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SENIOR PLAY "UNCLE FRED" DECEMBER 2

A three act comedy to be given on the evening of Friday, December 2nd, 1927, in the school auditorium.

CHARACTERS
 Laura Holder..... Marian Hicks
 Fred Holder (the minister)..... Joe Everett
 James Spence..... Winfield Mosley
 Uncle Joe Holder..... Morris Jeffries
 Aunt Sarah..... Elinor Brooks
 Maymie Stovall..... Sue McFarling
 Myrtle Rambo..... Grace Hickey
 Dottie Kimble..... Blanche Culwell
 Chester Pruitt..... Charles Rains
 Amanda (colored)..... Miss McWhorter
 Lefty..... L. J. Burdine
 Shorty..... Floyd Long

Some of the best talent was shown in tryouts for parts in the Senior Play last Monday night of any we've found in a high school of this size

Remember the date—Friday, December 2nd. School auditorium.

HOG KILLING TIME! We are prepared to kill your hogs for you on short notice. See me at the market.

M. W. Mosley.

Mrs. A. B. Edwards, her son, A. B. Jr., and little daughter, of Tucumcari, New Mex., came in yesterday for a visit at the home of "Grandpa" P. C. Johnson. P. C. tells us that the baby (she is only four months old) cried so hard to see him that her mother just had to bring her.

We have a few Second Hand Cars in A1 mechanical shape—Cheap. Absolutely guaranteed Hedley Motor Co.

BAPTIST LADIES BAZAAR

The ladies of the First Baptist Church will have a Bazaar and Food Sale at the Cooper Hotel Saturday, Dec 3rd. Everybody invited to attend. Come select your Christmas gifts and get them off your mind.

LOST—Pair of glasses, shell rim, gold bridge and bows, in case. Finder please notify T. N. Messer, or leave at the Informer office.

Mrs. J. D. McCants and two daughters, Misses Pauline and Allene, were here from Giles last Saturday and paid this office an appreciated visit.

POSTED NOTICE

This is to notify the public that my place, 3 miles northeast of Hedley, is posted according to law and no hunting or trespassing will be allowed.

J. T. Pearson.

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Farmers Equity Gin.....	1750
McKnight Gin.....	1700
Beaty Gin.....	1508
Moreman Gin.....	1002
Total.....	5960

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This is to notify the public that all my farm and pasture land is posted according to law and no hunting or trespassing will be allowed. Hunters, take notice!

R. H. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Jones of this city are the proud great-grandparents of a fine little lady who arrived Monday, Nov. 21st, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Davis in Fort Worth. The mother, Mrs. Davis, is a daughter of Mrs. T. P. Shelton of Fort Worth, formerly Miss May Jones, who is well known to many Hedley people. Our congratulations to all concerned.

Don't forget to ask to see our Hose—the new Hose. One of the best lines of Hose in town. Adams Dry Goods & Notions.

BOX SUPPER AT GILES

The Parent Teachers Association of Giles put on a box supper last Friday night which proved to be both entertaining and very successful. The net proceeds amounted to \$105, which the P. T. A. will use in the interest of the Giles school.

DRESSED HOGS for sale. S. G. Adamson.

ROLL OF HONOR

The following will accept our thanks for subscription money paid in since last report.

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 H. P. Audill, Rte 1
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 J. K. Shelton, Brick, Okla.
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 W. A. Kinslow
 G. E. Kinslow
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 W. C. Watkins
 C. L. Johnson
 Ray Doherty, Rte 1

