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NOT AFRAID FOR HIS LUNGS ON DARK

New York, Nov. 12.—Residents of West 113th street say that at certain times their street is the noisiest in the city.

Veterans Started.

But even the hardy veterans of many noons of initiations and fraternity banquets were startled out of their beds early yesterday morning by a series of the most awe inspiring yells heard on that clamor filled street since college opened last September.

That robust hero of the Tau Deltis, known for no occult reason as the Educated Pig explained it all to anxious inquirers yesterday.

Expected Something.

"Last night we all expected something—seeing how many oysters had been gulped, but we got tired waiting for it to start, and most of us went to sleep.

Staggered in.

"Just as this combination, with Nightmare two jumps in the lead, hit the ground floor the Shrimp opened the front door and staggered in.

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Teacher:—"Now, if your father gave your mother \$3 today and \$10 tomorrow, what would she have?"

Small boy:—"She'd have a fit."

Slozy Assistant (to purchaser of widow's bonnet):—"Would you like to try on before the glass, madam?"

Customer:—"No, thank yer, miss. It ain't for me. I wish it was!" (London Opinion.)

AMERICANS INTERESTED IN NEPISIGUIT DEAL

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You will understand that the increment duty of 20 per cent is a matter of the future only. Land to be valued at the present time, and a 20 per cent duty is to be placed upon the future increment in the value, dating from the time at which the valuation is made.

We have in our country a population of only 45,000,000, which is growing at the rate of about 1 per cent per annum, or 450,000 a year. Our wealth is doubling about every thirty-three years and the value of land seems to rise just about in proportion to the growth of wealth.

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LAWYERS ARE PUZZLED OVER INTERESTING POINT

Houlton, Me., Nov. 12.—All the lawyers of Aroostook County are at a loss to decide where Charles Friel should be tried for the murder of his uncle, John Friel, so peculiar are the circumstances under which the murder was committed.

The little border town of Anity was the scene of the crime on November 1. Following a quarrel with his nephew, Charles, John Friel went to the home of his brother, which is situated on the border between Maine and New Brunswick, there he was followed by his nephew and shot as he stood exactly on the boundary line.

Had he fallen to the left his dead body would have been on New Brunswick soil.

There is a dispute as to where Charles Friel stood when he fired the fatal shot. Some say in Maine. This is what is puzzling the authorities of the two countries. It is said that international complications may arise and in any event the trial next April promises to be a memorable one.