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BEGIN HERE TODAY.

That brilliant member of the secret Service whom England preferred to know as ANDRE DUCHEMIN, had incurred the hatred of the Bolsheviks. To protect his life, his superiors ordered him to disappear. He decided to go to Southern France.

With Stevenson's "Travels With a Donkey" as guide-book, he visited by moonlight that weird city of nonoliths, famous Montpellier-le-Vieux.

Entering this sinister desert, his attention was attracted by the bulking actions of a bulky individual in the uniform of the A. E. F. GO ON WITH THE STORY.

CHAPTER III.
Battling by Moonlight.

NOW the last of the A. E. F. had long since said farewell to the shores of France. Then, too, Monsieur Duchemin knew that the uniform of the Americans had more than been used by those ancient acquaintances of his, the Apaches of Paris, as a cloak for their own misdoings. So it didn't need the air of stealth that marked this business to persuade him there was mischief in the brew.

He got in motion to investigate without stopping to debate an excuse for so doing and several seconds before he heard a woman's cry.

Duchemin broke into a run that carried him round still a corner and

plumpled him headlong into the theatre of villainy.

This was open ground—a rudely oval pit little less than seven hundred feet in its narrowest diameter and something like four hundred in depth, a vast black well against whose darkness the blue-white moonlight etched a strange grouping of figures, seven in all.

On his one hand Duchemin saw a woman in mourning clasp to her bosom a terrified young girl, the author of the screams on their other three men close-locked in grimest combat, one defending himself against two with indifferent success; while in between stood a third woman with her back to and perilously near the chasm, shrinking from the threat of a pistol in the hands of the fourth man.

This last was the one nearest Duchemin. She was upon him, as he felt that it would be difficult to say which was the more surprised when Duchemin's stick struck down the pistol hand of the other with such force as must have broken his wrist. The weapon fell, he uttered an oath as he swung round, clutching the maimed member; and then, seeing his assailant for the first time, he swooped down to recover the weapon so swiftly that it was in his left hand and spitting vicious tongues of orange flame before Duchemin was able to get in a second blow.

But there was the abrupt end of that passage. Smitten cruelly between the eyes, the fellow grunted thickly and went over backwards like a bundle of rag and head and shoulders jutting out over the brink of the precipice so far that, though his body checked perceptibly as it struck the ground, his own weight carried him on, he shot out into space and vanished as though some unseen hand had lifted up from these dark depths and plucked him down to annihilation.

The young girl shrieked again, the woman gave a gasp of horror, Duchemin himself knew a sickish qualm. But he had no time to spare for that. It was going ill with the man contending against two.

The adventurer's stick might have been bewitched that night, so magical was its work; a single blow on the neck of the man, the stick was selected with care and instantaneously that knot of contention was resolved into its three several parts.

The smitten clapped hands to his hurt, moaning. His brother scoundrel started back with staring eyes in which rage gave place to dismay as he grasped the change in the situation and saw the stick swinging for his head in turn. He ducked neatly; the stick whistled through thin air; and before Duchemin could recover the other had turned and was running for dear life.

Duchemin delayed a bare instant; but manifestly his assistance was no more needed here. In a breath, he who had been so recently out-matched re-collected his wits and took the initiative with admirable address. Duchemin saw him fly furiously at his late opponent, trip and lay him on his back; then Duchemin turned and gave chase to the

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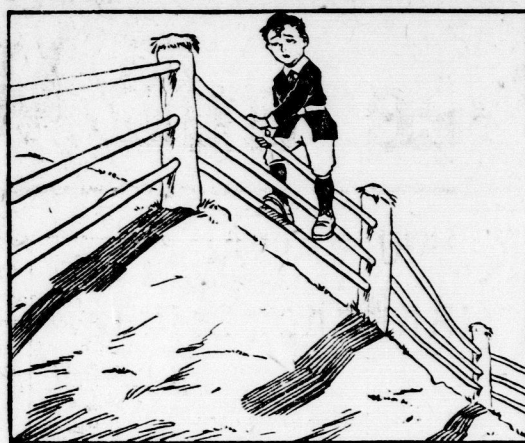
JACK DAW'S ADVENTURES



JACK FELT VERY MUCH DISCOURAGED AFTER WATCHING PEDRO LOPEZ SHOOT THE HORSES, AND THEN HE GOT THE LITTLE SHERIFF'S FAVORITE ACQUAINTANCE THE BOY DID NOT LIKE TO GO AND TELL THE SHERIFF WHAT HAD HAPPENED.



