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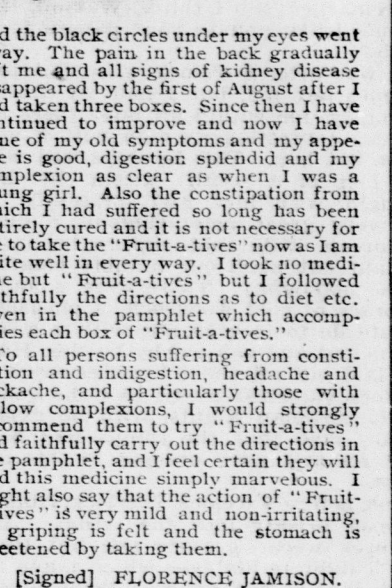
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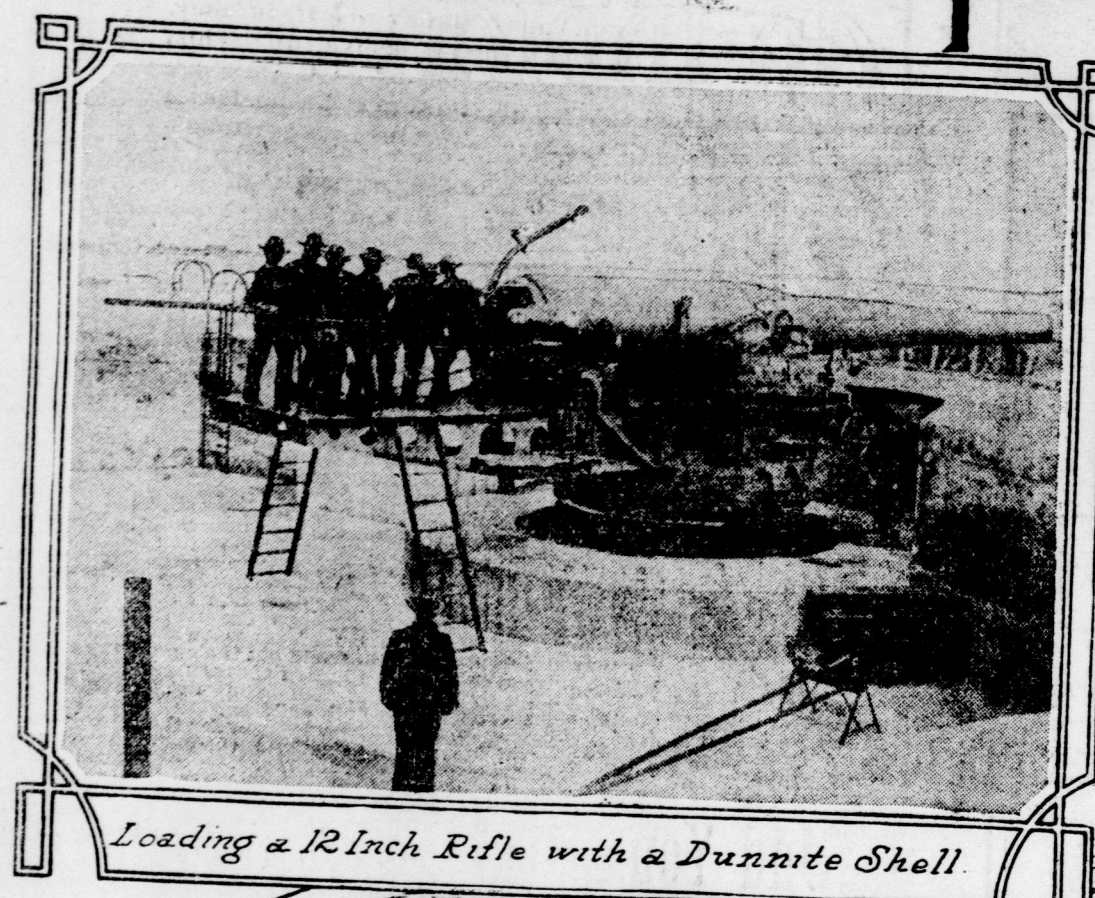
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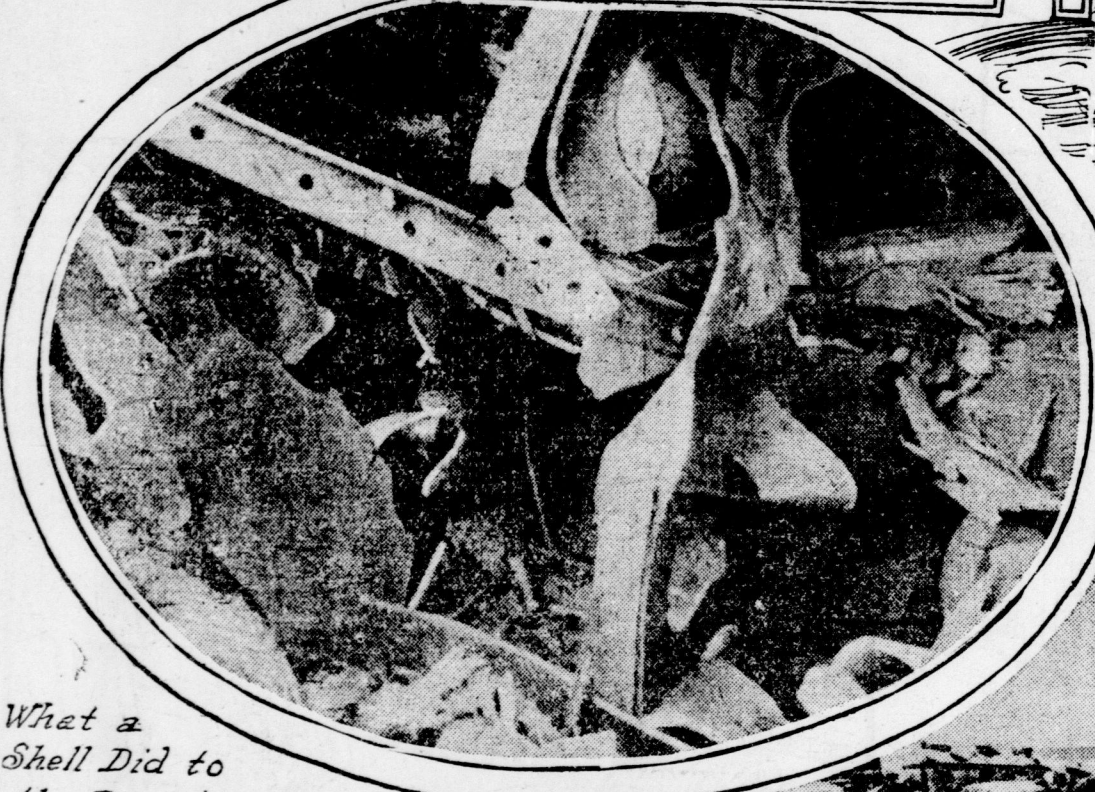
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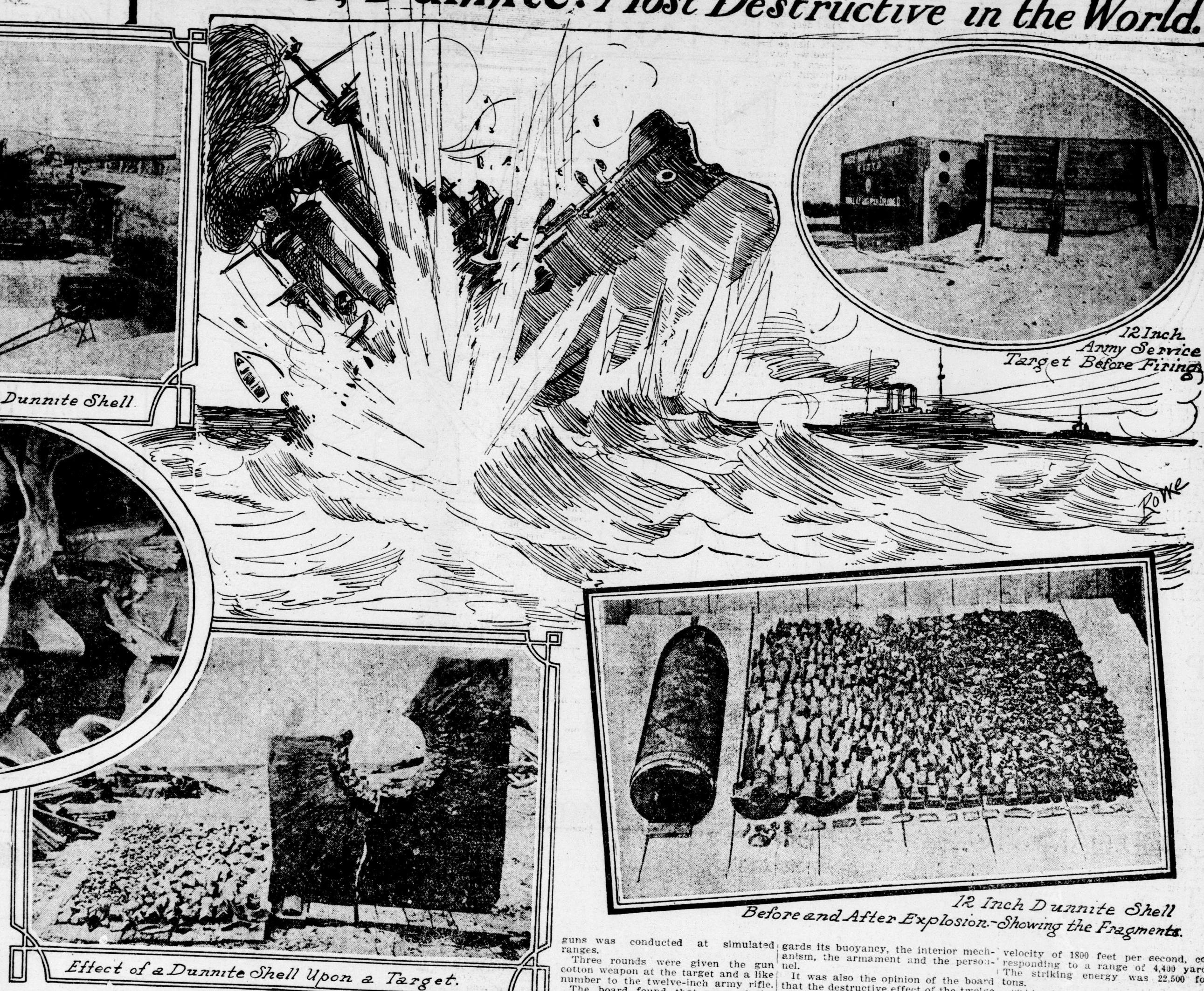
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12 Inch Dunnite Shell Before and After Explosion—Showing the Fragments.

