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WANTED—A position, as house-keeper. Box 13, Courier office. f11
WANTED—An experienced girl. Apply 266 Park Ave. f31t
WANTED—Cook. Apply Matron, Ontario School for the Blind. f31t
WANTED—Kitchen girl. Apply Prince Edward Hotel. f39
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WANTED—Laundress. Apply at Brant Sanitarium, Mount Pleasant Road. f47
WANTED—A lady boarder as companion. Apply Mr. Robinson, 3 South St. f47
WANTED—Apprentices and improvers for the millinery. J. G. Hunter & Co. f39
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WANTED—Experienced house-maid, high wages. Phone 356 between ten and three or three and five, or write P. O. Box 212. f41

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FOR immediate sale at a bargain price, to close up an estate, two fine building lots in choice residential section; also 12-roomed brick house, well built, barn and out-house, to be sold in one parcel. Apply Box 14, Courier. Bell phone 1199. a25

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MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

FOR expert sewing machine repairing try 266 Darling. mw43

WARM, comfortable bedroom in centre of city. Box 12, Courier. mw17

WANTED—Two respectable boarders in private family. Apply Sheridan St. m

YOUNG lady desires position as companion. Apply Box 20, Courier. mw49

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WANTED—All fraternal men get a copy of our latest book, "Lodge Talks"; tells you just what you want to say in a lodge meeting of any kind; by mail, ten cents. American Publishing Co., Box 748, Buffalo, N.Y. m47

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Dogskin mitt, left hand. Reward at Courier office. f37

LOST—Ladies' purse containing bank book and money. Reward at Courier office. f51

LOST—Brown goatskin robe; finder return same to Anguish's Livery Barn, Colborne St. Reward at Dr. Frank's. f41

LOST—Dark red sweater coat, on Wednesday night, centre of city. Reward 101 Colborne. f37

LOST—An overcoat, between New American Hotel and Market St. Finder leave at Commercial Bares. f39

FOUND—Sum of money in E. B. Crompton & Co. store; owner may have same by calling at office. f37

LOST—Purse containing money, ticket and lockets. Finder return to Noble's store, 84 Colborne St. f35

LOST—On Friday, gold snake ring; reward by returning to Gould, Shapley & Muir's office. f39

LOST—On Sunday night, lady's belt with jet buckles, on Colborne or Brock. Reward, 131 Brock St. f19

LOST—Bar pin with 5-franc gold piece on it, last Friday. Reward 77 Victoria. f25

LOST—Silver watch with gold chain with metal purse attached, containing coins. Return to S. W. Seago, 12 Lorne Crescent. \$10.00 reward. f49

LOST—Saturday night, in Knox's Crompton's, or between these stores, small purse containing twenty-six dollars and two cents. Reward, 42 Victoria St. f37

ARTICLES FOR SALE

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FOR SALE—Furniture, private sale at Petersburg; house to rent. f19

FOR SALE—Very fine tone English piano, \$125. 32 Elgin. a23

FOR SALE—Baby sleigh in good condition. Apply 16 1/2 Terrace Hill St. a17

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FOR SALE—Furniture, household goods, piano, sewing machine and pictures; cheap for quick sale; afternoons and evenings. 147 Erie Ave. a47

FOR SALE—Pair of imported Silver Campines; also three Buttercup hens and first prize cock bird. 39 Mary St. a43

FOR SALE—Good stationery and book business, showing fine turnover; rent moderate; immediate possession; splendid opportunity for a smart man. Address Box 15, Courier. bc25

MONUMENTS

THE JOHN HILL GRANITE & MARBLE CO.—Importers of all foreign granites and marble; lettering a specialty; building work, etc. Alex Markie, representative, 59 Colborne St., Brantford. Phone 1553 or 1554.

DIED.

McMEANS—In Brantford, on Thursday, February 19th, 1914, Andrew McMeans, aged 86 years. He was buried at Greenwood Cemetery.

The funeral will take place from his late residence, 324 Darling St., on Thursday, February 26th, at 2.30, to Greenwood Cemetery.

Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

COMING EVENTS

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES will be held at the Colborne St. Methodist Church every evening this week, except Saturday evening, commencing at 8 o'clock. All invited.

HOSPITAL DAY—Half proceeds of afternoon and evening performances Brant Theatre, Friday, 27th, donated to work of Junior Hospital Aid. Boxes may be reserved now.

COME to the treat of the season in Masonic Hall, Feb. 27th, Madame Henderson's famous troupe of dances, along with other splendid singers. Dance and refreshments to follow. Tickets, guests, 75c; ladies 50c. Doors open 7.30 p.m. Entrance, Darling street.

A. O. F. RALLY AND STEREOPTICON LECTURE, Victoria Hall, Thursday, Feb. 26th, H. C. R. Bro. Woodstock; H. M. E. Dr. Secord, and Organist. But will be present T. H. Preston, chairman. Good programme, Ladies and gentlemen cordially welcome. Admission Free.

