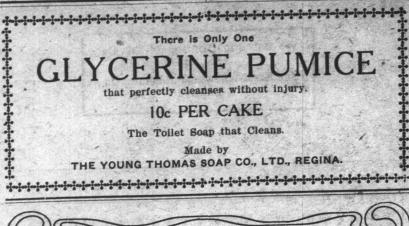
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me a little. I should hate to seem

oughtless or ungrateful to him.

"Do you think that he cares-

Enough to be reconciled with

"I think," she said, "that that

The long ascent was over at last.

They pulled up before the inn, in the

front of which the proprietor was al-

ready executing a series of bows. Be-

young man in a grey flannel suit and

Panama hat, jumped from his motor

"Don't be awfully cross!" he ex-

claimed, laughing. "You know you

afternoon, so I couldn't help having

a spin out to see whether I, could

catch you. Won't you allow me, Lady

"It isn't any use being cross with

you," Sybil remarked. "It never ap-

"I am terribly thick-skinned," he

answered, "when I don't want to un-

derstand. Will you ladies have some

tea, or come and see how the restora-

"We were proposing to go and see

what the German Emperor's idea of

a Roman camp was," Sybil answered.

can you, Lady Caroom?" he declared,

"And why, may I ask?" Sybil in

Lady Caroom very soon had enough

"Give me a quarter of an hour

woods-and I'll show you a squirrel's

CHAPTER XI

Brooks Hears the News.

of the ruins," he remarked. "The re- the hypocrite."

old part of the outer wall."

"Oh, you can't shake me off now, able."

Caroom? The step is a little high."

pears to make any impression."

tion is getting on?"

fore they could descend there was a

amiliar sound from behind and

and came to the carriage door.

you tell me something, mother?"

"I think he does-a little!"

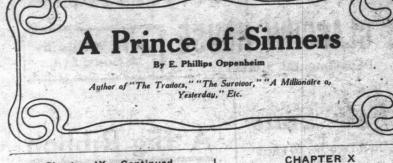
Sybil drew a little breath.

"Of course."

father for my sake?"

Caroom answered.

cides me."



Chapter IX., Continued. "Thank you," Mary said, hardly "I am sorry, but I must decline your dow of the pine woods, and commencoffer-absolutely. Now, let us go ed the long uphill ascent to Saalburg. Lady Caroom put down her parasol, shall we?" She would have risen but he laid and turned towards Sybil, whose eyes were steadfastly fixed upon the narhis hand firmly upon her shoulder. row white belt of road ahead. "Not till I have had some sort of explanation," he said. "Is it that you

talk " "Your talk," Sybil corrected her, do not care for me, Mary?" with a smile. "I'm to be the listen-She turned around on him with strange color in her cheeks and an er." angry light in her eye.

ter all," Lady Caroom declared. "And appealing to her. "We'll consider it we had better make haste, or that an accident that you found me here, "You might have spared me that also," she exclaimed. "You are de-impetuous young man of yours will if you like, but it is in a reality a termined to humiliate me, to make come pounding after us on his motor piece of good fortune for you." me remember that hateful afternoon before we know where we are. What afternoon in my rooms-oh, I can are you going to do about him, Sy quired, with uplifted eyebrows. say it if I like-when I kissed you. I bil?" "I don't know." knew then that sooner or later you your duty to ask me to marry you. mind. He's getting on my nerves, You must decide one way or another." Only you might have done it by letter. Sybil sighed. It would have been kinder. Never "He's quite the nicest young man mind. You have purged your conknow-of his class," she remarked. of it. She sat down upon a tree and safe." "Exactly," Lady Caroom assented, brought out her sketchbook. science, and you have had your answer. Now let us go." "And though I think you will admit

amazed-beside himself with wonder that I am one of the least convention- please," she begged, "not longer. al of mothers, I must really say I want to be home for tea." "Mary," he said quietly, "I give you don't think that it is exactly a com- They strolled off, Atherstone turnand self-reproach my word that nothing which I have fortable thing to do to marry a man ing a little nervously to Sybil. who is altogether outside one's own "I say, we've seen the best part

said this evening has the least connection with that afternoon. I give you circle." "Mr. Brooks," Sybil said, "is quite novation's hideous. Let's go in the my word that not for a moment have ts well bred as Atherstone." I thought of it in connection with "He is his equal in breeding and in nest." what I have said to you tonight." She looked at him steadfastly, and birth," Lady Caroom declared. "You Sybil hesitated. Her thoughts for a her eyes were full of things which know all about him. I admit," she moment were in confusion. Then she continued, "that it sounds like a page sighed once and turned towards the he could not understand.