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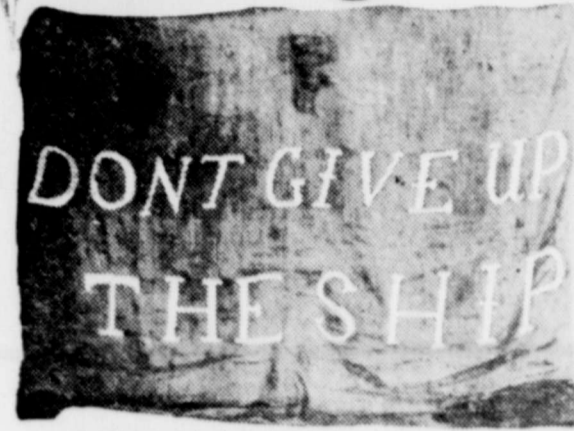
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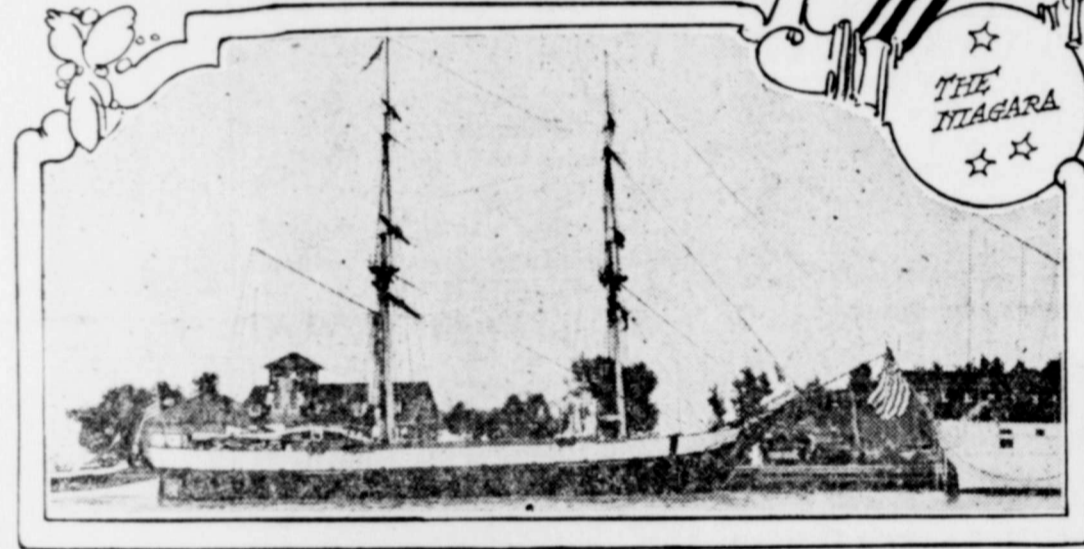
PERRY'S BATTLE FLAG



THE TURNING POINT OF THE BATTLE



VISITORS ABOARD SHIP



By ELMO SCOTT WATSON

THE Niagara, a ship almost as famous as "Old Ironsides" in the annals of the American navy, is to be saved from the destruction which has been threatening her in late years, if the ambition of a group of patriotic citizens of Ohio and Pennsylvania is realized. For this famous brig, which was Commodore Oliver Hazard Perry's flagship at the Battle of Lake Erie in the War of 1812, has fallen on evil days and is slowly rotting away at the Municipal pier at Erie, Pa. However, at a meeting held in Cleveland, recently, through the initiative of Frank Wilford, an Elyria (Ohio) attorney, the Perry-Niagara Memorial association was organized with the sole purpose of restoring the Niagara before it is too late.

The charter members of the association who have joined to save the old brig include:

- CLEVELAND—Congressman Theodore E. Burton, Supt. R. G. Jones, E. H. Baker, president of The Plain Dealer Publishing company; Congressman Charles A. Mooney; J. R. Nutt, president of the Union Trust company; Rt. Rev. Joseph Schrembs, Bishop of the Catholic diocese of Cleveland.
- ERIE, PA.—W. D. Kinney, superintendent of parks and public property; Congressman Milton W. Shreve; A. J. White, managing editor of the Dispatch-Herald; Rev. Harry Burton Boyd; Attorney A. E. Sisson, president of the Perry Victory Memorial commission.
- LORAIN, OHIO—Common Pleas Judge W. B. Thompson.
- PUT-IN-BAY, OHIO—Mayor T. R. Alexander, John D. Day, hotel owner; Webster F. Huntington, secretary of the Perry Victory Memorial commission.
- SANDUSKY, OHIO—Congressman James T. Beeg, Sidney Frohman, president of the Hinde & Dauch Paper company.
- TOLEDO, OHIO—George E. Hardy, secretary of the Toledo port commission; Carl Vitz, public librarian.
- BUFFALO, OHIO—W. J. Connors, publisher of the Buffalo Courier and Express.
- ELYRIA, OHIO—Attorney Frank Wilford.
- AT LARGE—United States Senator Frank E. Willis.

