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THE "JUMPERS" OF DENVER, COL.

A Sect That Obeys the Bible's
 Injunction to Leap.

It Was Founded Six Years Ago by a Woman
 —To Dance and to Give Away Your
 Money Two of the Jumpers'
 Articles of Faith.

DENVER, Aug. 14.—The Pentecostal Union is the corporate name of a religious sect which seems to be flourishing in the city. "Jumpers" is the popular name of the body. It was founded by a woman, Mrs. Alma White. One of its articles of faith is that the sooner you give away your money the better, and it has a new \$40,000 home here.

Its most conspicuous manifestation gives it its popular name. The writing was at one of its open air meetings in front of its \$40,000 home the other day.

As he neared the circle of Jumpers his ear caught a catchy, rollicking tune. Then he came upon a band of some seventy-five men and women dressed in costumes like those of the Salvation Army jumping, leaping, whirling about the street in unison with the music. On every face there was a smile—not a fixed smile, but a happy, pleased, expectant, almost rapturous expression.

In and out they wheeled, the men and women dancing apart, but those of the same sex joining hands, playing a waltz for a minute, then breaking away and jumping up and down with a not ungraceful movement. Higher and higher they went, and more and more fantastic grew their actions.

They shouted aloud hallojahs and cheers with an enthusiasm somewhat similar to that aroused at a college football game. Suddenly all was quiet again and a woman stepped upon a chair in the midst of the circle.

"Arise!" she vociferated. "Shine!" "We're doing both!" the other members shouted.

The woman made an address and then gave place to Brother Day, an aged member who had been dancing around backward with considerable agility.

"Here isn't a real church in Denver outside of this!" he shouted. "All the members of all other churches are hypocrites! They are damned!"

His voice was drowned by the shouts of his hearers.

"That's so!" shouted one jumper.

"Hallohjah!" said another.

"Praise God!" screamed another.

"If they preached as fearlessly in any other church," continued Brother Day, "they would lose their salary in a matter of thirty days."

Another orator arose, a bearded youth who had been shouting "Praise God!" at intervals as regularly as a minute gun.

"We haven't a corner on salvation!" he cried. "You can get it. I'll take the mid out of you! I'll take the old stambling out of you. You'll be treating your wife right and you won't be kicking the cat around, but you'll be living right!"

The men's costumes consisted of loose knee breeches, leather leggings, high black waistcoats, celluloid collars, a Norfolk jacket and a cap with vizzor front and back. The caps bore the legend "Pillar of Fire" across the front.

The women's costumes consisted of a blue skirt and a loose blue blouse and a flat hat bearing the same legend. The movement is known among its members as the Pillar of Fire movement.

The meeting adjourned to the big hall within, and the members lifted up their voices in prayer. "Lifted up their voices" describes it. They yelled. They howled. They shrieked.

They rocked their bodies to and fro and beat their hands together. The clamor grew and grew and intensified, until it sounded like the Stock Exchange on a panic day. The air was rent with shouts of "God!" "Jesus!" and "Hallelujah!" and the shouting of the men was varied by the shrill screaming of the women.

Then the clamor quieted down and the music broke forth again. They began to sing and to dance with straight backed, strait legged strut. Gradually they began to go faster. They formed lines. They chanted up and down the hall in couples. A shrill cowboy yell rang out. "Whoa-whoa! Yow! Yow! Yow!"

Noise was the object, and every

man and woman indulged in the peculiar form which took his or her fancy. The music went faster. The men leaped upon the rows of chairs and ran along them. The women gyrated about the pillars.

The men joined hands and strove to outstep one another. The swing of it was irresistible, and suddenly the whole clamorous crowd swept down the main aisle and back again. Every one was still smiling joyfully.

The next moment the air was white with waving handkerchiefs. Little children jumped up and down among them. Over there by the piano is a quiet, pretty girl. Surely she will not join in the revel! Yes, see. She begins to sway. She begins to leap. Her blue skirt flounces back and forth in an ungainly fashion. Her charm is lost in the awkwardness of her movements.

