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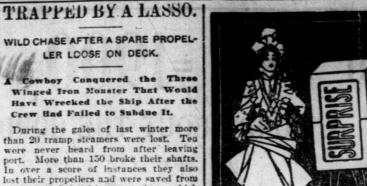
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RADLEY'S DRUG STORE There is always room at the top and if it's a woman's letter there is atways room at the bottom-for a

A German statistician has estimated that beneath every square mile of sea there are about 120,000,000 fish. It is safe to say, however, that these figures are not based upon the results of actual fishing experiences.



being overwhelmed by sea anchors, which held their heads to the combers, and a

liberal use of oil, which smoothed down the crests. Some of the underballasted

tramps from British ports, which in pleasant weather make the voyage to

Sandy Hook in 15 days, were 35 days and 40 days breasting the great winter

gales. Two of them rolled their funnels out, and another spent 15 days either at-

tempting to make her way through the crested billows or wallowing in the

together. During these 15 days the

weary skipper found, when he had a

chance to make an observation, that the ship had made 140 knots leeway. In

this tumultuous period very few of the officers were able to get any sleep, except

the merest catnaps. The food was hardly fit to eat through bad cooking, the

cook being unable to work properly, and

the water, impregnated by the searching brine from invading seas and spoondrift did not do much toward quenching thirst

The perils of the underballasted tramp, steaming to the westward with head

gales lashing the seas into fury, furnish

the marine reporters of nearly every At

lantic seaboard city every winter with columns of vivid stories. The tramp

skipper is undaunted by the appalling

dangers of his underpaid profession. The

business of following the sea is the only

one he knows anything about, and he

must either risk starvation on shore or boldly face the manifold dangers of a

rover of the oceans of the world, which

little notes the loss of a tramp steamship

here and there. When a tramp skipper

loses his job-he never gives it up-there

are a dozen or more applications for it

despite its perils and its meager pay.

All the smaller tramps that visit ports

without facilities for providing or repairing machinery carry, usually on the main deck aft or between decks, a spare propeller. There have been several instances

in which tramps with these extra propel-

lers have just escaped destruction in

heavy weather. A little British tramp that came into New York from the Med-

iterranean several years ago had a spare propeller made fast between decks aft.

One night, when she was within a few days of Sandy Hook, plunging and roll-

ing in a cyclone, the propeller broke from its lashings and began thundering about

the deck. The only illumination aboard ship was by means of flickering kerosene

lamps. The skipper and several of his

crew went down into the gloomy space

between decks and made an effort to check the erratic flight of the three wing-

ed iron monster.

They were armed with wooden and iron

bars and pieces of dunnage, which they tried to use as levers. It was difficult to

keep the ship's head up in the swell. She persisted in dropping off, and every time

she rolled the demon of a propeller rum-bled across the steel deck to port or star-

board, threatening to smash through the

ship's side. The skipper sent one of his

men to the bridge to tell the officer in charge to try to keep the ship's head up.

the movements of the propeller being less dangerous while the ship was pitching.

but she wouldn't answer her helm. The mass of metal stopped at times just long

enough to allow the skipper and his ad-

venturesome men to get within reach of it. Then it stirred like a sentient thing and appeared to spring at them. They

saved themselves from injury by jumping

At last, as the ship lurched heavily to port, the propeller whirled down the in-

clined deck and smashed against the side. One of its blades went through a plate.

It hung for a moment against a rib of the ship; then, loosening itself as the ship rolled and heeled to starboard, it

bowled athwartship again. A fountain

of sea water spurted through the hole made by the propeller blade as the tramp

slid that way. A few more holes in the ship's side would have caused her to take in so much water that she would have

been in danger of foundering, and the

skipper began to wish that the propeller

had gone all the way through and drop-

tramp, a stout young fellow who had experience as a cowboy on the Texas plains. He had heard the booming of the spare

propeller, and he went to the skipper and

volunteered to check it in its mad course

At first it revealed itself only dimly to him, a huge, batlike shadow, under the

fairt and unsteady glow of the kerosene lamps. After the cowboy had become

somewhat accustomed to the gloom and had spent a few moments dodging the

propeller he took a lasso, which he made

of an expert bull puncher he rung one of the blades with the noose. He made a

and with beams and bars and chains and

ropes they made it so fast that all the

storms of the north Atlantic could not

The First Muff.

It is 400 years now since the first known muff was worn. Venice was the place, November was the month, name

of lady who introduced the fashion un-known. Venice is not in a cold climate;

therefore it is odd that the fashion should have originated there. The Venetian

or brocades, lined and bordered with fur.

In the seventeenth century men as well as women carried muffs, at least in

have broken it loose again.

of a hawser, and with the unerring aim

There was one passenger aboard the

lled to port again, and the propeller

aside or leaping over it.

ped into the sea.

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Lord Roberts Is ues One to the Burghers.