"When did you make up your mind out of a novel. But it isn't. The only woods. "I have never seen a squirrel's nest ed, "but I dare not try it." pity is-from one point of viewto ask me this?" He pointed to the little table where that it makes so little difference." -is it far?"

Lady Sybil Says "Yes."

The carriage plunged into the sha-

"Now, Sybil," she said, "for our

"Oh, it may not be so one sided af-

"You think," Sybil asked, "that he they had been sitting. "Only a few minutes ago. I confess will really keep his word-that he is Lady Caroom put her sketch book born." it was an impulse. I think I realized not willing to be reconciled to Lord away as she heard their approaching

MONEY Tea was brought in. Afterwards "Yours most sincerely, footsteps and looked up. Atherstone's happiness was too ridiculously apparas we sat there how dear you had be- Arranmore." "Kingston Brooks." TOLOAN We are representatives of the North The band was playing and they we "I am sure of it, my dear," "P.S.-Have you heard that you come to me Mary-how dull life was Caroom answered. "Unless a miracle ent. He came straight over to her. surrounded on all sides by acquain- friend the Bishop is going to bring a of Scotland Canadian Mortgage Com LOWEST CURRENT RATES happens he will continue to be Mr. "You'll give her to me, won't you?" without you." tances. A great personage stopped Bill before the House of Lords which pany, Ltd., and are prepared to take "You say these things to me," she Kingston Brooks for the next ten or he exclaimed. "Pon my word, she No waiting to submit applicatious large or small loans on farm property. and talked to them for a while. Lady is to exterminate me altogether?" fifteen year, for Lord Arranmore's shall be the happiest woman in Engexclaimed, "when all the time you Lowest rates of interest and terms Caroom admitted the news of Sybil's Lady Caroom sighed for a moment woman." He started a little. She smiled lifetime, and you know they are a land if I can make her so. I'm perlove another woman." DEBENTURES made to suit. engagement. After that every one stop- as she read the letter, but immediatelong lived race. So you see the situa- fectly certain that I am the happiest ned to express pleasure. It was not ly after her face cleared. Municipal and School Debentures CORRESPONDENCE INVITED. bitterly as she saw the shadow on his tion remains practically unaltered by man." until the young people appeared them- "After all I think it is best," she Bought and Sold. NAY & JAMES. what I have told you. Mr. Kingston Lady Caroom, pressed her daughselves and at once monopolized all at murmured, "and Atherstone is such a face. "What do you mean?" Brooks is a great favorite of mine. ter's hand-and they all turned to de tention, that Aranmore was able to dear." **Financial Agents** REGINA FIRE and ACCIDENT "I mean," she said, deliberately- I am very fond of him indeed. But I scend the hill. draw his companion away into com-(To be Continued.) INSURANCE "that you love Sybil Caroom. Is it very much doubt-even if he should "Of course I'm charmed," Lady Carparative solitude? ask -you-whether you would find oom said. "Sybil makes me feel so tion of Ballinger was signed long be "Do you by any chance correspond not true?" His head dropped a little. He had your position as his wife particularly elderly. But I don't know what I BALLINGER TO RESIGN fore he read the result of the Glavis ADDISON REID & CO. with Brooks?" he asked her. investigation. This created a pronever asked himself even so much as comfortable. You and I,Sybil, have shall do for a chaperon now." She shook her head. "No!" she answered. "I was think- Taft Will Endeavor to Strengthen His found sensation all over the United this. He was face to face now with all no secrets from one another. I wish Atherstone laughed. LIMITED "I'm your son-in-law," he said. 305 Darke Block Telephone 448 the concentrated emotions which late- you would tell me exactly how you Cabinet. States, the echo of which has not ing of that. I should like him to know BEVERLEY, Mass., Aug. 13 .