MOST destructive of all explosives used in warfare is dunnite, a new secret preparation owned by England.

So sensational have been its performances that foreign governments, in alarm are endeavoring in every way to learn the composition of the new explosive.

It has been demonstrated in recent tests on proving grounds that a twelve-inch shell, loaded with only a small charge of dunnite, will crumple the side of the heaviest battleship like paper, even though the shot fall twenty feet away.

Dunnite possesses the merit of tractability. It does not explode upon impact, but by means of a fuse after entering the side of a ship. In this way the greatest damage may be done to the vessel's vitals and personnel.

Army and navy officials regard it as the most destructive explosive yet discovered, and the best possessed by any government in the world.

TO Major Beverly W. Dunn belongs the credit of having discovered this new high explosive. From him it takes its name.

It is far superior to any of the other high explosives of war—maxillite, lyddite, thorite or shimosé.

Lyddite attracted general attention through its use during the Boer war, but it seems never to have incurred up to all the extravagant claims made for it.

Shimosé powder has been extensively used by the Japanese during the present conflict in the East, and much of their success has been attributed to it.

Major Dunn, when questioned recently about shimosé, stated that so far as he knew, it was simply picric acid, a high explosive, the properties of which are well known. A shell, however, cannot be loaded with picric acid and fired through an armor plate without explosion upon impact.

"Even a layman can readily understand the advantages of an armor-piercing shell over the ordinary bursting shell," the officer said.

"In order to inflict the most damage upon an enemy we desire to have our shells enter his ship, and then, bursting into large fragments, carry destruction to its machinery and vital points.

"A shell bursting into small fragments would not do that. Tests have shown that dunnite will do all the things that are most desired in actual warfare."

Dunnite in comparatively small charges, is placed in large shells, with thick walls. When the shell is broken by explosion, the fragments are large and heavy enough and are thrown in all directions with sufficient force to do immense damage.

EXPLODES INSIDE THE SHIP.

"The composition that bears my name," Major Dunn explained, "is not the highest explosive known, but it is the highest explosive so far invented that contained within the chamber

"Then, its destructive work, actuated by a primer, takes place. That is the time when the destructive force is wanted—after the shell has reached the interior of the opposing ship."

Known only to the inventor and to a few officials of the British Ordnance Department are the ingredients that enter into the composition of dunnite. It is understood, however, that they are abundantly produced in Europe, and manufacture of the explosive offers no special difficulty.

This manufacture has been going on quietly for some time. The arsenals of Great Britain are now filled with dunnite shells, and almost all the ships of this navy and the sea-coast fortifications have a battle supply on hand and ready for any emergency.

Dunnite is in the form of a powder and is loaded by compression. Compression can be given without danger, and has been carried as high as about 10,000 pounds per square inch.

It is estimated that with a suitable fuse a twelve-inch shell containing fifty-eight pounds can be loaded in fifteen minutes. Dunnite may also be loaded by hand and without a press, but not so compactly, and, therefore, not so efficiently.

Use of the fuse delays the explosion until the armor-piercing projectile has got well into the vitals of the object of attack.

The material may be fired from high-power guns with full charges. It is particularly adapted to use in the monster twelve-inch rifles of battleships and shore fortifications, as these great guns are relied upon to penetrate the thick steel sheathing of modern warships and the resisting walls of forts.

SAFE TO MANUFACTURE AND HANDLE.

Not alone because of its destructive qualities is dunnite valuable. It may be manufactured and handled with safety, which cannot be said of some other high explosives.

Tests have shown that it is capable of withstanding the maximum shock of discharge from a big gun. It has been fired under a pressure of 37,700 pounds per square inch.

Its strength is such that a charge will explode the largest, thickest-walled shell, hurling the fragments about with terrific force.

Easily kept, too, is dunnite, holding its properties under almost any conditions of atmosphere or storage. The material used in the recent tests had been stored there for some time in unsealed boxes, without any precaution for protection from air and moisture.

It is practically proof against moisture. A dried sample exposed to a saturated atmosphere for eighteen days

0.219 and 0.278 of 1 per cent, in twenty-one days.

Taken as a whole, therefore, dunnite is considered by experts to be the safest and most reliable of explosives for armor-piercing shells, as well as giving the results most desired.

Experience has demonstrated that the selection of a high explosive shell, which shall be thoroughly efficient and yet safe beyond any reasonable doubt to store, handle and fire under all conditions of service, presented a most difficult problem, and could be considered solved only when those requirements were satisfactorily established by exhaustive tests in the twelve-inch army, or fortification rifle.

Some time ago Parliament appropriated \$50,550 for a comparative test of destructive energy, as shown by dunnite, fired from a twelve-inch army rifle, and exploded by Major Dunn's detonating fuse, and another system of attack which used gun cotton as its basis.

