ascension was present at the congregational reception held last evening in celebration of the King's birthday, the fifty-eighth anniversary of the church and the seventeenth of the rectorship of Rev. Canon Wade. The chair was occupied by the rector, who gave a hearty address of welcome, especially to the parishioners who have lately joined the church. On behalf of the congregation Mrs. F. W. Gates gave a brief address of welcome to the rector on his return after nine months' absence, and said that all were glad to see him so well after his illness.

Rev. T. H. Perry, aasIstant rector, was also heartily welcomed, and in response

also heartily welcomed, and in response gave a patriotic speech in honor of the

Wise—I wonder what office that fellow is a candidate for? Howe—What makes you think he is a candidate for office? Wise—He never howed to me before—Brooklyn Eagle.

Mise Ugly Mug—Last night Charlie told me I was the prettiest girl he ever saw. Miss Caustique—I reckon he said it after he turned the light low.—Boston Globe.

# TALKS ABOUT FLYING.

Miss Katherine Wright Has Arrived in America After Her Recent Trip Abroad.



(By Elizabeth Gregory.) New York, Nov. 10.—(Special Corre oondence.)-The Wright brothers may up-to-date, but the Wright sister is

She is proud of the fact, too.
Katherine Wright doesn't believe in women riding in aeroplanes.
"I may be old fashoined. Perhaps I am," she explained to me. "But I don't think a work women ought to do anything that will make her conspicuous."
She has just landed in New York after her trip to Germany with her brother, Orville.
"Won't voting make women conspicuous?"

ous?"
"Most assuredly it will. And," she added, "I don't even approve of myself takking for publication."
"One newspaper said you had invented an aeroplane costume for women."
"I haven't. I don't approve of women avistors. I've ridden only once with my brothers, and it directed so much attention to me that it was far from pleasant."

pleasant."
"What difference is there between a woman who drives an automobile and a woman who drives an aeroplane?"
"There isn't any difference, I think," she said, smiling sweetly.

"Don't you think it is all right for a woman to handle an automobile?"
"No, I don't. I'll admit I'm old fashioned about it, but it makes a woman so conspicuous."

so conspicuous."
"You've been in Europe twice. Of course you've heard about the suffragettes and what they are doing over there?" I suggested to the quiet little Ohio schoolma'am.

'Yes," she said, simply. There was no approval in her tone.
"What do you think of them?"
"Most assuredly, I don't approve of

"Don't you believe in women voting?"
"Don't you believe in women voting?"
"No, I don't. I think a woman ought to keep to her home life and out of the public gaze as much as possible. I've been so much in sympathy with my brothers that now and then I can't help publicity. But I don't like it."
"Will women ever become aviators?"
"I think it is simply absurd for them to attempt to fly," she concluded.
Migs Wright has only taken one trip in the air. "Then she rode one morning with Wilbur in France.
"Don't you think you'll ever fly again."

again?
"Not if I have to go through all the publicity I went through before," said Miss Wright.

## WOMAN IN IT.

Squealed on Warriner When Her Income Stepped.

The Defalcation of Big Four's Late Treasurer.

Cincinnati, Nov. 10 .- Experts straight ning the tangled affairs of the Big Four railroad's financial department to day probed into the matter of securities and bond issues, which came under the charge of Charles L. Warriner, deposed treasurer, who is accused of a defalca tion amounting to \$643,000 of the com pany's funds.

pany's lunds.

It was learned to-day that Warriner in his statement to his superiors told them that when he came here from the Cleveland office of his company he brought with him a shortage of \$30,000 in his accounts at Cleveland. His downfall heretard dates from the time have fall, he stated, dates from the time, hav ing covered that shortage, only to fall into the clutches of the man who, he alleges, has blackmailed him ever since This shortage continued to grow till it was soon swelled to \$200,000 before he

Four, declared to-day that it was almost impossible for him to believe that there could be anything wrong with Warriner for several days, notwithstanding a basty examination by some of the higher officers of the company had brought the first evidence of shortage.

#### GOOD SERVICE APPRECIATED.

The local committee of the Ontario and Quebec Baptist convention met at James Street Church on Tuesday evening to wind up the business in connection with the recent gathering, when the following resolution was passed: "That the local committee extend to Mr. Adam Brown, postmaster, and staff their hearty annectation for the letter. their hearty appreciation for the letter boxes provided and excellent services rendered at the recent Baptist conven-tion of Ontario and Quebec, held in the James Street Church."