- Rich- died down yet. ly had so much disturbed his life. feel about him." can take you out." from one of us. Can't you write him, The problem which he had so sedul-Sybil smiled-a little ruefully. ard A. Ballinger, United States sec-Sybil shook her head. Arranmore?" "I could," he answered, "but it will retary of the interior, will resign on ously avoided was forced upon him "No, you won't," she declared. "The "If I knew-exactly," she answer-COLLISION AT FALLS perhaps come better from you. Have September 15. Certain events follow WINTER APPLES ruthlessly, with almost barbaric sim- ed, "I should know exactly what to do. only woman I have ever been really esting our set of young men are as a of absorbing all the attention from you ever had any conversation with But I don't. You know how uninter- jealous of is mother. She has a way ing incidents of the last week or so. plicity. Dangerous Smash Near The Whirl-"I do not know," he answered ralead to the conclusion that a complete 5-Carloads-5 pool Rapids ther vaguely, "I have never asked my-rule. Well, directly I met Mr. Brooks every one when she is around. I am political readjustment in circles close "Once," she answered, "yes!" NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Aug. 15. "Then you can write-it will be bet. to President Taft is in progress. self. I do not wish to ask myself. Why at Enton I felt that he was different. not going to have her begin with -In a head-on collision between two do you speak of her? She is not of our He interested me very much. Then you." The resignation of Richard A. Balter for you to write. I should like to trolley cars on the Gorge route this Spys. Baldwins, Russetts. useful-to get something into my life, man who married a twin-said he nelinger, secretary of the interior of world, the world to which I want to I have always wanted to do something . "I feel," Atherstone said, "like the the United States, has been expected evening, nine persons were injured, belong. I want to forget her." Greenings, . Tolmon Sweet, "You are a little mad tonight, my and he found me exactly the sort of ver tried to tell the difference, you "Have you any idea whether the and predicted for some time. Ballin. one seriously. The collision occurred Kings, 20 oz. Pippin, Haas, friend," Mary said. "Tomorrow you work I wanted. But he has never know, when a pal asked him how he news will be in any way a blow to ger's administration has been a at Swift Drift, at the point in the Grimes' Golden, Bailey Red will feel differently. If Sybil Caroom talked to me as though he cared par- picked out his own wife." ception, and during his term of office gorge where the river breaks into him?" cares for you, what does it matter to ticularly-though I think he does a "If you think," Sybil said, severely, "I think perhaps it may," she ad official scandals, one closely following the swift rapids above the whiripool. which world she belongs. She is not little." "that you have made any arangements mitted. the other, have been rife. The hardest The ledge upon which the tracks rest the sort of girl to be bound by old- "It is easy to see," Lady Caroom of that sort I take it all back. You Arranmore was silent. She watched him with eagerness, hoping for some criticism directed against the Taff is narrow and on the riverside there Crab Apples, Pears, Grapes fashioned prejudices. But I do not remarked, "that you are not head over are going to marry me if you behave administration has, in fact, come understand you at all tonight. You heels in love." is a sheer drop of twenty feet into yourself.' look, some expression of sympathy. She was disappointed. His face did through Ballinger's retention in the Williamson's FRUIT are not yourself. I think that you are "Mother." Sybil answered, "do you He sighed. the churning