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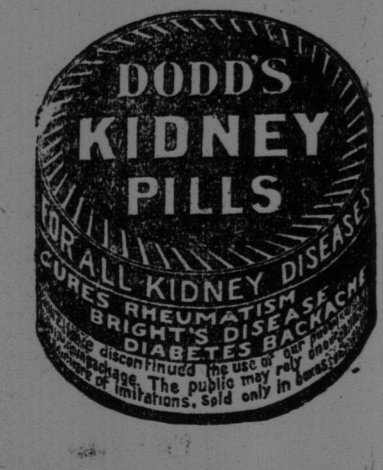
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THE LONELY GUARD, NORMAN INNES,

Author of "The Surge of War" London, England, November, 1902; "The Lone Guard" (London, England, 1903)

Continued. A body of the troopers were standing upon the battlements, looking north of the foe, while others were gathered in the north-eastern angle of the court. Their voices surged upwards in a wave of cheering as with caps raised on musket and sabre, they pointed in the direction of the woods upon the right.



THE MODEL THE "JUSTITIA"

Russian crowned hat with moderately flaring brim, developed in two shades of burnt straw, fancifully woven. Brim faced with khaki-colored velvet with high bandeau at left side, covered with self-colored malleable; crown trimmed with long loop and ends of white chiffon satin ribbon and two slanting wings of white and khaki tint, secured with large headed opaque glass pins shaded to match wings. Brown gimpure lace bodice and stock. Broad box of dark brown marabout and light ostrich leather straps.

sudden turn of events. "But I must take the opportunity of informing you, Colonel von Nettern—I spoke loud enough for you to hear—that I am responsible for my command to Her Majesty alone, and ought with every confidence of my position being justified when my despatches are received at the capital."

"I was so, Colonel, I saw him," rejoined the Count with a malicious glance at the man who had just spoken. "But we shall find him within the keep."

Brushing by me without ceremony, he entered foremost, sprang up the stairway and made straight for the Red Hall. As I followed at the Colonel's side—the pace at which we had climbed those many steps had set the man breathing fast—I felt a certain relief, as if I were being rescued from a perilous situation.

"Who art thou?" demanded the elder officer, leaning in his horse with a jerk. "Captain von Leely," I replied, noting the puffed red face and fiercely curled mustaches of the stranger, "of the Hussars of Silesia in command of this castle of Rohn."

"Then, Captain von Leely," cried the other—his was the commandant of Salzburg, Colonel Gustav zu Nettern as I was shortly to learn—"thou wilt accompany me within, where I am under the necessity of relieving you of your command."

"I have never been sick myself, and have not had occasion to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I thought you ought to know of the remarkable cure they have wrought in Mr. Olding's case."

St. Andrew's Manse, Cardigan, P.E.I., Jan. 1908. Though I have never been sick myself, and have not had occasion to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, I thought you ought to know of the remarkable cure they have wrought in Mr. Olding's case.

INCOMPETENCY OR A GRAFT, WHICH?

Serious Charges Made by Major Hodgins of Vancouver in Connection With the G. T. P. Construction.

Vancouver, B.C., April 23.—Alleging broadly that millions of dollars are being wasted or stolen in the construction of the government portion of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, Major A. E. Hodgins, C.E., has issued a letter, the object of which is to secure an administrative investigation. Major Hodgins is now a resident of Victoria. He is a son of Judge Hodgins, of Toronto, a Liberal who has recently demanded an investigation from the government of the reasons for his son's removal from office.

The pith of his charges is that the Grand Trunk Pacific engineers do not tally; that the government is paying padded accounts for the work done, and that the Grand Trunk Pacific people are making no objection, because they merely have to pay the added interest.

TERrible BREATHING DIFFICULTY Well Known Mariner Describes Ten Years' Suffering. "For ten years," states Capt. McDonald, of Kingston, Ont., "I have been a terrible sufferer from Bronchitic Asthma, and often it was so bad that for nights at a time I could not sleep. I spent hundreds of dollars on doctors and medicines, but one dollar outfit of Catarrhose cured me. Four months later Capt. McDonald writes: "I am still perfectly well and have no bother from my old trouble."

MONDAY NIGHT'S BALL Every indication points to success for the ball to be given by the Irish Literary and Benevolent Society in Victoria rink on Monday night next. The interior of the rink, in the hands of the efficient committee in charge of the decorations, has been transformed into a place of festivity, and much originality is shown in the general plan.