At the Cleveland meeting of the charter members a committee composed of Mr. Wilford as chairman, Fred Charles of the Cleveland Plain Dealer and W. D. Kinney, superintendent of parks and public property of Erie, Pa., was appointed to carry on the plans for the restoration.

Now Lies in the Mud

The brig was built in Erie and returned there after the battle. Then it sank in Misery bay, but was raised and rebuilt by the state of Pennsylvania in the year 1913 for the Perry centennial and made a triumphant tour of the Great Lakes. It was then given to the city of Erie by the state and since that time has been maintained as a free museum, visited every year by thousands of patriotic pilgrims. Lack of finances, however, have prevented the city from keeping it in seaworthy condition and it now lies on the mud in the harbor and is leaking badly.

According to Mr. Wilford, an attempt will be made to raise a fund of \$25,000 by popular subscription to restore the historic one hundred fourteen-year-old brig, with something left over for an endowment fund. Title to the ship will remain with the city of Erie, but the association plans to borrow the vessel from the city for an annual patriotic cruise among the Lake Erie cities each summer, where it can be visited by thousands as an object lesson in history and patriotism. Since the victory which Perry won in this ship was such an important one in our national history, the association believes that patriotic Americans everywhere will be glad to share in the responsibility of saving it.

Not only was the Battle of Lake Erie, in which the old Niagara bore such a proud part, an important one because of the results of Perry's victory, but it was also one of the most romantic incidents in our history. The youth of the commander, the apparent hopelessness of his task, the desperate nature of the fighting, the thrilling incident of his transfer from the shattered Lawrence to the Niagara which proved to be the turning point in the battle, and his laconic message to General Harrison, announcing his victory, all combine to make it so.

Control of Lake Erie Vital

Here is the story of that battle with some details which the school histories do not give: When General Hull surrendered at Detroit in July, 1812, it at once became apparent that control of Lake Erie was going to be a vital factor in the war between Great Britain and the United States. Immediately both Americans and British began construction of war vessels and there soon developed a thrilling race with time. There was feverish activity in the British shipyards at Malden, opposite Detroit, and far to the east in the harbor of the little town of Erie there were even more anxious moments. For upon Oliver Hazard Perry, a native of Rhode Island, who had reached the rank of commander although not yet twenty-eight years old, rested the responsibility of building and manning a fleet which could successfully cope with the naval power that Great Britain was preparing to place upon the lake.

When he came to Erie, only the materials for his ships were there and those materials were the unwhewn timber of the forest. Shipbuilders, sailors, naval stores, guns and ammunition had to be brought thither from distant points over roads which were little better than mere trails. Letter after letter he wrote to his superiors in the East, begging for more men, more supplies, more money, more of everything which he would need

if he were to cope successfully with a powerful enemy. A lesser man than Perry would have despaired, but he refused to be daunted by his handicaps. And so after months of labor, the last of his ships were launched at the mouth of Cascade creek and on July 10, 1813, he found himself in command of the following: the brig Lawrence, his flagship, 20 guns; the brig Niagara, 20 guns; the brig Caledonia, three guns; the schooner Ariel, four guns; the schooner Scorpion, two guns and two swivels; the sloop Trippe, one gun; the schooner Tigress, one gun; the schooner Porcupine, one gun, and the schooner Somers, one gun.

Irked by Shortage of Men

He had his fleet now but not enough sailors to man them! "Think of my station," he wrote in one letter, "the enemy in sight, the vessels under my command more than sufficient and ready to make sail, and yet obliged to bite my fingers with vexation for want of men." But after many delays the arrival early in August of Capt. Jesse Duncan Elliott, second in command, with 100 men enabled Perry to venture out into the lake. He reached Sandusky August 17 and was met there by General Harrison who came aboard the Lawrence to confer with Perry on the fall campaign. Then he sailed out into the lake to look for the enemy.