waters. Both cars were believe that girls often do fall head "Three months is a beastly long -a little cruel." not relax. It-seemed almost to grow Taft cabinet. shattered by the terrific force of the over heels in love? If Mr. Brooks time," he said. Ballinger's troubles began when "Cruel?" collision, but neither left the rails. harder. "He has only himself to blame," he Chief Forester of the United States and I met continually, and if he and Lady Caroom drove back alone. The Her face darkened. The injured are: Charles Vaughn said slowly. "But for this ridiculous Gifford Pinchot resigned his office. "Oh, it is only natural," she said, his father were reconciled, well, I motor whizzed by her half-way down of Niagara Falls, a conductor, condiwith a note of suppressed passion in think it would be quite easy for me to the hill-Sybil holding her hat with masquerading his chance was as good claiming that Ballinger was nanding tion critical; Mrs. Nellie Melvin, Ne GALT as Atherstone's. Quixoticism such as the public domain in Alaska and her low tone. "It is just the accursed become very fond of him. If even both hands and her hair blowing the public domain in Alaska and Washington over to the moneyed in-terests, of which it was intimated the bell, Ottumwa, Iowa; Mrs. Gordon, Ottumwa, Iowa; Samuel Sadies, egotism of your sex. What right have now he had followed me here, was about, and her cheeks pink with pleasyou to make me suffer so-to ask me with us often and showed that he ure. She waved her hand gaily as she his is an expensive luxury." COAL to marry you-and sit by my side and was really very fond of me, I think went by and then clutched her hat Guggenheim syndicate was the head. "That sounds hard hearted," she Bowling Green, Ky.; Mrs. Alice Marwonder whether you care for another I should be inclined to return it-per- again. Lady Caroom watched them Later the Morgan interests were also tindale, 463 Manning Ave., Toronto; said. "He is doing what he thinks is women? Can't you see how humiliat- haps even-I don't know-to risk until they were out of sight, then she brought-into the matter. ing it is? It is an insult to ask a wo- marrying him and giving up our or- found herself looking steadfastly over right." Mrs. W. H. errett, San Francisco; E. CLEANEST Accusations back and forth follow-Then Lord Arranmore told her what ed this, the people at large generally Falls; Henry Furman, motorman, Furman, 550 Main Street, Niagara man to marry you to cure your lone- dinary life. But as it is I like to the valley to the belt of pine clad hills AND BEST he told Brooks himself. liness, to make you a home to settle think of him, I should like him to be beyond. She could see nothing very siding with Pinchot. Then came the The accident was due to the fail-"My son is quite a model young your indecision. It is an insult to here; but I am not, as you say, head clearly and there was a little choking Glavis charges. Glavis a subordinate ure of the brake on the going downin her throat. They were both there man," he said, "but he is a prig. He ask a woman to marry you except for over ears in love with him." in the department, resigned, claiming the reason that you care for her more "And now about Atherstone?" Lady -father and son. Once she fancied thinks too much about what is right river car. At Swift Drift there is a land grafters in the northwest. He gave his story to Collier's Weekly. His account created a sensation. An in-The Smith & Fergusson Co that at last he was holding out his and wrong, about what is due to himthan you care for any other woman Caroom said. in the world, and can tell her so trust- "Well, Atherstone has improved a arms to her-she sat up in the car- self and he values his own judgment Sole Agents fully, eagerly. Please to put me in great deal," Sybil answered thought- riage with a little cry which was half too highly. However, I have no right Phone 45. Smith Block Rose St