These two agencies were intended to accomplish the same result—destruction of the enemy—but in a different way. By one system it was proposed to explode a large quantity of gun cotton against the side of an armored vessel without any attempt at penetrating the armor.

It was claimed by the promoters of the system that the volume of gas produced by the explosion could be made to expand its force against the armor and on the effect of this force the destructive energy of the system depended. It was claimed that a single shot would destroy a battleship.

The method used in the twelve-inch army service rifle, charged with dunnite and the detonating fuse, contemplated, first, penetration of the armor, and then the detonation of a high explosive contained in a thick-walled projectile. There was involved the destruction of the armor, of the structure of the vessel of the armament and interior mechanism and of the personnel.

Tests were made by a joint board of officers of the army and navy, consisting of Major John G. D. Knight, of the Engineer Corps; Major R. Birnie of the Ordnance Department; and Captain John P. Wisser, of the Artillery, representing the army, and Lieutenant Joseph Strauss of the navy, representing the navy.

Two similar targets, representing the side construction of the largest type of battleship, were used. Each was about 8 by 16 feet and 12 inches thick. Each plate weighed 47,000 pounds.

Similar in all respects were the targets and each actually represented a section of the side of the latest type of battleship, but the structures themselves lacked the support of the adjoining armor plates and of the surrounding frames beams and decks that make up the whole structure of the ship. It being impracticable to exactly simulate a battleship on so small a scale.

It was considered by the board of officers, however, that the character of the experiments was sufficient from the results to make conclusive deductions as to the effect upon a battleship when similarly attacked.

firing charges as would give to the projectiles velocities on striking of plates such as they would have had if they had been fired with larger charges and at great distances from the targets. Thus the firing of both

guns was conducted at simulated ranges.

Three rounds were given the gun cotton weapon at the target and a like number to the twelve-inch army rifle. The board found that none of the impacts from the gun cotton shells would have endangered a modern battleship; that the system was not effective as a means of attacking armored vessels.

It found, on the other hand, that any one of the shots from the dunnite-loaded rifles would have wrought serious injury to a modern battleship as regards its buoyancy, the interior mechanism, the armament and the personnel.

It was also the opinion of the board that the destructive effect of the twelve-inch rifle, charged with dunnite, surpassed anything hitherto obtained from any gun.

Results of the three rounds of dunnite fired are given as follows by the board:

"An armor-piercing shot weighing 1001 pounds and 7 ounces, including 13 pounds 7 ounces of the high explosive, struck the centre of the target with a

velocity of 1800 feet per second, corresponding to a range of 4,400 yards. The striking energy was 22,500 foot tons.

"This shot penetrated the plate and backing, the skin plates, frames and cofferdam plates were completely demolished in the line of this impact. The crater formed in the sand butt in the rear of the structure measured 15 feet by 6 1/2 feet.

"Pieces of the plate and projectile passed through the structure, through the butt, and were recovered at distances of 150 to 200 feet in the rear of the butt. The rivets in the top plate were sheared, the side plates of the cofferdam were buckled about three-fourths of an inch.

"It is evident that had this shot struck a battleship, it would have wrought serious damage to the vessel.

TEARS STEEL PLATE TO BITS.

"The next shot, weighing 1,066 pounds and including twenty-three pounds of high explosive, struck the right edge of the plate with a velocity of 1,394 feet per second, corresponding to a range of 4,400 yards. The striking energy was 22,500 foot tons. The shot detonated in the plate, completely wrecking the right-hand portion and demolishing the frames behind the armor and the plates of the cofferdam. It is evident that had this shot struck a battleship it would have wrought serious injury to the vessel.

"A twelve-inch armor-piercing shell, weighing 1,045 pounds, including six pounds of the high explosive, struck the lower left hand centre of the plate with a velocity of 2,775 feet per second, corresponding to a range of 1,800 yards. The striking energy was 31,100 foot tons.

"The shell penetrated and exploded in the plate. As a result of this impact the plate was totally wrecked, and the backing, frames, beams and cofferdam plates of the structure were completely demolished. An opening was made through the plate four feet wide by eight feet long.

"The lower left hand quarter of the armor plate was broken into six large fragments and numerous small ones, the largest being about 4 1/2 feet square, which with the backing and skin plates was torn loose from the structure and turned inward, so that the left-hand edge of this fragment was in the plane of the original face of the plate.

"One large fragment, about 2 feet by 2 1/2 feet by 11 1/2 inches, and weighing about 2,500 pounds, was hurled through the target, through the butt of the butt. Numerous fragments of the plate and projectile passed through the target structure, through the butt, and were recovered in the rear. The effect of this shot would have resulted in serious injury to a battleship."

Another interesting test of dunnite's destructive powers when exploded in the water was made at Sandy Hook. A floating mass of woodwork, the size of a battleship at its water-line, was moored off shore. Submerged in four feet of water and fixed about fifty feet from the floating structure, was a 1,000-pound projectile containing twenty pounds of dunnite.

When the testing committee had scattered to points of safety, an electric button was pressed, those on shore felt the ground tremble, while a column of water shot up into the air 250 feet.

Fined for Proposing Over the 'Phone.



Walter Clark

Miss Louise Mutschler

ENTIRELY too progressive is Clark in these modern days. Besides, the old-fashioned method of courting is good enough for most girls.

Out in Kansas City, Walter Clark fell deeply in love with Miss Louise Mutschler. No one blamed Clark for the object of his adoration is a pretty and attractive girl.

Clark's suit, however, did not prosper. He failed to find in the eyes of Miss Mutschler the favor that

the agony of his soul in silence? Not

His persistence in seeking a favorable reply to his proposal finally resulted in his appearance before Police Judge Brady.

Miss Mutschler told the judge that since she rejected Clark he had persisted in renewing his proposal over the telephone.

Now the doors may be barred and a rejected suitor kept out; but how is a telephone to be guarded? Not know-

Clark, she said, called her up in the morning, in the afternoon, and in the

dewy eve, and sometimes at night, always with the same eager, tender query.

This raised an interesting question. What constitutes a breach of the peace by telephone. Judge Brady decided that after a woman has rejected a man he must stay rejected—that is as much her right as to reject him in the first place.

