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Singing at Her Work. I heard her singing at her work As I passed by the mill and saw The ballad quill and quill, About a brave and handsome knight Who loved and rode away.

Were Absentminded. Through the absentmindedness of the organist in the Methodist Church at Northport, L. L., on Sunday evening, says the Brooklyn "Eagle," a marriage ceremony was relieved of a great share of its solemnity.

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Don't Bite your Nails.

The practice of nibbling at the finger-nails is to be condemned, first, on the ground that the nails are thereby rendered brittle and unsightly, and secondly, because it is a nervous habit which makes the practice of it a source of constant irritation to the friends of any one who has the habit.

French investigator has lately published the results of an elaborate study of the habit as it is found in reference to the importance of the habit as an indication of nervous disease.

Unfortunate Eldest Born. It is unfortunate for the eldest of a large family of children, especially if their mother is a conscientious woman, since they are the ones upon whom she tries her experiments.

Iron Mining in Newfoundland. A company of American prospectors recently opened an iron mine at Bellefleur, Conception Bay, Nfld., meeting most encouraging results.

Barrel Siles. Cloves or fine cut beet tops packed away tightly when green, in barrels, will make a good juicy food for the hens next winter.

Encounter with a Tramp. On Sunday night, as John Votum was coming over the Plain road at Harwicke, a tramp jumped out of a bunch of bushes, where he had been waiting for travellers, and demanded money.

Newspaper Office Pests in China. Cockroaches are never willingly slain by Chinamen, and think it pertends ill luck to step on them.

How He Lost a Patient. "Doctor, I believe there is something the matter with my brain," began the society young man.

Machonaland's Newspaper. Machonaland has a newspaper called the "Machonaland Advertiser." It is printed, not printed, and the edition is issued, not issued, by a copying process.

ARTIC NIMRODS AND THEIR GAME.

Some Crack Eskimo Shots as Slayers of Reindeer Near the Pole.

There are some men who will so excel others as to have a reputation that brings them conspicuously to the front in their particular vocation. Life in the Arctic regions forms no exception to this rule.

When I first landed among the Eskimos of North Hudson Bay I heard of a young hunter who was rapidly making his way to the front.

