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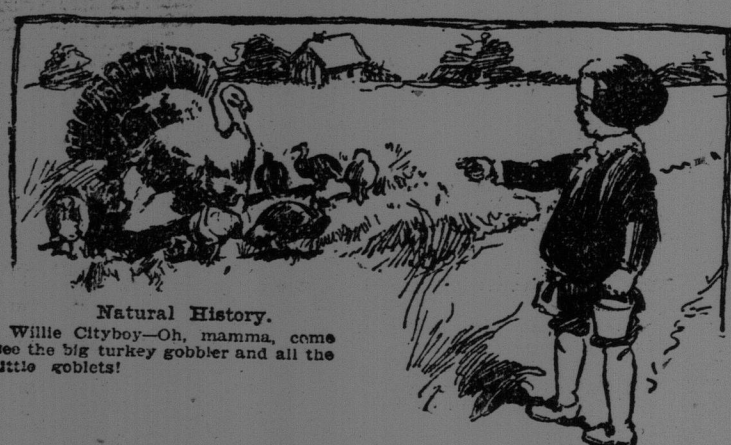
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28 DOCK STREET.



Natural History.  
Willie Cityboy—Oh, mamma, come see the big turkey gobbler and all the little cubs!

### EVELYN THAW CONTINUES THE STORY OF HER LIFE

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ingly and looked constantly from left to right about the court room. The big crowd seemed to annoy him. His pale face broke into a faint smile, as he recognized his brother, Edward Thaw, who was the only member of the family in court.

"Call Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw to the stand," requested Mr. Delmas, of the clerk.

When she took her place in the big witness chair she was dressed precisely as yesterday. She was very pale and her lips trembled as he answered the first simple question asked by her counsel. This was after Mr. Delmas stated that before any oral testimony was taken he would continue to read the postscript of the last letter offered in evidence yesterday. The letter was addressed to Attorney Longfellow.

The postscript follows:

"No one could have made me believe since I first saw her that she would show any one except me, whom I first thought she cared for, any letters. It is true, that after trusting each other, no hypnotism can make you forget all, but it is inexpressible said."

Mr. Delmas' first question to the witness was as to whether or not the "Her" in the letter referred to the witness.

"Yes, sir," came the tremulous reply.

The letter contained, "I have been asked not to have anything to do with you because you are a dangerous woman."

"He never lied to you."

"From the first time he ever saw you he wanted to do his best for you, to send you to school in Paris with your mother, or to send you both to school and he never did anything but respect."

"Yesterday he saw you believed everything false people told you as you did before, but as you are absolutely honest he would do you no harm ever for it only he was sorry. He won't trouble you at all as he would do anything for you, but now you must get stronger without him."

"You said you would live anywhere, anyway he wished so he could have chaperoned you and had all the honor of your elusive friendship and lose nothing himself. Instead he wished to give up everything to do all he could for you."

"I wish you would have spoken to me evening through the phone."

"To make you sure I'll explain everything make you sure I'll explain. After I saw the poor ill-advised angel I was so sorry, she meant to do right and was right had she only kept the purest things from pollution, lying, double-minded, deceitful, money-grasping, smooth-tongued, hardhearted but soft speaking professional deceivers."

In the letter were also the words: "If I wished Evelyn to become mistress—But through them had been drawn."

"Did the 'He' in the letter refer to Mr. Thaw?" "Did he speak of himself thus in correspondence?" asked Mr. Delmas.

"Yes, sir," replied the witness.

"The letter and a small magnifying glass were passed to the jury, and spent some time examining the paper. The next letter which was also written to Mr. Longfellow, by Mr. Thaw, who was in Paris soon after he heard Evelyn Nesbit's story, said in part: "Thank you for sending \$50 and \$20 and for White's telegram. I know a contented woman is happy, if you hear anything please cable but I think it will be secret. Send \$50 to me, being honest has finished me."

The next letter read by Mr. Delmas was very brief and was written by Thaw after reaching New York. "Dear Longfellow. Enclosed find check sent—a \$10 bill (always clean) in first typewriting envelope. Send \$50 to me. It is a great deal. I have nothing to live for, Yours H. K. Thaw."

The next letter contained these words: "Sleep seven hours when—saw many Pittsburghers on the train. Mr. and Mrs. George Carnegie. I have your loving sister and brother-in-law. I am so glad the Duse dress is pretty for you. I wish I always knew you would wear it first for me. I have something important to tell you when I see you. I saw all through it. I believe you are the happiest but I know it is not your fault and you meant no wrong. I want you to know I shall never hurt you. You know I never lie. I give you my sacred word that by the hope that there is that heaven above your pure soul shall go there. You have already been unlucky enough. You know I have always treated you with perfect respect."