HALIFAX CUSTOMS MEN LEAVE On every trip of the Empress steamers to St. John, have come Arthur Lovett, of Halifax, Canadian customs landing waiter and his staff, P. W. Hefferman and A. F. Colwell, and for the last two trips a fourth officer, D. Colophon. They have attended to the examination of the baggage of the first and second class passengers, doing this on the trip round from Halifax and it is understood good results in collection of duty on small goods brought by passengers have resulted.

THE HARD PART. The Sporting Reporter—I suppose it's hard to get the descriptions of the woman's gown correct. I was in when I saw the Society Reporter—No; the hardest part is to write the descriptions so that each person will consider herself the best-dressed woman present.

St. George's Society will attend service in Trinity church on Sunday evening. The members will assemble at the society rooms at 6.30 o'clock and leave for the church a quarter of an hour later. The service will begin at 7 o'clock. Rev. E. B. Hooper will be the preacher. Special seats are reserved for the society members. It is hoped a large number will attend.

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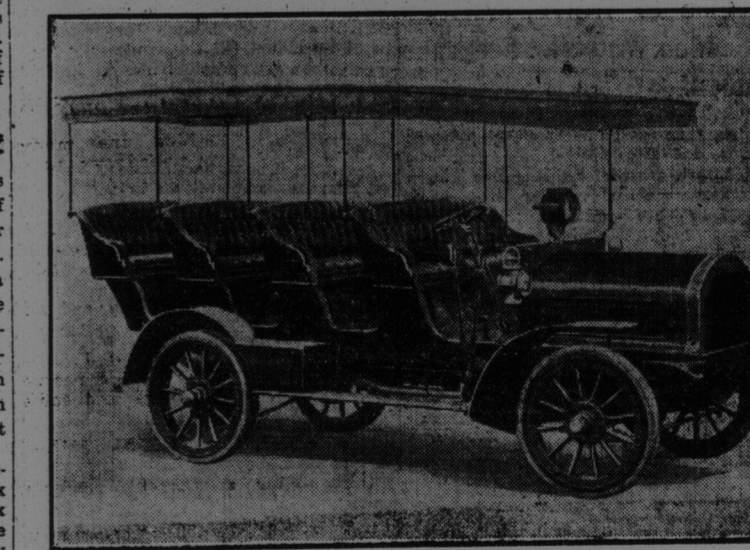
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In a couple of days appeared as a tramp, his jaw and came right to the front, and new when I got home and ask Bill if we've got any turnips to sell I shall take my hat off to him and let him understand that it's for him to say "Yes" or "No."



HER CANDID OPINION.

De Auber—How do you like my landscape? Do you think I can improve it any? Miss Cutting—You might try. You can't make it any worse!



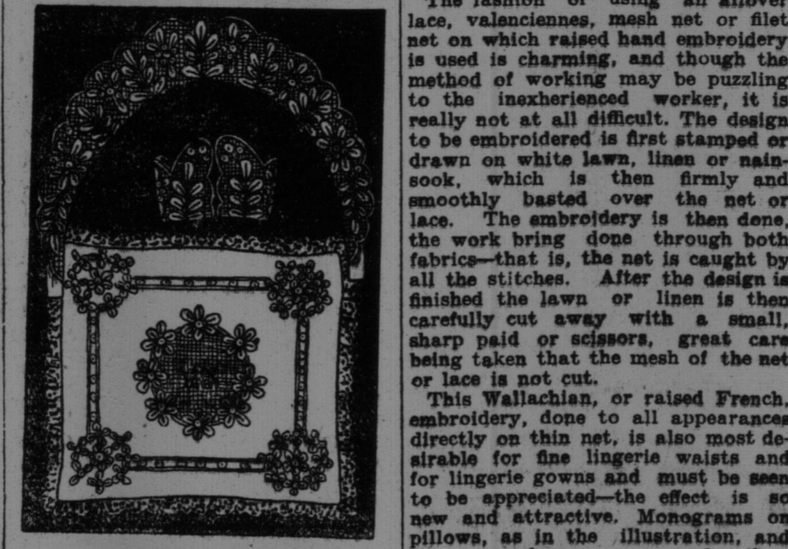
SHE WAS INNOCENT.

Mrs. Bronson—You appear pleased, my dear? Mrs. Woodson—Indeed, I am. You know while I was away Henry went fishing and the neighbors said he came home with a beautiful "skate."