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Lozola. -The Sun Canal will be open for traffic in a short time. -The crops on P. E. Island will be good this season. The insect did not touch the early oats. -Three children by the name of Bess were burned to death in a house at St. Carl's, Newfoundland. -Eight persons were removed from Dorchester to Kingston penitentiary, among the number the notorious "Jim." -Bliss and Walter Duffy have left for Bristol, Carleton county, where they intend to open a tailoring establishment. -The American schooner, Charlotte, of Cohasset, was seized at Hawkesbury on Wednesday last, for fishing within the three-mile limit. -A large number of persons gathered at the residence of Dr. Lewis, on Sunday night, to witness the unfolding of a night-blooming cereus. -At the women's tournament at Oswego, N. Y., the Brockville, Ont., base company won first prize for throwing the longest streamer. -Rev. H. McGilivray, of Philadelphia, accompanied by three other priests seeking rest and recreation, died suddenly of paralysis, at Halifax, on Thursday. -CHURCH REPAIRS.—Persons having organs that need cleaning or repairing will profit by applying to B. Beaumont, Albert, who attends to this kind of work at low rates. -If you are desirous of purchasing a nice stock for your home, it will pay you to read K. Beaumont's "aid" in this issue. If you cannot call write him for prices and terms. -As Dr. Weldon has secured the renewal of the subsidy to the Harvey branch railroad, it is probable that a substantial railway bridge will be built across the Shepody river. -The attention of our readers is called to the concert to be held in Surrey Hall tomorrow night. A treat, musical and otherwise, is in store for all who will attend. Proceeds for the Valley church parsonage. -We want the public to know that A. A. Smith has started a carriage and undertaking business at Hopewell Cape, where all work in both lines will be done promptly, and in order. Painting and repairing a specialty. -The children of Dr. Weeks, Newfoundland, who were reported in last week's Star, were picked up by the bark Laramie about sixty miles from land and landed at Sydney, Cape Breton. They were well and exhausted. -R. G. Leckie, manager of the Lonsdale Iron Mines, expresses great confidence in the Grand Lake coal fields, and their capability to produce good coal at a low price. He is prepared to invest \$100,000 in the enterprise. -An accident happened at the regatta in St. John harbor on Tuesday, by the upsetting of the yacht Primrose and the following were drowned: Samuel Hutton, Henry Bartlett, George Heathcote, Fred Post, A. J. Murphy, Wm. Russell, James Harley and Henry Hoyt. -Miss Adelle B. Jump will give an entertainment in the New Hall, Hillsboro, on Monday evening, Sept. 3rd. Don't fail to come and see the CHRISTIANIA TABLETS, the greatest invention of the age, creating the eighth wonder, the great time and death annihilator. Also a beautiful flower drill given by sixteen young girls and last but not least, the Star drill by twelve little girls. There will also be two readings by Miss Adelle Jump. For further particulars see posters. -On last Saturday forenoon Deacon Dawson Seavey, of Edgerton's Landing, one of the oldest inhabitants of Hillsboro passed away very suddenly at the advanced age of eighty-five years. Mr. Seavey up to the day of his death was in good health and vigor, passing on the day before, saw him sitting at his door, and passed the usual salutations with him. When a young man he united with the Hillsborough Baptist church. At the time of the organization of the Valley church, he was chosen as one of the deacons, which office he filled with ability and christian faithfulness. Owing to advanced age and weakness, in later years he could not attend church services. Meetings were held at his house which he enjoyed very much. He lived a consistent christian life and died happy, realizing that he was going home to God. Seven children survive him. Pleasant Vale. -Mrs. Melburn Colpitts, of Campbellton, Mass., is visiting relatives at the Vale. -Miss Ella Gifford is home from Boston spending her vacation with her mother and mother. -Mrs. T. A. Colpitts, formerly of this place, now from Boston, paid a flying visit to the Vale last week. -Misses Claudia and Ena Colpitts, of this village, have been to Salisbury visiting their sister, Mrs. Harford R. Collier. -Prof. J. Herbold Smith and wife are returning through this section of the county, giving their amusing entertainments. The prof. speaks in glowing terms of the magnificent reception and liberal patronage he receives from all classes. -To Mr. Robert Steeves, one of our neighbors, a serious accident happened at work. While fixing a scythe he accidentally fell on it inflicting a terrible gash right under his knee cap. It is feared he may lose his leg, if not his life. Dr. D. D. McDonald of Pettisville, is attending him. Plotters Publicly Whipped. -TANGIER, Aug. 25.—Haj Amant, ex-Grand Vizier, Mohammed Sereff, minister of war, and two court officials were flogged last Saturday in the street. Mr. Mequines because they plotted to kill the Sultan. Every prisoner was stripped naked and laid on a donkey's back to receive his punishment. All were thrust into dungeons at Majorod the next day. There is much surprise because the plotters were not executed. The Sultan's mother who is said to be the virtual sovereign, is supposed to have interceded for them.