it. I havetried to make you under

stand how I feel, I cannot alter. It is

"You tempt me he cried, "to play

"No, I do not," Arranmore." she ans

wered gently, "for there is no acting

in this-world which would deceive

"You do not doubt that I should

"I believe you would," she answer

make you a good husband?"

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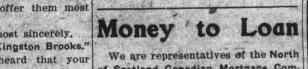
THE WEST, REGINA, SASKATCHEWAN BUSINESS CARDS "Have you met Sybil and Ather your proper position in society and onsent to such arrangements as Mr Will stone?" she asked him. Ascough and I may make. In any case THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY 'Yes," he answered gravely. "Come into my room," she said, I was proposing for myself a sou "and I will give you some tea. These what extensive scheme of travel, and J. KELSO HUNTER, young people are sure to have it on the opportunity seems to me a good Barrister, Etc. you to dispense with an in Regina one for 1818 Scarth Street the terrace. I will join you when I which may lead you some day have got rid of some of this dust." ognito He was alone for ten minutes. At into even worse complications. I trust to lend on Improved Farms "No! Not enough for that," Lady the end of that time she came out that for the sake of other people you and City Property. through the folding doors with the old may be brought into contact with you mile upon her lips and the old lithe will accept the arrangement which I HAULTAIN, CROSS & JONAH someness in her movements. He rose propose, BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, NOTARIES PUBLIC. ETC. - I remain. and watcher her until she had settled Yours faithfully. down in her low chair. Offices: Marsh Block, Scarth Street, "Arranmore. Regina, Canada. "So Sybil is going to marry Athen The other letter was from Lady Car-W. G. Haultain, K.C. J. A. Cross. stone!" E. B. Jonah. "Yes. He really deserves it, doesn't **Ritter's Hotel** he? He is a very noce boy." My Dear Mr. Brooks. Arranmore shrugged his shoulders. PEVERETT & HUTCHINSON "I want to be the frst to tell you of "What an everlasting fool Brooks **General Agents** Sybil's engagement to the Duke of is," he said in a low tone. Representing The London Assur Atherstone, which took place this afternoon. He has been a very persist-ent suitor, and he is a great favorite "He keeps his word," she answered "It is a family trait; with you, Arranent suitor, and he is a great favorite. I think, deservedly, with every one. Loan Co.; The Royal Trust Company; nore. "You are all stubborn, all self-I think, deservedly, with every one. Loan Co.; The Royal Trust Company; half promised to come with me this willed, self-centred, selfish !' He will, I am sure, make her very The Sovereign Life Assurance Co.; Commercial Union; Hartford Fire and "Thank you!" happy. other first class companies. "You can't deny it!" "I understand that you are still in SCARTH ST,, over Imperial Bank, "I won't try. I suppose it is true ondon. You must find this weather REGINA, SASK. Besides I want to keep you in a good very oppressive. Take my advice and P.O. Box 710. Telephone 125. humor." don't overwork yourself. No cause in "Do tell me why?" the world, however good, is worth the JAMES McLEOD, M.D., C.M. "If Brooks is going to be married, sacrifice of one's health. (McGill) you can't live alone." "I hope that my news will not dis-Late of London and Vienna. "I won't admit that, but what about tress you. You realized of course, that EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT it? Do you know of a nice respectable your decision to remain known, or ra-EXCLUSIVELY. companion?" ther unknown, as Kingston Brooks, Office: Northern Bank Building, Re "Myself." made it at some time or other inevigina, Sask. She shook her head. table, and I hope to see a good deal Office Hours-9 to 12, 2 to 5 and 7 to 8. "You may be nice," she answered, 'Phone 274. of you when we return to town, and "but you certainly are not respectthat you will always believe that I am DRS. BALL & HARVIE your most sinceer friend, "I am what you make me," he ans "Catherine Caroom." PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS. wered in a low tone. "Cathorine! A Brooks laid the two letters down Cor. South Railway and Scarth Sts. moment ago you accused me of stub-(Over Dominion Bank) with a curious mixture of sensations. bornness. What about yourself?" Hours-9.30 to 10 a.m. 2 to 6 p.m. He knew that a very short time ago ne might have considered himself-as 7 to 9 p.m. Telephone No. 665. "Yes, you. You have been the only broken hearted, and he knew that as woman of my life. You are free, you F. J. BALL, M.D., M.R.C.S. (Eng.) W. A. HARVIE, M.B. (Toronto Univ.) a matter of fact he was nothing of the "Oh, I'm an authority on this place know there is no other man who could sort. He answered Lady Caroom's -come here nearly every day to give make you happy as I could, yet you "Well, you'll have to make up your the director—as he calls himself— a will not come to me for the sake of letter first. STOREY & VAN EGMOND 27 Jermyn Street, W. few hints. Come along, Lady Car- an idea. If I am heartless and call-Architects 'Dear Lady Caroom. Office: Top Floor, Facing Elevator, oom. I'll show you the baths and the ous, an infidel, an egotist, whatever "It was very kind of you to write NORTHERN BANK BUILDING. you choose, at least I love you. You to me and to send me the news of SCARTH STREET. need not fear me. You will always be Sybil's engagement so promptly. I P.O. Box 1344. Telephone 498. wish her most heartily every happi-She shook her head. ness. After all it is the most suitable ASHTON D. CARROTHERS "Arranmore," she said, "this is pain thing which could have happened. Geo. Speers & Co. BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, ful to me. Do let us cease to discuss "You are right in your surmise. Af-

NOTARY. ter our conversation I realized quite Telephone No. 598 plainly that under my present identity I could not possible think of Lady Sy-STRATHCONA BLK, 1721 Scarth St., bil except as a very charming and a Regina, Sask. very valued friend. I was therefore, quite prepared for the news which you T. D. Brown, B.A. Harold F. Thomso "I am going for a few days' golf and BROWN & THOMSON

sea bathing into Devonshire, so don't waste too much sympathy upon me. Barristers, Solicitors, Notriaes, etc. My best regards to Lady Sybil. Just Offices: Wheatley Bros. Block. now I imagine that she is overwhelmed with good wishes but if she will Scarth St.