TO-NIGHT, at 8 o'clock in Board Room of Public Library, a debate between the old Farrington Debating Society represented by Messrs W. G. Raymond, Frank Cockshutt and T. H. Jones, and the present Society, represented by Messrs F. Sterne, J. Noble and G. Cockshutt. Public invited.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED

WANTED—To fire stationary boiler. Apply W. E. Moorcroft, 77 Jubilee Ave., Holmdale. cw13

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TO LET

TO LET—Two unfurnished rooms. 242 Clarence. mw33

TO LET—Warm furnished bedroom. Apply 61 Colborne St. t17

TO LET—Two unfurnished rooms; gas connection. 70 Pearl St. f39

TO LET—House 15 Jubilee Avenue, gas and water; rent \$10.00 per month. Apply 8 Balfour St. f43

TO LET—Red brick cottage, East Ward; gas in house; \$9.00. Apply 30 Market St. f35

COTTAGE to let, 74 Palace St. (no children). Apply 85 Waterloo St. f33

TO LET—Furnished front bedroom with stove. Apply 65 Colborne St. f37

TO RENT—1 1/2 storey brick house, 41 Peel; \$14 per month. Apply 23 Peel St. f35

TO LET—Warm, comfortable bedroom in centre of city. Box 12, Courier. f21

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PERSONAL

HARRISON, John William; worked at Oakwood, later in Toronto; wife sister, Jane Ann Harrison, care Wilmut Connor, Little Britain R.M.D. p25

WILLOWWARE

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A Woman's Exploit

She Was Sent Out as a Spy by President Lincoln

By F. A. MITCHEL

The life of President Lincoln is so thoroughly identified with the four years of war—the last four years of his earthly existence—that we are not accustomed to think of him in any other connection. During that brief period we see him under many lightnings he is endeavoring by wise diplomacy to prevent foreign governments from intervening between the north and the south to insure the separation of the states and on the same day gives to a woman of low degree the life of her son, who has been sentenced to be shot for desertion; at one time he is urging the generals to move their armies against the enemy; the next he is sending out an individual—a girl in her teens perhaps—to bring him information of the Confederates.

It is this last named field that connects Mr. Lincoln especially with the romance in adventures of the war.

A secret service bureau was organized with headquarters at the capital, by Allan Pinkerton. It was his business to provide and equip spies, but it was Mr. Lincoln who laid out their work for them. He told them what information he needed and it was their part to get it for him. The risk they ran was very great, and their pay—when they worked for pay—was proportionately large.

Possibly the most successful of Mr. Lincoln's spies—that is, considering the importance of the information obtained—was a young girl named Kate Beale, who had lived in Richmond, the capital of the Confederacy, and during her residence there had naturally become familiar with the place and taken on the peculiar Virginia. Moreover, she was supposed to sympathize with the southern cause. She was at the time of Mr. Lincoln's incumbering the only support of an invalid mother and found it difficult to provide the necessary supplies.

It occurred to Miss Beale that she might put her knowledge of Richmond to advantage by going there and bringing information to the federal government. True, if she were caught in such a venture she would be liable to suffer death or at least be kept in a southern prison till the end of the war, leaving her mother without either support or attendance. She went to Allan Pinkerton and told him of the advantages she possessed for secret service work at Richmond and found him a willing listener.

But Pinkerton before employing her must make sure of her fidelity to the Union cause. She proposed to deceive her friends in Richmond, but she might if she chose deceive those in Washington, for her plans was to offer her services to the Confederate government to Washington and bring back information for President Davis. Washington was full of southerners ready to convey information to the Confederate government, and it was difficult to tell who could be trusted.

Pinkerton pretended to trust Miss Beale, but before employing her sent decoys to her to try to draw from her a betrayal in case she intended to work for the Confederacy instead of the Union. She stood all these tests, and at last Pinkerton, becoming satisfied that she was to be trusted, sent her to President Lincoln. This was in the spring of '65, when the war was drawing to a close.

On arriving at the White House she was admitted to a room, in which she found Mr. Lincoln alone. He had a very simple but very important work for her.

"Pinkerton informs me," he said, "that you are familiar with Richmond. I am anxious to learn what provisions they have there on which to subsist in case our armies surround and cut off their lines of supplies. It will be your part to take notice of their depots, to see how well they are supplied, if necessary, or you can do so without too much risk, learn what they have from officials. My object is to discover whether they are in condition to stand a siege or must surrender in case General Grant, who is south of them at Petersburg, captures the place, cutting off their only communications southward."

Miss Beale understood perfectly what was required of her and its value if executed. Mr. Lincoln sent her off with a "God bless you and bring you back safely from your perilous work."