Hopewell Cape. -Miss Jennie Milton is visiting Mrs. Capt. Burns. -Miss Lizzie Bishop of Dorchester is visiting friends here. -Mr. Abram Bray has returned from a visit to St. John. -S. C. Spencer is building a blacksmith shop beside his mill. -Mr. Scott Burgess, of Boston, is visiting his sister Mrs. W. O. Wright. -Deputy Sheriff Stewart visited Coverdale and Elgin last week returning by way of New Ireland. -R. C. Weldon, M. P., and Mrs. Weldon paid a hurried visit to the shire town last week. -Mr. S. F. Rose has moved and enlarged his barn, and otherwise tastefully arranged his buildings. -Mrs. Abner Peck and son, of Boston, after visiting many friends in this locality have returned home. -Mr. S. G. Morse and her sister Mrs. Crossman are visiting their many friends and relatives in this parish. -The Misses Mitchells of Coverdale, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. Samuel C. Spencer, returned home Monday. -A fine stock of superior marble was received by Mr. Alton Tingley a few days ago, it came by schr. Victory from Boston. -Dr. Peck is recovering rapidly from the effects of the accident by which his collar bone was broken, and goes out with his arm in a sling. -Mr. Judson Bennett has set up his thrashing machine for the season's work, a small quantity of oats already thrashed gives hope that the crop will be an average one. -Henry Brewster and Fred Edgerton, of Moncton, were here for a few days the guests of Mrs. Capt. M. Brewster, and Mr. O. Chambers, of the same city, was visiting Mr. Freeman Crocker last week. -Capt. Joseph Cook is building a cottage on Forest street opposite the residence of Capt. Miles Brewster. The captain is also said to have taken the contract to build a fine residence for Capt. Thomas Pyc. -Dr. Bradley's family having returned to Moncton after residing here for a few weeks during the hot weather. They were accompanied by Mrs. George Calhoun who will reside with her daughter in the future. -The flag on the end of the government pier no longer waves, and the heavy and industrious fishermen may now pursue their avocation in their usual legal manner, without fear of molestation by the legal authorities. -Rev. Mr. Hughes preached in the Baptist church here on Sunday morning, and on Sunday evening preached the funeral sermon of the late Mr. McLane of Albert. The funeral took place in the afternoon at the Hopewell Cemetery, Hopewell Hill. -Rev. Mr. Frame, Presbyterian, preached in the hall Sunday evening, announced that Rev. James Ross would preach in the Presbyterian church at Riverside, in a week from that day and dispense the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. -Mr. Thomas Ross, our popular mail contractor has purchased a new and commodious wagon for the better accommodation of his patrons on the stage line between the Cape and Hillsboro. The service is highly spoken of and Mr. Ross' efforts to give satisfaction are appreciated. -Parish Court Commissioner Wright, has issued a summons in the case of Thomas Ross vs. John P. McLatchey, and a very interesting trial may be expected. It is all about an old horse which each claims to own, and neither will allow the other's claim. Each party will probably spend the price of the horse and the lawyers will scoop. Steadman for plaintiff, Dickson for defendant. -David Grant, barrister, of Moncton, obtained a habeas corpus order in the case of the Queen vs. John D. Melvin, returnable before Mr. Justice Haughton in the council chamber at Moncton on Tuesday the 28th inst. Goaler Porter has returned a copy of the warrant and the circumstances of the detention in obedience to the order. The clerk of the peace will probably appear for the crown and Justices Bay and McLatchey. -In the Probate Court on Tuesday a hearing on application to nullify the estate of Josiah and Daniel Tingley was had. Preliminary objections to petition having been made by Messrs. Teed and Peck on behalf of certain creditors and others, the matter was dismissed. The lawyers were all happy; all got the costs of the day out of the estate, and another hearing will take place in the near future with more costs out of the estates. Dickson for Exec. and Admr. respectively. -On Friday and Saturday last Scott Act cases, were before Justices Pipes and Jones at Albert. On Friday Mrs. Enos Downing was fined \$50 and costs. The case went by default no one appearing to defend. On Saturday Chas. O'Regan was charged and at the conclusion of the evidence for the prosecution a settlement was made by which Mr. O'Regan was to pay \$30 and costs. -Dr. R. C. Weldon, M. P., and wife were in town on Thursday. -R. Roach representing Jas. Whitman, Montreal, and H. Magee, of D. Magee & Sons, St. John, are here in the interests of their firms. -R. Rowe, superintendent for the Maritime Provinces, of the Great West Life Insurance Co. of Winnipeg, and J. E. B. McCready, of the Sun Life Insurance Co. are in town. Personal. -Miss A. Goldart is visiting Mrs. M. Somers, Moncton. -Dr. R. C. Weldon, M. P., and wife were in town on Thursday. -Mrs. Thoma Moore who was visiting at Mr. Alex. Rogers, returned to Moncton, Saturday. -The Rev. E. Chapman of Alma, preached in the Methodist Church on Sunday evening to a large congregation. -Mr. F. C. Jones was in the village today.