ITEMS OF INTEREST. Dr. J. Harry Stannell is confined to the house with pneumonia.

DESIGNS FOR THE HOME NEEDLEWORKERS

By BEATRICE CAREY. Among the novelties offered to needle-workers is a new adaptation of an old and well-known stitch. Wallachian embroidery is one of the most effective styles in the field of needlework and as it is decidedly pretty and easy to do it will without doubt find many admirers.



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STRIKES (Ottawa Citizen.)

With the coming of spring there are strikes and rumours of strikes throughout Canada. The miners at Cobalt, or at least some of them, after being kept at work all winter, are striking again when the busy shipping season commences; the longshoremen at ocean ports are talking strikes; mechanics at Brantford are on strike and rioting.

MOVING DAY.

Sunday School Teacher—When did the Israelites move out from the land of the Egyptians? Johnny Philas—On the first of May, ma'am.

CLOTH NAP.

The Moth (as he aroosed from his long rest and started to nibble the overcoat)—Isn't it queer? The Mosquito—Isn't that queer? The Moth—Why, as soon as I waken from my winter's sleep I start to take a nap.

A DELIRIOUS SALAD

grapes, cut in halves and remove the seeds. Blend an equal quantity of English walnuts and peanuts and break in pieces. Remove the peel from several oranges and cut in lengthwise slides. Dress each separately with oil and a little lemon juice. Mix and serve on heart leaves of lettuce with mayonnaise dressing.

ASPARAGUS PATTIES

Make a sauce of three level table-spoonfuls of butter and flour and half a cup each of chicken broth, cream and the water in which bunch of asparagus has been boiled. Add the beaten yolks of two eggs, a teaspoonful of lemon juice, salt and pepper and a bunch of hot asparagus cut in small pieces and cooked until tender. Serve in hot puff paste shells in cases made of fritter batter or in bread croutades.

THE USUAL SPRING.

Soon will the May Queen gently fit To greet the springtime sephyrs bland; But if she's wise she'll surely have A coat and gas stove close at hand.

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GOING TO ENGLAND

Toronto, April 25.—(Special).—William Mackenzie will leave Toronto Sunday for London in regard to the carrying through of certain financial propositions in connection with the Canadian Northern Railway. Among them will be the flotation of a loan for the construction of branches to Moose Mountain and Key Inlet and other short extensions, bonds for which will be guaranteed by the Ontario government in accordance with legislation put through last session.

Places of Interest in Foreign Lands

OF Edinburgh, Scotland, Robert Louis Stevenson had this to say: "The ancient and famous metropolis of the north sits overlooking a windy estuary from the slope and summit of three hills. No situation could be more commanding for the head city of the kingdom; none better chosen for noble prospects. From her tall precipice and terraced gardens she looks far and wide on the sea and broad channels. To the east you may catch a spark of the May lighthouse, where the Firth expands into the German Ocean. And away to the west, over all the carse of Stirling, you can see the first snows upon Ben Ledi.

"But Edinburgh pays cruelly for her high seat in one of the vilest climates under heaven. She is liable to be beset upon by the winds that blow to be drenched with rain, to be buried in cold sea fogs that out of the east, and powdered with snow as it comes blowing southward from the Highland hills. The weather is raw and boisterous in winter, shifty and ungenial in summer, and a downright meteorological purgatory in the spring.

"But regardless of the unrelenting climate, the traveler will find Edinburgh a most enjoyable day—or longer if he has time to spare. One of the outposts of the Castle is the little 'black rooket' lodge, whose rude stone walls hold a tragical story. It was through this lodge that Rizzio's murderers made their escape. And here it was, so gossip says, that Queen Mary came from the castle daily to bathe in white wine to entertain her love-letters.

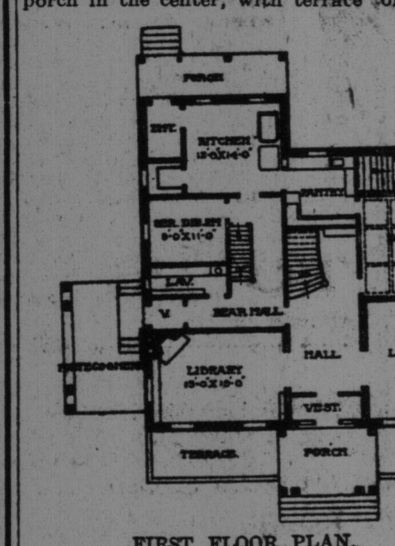
A picture of the lodge, known as Queen Mary's Bath, is reproduced here.