Citizens were occasionally passing to and fro between the line and Miss Beale, having President Lincoln's pass, had no trouble in getting to Richmond. She pretended to be bitter against the Federal government and securing the acquaintance of the wife of the officer in charge of the commissary department of the Confederate army was introduced to him as a person who was anxious to serve the Confederate cause. She asked the commissary how she could aid in the matter of getting supplies into the Confederacy from the north. She was taken to President Davis for reply and held a conference with him and the commissary general in the executive mansion.

There were but two ways by which supplies could be introduced into the Confederacy from the outside—block-

An American diplomat strongly urged the United States to repeal the Panama tolls exemption clause,

and running and landing a vessel at some point not guarded by Federal troops. The former of these methods was the common one. Miss Beale said that she knew Confederate sympathizers in Baltimore who would be glad to send a load of provisions to some point on the Virginia shore if they could be assured that the ship would be met by a Confederate force. It is not a hundred miles down Chesapeake bay to Northumberland county, Va., and there were many convenient points on the Potomac and the bay for landing. Mr. Davis and the commissary general were much pleased with Miss Beale's plan and spent some time conferring together in her presence as to the most convenient place for them to send a force to meet the ship bringing them.

All this was but a cloak for the spy to learn of the available stock of provisions in Richmond and to secure a return to the north. While the matter was pending she learned that there were very few commissary stores in Richmond, and if General Grant should cut the only line of supply still open—that through Petersburg—the capital of the Confederacy would be obliged to surrender.

At last, a point for landing supplies by the fetid Baltimore sympathizers was being agreed upon. Miss Beale was given a pass to go through the lines and resolved on her departure the next day.

But now at the last moment a danger came up to a singular coincidence. A Confederate spy was in Richmond who was playing the same game on the Federal that she was playing on the Confederate government. It happened that this person had seen Miss Beale coming out of Allan Pinkerton's office in Washington. Whether he remembered just when and where he had seen her, or whether he was not quite sure of it, she knew at once by the scrutiny with which he looked at her that she was in danger.

All her faculties were concentrated on losing the man or his losing her before he could take any decided action. Appearing not to notice his interest in her, she walked on till espying an empty cab she called the driver and entered it.

And now comes one of the most remarkable cases of assurance under peril that have ever been manifested by either man or woman. With lightning rapidity she formed her plan. "Drive me to the executive mansion," she called to the driver.

She was whirled away, but a glance at the man she was trying to avoid assured her that he was watching her, though he was endeavoring to make it appear that he was not, and when she reached the mansion and alighted at the door she saw him hurrying after her. Entering the house, she asked for the president and was shown to the anteroom to wait her turn for an audience. She had nothing to communicate to Mr. Lincoln, but she wished to indicate to the man who followed her that she had business with the government. Finally, when she thought this had been effected, she determined to make an exit.

If her shadower were outside waiting for her, she felt that she was lost. Her heart was in her throat as she passed from the house. She dare not look about her, but so far as she could see the man had vanished. At any rate, she saw nothing of him. If he were still shadowing her he was keeping out of sight.

But she must seek safety in flight. A few miles from Richmond to the southwest are the battlefields fought over by Lee and McClellan during the peninsula campaign. Miss Beale directed the cabman to drive out to these fields. Having reached her destination she dismissed the cabman and started for Fortress Monroe, some seventy miles to the southwestward.

The story of this journey, on foot, by wagon, by boat on the James river, is a romance in itself. It was a flight from prison, a flight from the halter. At last, worn with fatigue and exposure, the fugitive reached the fort, on whose battlements floated the stars and stripes, and she knew she was safe.

The closing act in the drama is when Miss Beale reappeared at the White House. Mr. Lincoln was in his office one morning when a messenger gave him the name of Kate Beale as one desiring to see him.

"Thank God," muttered the president, "bring her to me at once."

Mr. Lincoln's joy at his emissary's safe return was enhanced by the news she brought him that the Confederacy was without supplies. General Grant was on the march at Petersburg and was destined a month later to capture the place. So Mr. Lincoln was assured by Miss Beale's report that as soon as Grant had finished his work the capital of the Confederacy would be at the disposal of the Federal government and that the end of the war was in sight.

Kate Beale was well paid for her work. Indeed, she received enough to supply her mother's and her own wants for a long time to come. Luckily, the war soon after her exploit ended, or doubtless the fascination of the danger involved would have led her to risk her life again. But the pitcher that goes often to the well is at last broken.

Such episodes as this have connected Mr. Lincoln's name with adventure and romance. But this is but one of the many branches of romance that, taken together, have woven a charm about him which will last as long as his name and his work are remembered. But that which especially endears him to the American people is his many acts of mercy to the humblest of those who begged for it during the period when the shedding of blood seemed to move the clock of the world back twenty centuries, necessitating a new message of peace on earth and good will to men.