Death of Coroner McLane. -"Mr. McLane is dead!" were the words that fell on our ears as the shades of evening were gathering over the town of Albert last Friday. The said news quickly spread and a gloom seemed to settle on the community. Although it was announced at noon that he was dying, many friends, still hoped that his strong robust constitution would yet overcome the disease, but their hopes were fruitless, and at the early age of 62 he passed to rest after a short illness. -Charles A. McLane was born in Auslow, N. S., on the 31st of August 1842, where he learned the blacksmith trade with his father. In 1862 he came to Albert (then Hopewell Corner) a youth of 20 and after working some time with Henry Colpitts at the same trade, bought out the business on his own account, which for many years he successfully carried on until after being injured he sold out. Shortly after he joined his son A. H. under the firm name of A. H. McLane & Co., and carried on until his death an extensive general mercantile business. He was also a member of the firm of Tingley, McLane & Co., (of the well known Albert Tineries), and chief promoter and member of the Kingsley Boiler Works Co., of St. John, N. B. He was a man of strong convictions and good common sense, which with his bright, genial manner brought him to the front and for years he filled positions of trust, having been a member of the school board and its leader, Coroner of the county, trustee of the Albert Baptist Church, trustee of Oulton Hall, treasurer of Hopewell Cemetery Co., and charter member of Hopewell Lodge, I. O. O. F. He was also chairman of the Liberal Conservative Association and gave the party an effective support, not on account of membership, but because of his conviction that its policy was the best for the interests of his county. A natural leader, yet plain and unassuming, essentially a man of the people with whom he kept in touch and in whose welfare he ever took a deep interest. As Rev. B. N. Hughes in his funeral sermon well said, "he was one of nature's noblemen." He married a daughter of the venerable deacon Agnes Tingley, who with one daughter, Miss Hallie, and two sons Aubrey H. and Rev. G. I. survive him, as well as his aged mother, two sisters Mrs. Kingsley of St. John, Mrs. Burgess of Boston and one brother Jared of North Reading, Mass. In his happy home he dispensed a generous hospitality to the poor, infirm and suffering, as well as to his friends. He controlled largely to the erection and support of the Albert Baptist Church of which he was a member and regular attendant, and in the choir of which his fine tenor voice was always heard. Foremost in every good work Albert could ill share such a man. On Sabbath afternoon every class and creed gathered to pay respect to his memory. The large number that followed his remains to the cemetery followed the funeral procession and their retiring place in the New Hopewell cemetery which he had done so much to organize and support. A review of almost a quarter of a century of close personal friendship and acquaintance with the many kind acts, the excellent character, the generous, unselfish life he lived and his promise to write to pen this tribute to his memory.

Jonah Tingley Estate. -On Thursday, the 28th instant, the several citations in the estate of Josiah and Daniel Tingley, deceased, were returned and Judge Trueman held court of Probate here. -Mr. J. H. Dickson is proctor in both estates, and Mr. M. G. Teed and C. A. Peck Q. C. appeared for an heir creditor, and the widow of Josiah Tingley, respectively. -The applications to sell the real estate were in both instances dismissed, objections being taken to the applications on the grounds that the value of the different lots of land etc. were not given separately. -In the will of Josiah Tingley a cow was given to a daughter, but it is claimed that after she took the cow away her brother went to her place of residence to look the cow and has proceeded by her use and control, and he still retains and uses the said cow without compensation to the person to whom she was willed. Of course each party claims to stand on their legal rights, but it is said proceedings will be taken to recover the cow and also the value of her during the summer. -Daniel Tingley, a son of Josiah died intestate some two years prior to the decease of his father. The widow and creditors of Josiah Tingley claim that the father was the rightful heir of the son, who died unmarried, and that the real estate of the son at his death bequeathed to his wife, and she therefore liable for the right of dower of the widow and for the debts of Josiah Tingley. -Mr. Peck urged that the letters testamentary granted to David A. Tingley, a brother of Daniel Tingley should be revoked, as the said David Tingley in applying for said administration as a creditor of Daniel Tingley testified that he had not taken the said cow, but did not state the name of the debt which a bond, promissory note nor did he give any items of account. The judge held that while the letters were not to be revoked, the claim of the creditor was not to be paid. This point will be appealed to higher authority. -Mr. Teed contended that the costs of the estate should be paid against George Milburn, the executor of the will of Josiah Tingley, but as he did not press the point, costs were taxed against the estate.