Designed by Chas. S. Sedgwick, Architect, Minneapolis, Minn.

The ever-increasing popularity of the old colonial homes is an evidence of love of the native-born American for simplicity combined with home comfort. In the early history of our country necessity was the impulse that was back of our forefathers in all of their work. Privations and hardships made it necessary to avoid all attempt at display, and the natural feeling of our Puritan ancestors was for absolute plainness. In these later days it is not so much a matter of necessity nor yet any lingering Puritanical ideas that control us, but it is more from the sense of quiet restfulness. The days of Queen Ann vagaries and foolishly cut up houses have gone by. These ideas may return in the cycle of years to come, but not at present, and people of good taste as well as people of wealth pass by the over-ornamental structure and throw up their hands in appreciation of the plain, quiet homes, so many of which are being built at the present time.

In our current illustrations we have a good type of home comfort illustrated in this plain colonial house, with its broad facade, its simple symmetrical window openings, created upper roof with its slight cornice, gambrel roof and created upper roof, with its liberal chimney on each side, its extended circular piazza, at the right, porch-cochere at the left and entrance porch in the center, with terrace on



BOSTON'S MAYOR HAS A DOUBLE

He is a Former St. John Newspaper Man and His Name is Magee.

Mayor George A. Hibbard has a double. Now this isn't meant as any reflection on the Mayor or the honorable double. Recent reports in New York concerning Evelyn Thaw and E. R. Thomas have raised to vehement assertions by them that some "double" was impersonating one or the other at divers places and occasions. The "double" explanation was considered pretty clever.

But this is a bona fide double, a very class instance of it, and the double in the case is no less than President Walter M. Magee of the North Haverhill (N. H.) Granite Company, who lives in Ward 24, Dorchester, the Mayor's own bailiwick. How would you like to look like the Mayor of Boston?

Of course that depends a good deal on who the Mayor is. Mr. Magee is a good republican, so of course he doesn't mind in this case. But it is inconvenient once in a while. For instance, during the last city campaign he was going through Newpaper row in his automobile when someone yelled "Hibbard". Then a crowd gathered and he had to get out of the car and speak as possibly and tried to make a front like a real mayor.

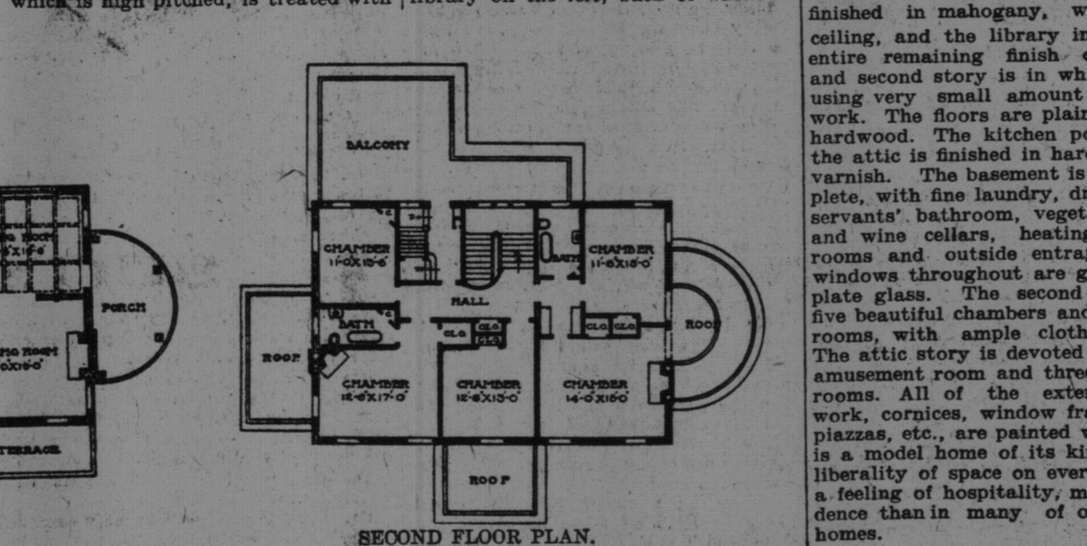
A glance at Magee's picture shows how the "double" comes in. There is the same longish face, the small dark moustache and the same general expression. Only the Magee moustache is a shade fuller than the one which keeps the sunburn of the mayor's only lip.