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Our Boys and Girls

CONDUCTED BY POLLY EVANS

AUGUST BRINGS THE SHEAVES OF CORN THEN THE HARVEST HOME IS BORNE

PANSY, A PUG DOG



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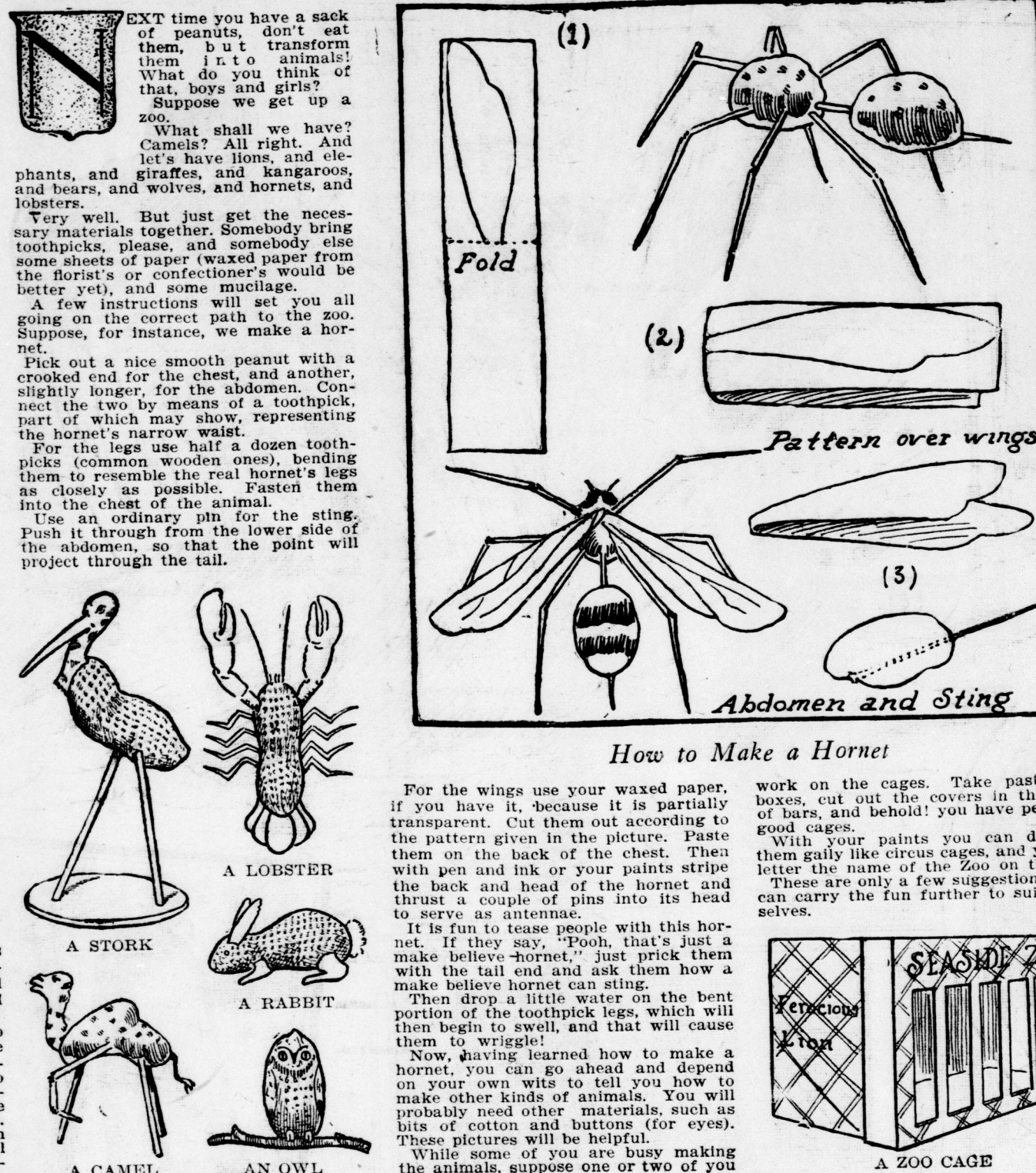
PANSY was a pet dog in a family living in a small town in Chester county, Pennsylvania. Pansy's grandmother came from England, and was one of the first pug dogs ever seen in this country. Soon after this little dog was born her mother died, and she was raised on the bottle. Just fancy a puppy taking milk from a bottle like a baby!

Indeed, she received about the same attention that most babies have, and, of course, became very much spoiled. For instance, whenever her fond mistress would go away she would cry after her just like a child.

She loved sweets, as most dogs do, and ginger cake was one of her specialties. One day, when the cook had baked some nice, fresh ginger cake and left it on the table to cool, Pansy jumped up and ate every bit of it. Another day she mistook a box of pills for a candy (they must have been homoeopathic pills), and nearly died from the effects of eating them.

Pansy was very bright, although she was not given credit for this quality. She was also very strong in her likes and dislikes, and brimful of mischief. In the same family was a pet cat by

MAKE A PEANUT ZOO



How to Make a Hornet

For the wings use your waxed paper, if you have it, because it is partially transparent. Cut them out according to the pattern given in the picture. Paste them on the back of the chest. Then with pen and ink or your paints stripe the back and head of the hornet and thrust a couple of pins into its head to serve as antennae.

It is fun to tease people with this hornet. If they say, "Pooh, that's just a make believe hornet," just prick them with the tail end and ask them how a make believe hornet can sting.

Then drop a little water on the bent portion of the toothpick legs, which will then begin to swell, and that will cause them to wiggle!

Now, having learned how to make a hornet, you can go around and depend on your own wits to tell you how to make other kinds of animals. You will probably need other materials, such as bits of cotton and buttons (for eyes). These pictures will be helpful.

While some of you are busy making the animals, suppose one or two of you

AN INDIAN FEAST

GRANDFATHER, did you ever see an Indian when you were a little boy?

"Did ever see an Indian? Why, my dear children, one of the first things I remember was an old Indian, who used to come to the door and pull up the latchstring and come into the kitchen, and stand without saying 'if you please,' demand something to eat."

"What did you do? I should have been afraid," burst out the two grandchildren, who gathered about their grandfather, and seeing he was in for a story the old gentleman put down his paper and settled himself, with one child on his lap and the other cuddled down in a chair at his feet.

"Well, one at a time, and ladies first, you know. I was not afraid because we lived so near the Indians. I had grown used to them, and Jack, the only thing we did was to cook them a good meal."

"Tell us about how you lived when you were a little boy, please do," said Jack, as he saw the smiling grandfather himself over something that must be funny.

"Well, you know my mother and father—that is, your great-grandparents—settled in the woods, in a clearing. It was twenty miles to town, and we had to go three miles to school. It was not a fine school house, but the teacher, but a log cabin, which my father helped to build, and there we all went. There were only fourteen scholars, and we used to have gay times."

"The big boys used to cut the wood and carry it to them, and Jack, the only thing we did was to cook them a good meal."

"In the winter time we had fun with



The Indians Were Eating Their Christmas Dinner

our bobsleds. The men took turns in collecting the children, and we would all pile in the sled, filled with straw, and away we would go. I remember to her self, and sud-denly Green-ie's voice reached her.

"What a pity!" he said. "You must keep your eyes open next time."

"And that's something to be thankful for," said Mother—Little Folks.

could; there was a click, and she heard the man exclaim:

"There, I have your photo-graph at last!"

Liz-zie did not know what he meant, she only ran fast-er-until the safe shelter of a rock was reached.

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GOOD GAMES FOR LONG DAYS

Cardinal's Hat Game.

THE children being seated in a circle, a child, who does not take part in the game, whispers to each of the rest a name representing some color, "Red cap," "Blue cap," "Yellow cap," "Two players are excepted, one of whom is called 'My man John,' and one represents the cardinal. The latter now leaves the circle, and places in the hands of 'John' a little billet of wood, bidding him take care of the cardinal's hat, which at the same time he declares to be of some particular color, as green. 'John' conceals this somewhere in the room.

The child who went out then enters, armed with a cane, and demands the cardinal's hat. 'John' pretends to have forgotten all about it, and asks, "What color was it, green?" and so on until he guesses the color.

Being thus reminded, he declares that some one of the group, as, for example, 'Red Cap,' has stolen it.

'Red cap' is now asked by the questioner, "Red cap, did you steal the cardinal's hat?" He must pass on the charge, saying, "No, it was White cap, or any other color. If he omits to do so, or names a color not included among the players, he must pass.

Meanwhile the questioner becomes indignant at the numerous denials and proceeds to extort confession by torture, rapping with his cane the fingers of those whom he addresses. If he succeeds in obliging any child to confess, the latter must pay forfeit.

At last 'My man John' owns the theft, produces the hat, and the game is begun again, until a sufficient number of forfeits have been collected.

Game of Colors.

IN PHILADELPHIA the boys and girls play a game in which the children, having been given birds' names, are pursued by the mother, if captured, are put into the stop-bow (or sugar bowl).

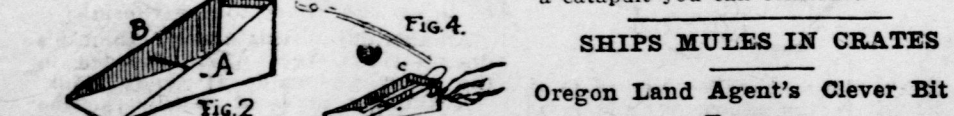
But in New York there is a color game which you will all like.