A fat, white-haired old woman prances around on the raised platform. And still everywhere is that air of radiant happiness. The cheeks of the girls are red with exercise.

The dancing ceases. Next came a solo by a nasal born woman. Let Him Have His Way With Thee.

"That's the whole secret," said Mrs. Alma White, the founder of the religion.

A red haired Swedish girl arose.

"I am going out in the highways and on the hedges," she said, "dewy-eyed on God. I shall live by faith alone. Just think! I used to be afraid that I would starve!"

The statement was greeted by a burst of amused, incredulous, derisive laughter.

"The Lord will provide!" shouted a man.

Then Mrs. White sang, "I dreamed that the great judgment morning in a clarion noted, bugle call voice. The whole tenor of her speech was that money is the root of all evil, and that it should be given away. The movement has received \$50,000 in donations.

"Other churches believe that gain is Godliness," she said; and repeated it with a variety of accentuations with the wearisome iteration of a country sermon. "The Lord will provide," she repeated. "The Lord will provide," she repeated. "The Lord will provide," she repeated.

"The quicker you give away your money the quicker you'll lay hold of eternal life. You'd be better off if you had never heard a sermon. You've been doped on the poison of the devil. The devil puts a delusion on you, and God lets him, and you blindly fall into the black pit of despair.

"I've had salvation twenty-nine years, and there's no power on earth or in hell that could take it away from me. I've had enough of hell. I've had three visions of it. God sent me three visions.

"I fell down at the end of the bench like one dead, and was caught away in the spirit and put down in the middle of hell. I've had the hell scared out of me ever since."

Earlier in the day the writer had sought an interview with Mrs. White. He was received in a room decorated with mottoes such as "Our sufficiency is God," and "Christ died for us," and with conventional pictures from the life of our Saviour. Mrs. White is a portly woman.

"This sect was founded six years ago," said Mrs. White. "It was a Methodist then. But all the churches have departed from their old tenets.

"I did not think of the dancing when I founded this church. But we have revived the holy dance. We found it was scripture. We are sending out thousands of tracts, and I made the creed myself. It is not yet printed."

Her talk was punctuated by a shrill, tuneless, incessant shout from the floor below.

"Just a prayer meeting," she smiled. "No, not the Psalmist way. 'Praise the Lord in the dance.' Was not the prodigal son made welcome with music and dancing?"

"That was a religious dance. Does

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J. D. McAVITY, dealer in hard and soft coals. Delivered promptly in the city. 28 Brussels street. 19-8-4

W. M. L. WILLIAMS, successor to M. A. Finn, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, 110 and 112 Prince Street. Established 1870. Write for family price list. 2-6-4

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HAVE YOUR PAPERING, PAINTING AND WHITENING done early. I am booking orders for spring work already. Very moderate prices. F. W. EDDLESTON, 55 Sydney street, Home. 19-8-4

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WANTED—Five girls. Apply WHITE CANDY CO., Union street. 21-8-4

WANTED—Competent nurse with references. Apply MRS. WALTER GILBERT, 143 Charlotte street, 29-8-4

WANTED—Two girls for factory work, one girl for shop also one man as cooper. T. Rankine & Sons, Biscuit manufacturers. 29-8-4

WANTED—Experienced machine and hand sewers for pants and plain work; also, apprentices. Steady work and good pay guaranteed. Apply D. ASHINGTON & CO., 38 Dock street. 29-8-4

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WANTED—Paint and overall makers to take work home. Steady work and good pay. Apply D. ASHINGTON & CO., 38 Dock street. 29-8-4

WANTED—Second class teacher at Lakewood, 6 miles from St. John. Apply W. H. Charlton, 100 Brussels St., St. John, N. B. 19-8-4

WANTED—Experienced cloakmakers, dressmakers and pantmakers. Good pay. Apply AMERICAN CLOAK & DRESS CO., 38 Dock street. 19-8-4

