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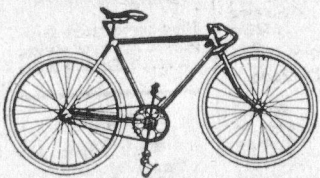
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## DISTRICT

### GLENWOOD.

Miss Hattie Lott left on Monday  
for a two weeks' visit with friends  
in Blenheim.

Mrs. John Collins' and children,  
who have been visiting Mrs. Amos  
Blue for the past two weeks, left on  
Saturday for their home in McGreg-

or. Married, on Wednesday, May 9th,  
at the Methodist parsonage, Romney,  
by Rev. W. E. Millson, Miss Violet

Chester to Mr. Roy Mifflin, both of  
Glenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wade spent last  
Wednesday with friends in Chat-

W. C. Estabrook made a business  
trip to Windsor on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mifflin are visit-  
ing friends in Detroit.

### HAD REASON TO.

AM, war is an awful thing, sig-  
ned the croaker.

Oh, I don't know, replied the smil-  
ing individual.

You don't mean to say that you  
approve of it?

Sure, I'm a cartographer.

## The Ideal Beverage

### ASK FOR

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the virtues of malt  
and hops, and in  
sparkling condi-  
tion, is the ideal  
beverage.

### An Apology.

A man who has a reputation for be-  
ing very careless as to his toilet was  
elected town clerk in one of the small  
towns in his state, and the local paper  
thought it would be a good joke to an-  
nounce that—

"Mr. Makeup will wash himself be-  
fore he assumes the office of town  
clerk."

On reading the notice Mr. Makeup  
was furious and demanded a retraction,  
which the paper accordingly made the  
following day in this fashion:

"Mr. Makeup requests us to deny that  
he will wash himself before he assumes  
the office of town clerk."

And still Mr. Makeup was not pleas-  
ed. How hard it is to satisfy some  
people!

### "MANLY."

Come, come my boy, don't cry, urged  
the kindly old gentleman. Doubt-  
less your troubles are very real and  
serious to you, but you should be  
manly in adversity.

I can't be, sobbed the boy.  
Why not? asked the kindly old  
gentleman.

Ma won't let me swear.

Borrow trouble, see double.

### People in the Country

and small towns have got to consider fire  
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### KITE AS A LIFE-SAVER.

Could Be Seen By Castaways For Long  
Distance At Sea.

Mr. S. F. Cody, of London, consid-  
ers that a boatload of shipwrecked per-  
sons who have a kite to fly are far  
more likely to be rescued than a kite-  
less boatload. He argues that a kite  
200 yards or so up in the air has a bet-  
ter chance of being seen by ships than  
a small boat low down in the water.

He has built a boat to exemplify his  
theory. It is an open three-tonner, with  
a length of twenty-one feet and a beam  
of six feet, and is driven by petrol.

Mr. Cody invited a number of ladies  
to step aboard and play the part of  
castaways on Crystal Palace Lake, and  
ten of them bravely responded. Away  
went the Lela up the lake at a rate of  
seven miles an hour, and at the right  
moment Mr. Cody unloosed a double-  
bodied, bat-shaped kite, six or seven  
feet long, which soared into the air to  
a height of about 200 yards. It floated  
there during the "voyage," and it could  
easily be understood how such an ob-  
ject out at sea would attract the atten-  
tion of a passing vessel miles away.

Mr. Cody told an "Express" repre-  
sentative that if he could obtain the  
consent of the British Government he  
meant to give his idea a practical trial  
on the ocean.

"First of all I shall sail in the boat  
from the Isle of Wight to Blackpool, or  
the Isle of Wight to Brighton," he said,  
"and fly the kite to see how it attracts  
the attention of steamers."

"Then I shall take the Lela aboard  
some vessel sailing for South America,  
and after two days be cast adrift. I  
shall haul the kite, and keep it flying  
until I am picked up by some passing  
steamer, and then, after a day or so,  
repeat the experiment. So I shall go on  
until I reach South America."