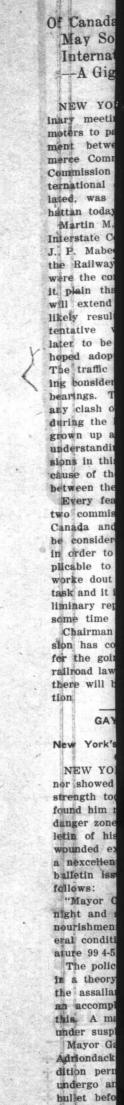
"And this is the woman," he muradd mine to the number I can assure mured sadly, "who calls me stubyou and her that I offer them mos heartily.

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things which have always troubled on here to see you."

a cab at once and never speak of fully. "There are a great many things a sob. When she drove through the to complain for it is he who suffers, these things again."

She was half way across the lawn is always well dressed and fresh and the steps to welcome her. before he could stop her, her head nice. He enjoys himself without bethrown back, carrying herself proudly ing dissipated and he is perfectly naand well, moving as it seemed to him tural. He is rather boyish perhaps, with a sort of effortless dignity wholly but then he is young. He is not afraid

words. He obeyed her literally. There into everything. And I think I like his white, his lips smiled that courteous visit to Homburg, Brooks a few days was nothing else for him to do. His persistence." slight effort to join her in the cab she

firmly repulsed, holding out her hand "you would have immense opportuni- teeth as she rose from her seat and and speaking a few cheerful words of ties for doing good. He has a great gathered her skirts in her hand. thanks for her evening's entertain- deal of property in London, besides "You, too, a pilgrim?" she exclaimment. And when the cab rolled away three huge estates in Somerset." "That is a great consideration," Sy- ter." Brooks felt lonelier than ever.

Minard's Liniment Lumberman's Friend.

about him which I like very much. He hotel gates it was he was stood upon not I. May I dine at your table tonight? I came over alone."

"Certainly." They were interrupted a few minutes later by Sybil and Atherstone, and a small host of their friends. But

Unchanged! Her first eager glance in keeping with the vigor of her to laugh and I like the way he enters into his face told her that. Waxen in consequence of Lord Arranmore's greeting upon her, his tone was mea- later received two letters. The first

"As his wife," Lady Caroom said, sured and cold as ever. She set her was from Lord Ararnmore. Ritter's Hotel. "Dear Mr. Brooks,

"The news which I believe Lady ed. "I thought you preferred salt wa- Caroom is sending you today may per haps convince you of the folly of this bil said, earnestly. "I shall always "We had a pleasant fortnight's out- masquerading. I make you, therefore Engineers and others who realize t be thankful that I met Mr. Brooks. He ing," he answered. "Then I went with the following offer. I wil leave Engmade me think in a practical way of Hennibul to Wiesbaden and I came land for at least five years on condition that you henceforth take

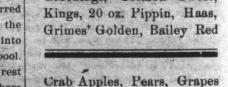
vestigation followed, or what purported to be one. President Taft ap time. The motorman applied the air time. The motorman applied the air falled plied the whitewash brush to Balling-to stop the car but the brake failed

to respond. At this time the Lewis-Like a thunderclap came the cliton car was coming up the sharp max some months alter, when before grade from the whirlpool. The mot-

a senatorial inquiry, a stenographer in orman on it saw the down-town car Ballinger's office went to the Cleve approaching at high speed and heard land Press and signed a sworn statethe motorman wildly clanging the ment that President Taft's exoneragong. Realizing that something was

wrong, he reversed power, but before he could bring his car to a stop the runaway car crashed into it. Both

ars were completely wrecked. ELLA SERVICE So near were the cars to the edge of the river that pieces of wreckage fell into the water and were carried down to the whirlpool. A special car brought the injured to Niagara Falls.



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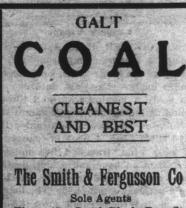
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