GIRLS WANTED—Apply to A. & I. Issues, Princess St. 12-8-4

WANTED—Two good fancy ironers. Apply GLOBE LAUNDRY. 24-7-4

WANTED—Coat makers. Apply T. L. Murphy, Ladies' Tailor, 75 King St. 19-8-4

GIRLS WANTED—To sew by machine and hand. Good pay. Steady work. Apply J. SHANE & CO., 71 Germain street. 19-8-4

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WANTED—Young man with some knowledge of repair castings to keep stock. Also boys for wholesale dept. Apply H. FISHER. 21-8-4

WANTED—A man to act as packer and shipping clerk. D. MAGEE'S SONS, Wholesale, 30 Charlotte street. 25-8-4

WANTED—A good smart boy, 14 or 15 years old, to carry parcels, etc. F. C. KILLIAM, City Market. 21-8-4

WANTED—One man in picking room. Must be thoroughly acquainted at this. Reasonable wages paid to right party. Apply JOHN LABATT, 20-24 Waterloo street. 21-8-4

WANTED—At once two waiters. Apply New Victoria Hotel, Prince Wm. street. 21-8-4

WANTED—At Home For Incurables. Immediately, a cook and housemaid. Apply to the Matron. 21-8-4

WANTED—I have a newly patented device, having big sales through agents. Traveller needed to make appointments; no canvassing; will pay salary and expenses weekly. F. J. WATERSON, Dept. O., Brantford, Ontario. 2-7-4

WANTED—Boy. Apply McIntyre & Co. 19-8-4

WANTED—AT ONCE—25 laborers. Apply B. MOONEY & SONS, 112 Queen street. 20-8-4

WANTED—One teamster, two laborers, four carpenters. Apply to HAMILTON. 19-8-4

WANTED—Boy wanted to work in store. Apply to C. B. PIGEON, Cor. Main and Bridge Sts. 19-8-4

WANTED—A boy about 15 to make himself generally useful. McROBBIE SHOE CO., 24 King street. 12-8-4

WANTED—A Machinist. Apply W. F. and J. W. MYERS, Waterloo street. 14-8-4

WANTED—We want at once, for both wholesale and retail departments, several bright, intelligent boys from 14-16 years of age, who have a desire to learn the dry goods business. Apply to H. FISHER, Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited. 27-6-4

WANTED—Young man having two or three years' experience at type setting. Apply SUN-PRINTING CO., LTD. 19-8-4

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FOR SALE—Two Cyphers Brothers, 1907 pattern, 1 Butt Rock Cuck, 1 White Leghorn cock, 2 white-faced Black Spanish Cocks, 1 White Leghorn Cockerle, 2 White Wyandotte Cockerles, and other good pure-bred stock—to make a list for buyers. Apply CARL BERTHELESEN, Fairville, N. B. 22-8-4

FOR SALE—20 tons Timothy and 100 Marsh grass, standing. Cheap. G. C. CARMAN, 30 Charles street. 21-8-4

FOR SALE—At Renforth, well-built cottage, containing eight rooms; beautifully situated overlooking the Kennebec River, together with an out building for ice and wash-room and fine lot 100x350. Can be seen at any time. Apply for terms to R. M. SMITH. 19-8-4

FOR SALE—Good sized butcher's refrigerator in good condition, recently remodelled. For sale cheaply. Apply to R. N. DEAN, 72 St. James street, Telephone 712. 19-8-4

FOR SALE—Gasoline launch. For particulars ring Telephone 997. 19-8-4

FOR SALE—One Bay Mare, Weight 1000 to 1100 lbs. 12 years old. Kind and afraid of nothing. Will sell cheap as owner has no further use for her. Women can drive her. Apply R. W. CARSON, 509 Main street. 19-8-4

FOR SALE—Light furniture express wagon, suitable for any purpose, also one sled. Enquire of George E. Smith, King street. 6-8-4

FOR SALE—Well established and good paying grocery business for sale in a first class locality. Terms cash. Apply to Dealer in Groceries, Box No. 156, care Star Office. 29-7-4