Magee is a native of St. John, N. B., and was formerly a newspaper man. He is known also as a short story writer of no little merit. Ten years ago he came to Boston to assist his brother George W. Magee, in the management of the Grand Opera House, acting as superintendent. He has a particular hobby, however, granite. In looking into the granite possibilities around these parts he became interested in a quarry in Haverhill, N. H., which now promises to pay well.

A COLONIAL OF EARLY TYPE.



either side, completing the quiet restfulness of the front. The ground size is 34 by 51 feet, exclusive of the kitchen portion that is one story in height. The first story is 9 feet high and the second story 8 feet six inches. This house was recently built for \$11,000. The exterior is covered with glazed shingle tile, the side walls as well as the roof. The roof which is high pitched, is treated with



HEAVY ADVANCE IN MANITOBA WHEAT PRICES

Discussing the present advance in wheat prices, a prominent grain merchant and member of the local Board of Trade said to the Star today: "Beyond question, the future of the wheat market depends on two problems, viz: "First, if Argentine and America continue their large shipments and the prospects of the fall wheat crop in the United States are bright, and the spring wheat crop in the Canadian Northwest is good, under satisfactory conditions, the bear element maintain for lower prices. "Second, if the Argentine shipments

decrease and the American also, if the prospects are not as satisfactory as expected for the fall wheat crop and the seeding of the spring wheat, the bull element maintain the market will go much higher.

"The bulls appear at present to be on top, as the Argentine shipments decreased one-half and the Americans have dwindled down to almost an insignificant quantity, and the drought continues to prevail in Kansas, one of the largest wheat states in America, no doubt causing a strong upward tendency in the market. "To wit, the Manitoba wheat market has been booming for the last ten days. That market closed on the 9th at \$1.01, on the 21st at \$1.07, on the 23rd at \$1.12, and on the 24th at \$1.12. A bushel for cash wheat. The May option made the same advance, and the July option an advance of 5c. "The bulls, moreover, now bring forward the statement that there is not enough wheat to supply the requirements, or, rather, the average requirements, of the world for consumption. Consequently, the inevitable result must follow—higher market values for that important cereal, wheat. "Let us hope that weather conditions will continue favorable not only with our neighbors to the south of us, but also in

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NAUGHTY RUTH AND POLLY---A STORY FOR THE WEE ONES

tongue in the ugliest fashion one could imagine at her little calf. "You think you are awful smart." "You think you are a real hero." Hereupon Polly set up a loud wail, declaring that she'd go home in the rain and tell her mamma how mean that old Ruth Down was. "Go on," cried Ruth, springing to her feet and rushing on Polly, shaking her clenched fist. "Don't you hit me!" screamed Polly, doubling up her own fists. Then they both fell to inflicting blows upon each other as fast as they could, and there is no telling how serious the battle might have been had not Ruth's big brother come into the library at this instant. He saw the fight at that ferocious moment and ran to separate the combatants. "Oh, shame upon you both!" he cried. "And you, Ruth, should feel like hiding your head for a whole week treating a guest in this fashion. Fit upon you! Then, as the two little girls stood, heads drooping with the shame which caused them to blush, Big Brother said coolly: "The rain

is clearing away and I came in to say that you might go with me in my trap to the country for a fine spin, my trap being your fighting like cat and dog. I have decided that you shall remain at home. I shall also tell mother of your conduct, Miss Ruth, and I have, no doubt, but she will send word to Polly's mother of her behavior. Anyway, you shan't have the nice ride into the country with me. You must suffer for your naughtiness." As Big Brother left the library the two little girls stood looking at each other. Then Polly said: "Wasn't we'd not been naughty, don't you, Ruthie?" "Yes, for if we'd been good brother would have told us riding in his trap and he would have taken us away. I'm going to ask mamma to let me go with you. No, no, Ruth, my child, you shan't leave this room today." It was Ruth's

house in this room—all day. I'll never, never be so wicked again. What did I put and fuss and fight for, anyway? Mamma, my brother, now Polly couldn't help it, she was angry. I was a very naughty little girl. Oh, these four! I could learn them so easily tonight if only I might go out today with my brother. Then, hearing Big Brother's voice calling out Ruth ran to the window in time to see him mount his seat and lift the horse's lines, saying, "Oh, Daddy, we're for the country roads. Gee, but this air and sunshine are great!" Then, seeing his naughty, but repentant, little sister looking at him from the window he called to her: "If you behave yourself very nicely the remainder of today, and perform the task mamma has set you to do I shall take you for a spin through the park tomorrow morning before Sunday school. But, you've got to be mighty good to-



"DON'T YOU HIT ME!" SCREAMED POLLY.