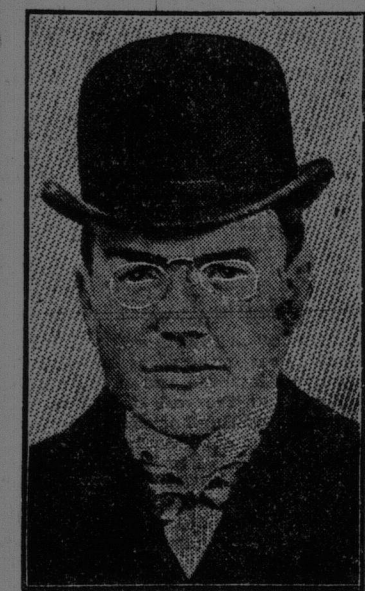
### \$32,000,000 GIFT FOR EDUCATION FROM JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER

Greatest Sum Ever Contributed for Philanthropic Purposes in the World's History—Rockefeller's Donations to the General Education Board Now Totals \$43,000,000—Money Will Go to Assist American Colleges

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Thirty-two million dollars' worth of income-bearing securities was the gift which John D. Rockefeller, through his son, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., announced to the general education board when it assembled for special meeting in this city late this afternoon.



JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER, JR.



JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER, SR.

For general education purposes throughout the country is given as the reason for this donation—the largest single prize ever handed out for such purposes.

Mr. Rockefeller previously had given the board \$11,000,000 for the same work, his contributions now amounting to \$43,000,000.

The general education board apparently was not prepared for this gift, which was announced simply in this letter: "New York, Feb. 6, 1907.

"General Education Board  
"54 William street, New York City:  
"Gentlemen—My father authorizes me to say that on or about April 1st, 1907, he will give to the General Education Board income-bearing securities, the present market value of which is about thirty-two million dollars (\$32,000,000), one-third to be added to the permanent endowment of the board; two-thirds to be applied to such specific objects within the corporate purposes of the board as either he or I may from time to time direct, any remainder not so designated at the death of the survivor to be added to the permanent endowment of the board."

"Very truly,  
"John D. Rockefeller, Jr."

Most of the members of the board were surprised at the size of the gift. Dr. Buttick, the secretary, said he did not know the gift was to be made until he saw the letter. Other members did not know of the donation until the letter was read.

A special meeting of the board was called for today to consider a communication from Mr. Rockefeller, the purport of which was not known to all the members. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., acting for his father, appeared shortly after the meeting was called to order and handed the letter to the secretary, Dr. Wallace Buttick.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., remained throughout the session of the board. Asked if he had anything to add to his letter, he replied he did not believe he could add anything of importance to it as the letter explained itself.

Members of the board when asked what the "specific purposes" referred to in Mr. Rockefeller's letter meant, said that it was in the line of educational work, and was intended, in their opinion, to give Mr. Rockefeller the right to direct the disposition of the fund to such institutions, within the province of the board, as he may deem proper. The elder Mr. Rockefeller is not a member of the board but his son is a member and the active direction doubtless will come from him.

The board voted to accept the gift, and, in appreciation, drafted a letter to the elder Mr. Rockefeller as follows:

"The general education board acknowledges the receipt of the communication of February 6, 1907, from John D. Rockefeller, Jr., a member of this body, announcing your decision to give to the board for the purpose of its organization, securities of the current value of thirty-two million dollars (\$32,000,000). The general education board accepts the gift with a deep sense of gratitude to you and of responsibility to society. This sum, added to the eleven millions (\$11,000,000) which you have formerly given to this board, makes a total of \$43,000,000, which the general education board the guardian and administrator of a total trust fund of forty-three million dollars (\$43,000,000).

"This is the largest sum ever given by a man in the history of the race for any social or philanthropic purposes. Members of the board unite upon the high and wise impulse which has moved you to this deed, and desire to thank you, in behalf of all educational interests whose developments it will advance, in behalf of our country whose civilization for all time it should be made to strengthen and elevate and

### MINK FURS

Despite the fact that we have had a great run on MINK FURS this season our stock still affords a good selection.

Throw Overs, Boas, Stoles, \$20.00 to \$75.00.  
Fur or Satin lined. Head and Tail trimmings.  
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Plain or trimmed.

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Manufacturing Furriers, 63 King Street.