A row of children, on the door-steps of a house, or against a chamber wall. Opposite each other stand two girls, representing, one the good, the other the bad, angel. Every child selects a color. The mother stands at the foot of the steps. The 'Good Angel' closes the door (i. e. the side of the flight of house-steps), and is answered by the mother.

"Who's knocking at the door?"

HOW TO MAKE A CATAPULT

HAVE you ever made a catapult? You know what that is, do you not? The word comes from the Greek language (kata, meaning "down," combined with pelta, meaning "hurl"). When you have made one you will find that by pulling the string down and placing the missile on it and then letting go of your lever, it



will HURL the missile with great force a considerable distance.

Ask your father or some one else for an empty cigar box. Saw or cut a diagonal section out of it, as indicated in figure 1.

Then bore a hole through each side (A-B), take strong rubber bands and fasten it securely in place by means of

LIZZIE'S PHOTOGRAPH

(For the Little Folks.)

LIZZIE was a little girl and lived with her father and mother in a big dark forest.

She never expected to have her photo-graph taken, but this was how it happened. She could run so nicely on her hind legs that it was not surprising.

"May Liz-zie come out with us?" asked Green-ie one day. "We are going outside the forest where there is a lovely lot of grass; we will take great care of her."

"Very well," agreed Mother, so off went Liz-zie with her little friend. Soon they were scam-pering over the leaves, swinging their lit-tle-baskets of acorns between them.

Presently they came to the place through which ran the stream, and all the lizards put down their baskets and began to pad-die in the bright water.

Puzzles and Problems

Transposition Puzzle.

My initials form the name of an island in the Mediterranean Sea.

My second name is a city in the English county of Devonshire, an English county; Penzance, a village; Dorset, a village; Devon, a village; Devon, a village; Devon, a village.

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Riddles.

1. Ice.
2. Because they say the moon is made of green cheese.
3. Like Santa Claus, it has a funny face.
4. That is the cat's story.

Rhymed Endings.

Birds skim the air or flutter NIGH,
And sing and twitter as they FLY,
Or perch up in a treetop HIGH,
And warble to the summer SKY.
Then fit it if but closer FLY,
And watch me with a restless EYE,
I'm sorry, but I don't know WHY.
Not to be humorous I TRY,
I don't disturb their nests, not I,
They pick the crumbs alert and SHY,
And I confess it makes me CRY,
That all the while they seem so SHY.

What City?

Galveston.

What One of the United States?

Colorado.

Geographical Puzzles.

Thomas
Mayor of
Massachusetts

Master
1905
Wisconsin

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SHIPS MULES IN GRATES

Oregon Land Agent's Clever Bit of Economy.

Putting a team of mules in crates for shipment by express is one of the latest achievements of State Land Agent Oswald West, whose recent trip to Klamath county proved him a man of resources. He bought the mules in Klamath county, led them to Ashland, and there found freight charges would be \$65, while express charges would be only \$35. He

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ENGLISH MARKET.

LIVERPOOL.
Liverpool, Aug. 25.—Wheat—Spot nominal. Futures steady; September, 68 3/4d; December, 68 1/4d.
Corn—Spot firm; American mixed, 58 1/2d; Futures quiet; September, 48 1/2d; December, 48 1/4d; January, new, 48 1/2d.
Peas—Canadian firm, 58 1/4d.
Hops—(out London)—Pacific coast easy, 14 lbs to 15.
Lard—Oiled—Quiet 18s 6d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter steady, 58s 6d.
Butter—Finest United States nominal, 55s; do, good, nominal, 54s.
Petroleum—Quiet, 6d.
Rosin—Common, 36s 6d.
Cottonseed Oil (Hull refined)—Spot easy, 17s 7 1/2d.
Pork—Prime mess western steady, 96s 3d.
Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 48s; do, long, 48s 6d; Cumberland cut, 25 to 30 lbs, 48s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, 48s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 32 lbs, 48s 6d; short clear middles, heavy, 25 to 40 lbs, 48s; short clear hams, 16 to 20 lbs, 48s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, 48s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, steady, 24s 6d.
Lard—Firm; prime western, in tierces, 28s 6d; American refined, in 45s; test, 28s 6d; do, good, nominal, 28s 6d.
Cheese—Strong; American finest white, 54s; do, colored, 53s 6d.
Tallow—Prime city steady, 22s; Australian (in London) firm, 27s 6d; Turpentine Spirits—Steady, 46s.

PRODUCE MARKET.

TORONTO.
Toronto, Aug. 25.—Wheat—Ontario, No. 2 red and white, new, 100c; No. 1, 101c; No. 2, 100c; No. 3, 99c; No. 4, 98c; No. 5, 97c; No. 6, 96c; No. 7, 95c; No. 8, 94c; No. 9, 93c; No. 10, 92c; No. 11, 91c; No. 12, 90c; No. 13, 89c; No. 14, 88c; No. 15, 87c; No. 16, 86c; No. 17, 85c; No. 18, 84c; No. 19, 83c; No. 20, 82c; No. 21, 81c; No. 22, 80c; No. 23, 79c; No. 24, 78c; No. 25, 77c; No. 26, 76c; No. 27, 75c; No. 28, 74c; No. 29, 73c; No. 30, 72c; No. 31, 71c; No. 32, 70c; No. 33, 69c; No. 34, 68c; No. 35, 67c; No. 36, 66c; No. 37, 65c; No. 38, 64c; No. 39, 63c; No. 40, 62c; No. 41, 61c; No. 42, 60c; No. 43, 59c; No. 44, 58c; No. 45, 57c; No. 46, 56c; No. 47, 55c; No. 48, 54c; No. 49, 53c; No. 50, 52c; No. 51, 51c; No. 52, 50c; No. 53, 49c; No. 54, 48c; No. 55, 47c; No. 56, 46c; No. 57, 45c; No. 58, 44c; No. 59, 43c; No. 60, 42c; No. 61, 41c; No. 62, 40c; No. 63, 39c; No. 64, 38c; No. 65, 37c; No. 66, 36c; No. 67, 35c; No. 68, 34c; No. 69, 33c; No. 70, 32c; No. 71, 31c; No. 72, 30c; No. 73, 29c; 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TODAY'S MARKETS

Other quotations on page 5.

LOCAL MARKET.

Saturday, Aug. 26.

Today's market was a representative one in every respect, as the attendance was large and the amount of produce offered was the largest in several weeks. Sales as a rule were brisk in nearly every line. Prices were inclined to be easier.

Grain—There is a big difference in the opinion of the farmers regarding the crop of the year. A large number say that last year's crop was a better sample than the present year's crop, while others contend that this year's crop will be considerably larger than last year's. The supply of oats today was large. Sales were brisk at the opening of the market at 85c to 90c per cwt. for new oats and \$1.10 to \$1.20 per cwt. for old oats. Barley sold lower at 85c to 90c per cwt. All kinds of wheat sold at 75c per bushel.

A few loads of hay sold at \$3 per ton.

Dairy Produce—Twenty-five years ago the United States was the principal foreign contributor to the cheese supply of Great Britain, but Canada has taken the lead. The following were the exports of the two countries for the six months to July 20: Number of boxes shipped from Canada, 435,520; from the United States, 111,737. The shipments from all countries so far in the year are 1,000,000. The large buyers in Canada say that prices are dangerously low to invest in, and they will not do so unless they have orders to fill. Butter sold well today; prices were firm at 19c to 20c for crocks in large lots and 20c to 21c for small lots. Pound rolls sold at 21c to 22c by the basket, retail at 23c to 24c. Eggs were in good demand at 16c per dozen by the crate, retail at 17c per dozen.

Fruits—Shipments made to dealers today were large. The following prices were paid: Peaches, 12-quart basket, 35c to 40c; plums, for same-sized basket, sold at 40c to 50c. Apples were in good demand at 10c and 11c per bushel. Pears were more plentiful at 35c per bushel. Nimmberberries sold at 3c to 4c per bushel.