James Street Church."

A wealthy society woman in Washington, D. C., had one of those domestic upheavals which ended in her cook leaving abruptly. Guests were expected, no one to cook the dinner—no results from telephoning, so she sallied forth in quest of emergency help. Meeting a very neat looking colored woman she stopped her and explained her dilemma, offering large money inducement. The woman listened in silence, then said:

"Where does yo' live, missus?"

Seeing a ray of hope, joyfully the lady gave her address, to be met with this reply:

"Well, yo' jess go home and look in yo' glass an' yo'll see yo' gook!"—New York Times.

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"My Eskimos," remarked Dr. Cuisine,
"ate candles with delight," "Prevaricator!" hissed the irate commander, "they
always blow them out first."—Kansas
City Star.

"Is this living out of doors for health a tentative arrangement?" "Sure, it's all tents."—Baltimore American.
The brave man may fall, but he cannot yield.—Irish.

# THE FARM

FRUIT GROWING IN NORFOLK COUNTY. (Canadian Farm.)

COUNTY.

(Canadian Farm.)

Owing to the bad weather I did not visit as many orchards as I had intended; but I mamaged to visit the orchards of Mr. J. Gilbertson, the pioneer orchardist of the Norfolk County Association—Mr. Olds, Messrs. Geo. and Jas. Schulyer, Mr. J. E. Johnson, the manager, Mr. J. Mc-Malley, and others, and there I beheld great crops of Kings, Baldwins, Russets, Spys. Tolman Sweets, and Snows, the Greenings being nearly all packed before my arrival.

Nearly every tree in these orchards had ten or twelve long poles placed under it as props, to enable it to bear its load without breaking down, and the upper limbs of many of them were wired extended from the same reason.

The Olds orchard has the great record of having earned 85 per tree net for its owner during the last four years, and this year it will earn \$7 to 88 per tree. At Mr. Johnson's and Mr. Olds' I saw two healthy young peach orchards, and the former has, in addition, twenty acres of fine strawberries, nine acres of thrifty pear orchard and a very flourishing, young orchard of sour cherries.

At Mr. J. McNally's I saw twelve acres of splendid cauliflowers, thirty-five acres of splendid cauliflowers, thirty-five acres of one of the picking onlons, al grown for the picking factory.

was soon swelled to \$200,000 before he realized his position.

From a high official source it is learned that the first intimation of the impending scandal in the office of the local treasurer came through a Cleveland woman, who, it is alleged, had been shring in the ill-gotten spoils and whose income had been shut off.

At first the statement of the woman was not credited, and Melville E. Ingalls, chairman of the board of the Big Four, declared to-day that it was almost the association will ship in the neighbor-

the association will ship in the neighborhood of 20,000 barrels, bringing its members a net return of from \$1.75 to \$2.25 per barrel on the trees.

This admirable showing is largely due to the excellent business capacity displayed by the manager, Mr. J. E. Johnson, assisted by a very capable board of directors.

directors.

The members of the association are The members of the association are starting to grow potatoes, and are likely to do so on a large scale in the future growing only two or three varieties to cover the season, as Early Ohio for early Irish Cobbler for medium, and Delaward

Irish Cobbler for medium, and Delaware for late.

The utmost care is taken by the association to ensure a good pack of apples, and five inapectors are kept conctantly travelling from orchard to orchard, keeping the packers up to the mark, and seeing that no imperfect fruit goes into the barrels.

The association has also a contract with the canning factory at Simeos to take all their culls at an excellent price.

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The problem of the superfluous woman by no means troubles every town. In Devonport, for instance, there are 881 women for every 1,000 men, in Barrowin-Furness 828, and in Rhondda olny 825, while the feminine element is in a minority in other important centres of industry the city of London, Southwark, Woolwich, Poplar, Stepney, West Bromwich, St. Helen's, etc.

The superfluous woman makes herhome in pleasanter places—in health resorts on the south coast, in Bath, the city of fashion, and in the royal borough of Kensington, where there are 1,557 women to every 1,000 men. In Bournemouth the disparity between the sexes is even greater, the women numbering 1,700 to sach 1,000 men.—London Daily Mail.

