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## The "Atilla" Case.

The case of the two seamen Murphy and Green, convicted of the larceny of a quantity of provisions from the bark Atilla, the property of Balne Johnston & Co., was disposed of yesterday afternoon and in view of extraordinary circumstances put forward on their behalf, the defendants were liberated on giving heavy bonds for their future good behavior and returning the stolen articles of food, which consisted of two barrels of flour and 50 pounds of beans, or their equivalent value. Mr. Gibbs, K.C., and Mr. Higgins, who acted for Murphy and Green, respectively, made a strong plea for mitigation of punishment, pointing out that both defendants were never before court before, had previous good records as their thirty years' experience in seamanship showed; also it was intimated that the flour and beans had become damaged on the last voyage of the Atilla as a result of the Brazilian climate, that this food was refused by the crew and that it was taken by Murphy, the cook, who considered them his perquisites. Green sharing in the \$4 the two barrels of flour were sold for. Mr. F. Mews, Counsel for Balne Johnston & Co., stated in advance that his clients did not press to have dire punishment inflicted on the accused, but merely to put a stop to the practice that was going on. He hoped that His Honor's judgment would meet the exigencies of the case. Mr. F. J. Morris, who presided, advised very strongly on the improper and illegal custom prevailing amongst Nfld. seamen, particularly cooks, for many years, as to what they considered their perquisites at the end of a voyage. This, he continued, was very applicable to the sealing voyage and he had personal knowledge of cases. Any food left over after any voyage, said His Honor, does not constitute the cook's perquisites, as it is the property of the cook's master and should be protected. After reviewing all the evidence surrounding the case, His Honor ordered to furnish two bonds in \$200 and \$100 and costs of 6 months imprisonment, and Green was ordered to give two bonds in \$100 and \$50. The bonds were signed and the prisoners released.

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## Amusements.

**AT THE CRESCENT.**  
The Crescent Picture Palace presents to-day "The Closed Door" an interesting detective drama produced by the Kalem Company featuring Marion Sais and Arthur Shirley. A great wild animal story is "The Tyrant of the Veldt," all the scenes of this feature are laid in South Africa. "A Day's Adventure" is a very exciting Biograph drama with a strong cast including Harry Carey, Charles H. West and Claire McDowell. One of the best Ham and Bud comedies is "Rushing the Lunch Counter," Lloyd V. Hamilton, the funniest man in the movies, is a riot of fun in this great comedy. Mr. Dave Parks, baritone, the man with the voice, sings "When I First Met You," one of the latest ballads. Extra pictures at to-morrow's big matinee for the children.

**THE CINDERELLA DANCE.**  
Patrons who attend the British Theatre to-night are assured of a most enjoyable time. In addition to the regular program, there will be a dance which will be held in the lower Hall. This is a unique feature and is offered to theatre goers for the first time. The drama will be informal and only those who attend either of to-night's performances will be admitted. Madame Timmons will be chaperone. The first show will begin at 7.15 and the second will conclude at about 10.30 when the Cinderella Dance will commence. The program will consist of five dances. The picture programme will be up to the usual standard of excellence and a most pleasant time is in store for all who attend.

**THE SELIG CO. GIVES THE QUARRY**  
To-day there is a new programme at the Nickel Theatre and it is up to the usual standard. Nothing but the best is the Nickel's motto and patrons of all classes realize that they get the best there. The great feature for to-day is "The Quarry" by the Selig Co. This is a film adaptation by Gilson Willets of the world-famous novel of the same name. It is a very absorbing story of the underworld, and of how a victim of circumstantial evidence is finally exonerated. "When the Fates Spin" is a beautiful Essanay drama with Bryant Washburn in the lead. "His Mother's Portrait" is another grand and touching story. The comedy is "Whose Husband" by the Vitagraph Co. To-morrow there is a bumper matinee for children, and on Monday there will be a great holiday entertainment.

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The famous "Exiles Road," which runs across Siberia from Nishin-Novgorod to Ke-akh-ta, a distance of about 5,900 miles, is, of course, longer than the above, but it is not, strictly speaking, a "made road," having been beaten originally into a trail by the feet of the poor exiles in the pre-railroad days. It is now chiefly used by horse-dealers from the steppes of the far interior, and it is said that there are always half a million horses on the road, and that every dealer knows every other dealer from one end of it to the other.

The longest street in the world, taking the meaning of "street" as a thoroughfare bordered with houses, is Western Avenue, Chicago, which is twenty-two miles long. Its nearest rival is Halstead Street, also in Chicago, which is two-thirds of a mile shorter.

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"The extent to which the peerage has voluntarily surrendered the lives of its sons to the service of the Empire is strikingly illustrated in the pages of the new 'Debrett,'" says the Pall Mall. "A roll of honour of more than 800 names of those who have been killed or have died of wounds fills twelve pages, and an analysis of the list shows that it contains:—

- 1 member of the Royal Family, 6 peers,
  - 16 baronets,
  - 6 knights,
  - 7 M.P.'s,
  - 164 Companions,
  - 95 sons of peers,
  - 82 sons of baronets,
  - 84 sons of knights.
- "The cruel way in which fate has hit some families is shown by the list. "Changes in the succession to more than 100 titles have been caused by the deaths in the war. "In quite a number of instances the peerage is threatened with extinction owing to the death of all possible heirs. Half a dozen baronets are also left without heirs, and several titles are in doubt owing to the heirs being reported 'missing.'"

## TO REMOVE DANDRUFF

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## A Look Backward.

London Times:—Our searches of American ships have, it seems, a deterrent effect upon American trade ventures. Vessels are withdrawn "from their usual routes," while insurances and cargoes are refused. No remedy, it is observed, can be obtained in Prize Courts for these wrongs. Did not we suffer, and suffer grievously, from them and from kindred injuries in the Civil War? Do Americans forget how they practically wiped out the whole industry of Lancashire and plunged its population into dire distress? Did we complain? No; their sufferings were acute, but their sympathies and the sympathies of the whole English democracy remained true to the North. They believed that the North was fighting in the cause of human liberty and moral right, and therefore they were patient. Some reciprocity, it may seem to Americans as well as to us, might be expected from Washington in the day of our trial.

## Cape Report.

Special to Evening Telegram.  
CAPE RACE, To-day.  
Wind west, blowing, light, weather dull. No ships were sighted to-day. Bar. 29.58; Ther. 32.

## Great Big Programme for the Week End at THE NICKEL.

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# "THE QUARRY."

A film adaptation by Gilson Willets of the world-famous novel of the same name, an absorbing story of the underworld and of how a victim of circumstantial evidence is finally exonerated.

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Bryant Washburn in an Essanay drama.

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## BRITISH THEATRE!

# Cinderella Dance.

To-night's performance begins at 7.15, and at the conclusion of the second show an informal dance will be held in the Lower Hall, which will be FREE to all patrons who attend to-night's performance. The programme will be one of five dances, and will enable all to get home at a reasonable hour. Madame Timmons will be Chaperone. Come, see a good show and then have an enjoyable dance. All for the one admission fee. DON'T MISS A GOOD THING.

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