The Pastest Boat Afloat. -That the limit of speed at which a small craft can be driven through the water has yet been reached is shown in a recent performance of the Thornycroft torpedo gunboat Daring. That vessel has set the pace at 29 1/2 knots, and marine engineers are now confident that this amazing speed will be exceeded by some later vessel of the Daring's type. -The record just established by this marine Stanley Hawks is unapproached by anything that is now afloat. It was made by steps progressively diminishing. The Havock, which was among the first vessels of this class, was expected to distinguish himself by sailing at 25 knots per hour. He came pasting back from a race over the measured course, and bearing with him what was then the record, 20 knots per hour. -The record triumph was short-lived. Before her builders, the Messrs. Yarlow, had time to forget the congratulations they received, the Ferret, built by Messrs. Laird, came along, and sailing at 26 knots per hour. -A short time afterwards the Hornet, a sister vessel to the Havock, carried the Yarlow flag to the fore again, with the record of 28 knots per hour. The record of 28 knots per hour was broken and the Daring rushed over the course at the rate of 29 1/2 knots per hour, when she had to surrender her hard-earned distinction of being the fastest craft of her kind.

Two Men Imprisoned in a Blazing Barn. -FREDERICK, Ont., Aug. 21.—One of the most horrible tragedies in the history of Lambton took place today on the farm of Wm. Hayward in Plymouth township, eight miles from Perth. The trouble was in progress and shortly after starting the cylinder shaft broke and caused friction which set fire to the straw. In an instant the interior of the barn was a mass of flames. In a short time the barn was a smouldering ruin and soon after the charred trunks of the victims were dug out of the still blazing barn. Heads, arms and legs were completely burned off, and the only means of identification was Green's iron buckle. A man leaves a wife and seven children and Green a wife and three children. Both were highly respected farmers. The double funeral takes place to-morrow. Hayward's loss is over \$1,000, on which there is \$500 insurance. The said affair has cast a gloom over the neighborhood. Dress Goods. -Our trade in this line is growing fast. We are getting many of the best cash customers in the city. We are getting the trade of those who are competent to judge of the real value. We have received some of our Fall Stocks and find them great value. We have a line of Blacks and Plain Colors in All Wool Finest, double, for 25c a yard, the like of which has never been shown and are not to be seen elsewhere. They sell at eight every yard. J. FLANAGAN, Central Dry Goods, opposite Market. More Seizures in Behring Sea. -VICTORIA, Aug. 24th.—News has arrived here that several more American and British sealing vessels have been seized by a Russian warship, and trouble is expected over the matter. But whenever you are seized with Cramp, Croup, Coughs, or Colds, or any of the MENSTRUAN AFFECTIONS, once and you will get relief in short order. We are pushing it. Get a bottle and try it. Sold everywhere 25 cents.

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Two Men Imprisoned in a Blazing Barn. -FREDERICK, Ont., Aug. 21.—One of the most horrible tragedies in the history of Lambton took place today on the farm of Wm. Hayward in Plymouth township, eight miles from Perth. The trouble was in progress and shortly after starting the cylinder shaft broke and caused friction which set fire to the straw. In an instant the interior of the barn was a mass of flames. In a short time the barn was a smouldering ruin and soon after the charred trunks of the victims were dug out of the still blazing barn. Heads, arms and legs were completely burned off, and the only means of identification was Green's iron buckle. A man leaves a wife and seven children and Green a wife and three children. Both were highly respected farmers. The double funeral takes place to-morrow. Hayward's loss is over \$1,000, on which there is \$500 insurance. The said affair has cast a gloom over the neighborhood. Dress Goods. -Our trade in this line is growing fast. We are getting many of the best cash customers in the city. We are getting the trade of those who are competent to judge of the real value. We have received some of our Fall Stocks and find them great value. We have a line of Blacks and Plain Colors in All Wool Finest, double, for 25c a yard, the like of which has never been shown and are not to be seen elsewhere. They sell at eight every yard. J. FLANAGAN, Central Dry Goods, opposite Market. More Seizures in Behring Sea. -VICTORIA, Aug. 24th.—News has arrived here that several more American and British sealing vessels have been seized by a Russian warship, and trouble is expected over the matter. But whenever you are seized with Cramp, Croup, Coughs, or Colds, or any of the MENSTRUAN AFFECTIONS, once and you will get relief in short order. We are pushing it. Get a bottle and try it. Sold everywhere 25 cents.