Vegetables and Roots—Potatoes were in large supply, most of them sold at 35c to 40c per bushel. Cabbages, plant-fut, at 25c to 35c per dozen. Peas were scarce at 12c per quart, other vegetables plentiful, at prices quoted.

Dressed Hogs—About a half dozen offered; prices were lower at \$8.75 per cwt.

Live Hogs—Figures for Monday will be \$9.75 per cwt. for select, small pigs sold today at \$8 to \$9 per pair.

Futcher's Meat—There was a moderate supply offered; sales were as usual.

Poultry—There was no change in prices, if anything, they were a shade easier.

GRAIN, PER CENTAL.

Wheat, old, 100 lbs. \$1.25 @ \$1.27
Oats, old, 100 lbs. 50 @ 50
Corn, 100 lbs. 35 @ 35
Barley, 100 lbs. 35 @ 35
Rye, 100 lbs. 50 @ 50
Buckwheat, 100 lbs. 1.00 @ 1.00
Peas, 100 lbs. 1.00 @ 1.00

GRAIN, PER BUSHEL.

Wheat, 75 @ 75
Oats, old, 37 1/2 @ 41 1/2
Oats, new, 35 @ 35
Corn, 51 @ 56
Barley, 43 1/2 @ 44
Rye, 52 @ 53
Buckwheat, 52 @ 53
Peas, 80 @ 90

HAY AND STRAW.

Hay, per ton, 7.50 @ 8.00
Straw, per ton, 5.00 @ 5.50
Straw, per load, 3.00 @ 3.50

POULTRY, DRESSED.

Old hens, pair, 70 @ 80
Ducks, per lb., 10 @ 10
Chickens, per lb., 9 @ 10
Hens, per lb., 7 @ 8
Ducks, per lb., 10 @ 11

POULTRY, LIVE.

Old hens, pair, 70 @ 80
Ducks, per lb., 10 @ 10
Chickens, per lb., 9 @ 10
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LIVE STOCK.

Hogs, select, cwt., 6.75 @ 6.75
Pigs, per pair, 3.50 @ 4.00
Stags, per cwt., 1.50 @ 2.00

WHEAT AND STOCK.

Quotations from Bartlett, Frazier & Carrington, members New York Stock Exchange, Chicago Board of Trade, etc.

Wheat, 100 lbs. 80 1/2 @ 81 1/2
Oats, 100 lbs. 35 @ 35
Corn, 100 lbs. 35 @ 35
Barley, 100 lbs. 35 @ 35
Rye, 100 lbs. 50 @ 50
Buckwheat, 100 lbs. 1.00 @ 1.00
Peas, 100 lbs. 1.00 @ 1.00

Hay, per ton, 7.50 @ 8.00
Straw, per ton, 5.00 @ 5.50
Straw, per load, 3.00 @ 3.50

Spring chickens, 45 @ 60
Old hens, pair, 70 @ 80
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Lamb, each, 5.00 @ 6.00
Veal, cwt., 7.00 @ 8.00

VEGETABLES.

Potatoes, per bu., 45 @ 60
Tomatoes, 20-lb. basket, 25 @ 35
Cauliflowers, per doz., 20 @ 25
Green onions, per doz., 20 @ 25
Lettuce, per doz., 20 @ 25
Radishes, per doz., 20 @ 25
Asparagus, per doz., 20 @ 25
Sage, per doz., 20 @ 25
Parsley, per doz., 20 @ 25
New cabbages, per doz., 20 @ 25
Cucumbers, per doz., 20 @ 25
Onions, per bu., 20 @ 25
Turnips, per bu., 20 @ 25
Carrots, per doz., 20 @ 25
Butter, cwt., 20 @ 25
Butter, rolls, 20 @ 25
Eggs, doz., 16 @ 18
Eggs, doz., whole, 16 @ 18
Honey, strained, lb., 8 @ 9
Honey, comb, lb., 12 @ 13

FRUITS.

Black currants, per box, 12 @ 12
Red raspberries, per box, 10 @ 12
Gooseberries, per quart, 7 @ 8
Strawberries, per box, 10 @ 12
Apples, per bu., 1.00 @ 1.25
Apples, per peck, 25 @ 30
Peaches, 12-quart basket, 25 @ 30
Pears, per peck, 25 @ 30
Wool, washed, lb., 24 @ 26
Wool, unwashed, lb., 18 @ 20
Hides, No. 2, per lb., 7 1/2 @ 8 1/2
Hides, No. 3, per lb., 6 1/2 @ 7 1/2
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STOCK MARKETS.

H. C. Becker, stock broker, next Free Press building, received the following by private wire from Bartlett, Frazier & Carrington today:

New York, Aug. 26—Close.—Today's bank statement was an unexpectedly good showing, and was followed by a general recovery in the stock market, which had been depressed by the heavy statement was far out of line with the forecasts, and did not prove bad by any means, but the market was not concerned with those circumstances, as a decrease of at least \$2,000,000 had been expected in each weekly statement. Another factor in the rally in the generally firm closing was the spread of a report that the peace negotiations really stood in much more favorable position than was set forth in this morning's dispatch. Some stocks were exceptionally strong throughout the day, notably the Fraction shares and Tennessee Coal and Iron. Reading was heavy throughout the day. The market gave a very good account of itself, but the violent fluctuations earlier in the week, and it seems to be the best opportunity for higher prices will be met next week.

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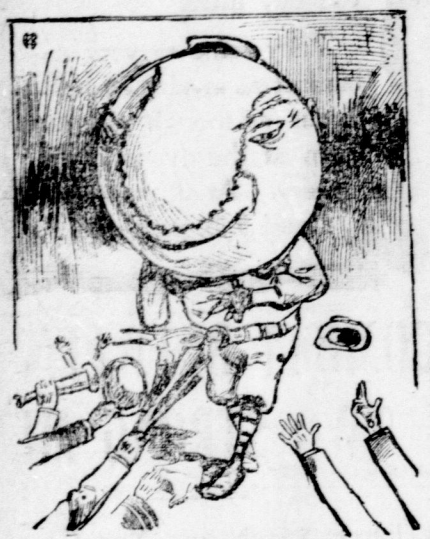
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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Rev. James Livingstone is to preach harvest home services at Springfield tomorrow.

—Listowel people are thinking about organizing an old boys' reunion for 1906.

—Dr. Treadgold, of this city, has bought the Broughton residence in Forest, and will reside in that town in future.

—Dr. A. B. Walker, of St. John, N. B., will speak tomorrow (Sunday) in the Horton Street Baptist Church at 11 a.m. His subject is "The Sun's Sign."

—Mr. W. G. Cairnes for many years a resident of Parkhill, intends forming a company for delivering parcels to different parts of the city of London.

—Mr. Lew J. Walker, London, manager for Bradstreet's, will leave on Monday for Port Arthur, Fort William and Winnipeg, accompanied by Mrs. Walker.

—Dr. Hutchinson and party have completed a three-weeks' trip on the doctor's yacht Nancy, and the boat has been replaced in the boathouse till another season.

—Rev. Dr. A. Harlan Currie, of Chicago University, who is spending a few days in the city, will officiate at the First Congregational Church tomorrow at both services.

—Mr. James Wilson, late of the Victoria Hotel, Stratford, has bought from Mr. Joseph Smith, of this city, a lot on Downie street, next to McClellan's.

—Rev. James Rollins, of the King Street Presbyterian Church, has returned from a five-weeks' visit at Kingston, and will occupy his own pulpit tomorrow.

—The Rev. K. McGough, B.A., rector of St. James' Church, Wardsville, is to preach at All Saints' Church on Sunday, in the absence of the Rev. T. B. Clark, who is in England.

—Rev. F. Barr, B.A., of Wallaceburg, has been appointed to take charge of the Anglican Churches in Gorrie, Fordwich and Wrexeter, on and after the first Sunday in October.