Helpful Hints to our Young Artists

LESSON NO. 7—HOW TO DRAW A FIG. The block contains several diagrams and illustrations showing how to draw a pig. It includes a grid with a pig's outline, a pig's head, and a pig's body. The text is small and difficult to read, but it appears to be a lesson for children on how to draw a pig.

THE EVENING TIMES ST. JOHN, N. B. SATURDAY APRIL 25, 1908.

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PURITY LEAGUE WILL FIGHT ON A Permanent Organization Will be Formed in Westmoreland County at Once.

Moncton, N. B., April 24—At a meeting of the Westmoreland County Purty League here this afternoon, it was decided to take steps to form permanent organization and apply at once for letters of incorporation.

HARRY'S NOBLE ACT BY MAUD WALKER. It was just noonday and the sun shone down pretty hot on the wide, sandy plain that stretched about the little railroad station which was called Lone Setter.

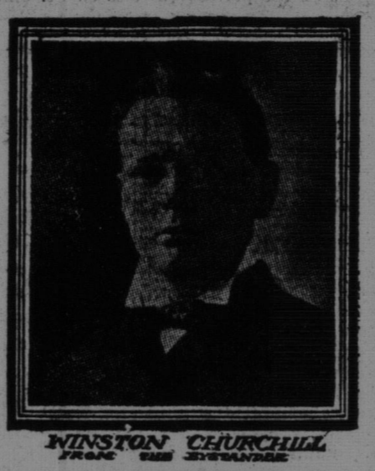


"Say, Mr. Babcock, mayn't I take that telegram up to the office?" again immediately, leaving the few stragglers about the platform to watch it as it swept like a cyclone across the prairie.

WINSTON CHURCHILL BEATEN IN MANCHESTER BY ELECTION

Unionists Win Former Liberal Seat by Very Large Majority—Result a Crushing Blow to Asquith's Government.

Manchester, April 24—Today the Northwest division of Manchester, by the heaviest poll east in twenty years, reversed its verdict of 1906 and by a majority of 429 votes unseated as its member of parliament, Winston Spencer Churchill, Liberal, who has been made president of the board of trade, in the new Asquith cabinet.



The defeat of Mr. Churchill is a crushing blow to the prestige of the government and the young and confident minister which is bound to have a marked influence on several other impending elections. There was no difficulty in finding for Mr. Churchill a safe seat elsewhere.

Catholics to support Mr. Churchill may have come too late, the English Roman Catholic priests having conducted a very vigorous campaign against Mr. Churchill and the government's education bill.

HUNDREDS KILLED IN A BIG SOUTHERN TORNADO

A Score of Small Towns Were Utterly Destroyed or Partly Wrecked.