London, Sept. 14.-The following despatch has been received at the war office from Lord Roberts:

"Machadodorp, Thursday, Sept. 13 .-Kruger has fled to Lorenzo Marquez, and Botha has been obliged to give over the command of the Boer army temporarily to Viljoen on account of ill health. In consequence of this I have circulated a proclamation as fol-

lows :-

"The late President Kruger, with Reitz and the archives of the South African Republic, has crossed the Portuguese frontier, and arrived at Lorenzo Marquez with the view of sailing for Europe at an early date. Kruger has formally resigned the po-sition which he held as president of the South African Republic, thus severing his official connection with the Transvaal. Kruger's action shows how hopeless in his opinion is the war, which has now been carried on for nearly a year, and his desertion of the Boer cause should make clear to his fellow burghers that it is use-less to continue the struggle any long-er. It is probably unknown to the inhabitants of the Transvaal and Orange River Colony that nearly fifteen thousand of their fellow subje ts are now prisoners of war, not one of which will be released until those under arms against us surrender unconditionally. The burghers must be cognizant of the enactment that no ntervention in their behalf can came from any of the great powers, and further, that the British Empire is determined to complete the work, which has already cost so many lives, and carry to a conclusion the war declared against her by the late govern-ments of the Transvaal and the Or-

ange Free State, a war to which there can be only one ending." Lord Roberts then proceeded to point out that with the exception of the small area which Gen. Botha is defending the war has degenerated into irregular operations which muct be brought to an early end, and con-cludes: — The means I am compelled to adopt are those which the customs war prescribe as applicable to such cases. They are ruinous to the country, entail endless sufferings to the burghers and their families, and the onger this guerilla warfare continues he more vigorously must they be en-

### THE FALL FAIRS.

PENINSULAR FAIR, Chatham, Oct. 10. and 11. Western Fair, London, Ont., Sept. (

Camber, October 2 and 3.

Moraviantown, Oct. 17 to 19.

Orford, Highgate, Oct. 12 and 13.

Howard, Ridgetown, Oct. 3 to 5.

Aldborough, Rodney, Oct. 10 and 11

Alvinston, Oct. 3 and 4.

Essex, Sept. 25 to 26.

Leamington, October 3 to 5.

Comber, Oct. 1 and 2.

East Kent, Thamesville, Oct. 1 and 2 Merlin at Merlin, Oct. 2 and 3. Moravian Indian Fair-At Moravian own, October 16th, 17th, 18th and

Howard fair, Ridgetown, Oct. 3 and

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#### PERSONALITIES.

One of Admiral Sampson's biographers says that when a boy he never played or sought amusement. Mr. Gallinger, of New Hampshire, is

the only regular physician in the Unit-ed States senate. Mr. Kyle, of South Dakota, is the only preacher. The most constant companion of General Nelson A. Miles is his Gordon

setter Rex. The general is very fond of him and the dog is most intelligent. Henry Labouchere is described as careless and untidy in dress and a smoker of poor eigarettes. He is fond of home life, and devoted to his wife and daughter.

Governor Sadler, of Nevada, wears an 181/2 collar and gloves and boots to correspond. These, as well as his hats, are made to his special order by Chicago concerns.

Senator Platt, of New York, reads all the newspapers on which he can lay hands and has several shelves of scrapbooks filled with clippings dealing with his own career.

Mr. Talbert, of South Carolina, votes louder than any other member of congress. He has a voice like a calliope, and the clerk of the house has never been compelled to call his name

Governor Sayers, of Texas, is fond of deep sea fishing. He is a frequent visitor at Rockport, on the gulf coast of Texas, and a famous resort for fishermen. The governor holds the record for big tarpon.

Senator Jones, of Nevada, is a strong believer in a diet which he himself devised. His breakfast never varies. It is always eaten at 8 o'clock, and invariably consists only of one cup of black coffee and a large piece of cinnamon bun.

Governor Rollins, of New Hampshire has a warm place in the hearts of church going people of his state. He is an Episcopalian himself, but tolerant of all creeds and denominations and gives much of his time and thought to religious work.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., has the religious characteristic of the family, and, as are his sisters, is a Sunday school teacher in the Fifth Avenue Baptist church, New York. He has a class of 63, and in the three years he has been a teacher has missed not more than three or four Sundays.

The next generation will see the Gould fortune pretty well cut up, there being so many heirs. The richest of these will be Kingdon, George Gould's eldest child. His father is rated at \$70,000,000. Kingdon, though a mere child, speaks German and French, and has picked up a surprising knowledge of yachting.

### WEDDING SUPERSTITIONS.

The bride who finds a spider on her wedding blessed. The bride who dreams of fairies the

night before her marriage will be thrice blessed. If the bridegroom carries a minia ture horseshoe in his pocket he will always have good luck.

Ship marriages are considered anything but lucky. Get married on land, or don't get married at all.

No bride or groom should be given a telegram while on the way to church. It is positively a sign of evil. If the wedding ring be dropped dur-

ing the ceremony the bride may as well wish herself unborn, for she will always have ill luck. Kiss a bride after the ceremony, and before the newly made husband has a

chance to do so, and you will have excellent luck throughout the year. Maidens eager to wed should give dishwater heated to the boiling point a wide berth. It means that they will not marry for a long time if they attempt to cleanse dishes in water so hot. Should a bride perchance see a coffin while being being driven to the rail-

way station prior to departing upon her honeymoon, she should order the driver to turn back and start over again, or else she will surely meet with bad luck.

### ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Next to Gibraltar, Malta is strongest fortress in the world. The Chinese began to write books before they migrated from the region south of the Caspian sea,

A cald in Morocco who does not furnish the sultan's officer the expected amount of tribute is promptly sent to prison and his place disposed of by auction to the highest bidder. All the soap in Paraguay is made

from cocoa oil. Cows eat the pulp from the nuts, leaving the hull inclosing the kernel clean and smooth. A ow will clean 40 or 50 nuts per night. Mansour, the horse that ran third in the Grand Prix of Paris in 1894 and came in only a length and a half behind Matchbox, which sold for \$75, 000, is now pulling a public cab in the streets of the gay capital.

The casket containing the remains of Lincoln, through fear of vandal thieves. has been removed no less than ten times since it was first placed in the vault in Oak Ridge cemetery, May 4.

The telegraph poles along the Savannah and Stateboro railway in Georgia are growing. They are made of cypress and must have been planted with the roots. They are sprouting at the top and serve a double purpose. They Minard's Liniment for sale Every- are shade trees as well as a support

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