FOR SALE—A set of short hand instruction books. (Isaac Pitman system). Only in use a short time. Will be sold at a bargain. Box 130, Star Office. 29-4-4

FOR SALE—At Duval's Umbrella Shop, Self-opening Umbrella, Sec. up; ordinary, Sec. up. L. S. Cane. We use no other in our chair-seating. Perfected Seats shaped square, Light, Dark, Umbrella recovering and repairing. 71 Waterloo street. 6-12-4

FOR SALE—About twenty new and second-hand delivery wagons, 2 coaches, and 2 horses, carriages, different styles, ready for use, glass front coach, new trimmings, well painted; a fine sleigh coach very cheap; also three outboard carriages. Best place in the city for painting and greatest facilities for carriages repairing. A. G. EDWARDS, 115 and 129 City Road. 19-8-4

DOMESTICS WANTED

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WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply to 26 Queen square. 8-22-4

WANTED—At once a kitchen girl. Apply DUFFERIN HOTEL. 21-8-4

WANTED—General servant can find good home in a small family at 35 Carleton street. 20-8-4

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Apply 169 Wentworth street. 19-8-4

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. E. R. B. COVILL, 61 Union street. 17-8-4

WANTED—Good girl or woman for general housework, good wages. St. B. Hamilton, Post Office. 16-8-4

WANTED—Competent housemaid in family of three. Apply 33 Queen square. 14-8-4

WANTED—A competent housemaid. Apply to MRS. C. F. CRANDALL, 25 Crown street. 19-8-4

WANTED—Good capable girl. No washing. Good wages. Apply MISS LEITA WATERBURY, 220 King St. 19-8-4

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply at 42 Sewell street. 23-7-4

WANTED—Kitchen girl at Bond's Restaurant, 151 Mill St. 24-8-4

WANTED—At once, general girl. Apply 75 King street, over Macaulay Bros. 29-7-4

WANTED—At once, Housemaid, willing to help with care of children. Apply MRS. F. P. STARR, 3 Carleton street. 3-6-4

WANTED—General girls, cooks and housemaids can always get best places and highest pay. Apply Miss Hanson, Employment Office, 193 Charlotte St. 19-8-4

Oriental Restaurant

The Oriental Restaurant has engaged the services of an expert cook from Montreal—an experienced chef, Chou Sney in its delectable originality will be served at all times. Chinese dishes and every real Oriental feast. 105 Charlotte. Opp. Dufferin Hotel.

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LOST—Pearl crescent brooch, between Richmond and High streets, via Waterloo, Fiddock, Garden, Paradise Row and Main. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at Ramsey Bros., 657 Main St. 15-8-4

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WANTED—A large, comfortable house in good locality, with modern conveniences. Long lease preferred. Apply Box 295, Star office. 19-8-4

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FOR SALE—Three tenement houses with freehold lot. Price, \$1,200. J. W. MORRISON, Real Estate Agent, 50 Princess St. Phone 1843. 19-8-4

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ANY PERSON knowing of the whereabouts of David Patterson, 15 years old, son of Silver Falls school, who communicates with his father in care S. J. AIDE, 66 Protection street, West End. 22-8-2

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BOARDING—Two or three boarders can be accommodated at 113 Princess street. 20-8-6

NICE FURNISHED ROOMS. 34 Orange St. 15-8-12

ROOMS AND BOARD for gentlemen. 12 Chipmunk Hill. 15-8-10

BOARDING AND ROOMS—MRS. SHANKS, 1075 Princess Street. 9-8-1 mo.

TO LET—Nicely furnished rooms, 225 Duke street. 17-7-4

LODGING—Furnished rooms at moderate rate. 20 Carmarthen street. 16-7-10

ROOM AND BOARD—145 Union street. 8-8-1 mo

THE "JUMPERS" OF DENVER.

(Continued on Second Column.)

AUCTIONS.