—The executive has decided that the annual meeting of the Methodist missionary board will be held in this city some time in October. Rev. Dr. Sutherland, the secretary, is to visit China shortly.

—Rev. Rural Dean Lowe, who has been appointed to St. Matthew's Church here, will leave his present parish of Wingham on Sept. 17. He intends holding a farewell service at Zealand when he leaves.

—The Male Chorus Club of St. James' Church choir, South London, will sing at both services of the church tomorrow. At morning prayer Beethoven's magnificent "Worship of God in Nature" will be given.

—The officers of the Sixth Field Battery held a meeting in the armory last evening to make arrangements for their trip to Petawawa on Sept. 20. Wednesday evening drills will be especially lively for the next three weeks in anticipation of the camp.

—Mr. John Hodder, merchant tailor, has opened up at 42 1/2 Richmond street, next Huron and Erie (upstairs), where he will be his usual friends and any person who may favor him with a trial order. All work guaranteed.

—Dr. Valois de Valois, lieutenant-colonel of the Mont-Royal Veterans of the Province of Quebec, will be a few days in London to meet his comrades of London and other parts of Ontario where there are veterans' associations. He will be at No. 236 Rectory street, south of East London station.

MEET IN LECTURE-ROOM.
Because of alterations and adding the gallery of the church, the congregation of the St. James' Presbyterian Church will have the next few services in the lecture-room.

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farm up west. He wired The Advertiser this morning to the effect that he would not sell his summer home for all the sky-scrapers in New York.

LONDON MINISTER THERE.
The Toronto Presbytery, having sustained the call extended to Rev. Robert Harrison, of Ottawa, to St. Giles' Church, and translated Rev. E. L. Pidgeon, of St. Andrew's Church, Markham, to the London Presbytery, where he assumes the pastorate of Knox Church, St. Thomas, Mr. Pidgeon will be inducted on Tuesday, Sept. 5, at 2 p.m. The moderator of the London Presbytery will preside at this meeting. Mr. Nixon, of Hyde Park, will preach; Rev. Dr. Ross, of London, will address the pastor; Rev. Currie, of Belmont, will address the congregation.

A Funny Feature.
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The voices were all of a high average. The best numbers were "Good Old Georgia," sung by Gus Reid; "The Clock Upon the Mantel," by Will Oakland and chorus; and "The Little Soldier Man," by E. A. Bate.

"The Sunflower Hotel" also proved of great humor and the audience were ready to cry out with laughter. They were almost laughed out.

The grand spectacular scenic transformations, which close the show, were of the Primrose costume and brilliancy, the electrical illuminations being superb.

"Hope to see you next year," the reporter said as he left Mr. Primrose.

"As long as I am in minstrelsy you will see me in London every year," he replied.

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It is estimated that there will fall due during 1905 and 1906 over \$300,000,000 of railroad mortgages and notes, and over \$100,000,000 of municipal bonds. This Europe holds about \$100,000,000 of short-term railroad notes; in addition it holds about \$60,000,000 of municipal certificates.

THE SPOON SHAKER.
Straight From Coffeedom.

Coffee can marshal a good squadron of enemies and very hard ones to overcome. A lady in Florida writes:

"I have always been very fond of good coffee, and for years drank it at least three times a day. At last, however, I found that it was injuring me."

"I became bilious, subject to frequent and violent headaches, and so very nervous, that I could not rest a part of its contents, my heart got 'rickety' and beat so fast and so hard that I could not breathe, while my skin got thick and dingy, with yellow blotches on my face, caused by the condition of my liver and blood. I made up my mind that all these afflictions came from the coffee, and I determined to experiment and see."

"So I quit coffee and got a package of Postum, which furnished my hot morning beverage. After a little time I was rewarded by a complete restoration of my health in every respect. I do not suffer from biliousness any more, my headaches have disappeared, my nerves are as steady as could be desired, my heart beats regularly and my complexion has cleared up beautifully—the blotches have been wiped out and it is such a pleasure to be well again." Name given by Postum.

LONDON LINE WILL REACH HAMILTON

Southwestern Traction Is Preparing to Invade the Ambitious City.

The Hamilton Spectator says: "While Hon. Charles D. Haines and other people are making a good deal of noise about electric railway building in and around Hamilton, there is a business combination up in London, Canada, that is making but very little noise, yet, according to report, is doing a whole lot of work and may yet reach Hamilton from the west before Mr. Haines' Brantford line is finished. This combination is the Southwestern Traction Company, with its head office in the Masonic building, London. It has a Dominion charter, and the combination is made up of wealthy English capitalists, who are taking a fly at colonial investment in electric."

"In conversation with a London man, who is a Spectator reporter

THIS STRENUOUS CANADA

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There is a growing demand in Ja-

Scene from one of the lays which will be produced at the Grand next week
by the Chicago Stock Company.



Care of the face in summer.



IN WINTER it is usually easy to have the face treated by specialists who thoroughly understand the matter; but in summer, when you are off in the country, traveling about from place to place, it is difficult, often impossible, to secure a competent person to perform this service, and so I am giving directions for simple facial treatment that can be easily followed by every woman.

Perfect cleanliness is the foundation of a fine complexion, and cannot be too often diluted upon. The water found on shipboard and railroad trains and at

summer resorts is apt to be very hard. Not only is this injurious to the skin, but, as hard water will not mix with soap properly, it is almost impossible to cleanse the face thoroughly. Cleansing cream is a good substitute, but I have found almond meal the most acceptable in hot weather. This takes the place of soap, and can be used with any water, hot or cold; it leaves the skin clean, soft and smooth, with a delightful odor clinging to it.

Once a week the face should have a thorough facial treatment, and the directions which I am giving have been

followed by many of my correspondents with most satisfactory and beneficial results. You will find it much more comfortable to pin a folded towel around the forehead tightly to keep refractory locks of hair from getting in the way. Dip a clean face cloth in hot water, then sprinkle a small amount of almond meal on it, and wash the face with soap and water. Rinse thoroughly. Have a basin of very hot water ready and several small face towels, wring these out tightly in the hot water, and apply to the face as soon as one cools, replacing it with a hot one.

This method of opening the pores is not only more convenient than steaming, but it is much better for the skin. After continuing this treatment for about ten minutes, dry the face gently with the palm of the hand. Last of all, dust with very soft rice powder.

If I could only persuade every woman to try this treatment, I am sure there would be more complexions like "peaches and cream," and fewer unsightly skins.

Autobalancing is one of the greatest enemies to a good complexion, and if the skin is to be preserved preventive measures must be taken when there is to be a lengthy exposure.

First cover the face with a good cold cream, and over this put a layer of the very best face powder you can get. Then return from her trip the woman who has protected her face in this way can easily remove all traces of the exposure. She must apply a good face cream freely, and then take it off with a soft cloth, which will leave the skin smooth, clean and pink.

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HELPFUL HINTS FOR BEAUTY SEEKERS AND ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS BY MRS. HENRY SYMES

About a Good Cream

Will you please tell me in next week's paper all about cucumber cream, and how it is used, and can I get it put up at the drug store? If not, will you please explain very plainly to me how to mix it? I shall always be grateful to you.

I am giving you the formula for cucumber cream. You can make it yourself, or have it prepared by a druggist.

Cucumber Lotion or Cream.

Expressed juice of cucumbers, ½ pint; deodorized alcohol, 15 ounces; sweet oil, 2½ ounces; shaving cream, 1 dram; blanched almonds, 1½ drams.
This is a suave lotion, very whitening, softening and cleansing. Make the shaving cream and dissolve in rosewater by heating in a custard kettle. Beat the almonds in a mortar, and by degrees work in the soap and water. Strain through muslin and return to the mortar. Stir constantly, working in gradually the alcohol, in which the oils have already been dissolved.