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The Cashier's Story.

BY ALFRED B. TOZER.

We had been discussing spiritualism before the open fire in Charley's room, and had drifted from arguments on the condition of the dead to the relation of incidents of a mysterious character influencing the lives of the living.

"I don't like to figure as a creature of the mysticisms," Charley continued, "because it seems to commit me to a belief in all sorts of outlandish and unnatural things—to inclose me in an atmosphere altogether unearthly; but my only relief seems to lie in an utter repudiation of an occurrence too real and too productive of practical results to be repudiated, so you see I am in a good deal of a mess over it."

Now Charley is one of the most matter-of-fact men. At the down town bank where he holds the position as cashier, such an admission on his part would have produced a sensation. In the familiar circle where he sat that night it only provoked curiosity. This curiosity he at once proceeded to satisfy by beginning with an abrupt question:—

"Do you remember the night of the 15th of March? At the time you all took a great interest in at least one of the occurrences of that night. I refer to the attempted bank robbery."

"Well, when I left the bank that evening," said Charley, "I was accompanied by Dick Munson, the paying teller—a pale, nervous little fellow, with a memory for faces and signatures almost phenomenal, and an instinctive ability to detect fraud. We stopped on the bank steps for a moment to speak to a customer, and then passed on up the street together. His rooms are about half a mile further out than mine, and when we were kept at the bank later than usual, as on that occasion, we frequently dined together at a neat little restaurant not far from my chambers. We did so that night, occupying a good hour of sleep, and I resolved to make up for lost time as soon as possible by turning over for another nap."

"If I had not, as a preliminary step to the rest so formed, raised myself in bed and made a great noise beating up and rearranging my pillows, perhaps the most trying portion of that night's experience would have been spared me. Be that as it may, the fact remains that before I had arranged my pillows to my liking my attention was diverted from my task by three rather startling objects."

"The first was a dark lantern pouring its red rays full in my face. The second was an unusual long and un-usually bright self-cooking revolver located within six inches of my nose. The third was a particularly villainous face, with thick black eyebrows running together above the nose, forming no arch to speak of, and producing the general effect of a straight, unbroken line crossing the lower forehead."

"Was it frightened?" Yes, but I scarcely think my fright took the usual form. I knew in an instant, as well as I know now, that it was not my life, nor the trifling amount of money he might find in my room, that he intruder wanted. I recognized his presence there as part of a well-laid plan to rob the bank. The intruder's first words confirmed my suspicions.

"Get up and dress yourself," he said, in a whisper. "We want you at the bank. If you value your life, be quick about it, and make no noise."

"The man's arguments were unanswerable, and I obeyed. "You are going with me to the bank," he said, holding his weapon close to my head as I dressed, "and open the vault. The first movement you make to escape or call assistance will be your last. My mates are below. If I miss my aim, they will not. If we meet an officer at the bank, or on the way there, and you are questioned, you are to say that you want important papers left on your desk, and pass on. You will not be harmed. We want money, and not human life. Do you understand?"

"In a short time I was at the outer door of my sitting-room, dressed for the street. Never for an instant, in all my journeys about the room to secure my clothing, had the threatening weapon been removed from the close proximity in my waking moments. Still, I had not abandoned all hope. Surely, between my rooms and the bank, some opportunity for escape would present itself. I had no intention of unlocking the vault. At the last moment I should have risked a few shots from the robbers' revolvers."

"My escort unlocked the sitting room door and passed with his hand on the knob. At that instant a sound of footsteps were heard on the stairs, the key was quietly turned in the lock, and I felt for the first time the cold rim of a revolver on my temple. The steps passed my door, and the weapon was lowered. You all know what followed. Before the weapon could be raised again, the door fell in with a crash, and the robber, who stood directly in front of it, was clabbered to the floor and handcuffed by a squad of policemen led by the paying teller."

"Dick did not return to his chambers that night. We spent the time until daylight over a basket of wine and some prime cigars in my sitting-room. At first he absolutely refused to explain his sudden appearance with the officers, for Dick is a hard-bred sort of fellow; he sees everything that cannot be demonstrated by set rules and figures; but over the second battle he fairly unboomed himself, telling his story before I had even given a word of my own mysterious experiences."