IT WAS NOT A PLEASANT TASK, BUT JACK KNEW IT WAS HIS DUTY TO REPORT TO THE SHERIFF. HOWEVER, THE LITTLE ADVENTURER DID NOT HURRY, BUT WENT SLOWLY UP THE HILL.



WHEN JACK REACHED THE HIGHEST PART OF THE HILL, HE WAS GLAD TO SEE THE COUNTRY WAS ALL RIGHT. BUT HE WASN'T AS HAPPY AS HE HAD LOOKED UPON THE WOULD HAVE SEEN THE SHERIFF AND RANCH FOLKMAN. AND WINK AT ONE ANOTHER, CONTINUED IN NEXT CHAPTER.



JACK AT LAST MET THE SHERIFF, BUT COULD ONLY STAND AND STARE AS HE LOOKED UPON THE WOULD HAVE SEEN THE SHERIFF AND RANCH FOLKMAN. AND WINK AT ONE ANOTHER, CONTINUED IN NEXT CHAPTER.

PEACH MOUSSE

BY BERTHA SHAPLEIGH of Columbia University.

THIS dessert is particularly good with fresh peaches, but may be made with canned ones. It may be frozen in the freezer can, or in a mold which is water-tight, packed in a pail. The vacuum freezer is a good freezer for a mousse.

6 or 8 large ripe peaches
Sugar for sweetening
1 pint cream
½ cup powdered sugar
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 teaspoon almond extract
1 teaspoon gelatine
1 tablespoon cold water

Slice peaches and cover with sugar. Beat cream until stiff, add sugar and flavoring and gelatine which is soaked in the cold water and dissolved by placing over hot water. In the mold place a layer of peaches, a layer of cream, and continue until all material is used. Cover with a piece of buttered paper before placing on the cover of the mold. Pack in ice and salt, using two parts ice and one part salt; allow it to stand three hours.

guessed, or possibly American, but much at home in France. "Monsieur d'Aubrac has been wounded, a knife thrust. It will be necessary to get him to a surgeon as quickly as possible."

"If monsieur would be so good," Duchemin knelt beside the man, who welcomed him with open eyes and a wry smile that was almost as faint as his voice.

"It is nothing, monsieur—a clean cut in the arm, with some loss of blood."

The young girl in whose lap rested the head of Monsieur d'Aubrac sat back and watched Duchemin with curious grave eyes in which traces of moisture glimmered.

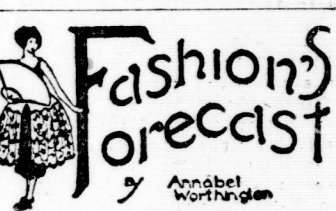
"Had the animal at my mercy, I thought," d'Aubrac apologized, when suddenly he drew that knife, struck me and broke away."

"I understand," Duchemin replied. "But don't talk. You'll want all your strength, my friend."

With his pocket-knife he laid open the sodden sleeves of coat and shirt, exposing an upper arm stained dark with blood that welled in ugly jets from a cut both wide and deep.

"Artery severed," he announced, and straightened up and looked about at a loss. "My pack—"

The woman who had spoken to him found and fetched it from no great distance, and its contents enabled Duchemin to improvise a tourniquet, and when the flow of blood was



A New House Dress for Fall Cleaning Days.

A house dress that buttons right to the hem is a splendid aid on laundering day for it can be opened flat to iron. The front yoke is certain to be becoming, but if you would rather have it without, you have your choice in this pattern. Both long and short sleeves are supplied. Percale at 15 cents per yard with chambray in a pretty solid color at 20 cents per yard for trimming would make your house dress cost about 60 cents, and you could make it in an afternoon.