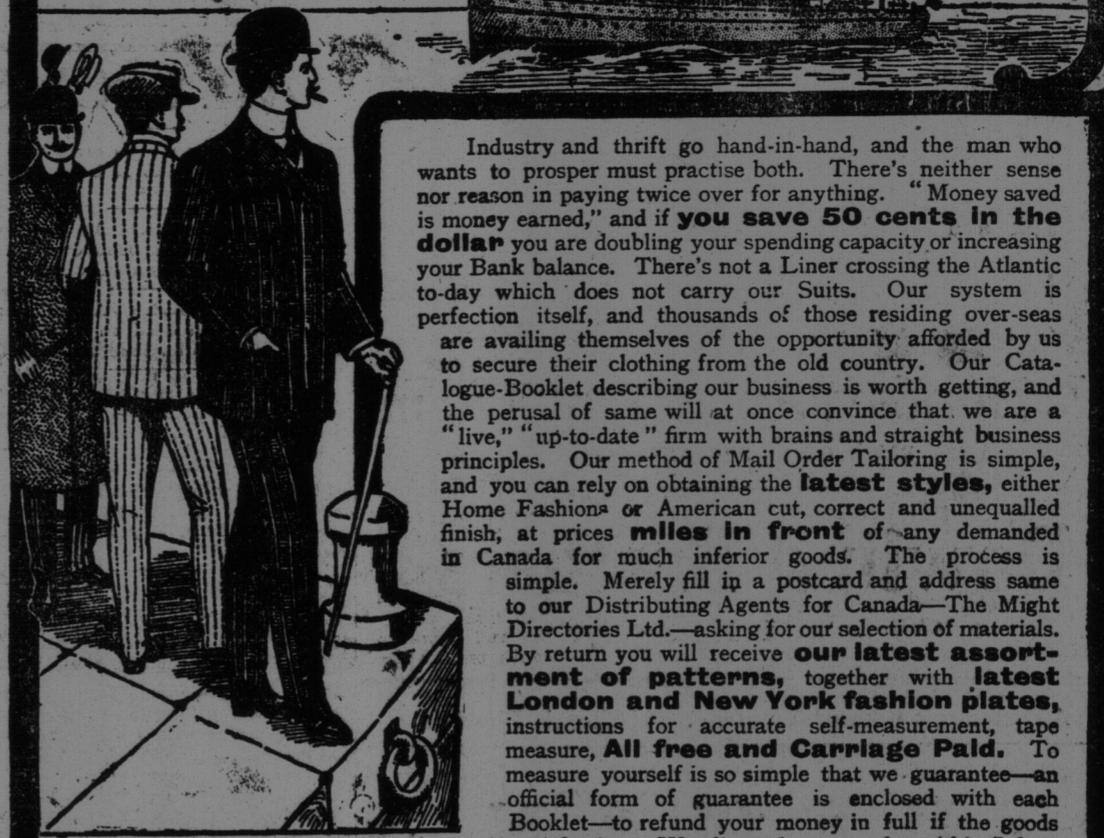
Atlanta, Ga., April 24—A wind of tornado proportions swept over portions of Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama late today, leaving a trail of death and injury. Tonight the number of killed is estimated at close to a hundred and the number of injured at more than a hundred, with many portions of the afflicted districts to hear from.

mon mortal I might be persuaded to take the telegram to 'em myself, for they're busy with the spring plowin' an' mayn't come to town for quite a spell. They don't seem to care all-fired much about their mail. Sometimes I don't see neither the ole man nor the boys in town for a week at a time."

"Well, Hank," answered the agent, handing Harry the telegram, "if you'll do that for me I'll be your granddaddy for a week. It'll save me goin' to the postoffice. It's dinner time, an' I'm about starved. But, say, Hank, if you happen to see any of the Perkins in town, just you give the message to 'em, an' don't leave it at the office. Old Snaps might forget to put it in their box till after they'd gone from town. If Miss Perkins can get the telegram in time to catch the 5 o'clock train this P. M. she may get to see the ole lady before she passes over."

MODEL PUPILS Little pupils in a row, Sitting bright, all just so: Learning lessons from their books; And all wearing learned looks.

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THE GOVERNMENT WILL INVESTIGATE CHARGES

Major Hodgins' Statements About Padded Accounts Will be Looked Into.

Ottawa, April 24—The prime minister this afternoon presented to the House the reply of the railway commission to the charges made in the press by Major A. E. Hodgins, who was dismissed from the position of district engineer for the Kenora district of the National Transcontinental railway three years ago.

fusion, for the servant began to weep and bemoan her mistress' sad news. "I'll go for her, Perkins, an' the boys," cried the mother, "an' do so, Maggie, 's' says Mrs. Perkins. Then, being alone with Harry, she said: "You must tell me how you came to bring this letter and telegram to my home, for you are not of our neighbors."

They say that a cow Jumped over the moon! But that was a long time ago: And the fact is, today There're none who can say Whether she did so or no.

TURNING THE TABLES A young man had a little rat torrier for sale. Hearing of a farmer whose gran bins were over-run by rats he repaired to his place and offered the dog for sale.

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commented upon. There are insinuations and statements in it that should not be allowed to pass unaverted. Without laying any specific charges, Major Hodgins makes vague general accusations that are absolutely groundless. It is plain that the object in view is to cause us annoyance without any regard to truth or public interest.

CHAS. BENHAM, long a resident of Fredericton, and aged 83 years, is dead at Hartland. He is survived by his wife and three daughters, Mrs. Alex Stevenson, of Maryville; Mrs. Robert Clark of St. John, and Miss Laura of St. John.



They say a dog laughed To see the gay sport: But we all know dog cannot grin. So there's something quite wrong With that Mother-Goose song For telling his quib is a sin.