"I slept soundly until nearly one o'clock," he said, with the air of a man who expects to be laughed at, "and then I awoke to a strange trance-like dream. In that dream I saw, as plainly as I ever saw it, in my life, the interior of your bath-room, and seated at the foot of the tub, where the opening door would have concealed him from

any one looking in, I saw the man who had last seen opposite the window where we dined. I recognized it at once. The stouping figure and the level line of eyebrows he then attempted to hide beneath the rim of his slouch hat."

"There was no light in the bath-room, or anywhere about your apartment, but I had no difficulty in tracing every line of your face, nor seeing you sound asleep in your bed. My mind at once became filled with the idea that you were in danger. In my sleep I called out to you to lock the bath-room door, and warned you that I could not get the stouping figure we had seen on the edge of the walk out of my mind! I could not make you hear. In my alarm I even gave the private signal we use at the bank. I actually awoke to find myself sounding it on the head of my bed, and repeating over and over again the words I have told you speaking."

"I laughed at myself for a superstitious idiot, and went to sleep again, only to renew the experience described—to see the stouping figure in the bath-room and to repeat my cry of warning and the private signal. I awoke again, to find myself standing by open window (I must have opened it in my sleep, for I closed it on retiring), sounding the private signal on the wall, and repeating the warning words. How long I should have remained there I cannot say. My blow on the sash must have loosened the catch, for the window fell with a crash. In a moment I heard the city hall clock strike one."

"I was not thoroughly awake, but I could not drive from my mind the impressions created by my singular dream. Perhaps I should have gone to bed again only for the fact that the figure my dream had shown me in your apartment was the same I had warned you against on parting with you for the night. I resolved to dress myself and seek you in your rooms."

"I was ashamed to come to your door at that time of night, with no excuse to offer for my presence save such a one as any old woman would have laughed at, so I crept up stairs like a spy and listened. I saw the flash of the dark lantern at the threshold. I heard enough to satisfy me that something was wrong. So I went for the police."

"Don't bring me into ridiculous notions by repeating what I have told you. Draw your own conclusions, only be silent in public."

Napoleon as a Horseman. Napoleon was most cruel horseman, and changed his mount frequently during his military career. At Waterloo, however, he rode only the famous Marengo. Another celebrated war horse of the great Corsican was "Austerlitz." Napoleon always insisted that his horse should be white or gray. Twelve were killed under him. He was once carried quill within the enemy's lines, where he narrowly escaped capture, by a mad charger. Napoleon's misadventure, it is said, was caused by a terrible word that galled the poor steed to uncontrollable madness. Men loose their heads from pain; why may not a horse?

For a dumb constant of unqualified savagery we must go to the camp of those masters of warfare—the French of Napoleon's day. One of the emperor's aides, Capitaine de Marbot, owned a mare named Liane. Evident in peace or war for viciousness under certain provocation.

Once, with her master on her back, she was surrounded by Russians. A huge grenadier made a lunge at her with his bayonet, but Liane dispatched him with tigerish ferocity, using only her teeth. Afterwards she backed off, clearing with her iron heels a space among the Russian pressing on her flanks, then wheeled, dragging down beneath her hoofs and officer as she did so, and darting through the astonished crowd to a place of safety.

In that brief encounter it cost the Russians outright and crippled several others with her heels, and it all came from a cruel bayonet thrust that aroused all the poor creature's latent ferocity.

French Mode of Conducting Auctions. The French mode of conducting auctions is rather curious. In sales of importance the affair is placed in the hands of a notary, who for the time being becomes an auctioneer. The auctioneer is provided with a number of small wax tapers, and candles of burning about five minutes. As soon as a bid is made one of these tapers is placed in full view of all interested parties as a lighted. If before it expires, another bid is offered, it is immediately extinguished, and a fresh taper placed in its stead, and so on until one flickers and dies out of itself, when the last bid becomes irrevocable. This simple plan prevents all contention among rival bidders and affords a reasonable time for reflection before making a higher offer than the one preceding. By this means, too, the auctioneer is prevented from exercising undue influence upon the bidders or hastily accepting the bid of a favorite.