LIVE STOCK The fresh arrivals of live stock at Union Yards for Tuesday's market were 25 carloads, consisting of 496 cattle, 8 hogs, 353 sheep and lambs and 3 calves. The total live stock for the two days were 95 carloads—1,81 cattle, 87 hogs, 1,055 sheep, 16 caives, and 200 horses. The quality of fat cattle was generally medium to good, with a rew choice loads. Trade was slow, the market lasting all day for the cattle, but the sheep, lambs and caives sold off early in the day.

Prices for exporters were lower than last

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AND FINANCE

Caives soid off early in the day.

Prices for exporters were lower than last week, but the quality of the cattle was not as good as the high-priced ones of last week.

Exporters—Best exporters sold at from \$5.00 to \$5 per cwt.; common to medium, \$4.30 to \$5.50 for steers, helfers, \$5.40 to \$5.60 per cwt.; bulls, \$4 to \$4.50.

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\$5.50 for steers; helfers, \$5.40 to \$5.60 per cwt.; bulls, \$4 to \$4.50.

Butchers—Best butchers' cattle, weighing under 1.200 lbs., sold at \$5 to \$515, and a very few at \$5.25, one or two loads of experiments sold at \$5.55 and \$5.75 for oxperiments and at \$5.35 and \$5.75 for oxperiments and at \$5.35 and \$5.75 for oxperiments and \$5.60 to \$4.50; computers \$5.60 to \$4.50; computers \$5.60 to \$4.50; computers and stockers—A limited number of feeders sold at \$3.75 to \$4.50; clockers at \$5 to \$3.50 per cwt.

Milkers and springers—Prices for milkers and springers were steady at \$40 to \$55 ceach.

Veal culves—Prices were unchanged but firm at \$3 to \$5.50 per cwt.

Hozs—Gunns, Limited, report \$7.75 for hogs, fed and wastered, and \$7.00 f.0.b. cars at country points.

Sheep and lappbs—Prices steady at Monday's advance. Good export ewes, \$3.50 to \$4 per cwt.; culls and rams, \$3 per cwt.; seved lambs, \$5.75 to \$5.50 per cwt.; cull lambs, \$5.75 to \$5.50 per cwt.; cull lambs, \$5.75 to \$5.50 per cwt.;

FARMERS' MARKET.

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The receipts of grain to-day were about 600 bushels. There was no wheat, which is nominal at \$1.05. Barley firm, with sales of 300 bushels at 63 to 64c. Oats steady, 100 bushels selling at 43c. Burkwheat firm, 100 bushels selling at 43c. Burkwheat firm, 100 bushels selling at 43c. Burkwheat firm, 100 bushels selling at 60c. Burkwheat firm, 100 bushels selling at 43c for firm, with oldy and at \$0 to \$15 for mixed. Straw firm, two loads of bundled selling at \$17 a ton. Dressed hogs are steady, with prices rulling at \$10.5 to \$11. Wheat, white, new \$1.05 \$1.07 bo. pressed hogs are steady, with prices rulling at \$10.5 to \$11. Wheat, white, new \$1.05 \$1.07 bo. red. new 1.05 \$1.07 bo. red. new 1.05 \$1.07 bo. red. new 1.05 \$1.07 bo. googe 1.00 \$1.00 bo. google \$1.00 bo. A. N. C. A. C. P. Atch B. & O. Straw, per con
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Turkeys, ib.
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Fowl, 1b.
Apples, barrel
Potatoes, bag, by load
Celery, dozen
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Cauliflower, dozen
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Cabbage, dozen
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FRUIT MARKET. 

SUGAR MARKET. St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: granulated, \$4.75 per cws\_in barrels; No. 1 golden, \$4.35 per cwt. in barrels; Beaver, \$4.55 per cwt. in: bags. These prices are for delivery here. Car lote 5c less. In 100-1b. bags, prices are 5c less.

#### OTHER MARKETS

WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKET.
Wheat-November 97%c, December 93%c,
May 98c,
Dan-November 34%c, December 33%c, May
35%c,

BRITISH CATTLE MARKETS. London-London cables for cattle are higher at 12% to 13% per lb. for live cattle, dress-weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10% Temiskaming

to 10%c per lb.

COBALT STOCKS.

The inherent strength of the market in Toronto in Oobalt stocks was again manifested yesterday when a slight advance was recorded in a number of minor issues. The variations in prices were not very marked, but showed a healthy indication of the condition of the market. Rochester was very active and acold up to \$8.1-2, with a strong probability of going higher to-day. Seaver closed a fraction higher, with heavy trading, reclosed a fraction higher, with heavy trading related to the strength of toward the close to \$1.2. Little Nilo, was in demand at 19 and 20 cents, and was considered a good buy along with Cobalt Lake, which closed at 13.