Tender Feet

Will Mrs. Symes please answer these questions for next week's paper, for I am very anxious?
What will cure burning feet? They feel as though I were burning up on the bottom; suffering is awful. What will stop blood poison? How can I cure my hair? I have always been very much interested in your column. Hope I may hear from you in the next paper, for it will be such a great help to me.

To relieve the burning feet, bathe in alum water night and morning, and after wiping dry, dust the feet over with boracic powder. Blood poison is a very serious trouble, and you should consult a reliable physician in regard to its treatment. The Marcel wave is done with irons made especially for the purpose, and it can be done satisfactorily only by an expert.

Hair Falling

I am a man 34 years old, weight 170, height 5 feet 8 inches, and my health is fairly good. For the last ten years my hair has been coming out more or less, but for the last two years it comes out by the handful. Have tried a few tonics prepared for me by a physician, but gave it up, as it did not help me any. Have been using

had no roots. Have lots of dandruff on my head. I will be thankful if you can help me.

I think it quite probable that your falling hair is caused by dandruff on the scalp. Use the lotion for which I am giving you formula until the dandruff disappears, and then use the quinine tonic, which will promote the growth of the hair. In applying these lotions, massage the scalp well with the tips of the fingers—using a rotary motion.

To Remove Dandruff.

Tincture of cantharides, 1 ounce; liquid ammonia, 1 dram; glycerine, ½ ounce; oil of thyme, ½ dram; rosemary oil, ½ dram. Mix all together with six ounces of rosewater. Rub the scalp thoroughly with this preparation until no further evidence of dandruff is noticed.

Quinine Hair Tonic.

Sulphate of quinine, 1 dram; rosewater, 8 ounces; diluted sulphuric acid, 15 minims; rectified spirits, 2 ounces. Boil, then filter and add glycerine, ¼ ounce; essence of rose or essence of orange, 1 or 2 minims.

Agitate until solution is complete. Apply to the roots every day.

Hollow in Her Back

Seeing your good advice to others, I thought I would write and see if you could help me. Am quite stout over the hips and through the bust, but right in the small of my back there is quite a hollow, and I have been wearing a bustle, but as the heat fits being a horsehair bustle, and thought perhaps you could tell me of some way to fill this hollow. It causes my dress skirt to fit very poorly.

I do not know of any method to develop the small of the back, but suggest that you substitute a bustle of light-weight woven wire for the one you are now wearing.

Brown Locks Falling

We have been taking the paper a number of years and I am much interested in the column which you conduct. I thought myself lucky not to be among those unhappy casualties who were married with the so-called facial blemishes. But, alas! I may now number myself among them. I am 31 years old, am as healthy as a strawberry in June, and can say my hair is falling out

and my hair began to fall. I partly suspect that snoring was the cause, or, perhaps, the pompadour I wore. I have now but a baneful left, and it does not fall any more. But Mrs. Symes, I would like to get it back. Would you kindly tell me how? I cut about three inches of thick, now about my face. It is quite pump and well textured, but the surface of the skin, when drawn together, crimps like crepe paper. It looks dry and of a yellow color. All along the hair on my forehead, my cheeks, nose

and chin, the pores are clogged up with a white substance, which, if not squeezed out, gets hard. I have used bathing in very hot water and the dashing of ice water on my face, and afterward massage it with the pure tallow cream, but this doesn't do a particle of good. Would you kindly give me remedy for these defects? I am to continue bathing my face and using that kind of cream in that way? I will not bother you so soon again with such a long letter.

GRATEFUL.

If you still have excessive dandruff on your scalp, this will keep the hair from growing, and I advise you to use the cure for dandruff so frequently published in this department. Every night before retiring brush the hair thoroughly and braid it loosely so that the scalp is well ventilated. To clear your complexion refrain from eating greasy foods, and just before washing the face, rub it over with two teaspoonfuls of flowers of

sulphur, mixed in half a pint of new milk. This mixture should stand a little while before it is used on the face.

To Fatten the Cheeks

Can you give in your paper a prescription for a cream of some kind that I can use on my face, all over the hollow places in my cheeks? Something that would act as a food or fattener.

Massage with the orange flower cream frequently published in this department.

To Keep a Switch From Fading

Can you tell me through the columns of your department of something that will keep a switch from fading? I find that the best of them will fade. Mine should be black, but they all become brown after a time. I should like to know of some way to turn them dark again. Yours truly, M. G.

CONSTANT READER.

I do not know of anything that will keep a switch from fading after a reasonable length of time. However, think you might stain it to renew the color.

Skin Always Red

I am a constant reader of your department, but have overlooked the recipe for witch hazel cream. Will you please send it to me? I have an oily skin and it is all the time red. I am only 27 years, and I think I ought not to look the way I do.

J. F.

Witch Hazel Cold Cream.

One ounce each of white wax and spermaceti; ½ pint of oil of almonds.

Melt, pour into a mortar which has been heated by being immersed some time in boiling water. Add gradually 2 ounces of rosewater and 1 ounce of witch hazel, and stir the mixture until an emulsion is formed, and afterward until the mixture is nearly cold.

This cream is particularly useful to heal sore or stretched skin.

To Make the Ankle Small

I have seen on your page nearly everything but the one I want, so I write to see if I can get a remedy that I want. I am much interested in last week's paper for too large bust. Will you kindly tell me what is reducing a large bust, is inclined to leave it soft and flabby or not? Very respectfully, JENNIE.

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Falling of the Hair.

Tincture of aloe vera, 1 ounce, spirits of rosemary, 2 ounces; alcohol, 2 ounces.
Apply several times a week to the roots of the hair.

Hair Turning Gray

Will you kindly send me a formula to restore color of hair to natural color? My hair is a very dark brown, and now it is turning gray. I would like a good stain that will not wash off when I shampoo my hair and make the hair look natural, and one that I can use every day. This is the first letter that I have ever written you, and not knowing whether I have to pay for the formula or not, you will kindly let me know, and I will send it.

To Restore the Natural Color of the Hair.

(A physician's prescription.)
Sugar of lead, 1 ounce; sulphur, ¼ ounce; essence of bergamot, ½ ounce; alcohol, ½ pint; glycerine, 1 ounce; tincture of cantharides, 2 ounces; ammonia, ½ ounce. Mix all in one pint of soft water. Apply to the roots of the hair, which must be clean.

The dye should never be applied if there is any irritation or abrasion of the scalp.

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Falling of the Hair.

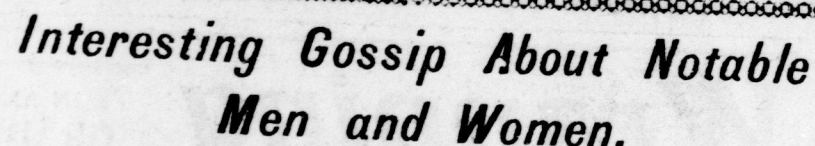
Tincture of aloe vera, 1 ounce, spirits of rosemary, 2 ounces; alcohol, 2 ounces.
Apply several times a week to the roots of the hair.

Hair Turning Gray

Will you kindly send me a formula to restore color of hair to natural color? My hair is a very dark brown, and now it is turning gray. I would like a good stain that will not wash off when I shampoo my hair and make the hair look natural, and one that I can use every day. This is the first letter that I have ever written you, and not knowing whether I have to pay for the formula or not, you will kindly let me know, and I will send it.

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unavoidably idle as those of the
species. In some cases they guard
during the absence of the fe-
tally an empty nest. In the
the young from parasites. In
then the work of storing the
is delayed by rainy weather.
saw a male wasp in a garden
which feeds its young
"assisting by taking the
the female as she brought
the package of mud to the nest,
or free to hunt for more
cells, wasps seem well aware

from fam-
for as
further
limited



...swept the carpet
under any con-
sideration; if I
went for a drive I
had to lay down
when I came back;
if I went for a mile
or two on my
wheel I was too
weak to lift it
through the gate-
way, and many
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