Origin of the Chinese Cue. It seems that it was not the custom of the ancient Chinese to shave the head and wear a cue. That was a custom brought in by the Tartar invaders, nearly 300 years ago, and they forced it upon the conquered provinces. The result was that many Chinese were driven into Corea, and the inhabitants of that province when they yielded to the suzerainty of the Tartars stipulated that they should be permitted to preserve their ancient dress. So the Corsicans do not shave the head, but wear their hair as their ancestors wore it 4000 years ago, a manner which is seen in China only on the stage.

Shakespeare's Sonnets. It is claimed that the "Dark Lady" to whom twenty-eight of Shakespeare's sonnets were dedicated, was the notorious Miss Mary Fitton, maid of honor to Queen Elizabeth.

ROMANCE OF A NEBRASKA CITY

The Rapid Growth of the State Capital and the Real Estate Boom that Followed.

You hear fairy stories of the mushroom cities of the west—Leadville, becoming a popular center in two years and then growing smaller almost as fast as it grew larger. But Leadville had no state university, no magnificent post-office building and court house, no architectural phenomena, such as a beautiful white stone insane asylum of a size and elegance that any state of any nation might well be proud, and a penitentiary equally imposing. Many men went to Leadville, but surely you could not have found there the scholars of a state as you might have found in Lincoln. Leadville didn't get five railroads all in a lump. Railroads may fall and leave in the hands of receivers, but railroads are substantial things, and, however badly they pay, there they are, fast and solid; and usually they have to be run, though there was a possibility in the hard times of the 70's when the railroads lying around in Lincoln were not all run.

Lincoln was from the first a city to be proud of. Born, as I have said, full-blown as a city, from the wisdom of state, with the great headquarters of cityhood thrice augmented, as I have described, it maintained itself steadily and continuously through all the hard times of the 70's; for it was then that the buildings were reared up and that settled air of eastern culture was attained. And all as true, just as I have stated, for I am no longer an inhabitant of Lincoln, and I was not born there, and it is you, since my nostrils breathed its brisk air. But I saw, or heard from my own father, all that I have described.

The rest of this romance of a city may be devoted to dry statistics, such as the number of paupers, insane and criminals, the number of students at the university, male or female, and so forth, but to the price of city lots, for all the bloom and all the fragrance of this fair young city was in the price of her city lots.

City lots in good locations started in at about \$200, were bought for \$400 and over in the early 70's, and sold for \$100 after the crash of '74. Only those who were obliged to sell sold, and those who were not obliged to sell held their property at the old figures. But prices were not more or less rich to and of itself, but it had little surplus money to put on to the prices of lots. The slow, steady decline forced out the poor lot by little, and the prosperous lot by necessity bought, hoping for a happy day.

At last the happy day came. It had been a prosperous year, and the wheat and corn and oats were excellent. The country in general was prosperous. Everything was propitious. How it should nobody know, but it got into the air—that happy day. Long and patient waiters recognized it at once. They would not be taken in by who had waited for fully fifteen years for the happy day to come. They recognized it when it was only a breath in the air. They encouraged it at once by every means within their reach. They fanned the little spark of boom till it began to blaze. They wrote to their eastern friends about it. Their jealous rivals, the new comers to the city, did not let the lead and bid, and wished they did, saw the spark and offered to buy. The old ones sold, and then bought back and sold again. Everybody heard how prices were going from \$200 to \$1,000 and \$1,000 to \$1,500. Young boys went down to the real estate office and bought suburban lots for \$300 in the morning, and sold them the next morning for \$500. Two or three dollars for a mere boy who knew nothing, and that in a single night! Money grew like Jonah's gourd. People heard about it and rushed to want the great city of Lincoln. They came and they did. The great railroad center of the West. The great railroad center of the West. The great railroad center of the West. The great railroad center of the West.

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Notifying the Deity. Several of the Chinese temples have a bell at the entrance, so that each devotee as he passes may announce his arrival to the deity.

Man's Stupidity. "I wonder what that girl is working her face around to one side all the time for?" asked the fussy old man on the North Indianapolis car. "Do you reckon she's got the mad-dog?"

"Here you have been married fifteen years and don't know any more about girls than that," replied his wife in disgust. "Don't you see she's got her young man with her? She's twisting her cheek that way to make her dimple show."

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