In the higher priced stocks La Rose touched par again, and was held firmly at that figure. The dividend announcement had little effect on Crown Reserve, having apparently been very largely discounted. Trethewey looked good to most of the brokers, and was much acought after, the prospect of an early flavor. A buillab feeling giving it a lively market, and it was generally deemed a good, time to buy.

#### FAILURES LAST WEEK.

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Nov. 6.—Commercial failures this week in the United States, as reported by R.
G. Dun & Co., are 249 against 211 last week, 238 the preceding week and 240 the corresponding week last year. Failures in Canada numbered 30 against 20 last week, 33 the preceding week and 28 last year. Of failures this week in the United States 91 were in the East, 33 South, 69 West and 36 in the Pacific States, and 75 report failures of \$5,000 or more, against 79 last week. Liabilities of commercial failures reported for October are \$12,529,862 against \$16,898,608 for the same period last year.

New York, Nov. 10.—Noon. Money on call, firm at 41/2.

New York, Nov. 10. —Cotton futures opened steady, Nov. 14, 38.50; Dec. 14. 61; Jan., 14.73; Feb., offered, 14.80; March, 14.88; May, 14.96; July, 14.98;

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#### DUN'S REVIEW.

Without exception, the reports trade, both wholesale and retail, in all parts of the country are more than satisfactory and hold out the promise for 1910 of a year of unqualified business. What this means, expressed in almost inconceivable figures, is that the United States is now increasing its wealth at a rate never before achieved. Neither the rate never before achieved. Neither the higs prevailing prices for the discussion of disputed economic policies seem. In any way to shake confidence or check the industrial progress. There has been no further advance in money rates and financial conditions, which three or four weeks ago appeared somewhat threatening, are now undisturbed. The volume of bank clearings, measuring the business transactions of the nation, are in many cities greater than ever before and all records in New York for one of bank clearings, measuring the business transactions of the nation, are in many cities greater than ever before and all records in New York for one day were broken during the week. When it is seen that bank clearings increased 38.9 per cent. over 1908 and 23.1 per cent. over 1906, and outside New York 26.6 per cent. over 1908 and 13.0 per cent. over 1906, some idea is obtainable of the extraordinary recovery which has been made in a short time in business activity. It is as if the depression of 1908 had been blotted out altogether, and the only fear is that the impressive lessons it taught may be forgotten. Individually and collectively, the railroads are reporting the same proofs of prosperity, their earnings for thre weeks of October having been 11 per cent. better than in 1907. October was a month of record-breaking production in iron and steel. Supplied by R. B. Lyman & Co., stock brokers (J. A. Beaver, manager), offices 3 and 4, ground floor, Federal Life building, Hamilton, Canada.

The cost of many important articles of supply used by the railways has increased more than 100 per cent. Fuel for locomotives constitutes about 11 per cent. of the cost of railway operation.

Owing to the increased price of coal. during the last ten years, which in so

during the last ten years, which in some States has amounted to as much at 56 per cent. It is asserted that for \$1 spent for locomotive fuel in 1897 for each \$17.25 of gross receipts the ratio has declined in 1907 to \$1 for locomotive fuel for each \$12.93 of gross receipts.

The expense of taxation is shown to have increased from \$235.36 a mile of line in 1897 to \$353.09 a mile the carriers.

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A conservative computation discloses that the costs due to increases in expenses or reductions in revenue imposed by statutes or by commissions acting under Federal and State regulatory laws cost the railways of the United States approximately \$100,000,000 per annum.—Freight.

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The natives of the Upper Congo are very fond of certain kinds of caterpillars gathered from the trees which these insects frequent during the caterpillar season. They assert that "mita," as they call these edible caterpillars, are very palatable when cooked in the proper way.

Several kinds are eaten, ranging in size from small insects less than two inches long, which form clusters or nexts in the branches of the trees and are therefore easily gathered, to big, hairy monsters five or six inches long, and proportionately thick.—From the Wide World Magazine.

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"If you had to choose between me and a million dollars, which would you take?" "I'd take the million; after that you'd be easy."—New York Evening Telegram.

"Does your husband play cards for moner?" "Judging from practical results." answered young Mrs. Torkins, "I should say not. But all the other men in the game do."—Washington Star,