The pattern No. 1530 cuts in sizes 34, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust measure. Size 36 requires 3½ yards of 36-inch material with ¾ yard 36-inch contrasting. Price 15 cents, stamps or coin (coin preferred).

His head overhanging the edge of the floor.

mistaken scruples, Duchemin failed to do so. A thrust and a kick, which he enjoyed infinitely, sent the brute spinning out to land on his head.

The fall should have broken his neck. At the worst, it should have stunned him. Evidently it didn't. When Duchemin had scrambled up to the box, captured the reins and his head pillowed in the lap of one woman. Another woman stood aside, trembling and wringing aged hands. The third knelt beside the supine man, but rose quickly as Duchemin drew near, and came to meet him.

In this one he recognized her to whose salvation Chance had first led him, and now found time to appreciate a face of pallid loveliness, intelligent and composed, while she addressed him quietly and directly. An exquisite voice. English, he

misses May and Annie Otto, Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Roth and Mr. Syd Otto motored to Michigan on Saturday.

Cyrus Christner and Mr. and Mrs. Manley Zimmerman spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gilmore of Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Zurburg visited friends in Toronto on Sunday.

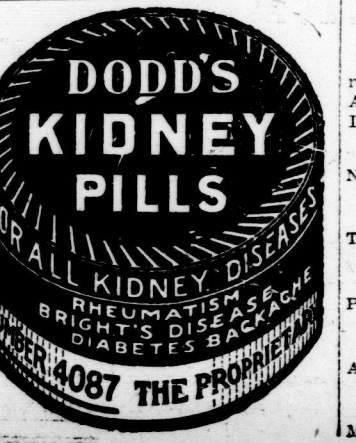
Child's Hair Often Ruined By Careless Washing

If you want to keep your child's hair looking its best, be careful what you wash it with. Don't use prepared shampoos or anything else that contains too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is just plain Mulisified coconut oil shampoo (which is pure and greaseless), and is better than anything else you can use. Two or three teaspoonfuls of Mulisified in a cup or glass with a little warm water, is sufficient to cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excess oil. The hair dries quickly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get Mulisified coconut oil shampoo at any pharmacy. It's very cheap, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months. Be sure you get Mulisified. Beware of imitations. Look for the name Watkins on the package.—Adv.



Pattern mailed to any address on receipt of 15 cents in silver or stamps. Address all pattern orders to Pattern Department.

Name

Town

Province

Age (if child's or miss's pattern)

Measurement: Bust..... Waist.....

Very First Party Gown



IT'S a thrill that comes once in a lifetime—one's first party frock. As fashions for small girls go this season, it's likely to be a very much beruffled affair of georgette or chiffon in any one of the pastel shades or in white, and to be trimmed—off at all—with narrow two-toned ribbon.

A bateau neckline and peasant sleeves will make it quite a fashionable affair.

A frock in the same style without the ruffles will do very well for play days, and will probably be made of wool-crepe, which is light as well as warm. Smocking and cross-stitching continue to be the most popular of trimmings for children's dress, and may be—usually are—of the most brilliant colors.

WIDE CUFFS. Cuffs of fur that extend to the elbow or above are featured on some of the smartest coats. With these are worn very large, wrapped collars.

TAILORED FROCKS. The strictly tailored frock has almost been left out of consideration by the French designers. Practically every frock Paris sends over has little feminine touches that belie all suggestion of plainness.

BEADED LINING. A stunning white ermine coat has an unusual lining—pink satin beaded in rich beads. Gold embroidery also adds to the richness.

GIRLS! LEMONS WHITEN SKIN AND BLEACH FRECKLES

The juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White, which any drug store will supply for a few cents, shake well, and you have a quart of harmless and delightful lemon bleach. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day, then shortly note the beauty and whiteness of your skin.

Famous stage beauties use this lemon lotion to bleach and bring that soft, clear, rosy-white complexion, also as a freckle, sunburn and tan bleach, because it doesn't irritate.—Adv.