### COMMERCIAL

WALL STREET.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—The opening dealings in stocks showed considerable animation but most of the conspicuous changes in prices were in stocks not of the first importance. Minn. St. Paul, and S. S. Marie rose 2 1/4; Nat. 1 1/4. N. Y. Central and Co. Fuel made large gains.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.  
Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market.  
(Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker.  
St. John, N. B., Feb. 8th, 1907.

Amalg. Copper	113 1/2	113 1/2	113 1/2
Anacosta	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Am. Sugar Refrs.	132	132 1/2	133
Am. Smelt. and Rfrs.	143 1/2	144	143 1/2
Am. Cat. Foundry	43	43 1/2	43 1/2
Atchafalca	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Am. L. X D 1 1/2 p. c.	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Brook. Rpd. Trst.	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Balt. and Ohio	116 1/2	116 1/2	117 1/2
Ches. and Ohio	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Canadian Pacific	132 1/2	132 1/2	132 1/2
Colo. P. and Iron	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Erie	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Nipissing	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Kan. and Texas	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Louis. and Nash.	134 1/2	134 1/2	135 1/2
Mexican Central	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Missouri Pacific	85	85 1/2	84 1/2
Nor. and Western	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
N. Y. Central	127 1/2	128 1/2	129 1/2
Ont. and Western	44 1/2	45	45
Pao. C. and Gas Co.	96 1/2	97	97 1/2
Reading	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Republic Steel	35 1/2	36	36
Sloss Sheffield	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
Pennsylvania	131 1/2	131 1/2	132 1/2
Rock Island	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
St. Paul	148 1/2	149	149 1/2
Southern Ry.	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Southern Pacific	94	94	94 1/2
Northern Pacific	154 1/2	154 1/2	154 1/2
National Lead	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
Tenn. C. and Iron	154 1/2	154 1/2	154 1/2
Union Pacific	173 1/2	174	173 1/2
U. S. Rubber	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
U. S. Steel	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
U. S. Steel, pfd.	102 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2
Total sales in New York yesterday, 800,000 shares.			

### CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

May corn	47 1/2	47 1/2	47
" wheat	80 1/2	80 1/2	79 1/2
" oats	41	40 1/2	40 1/2
" pork	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
July corn	47	46 1/2	46 1/2
" wheat	79 1/2	79 1/2	80
" oats	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
" pork	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2

### MONTEAL QUOTATIONS.

Dom. Coal	62	62	62
Dom. Iron and Steel	22	22 1/2	22 1/2
Dom. L. and S. pfd.	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
Nova Scotia Steel	72	72	72
C. P. R.	132 1/2	132 1/2	132 1/2
Twin City	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2
Montreal Power	91	91	91
Rich. and Ont. Navg.	80	79 1/2	80
Detroit United	79	79 1/2	80
Toronto Sid Ry.	114	113 1/2	113 1/2
Ill. Trac. pfd.	93 1/2	93 1/2	93 1/2

### NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

March	3.39	3.38	3.43
May	3.55	3.53	3.59
July	3.67	3.69	3.71
October	3.55	3.56	3.55

Two Views.  
Flubdub—"The only way to keep your friends is to treat them kindly."  
Gusler—"And often."



A Corker.  
"Yes, poor old Pete was drowned in four feet of water."  
"Why, how could that be?"  
"His cork leg floated and held his head down."



Hubby arriving home at 3 A. M.—Come down lecher of man in wife, Wife putting head out window—Wall, sir! If you feel half as small as you do, you could crawl through the keyhole.

### TENDERS FOR STOCK.

TENDERS will be received by me at my office, Chubb's Corner, in the City of St. John, until Monday, the Eleventh Day of February instant, at Five o'clock in the afternoon, for the stock in trade and shop fixtures in the Dry Goods and Variety Store, No. 308 Brussels street, in said city. The goods can be inspected on application to me, where the stock list can be seen. Tenders may state the amount agreed to be given in blue or how much on the dollar as per stock list or for separate departments in stock list. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.  
Dated February 2nd, 1907.  
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### PERSONALS

Mrs. A. M. Storm entertained a few of the young friends of her daughter at a snowshoe tramp on Monday evening from their Pine street home. Mrs. R. T. Worden has issued cards for an At Home on Friday of next week.  
H. B. McLaughlin, of Truro, arrived in the city on the noon train today. He is at the Dufferin.  
Miss Margaret Holding of Woodstock is at the Dufferin.  
K. E. McGregor, of Montreal, was a passenger on the Atlantic express today.  
Walter Wilson and Miss Jennie Wilson left last evening for Toronto.