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 Sales of all kinds attended.
 Furniture Sales at Residences a Specialty.
 Office—Market Street. Phone 291.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

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If you purchase a genuine HEINTZMAN & CO. Piano, A BELL ART Piano, or a WORMWITH & CO. Piano, You are sure of a good instrument. For quality of Tone, Workmanship, and Material used, they are unsurpassed. Each kind has been made and sold from 20 to 30 years. Thousands of satisfied customers attest to their superiority. NO AGENTS, and low expenses make it possible for us to sell such good Pianos AT LOW PRICES. Please call and examine, and satisfy yourself. MANUFACTURERS' REPRESENTATIVE HERE.

W. H. BELL, 79 Germain Street.

Clifton House

ST. JOHN, N. B.

W. ALLAN BLACK. Prop.

them. We have a children's home occupying three buildings in this city. There are some orphans there.

"What do we do with our surplus?" We have no surplus. We work money as fast as we get it. We sent out three missionaries this morning, and are sending five. The Lord Almighty stands by us and sends us in funds. If we want 10 cents or \$1,000 we get out and pray for it, and it comes.

"We have both men and women preachers, and all ordained preachers can perform wedding ceremonies. We had a wedding here the other day."

A glance at the bundle of literature which Mrs. White handed to the writer, and he saw that in his infinite wisdom, saw fit to choose Denver, the "Queen City of the Plains," as the headquarters of the Pillar of Fire movement. Other pamphlets contained attacks on the schools and colleges and had pictures of devils in the instructors' chairs.

THE PRICE OF MILK.

At a special meeting of the board of health yesterday afternoon, it was decided to put in force the regulation requiring all milk vendors to sterilize and cleanse milk cans before returning them to be refilled. This was in consequence of the failure of the board to secure a site for a sterilizing plant at the I. C. R. depot. A. E. Macaulay, secretary of the Milk Dealers' Association, stated that the board had enforced the price of milk will probably increase one cent per quart. The milkmen would then be obliged to build a plant, and a higher charge for milk would have to be made. Mr. Macaulay thinks that if the board continues to make so many regulations, the price of milk will go up to ten cents a quart, the price now prevailing in Montreal.

The star boarder had come down to breakfast red-eyed, sleepy and out of sorts.

"Didn't you sleep well, Mr. McGinnis?" anxiously inquired the landlady.

"No," he said. "Somehow, I couldn't get settled. I thrashed around all night long."

"Well, that's queer. Do you know, Mr. McGinnis, I have just had your mattress thoroughly renovated? Yesterday I put new sheets, new pillow cases, and a new counterpane on your bed, and I thought you would have the best night's sleep of your life."

"That explains it," growled the star boarder. "I never could sleep worth a cent in a strange bed."

On the whole, Johnny Ralston was a very good boy; but he had one fault which it seemed impossible for his mother to overcome. He would fight with other boys. Times out of number he has been reprimanded for this, and the last time he promised faithfully that he would settle no more.

But that evening he returned from school with a cut cheek and a nose like a swollen beetroot.

"Johnny," said his mother sadly, "didn't you promise me you wouldn't fight any more?"

"But I haven't been fighting, ma. This is the result of an accident."

"An accident?"—doubtfully.

"Yes, ma, I was sitting on Tommy Biggs, and I forgot to hold his feet!"

TO LET.

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TO LET—Shop 37 Waterloo street. Apply S. C. DRURY, 37 Waterloo. 21-8-6

STORE TO LET—Under Lansdowne House, lately vacated by Fleischman Yeast Cake Co. Suitable for office or store. Apply LANSDOWNE HOUSE. 29-8-6

TO LET—Three large bedrooms, suitable for gentlemen. Enquire 145 Germain St. 6-8-4

TO LET—Shop and flat to let at the corner Simonds and Camden streets. Good stand for grocery store. Apply to MRS. A. GIBBON on premises. 29-7-4

A. E. HAMILTON, Contractor and Builder.

Jobbing of all descriptions promptly attended to. 183-185 Brunsell Street. Phone 162

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