EXTRA! How to Stop Pains From Burning Feet, Corns and Bunions, Quick!

Get a box of that wonderful GYPSY FOOT RELIEF (a secret from the desert)

Apply it in a minute—Three minutes later put on shoes, then walk and run all you like and work on your feet as much as you wish!

No more inconvenience—no plasters—no liquids—no cracking the skin with powders—no fuss—no bother!

The annoying agony from sore, burning, calloused, tired feet stops, while pains from corns and bunions disappear as if by magic. Results amazing! Thousands now talking about Gypsy Foot Relief—a wonderful secret from the desert. Try it tonight—jump around with joy tomorrow! Successful results in every case positively guaranteed, or have back the little you pay. Sold in this city by all good druggists including:

Cairncross & Lawrence, H. J. Childs, Sumner Drug Co., Standard Drug Co., and Liggett Drug Co.

Radio Radiations

STOCK-JOBBER — parasite of panics that actually produce panics, booming inventions—has struck radio.

Wildcat investments have sprung up with the rise in popularity of wireless. And with these has come a countless number of questionable inventions to be sold to radio fans at any cost.

This epidemic of "pirate radio parts" as they are called, has struck this business so terrifically that it has caused a sudden popularity of the established manufacturers and amateurs. Radio companies have sprung up like mushrooms after a storm. And with them have come all sorts of radio apparatus—good, bad and indifferent.

Unscrupulous brokers have taken advantage of the sudden popularity of radio. They have "organized" companies of large-sounding names and high paper value only to fleece the gullible public of its money. Blue sky laws have been no hindrance to them apparently, for they have gone on gathering in their dollars from the "one-minute" class just as though there was no law to check them.

The National Vigilance Committee of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World has taken steps to break up these wild-cat schemes. But they can only go so far as to expose their methods and warn the public against them.

Among the many that have been brought to the attention of investors there is one company that capitalized itself at \$4,000,000 and offered its stock at a par value of \$1. It has already taken in many thousands of dollars from the credulous, although it has not one cent of security or any promise back of it.

All these companies run true to form. Immense profit, association with highly successful financiers, examples of success made by old-established radio firms—these are some of the inducements laid before the prospects.

Pirate Parts. Almost the same is true of companies that actually produce parts. Many of them never knew what radio was until the craze came along. Many know just enough to produce something that looks like something it ought to be. But isn't the parts are put up to sell, more than to serve.

The result is an over-stocked competitive market which confuses the buyer. He cannot know what product will give him the service he demands. He must expect extravagant sums for materials that fail to prove their worth.

This situation has resulted in organizations the chief purpose of which will be to protect the radio fan from unscrupulous manufacturers.

RUSSIA HAS STATION. News from the recent Genoa and London economic conference was received by radio at the new Shabolovka station in Moscow, Russia. The messages to and from this station are handled by the commissariat for foreign affairs. The receiving department is equipped with three sets of apparatus, all of Russian construction.

HIGH RADIO EXPORTS. Radio manufacturers of the United States exported \$25,000 worth of radio apparatus in one month recently. Japan took parts valued at \$10,000, while \$5,000 worth went each to Australia, New Zealand and Canada.

BRASSIERES. French brassieres are made of very fine satin ribbon, unstayed and fitted with darts, and piqueed where the armholes is cut away. They come well below the waist and make practically a fitted lining when finished.

SLENDER WRAPS. The wraps this season are as slender as the gowns. Though they are lavishly trimmed with fur, this trimming is always manipulated without any suggestion of heaviness or bulk.

Green Tea Drinkers

TRY A PACKET OF—

"SALADA"

Natural Leaf Green Tea. It's strength Flavour and Economy in use will prove a revelation.

In Sealed Packets Only — At All Grocers.

The New REGINA

—the largest Cabin and Third Class Steamer, sailing from Montreal via Quebec on the St. Lawrence route to Liverpool, provides that luxury, comfort and convenience made possible only by the White Star Line.

The Magnificent, carrying passengers