Two German steamship lines have extended their North Atlantic agreement for 75 years.

SCRINERS CLUB AT HOME

The committee in charge of the Scrainers' hall, report that everything points to a large attendance on Wednesday evening, not only from the city but from outside points as well. In response to many requests they have provided tables for those wishing to play cards, so that all may enjoy the evening.

Coin Causes Death

On Dec. 31 a child of three years, Walter Riley, of Moor Street, Swinton, swallowed a halfpenny. He was removed to the hospital, but it was not until Jan. 30 that the coin could be removed. He died on Jan. 31 from bronchial pneumonia and exhaustion. At a city coroner's inquest on Monday a verdict of "Accidental death" was returned.

High Class Auction Sale

Of Household Furniture.

S. P. Pitcher and Sons, auctioneers have received instructions from Mr. Robert W. McIrvine to sell by public auction at his residence, No. 54 Brant Avenue, on Thursday, Feb. 26th at 1.30 o'clock in the afternoon and 7.30 in the evening, the whole of the costly furniture consisting in part as follows:—

Drawing Room—3 piece mahogany suite upholstered in silk, 2 mahogany chairs upholstered in silk, mahogany music cabinet, oak centre table, two beautiful hand painted pictures, number of other pictures, 3 pair of lace curtains, 3 pair of green silk curtains, with Italian cloth lining, 1 pair of velour arch curtains with metal trimmings, axminster carpet (beautiful design), brass curtain poles.

Sitting Room—Couch, 3 wicker rockers, wicker chair, pictures, 1 pair of lace curtains, 3 pair of velour curtains, brass poles, axminster carpet.

Dining Room—Beautiful quarter cut oak buffet and china cabinet, oak extension table, 6 oak dining room chairs (leather seated), 6 oak dining room chairs, couch, axminster rug, small table, pictures, set of dishes, 2 carpet sweepers, Madras and Battenburgh curtains.

Kitchen—Jewel gas range (large size), 2 tables, linoleum, kitchen utensils, curtains.

Basement—Very fine refrigerator, tables, hammock, verandah chairs, swinging couch, step-ladder, new garden hose, ironing board, boiler, lawn mower, pots and pans, sealers, 80 quarts fruits and jellies.

Hall—Oak hall rack, velour curtains, axminster carpet and axminster stair carpet.

Upstairs Hall—Leather couch, axminster carpet, rockers, 2 pair of arch curtains.

Bedroom No. 1—Oak bedroom suite, springs and mattress, lace curtains, 2 pair of cretonne curtains, axminster carpet.

Bedroom No. 2—Enamelled bedroom suite, springs and mattress; toilet set, 2 rockers, oak table, carpet, 2 pair of chintz curtains.

Bedroom No. 3—Very fine brass bed, combination mattress and springs, axminster carpet, toilet set, 2 tables, lace curtains, 2 pair of chintz curtains, gas stove.

As Mr. McIrvine has sold his house the whole of his expensive furniture will be sold without reserve. Goods on view the day previous to sale from 2 to 5.30 p.m.

Remember the day, Feb. 26th, at 1.30 in the afternoon and 7.30 in the evening. Come early, this being a very large sale.

Terms—Cash.

Mr. Robert McIrvine, Proprietor. S. P. Pitcher & Son, Auctioneers.

Auction Sale

Of Farm Stock and Implements.—Welby Almas has received instructions from Mr. JOHN RICHARDSON, SON, to sell at his farm, situated 1.2 mile west of Onondaga Village, on THURSDAY, FEB. 26TH, commencing at one o'clock sharp, the following:—

Horses: One blocky Clyde mare, 5 years old, weighing about 1,500 lbs.; one Clyde mare, 5 years old, weighing about 1,400 lbs., in foal to Clyde horse; one Clyde mare, 4 years old, in foal to Clyde horse; 1 half Clyde mare rising 4 years old, 1,250 lbs.; 1 general purpose mare, rising 3 years old, about 1,250 lbs.; broken single and double; 1 good work horse; 1 half Clyde mare, rising 2 years old; 1 spring colt, Peicheon; 1 spring colt, Clyde.

Cattle: One cow, 5 years old, milking 2 months; 1 cow, 6 years old, calving in January; 1 three-year-old heifer, calving in January; 5 cows, due before calving; 1 cow, due to calve in May; 1 cow, due to calve in September, milking; 1 yearling bull; 4 heifer calves.

Sheep: Thirteen Leicester breeding ewes, in lamb to pure bred Leicester Ram.

Hogs: Three pure bred York Sows, due to pig March 20th; 1 sow, due to pig 22 March; 1 sow due in May; 7 pigs, eight weeks old.

Poultry: About 40 Plymouth Rock hens.

Seed Grain: Five hundred bushels American Barley oats; 200 bushels O. A. C. Barley;