"I intend to take ten days' provisions  
with me, and four kites. The latter can  
be rolled up into bundles about six feet  
long, and four inches thick. They can  
be flown to any height, according to  
the length of string available, and can  
be paid out by hand. About 30 pounds  
of cord will reach a quarter of a mile.

"My object is to prove that small  
life-boats cannot drift along for any  
length of time without being seen. If  
they form a part of the equipment of  
every ocean-going steamer."

### STRANGE VISIONS OF DEAD.

Effect of Mystic Powder From India  
Described By Experimenter.

A remarkable experience with a  
mysterious Indian powder is related  
by a Bradford correspondent of Lon-  
don, England, papers.

A little while ago he received from  
a friend in India a package of powder,  
which he was assured possessed the ex-  
traordinary virtue of putting a person  
who used it according to the condi-  
tions named into direct communication  
with the "disembodied."

Highly skeptical, yet curious, the  
correspondent declares that he put the  
matter to a practical test, and that  
this is what happened:

"I was sitting in a room alone. With-  
in a few minutes the walls of the room  
seemed to recede or vanish, and a  
beautiful panoramic view presented  
itself, a sort of exquisite flower garden  
carried out on a huge scale, and with  
well laid out pathways stretching away  
as far as the eye could reach.

"No buildings or habitations were  
anywhere visible, but of people there  
were crowds; thousands. I should  
think these people were of both sex-  
es, were clothed in ordinary attire, and  
moved in groups along and around the  
paths referred to.

"Some of the groups came face to  
face with me, and among them I recog-  
nized relatives and friends, long since  
passed away, recognized them as I  
knew them in life.

"I have since repeated the experi-  
ment with equally mysterious results. I  
Furthermore, whenever I have made  
one of these tests and have retired to  
rest, I have either found myself an-  
ticipating the contents or purport of  
letters in transit or paying mysterious  
visits to the homes of acquaintances  
and also of strangers, and have after-  
wards been able to inform them of  
what transpired at the time of my il-  
licit visits."

The correspondent adds that he is  
not given to imaginative things, and  
that he is not a spiritualist.

### BLEW UP FERRIS WHEEL.

Dynamite Used to Wreck Fair Feature  
—Wheel Crumpled Up.

A special despatch to the New York  
Tribune from St. Louis says: The Fer-  
ris wheel at the World's Fair grounds  
was blown up at 4.30 p.m. on May 14. A  
hundred pounds of dynamite was ex-  
ploded under the supports at the  
north side of the structure, wrecking the  
foundation. As the wheel settled it  
slowly turned, with the bottom of the  
wheel as a support, then, after tol-  
dering a moment, it slowly collapsed.

It did not fall to one side, as the  
wreckers had planned. It merely  
crumpled up slowly and within a few  
minutes was a tangled mass of steel  
and iron thirty or forty feet high. The  
huge axle, weighing seventy-four tons,  
dropped slowly with the rest of the  
wheel, crushing the smaller braces and  
steel framework—shapes and forms.  
When the mass finally stopped settling  
it bore no resemblance to the wheel so  
familiar to all visitors of the St. Louis  
and Chicago Expositions.

### Electric Divining Rod.

Adolf Schmid, a Swiss engineer of  
standing, has just patented in several  
countries a device which takes the  
place of the divining rod of supersti-  
tious tradition.

It consists of a magnetic needle and  
a coil arranged in the magnetic merid-  
ian. This instrument is carried about the  
field in which it is desired to locate  
water, and whenever it passes over a  
hidden spring the magnetic needle will  
perform rapid and lively oscillations.

### Automobile Wheels.

Automobile wheels have an action up-  
on roads quite different from those of  
a cart or carriage, says a writer in Red  
Cross Notes. Automobiles increase  
dust. They bite the road very hard or  
dig into it, acting more or less as a  
grindstone or marble cutter. The road  
is gradually dispersed as fine gravel.  
The wheels of a carriage, on the other  
hand, act in a conservative way on  
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