On the morning of September 10, 1813, the lookout on the Lawrence sang out "Sail ho!" and in the distance off Put-in-Bay the Americans saw the long-awaited British fleet advancing in faultless battle array. Commanded by Robert H. Barclay, who had fought with Nelson at Trafalgar and lost an arm in that historic engagement, the enemy consisted of the ship Detroit, 19 guns, one pivot and two howitzers; the ship Queen Charlotte, 17 guns and one howitzer; the brig Lady Provost, 13 guns and one howitzer; the brig Hunter, 10 guns; the sloop Little Belt, three guns, and the schooner Chippewa, one gun and two swivels.

Strength of Fleets Compared

Of the relative strength of the two fleets, Bancroft, the historian, says:

In ships, the British had the superiority, their vessels being stronger and their forces being more concentrated; the American gunboats at the right of the American line, separated from each other by at least a half cable's length, were not near enough for good service. In the number of guns the British had 63, the Americans, 54. In action at a distance, the British, who had 35 long range guns to 15, had greatly the advantage; in close action the weight of metal would favor the Americans. The British commander had 150 men from the royal navy, 80 Canadian sailors, and 240 soldiers, mostly regulars, and some Indians, making, with their officers, a little more than 500 men, of whom at least 450 were efficient. The American crews, of which about one-fourth were from Rhode Island, one-fourth regular seamen, American and cosmopolitan, about one-fourth raw volunteers from Pennsylvania, Ohio, but chiefly Kentucky, and about one-fourth blacks, numbered on the muster roll 490, but of these, 116 were sick, nearly all of whom were too weak to come on deck, so that the efficient force of the squadron was a little less than 400.

As the American fleet advanced to attack, led by the Lawrence, the Detroit opened fire. Its first shot fell short, but the second went crashing through the Lawrence and before the other American vessels could come to his support, the long guns of the enemy were centered with deadly effect upon Perry's flagship. It was struck many times before he could get close

enough to open fire effectively and even then, with the Niagara and other ships hanging back, his ship seemed doomed to destruction as the combined British fire raked her.

British Strike Colors

For nearly two hours the battle raged furiously until the Lawrence lay on the waters a dismantled wreck, her rigging shot away, her spars battered into splinters, all of her guns but one dismounted and her decks, slippery with blood, strewn with the dead and dying. The masts carrying the Stars and Stripes and the blue flag, bearing the large white letters "Don't Give Up the Ship!" the dyed words of Capt. James Lawrence, for whom the flagship was named, were shot down, but Perry's sailors raised them again on spars for flagstaffs. Finally Perry saw that his cause was hopeless if he remained on the Lawrence. With the aid of a few men who were not yet disabled he loaded the remaining gun, dragged it forward and fired a last shot at the British. Then, telling those left on board to keep the Stars and Stripes floating to the last, he gave orders for a boat to be lowered to carry him to the Niagara in which he proposed to carry on the fight.

Descending into this boat and carrying with him the blue flag, he was roved amid a storm of bullets and grape-shot to the approaching Niagara where he raised his banner and bore down swiftly upon the enemy. In the meantime the flag on the Lawrence had been shot away for the last time and, seeing it fall, the British raised a cheer. But just then the Niagara, supported by the other vessels, closed in on the British ships and their guns raked the Detroit, the Queen Charlotte, the Lady Provost and the Little Belt. Within a short time, the British ships struck their colors. The battle was over and defeat had been changed to victory.

Perry's Laconic Message

On the decks of the Lawrence the survivors of the crew raised the Stars and Stripes again and in the cabin of the Niagara Commander Perry sat down to write a letter to General Harrison. And this was the message which Midshipman Hugh Nelson Page of the Ariel, who had been selected to bear it, carried to the commander of the American military forces:

*In hand with the enemy and they owe me
Two Ships, two Brigs one
Schooner & one Sloop.
Yours, with great respect and esteem
O. H. Perry*

Back in the little town of Sandusky the inhabitants listened to the roar of battle that came across the waters with anxious fear and wonder. If Perry won, it meant peace and security for them. If the British won it meant a British invasion and the onslaught of their savage allies led by Tecumseh against the towns of Ohio. So there was rejoicing when the arrival of Midshipman Page brought them the news of a glorious victory. One by one the British ports on Lake Erie fell into the hands of the Americans and "hostile arms no longer vexed Erie's broad expanse and forest-fringed borders."



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On a Bus Top

Although the story got around a lot last week—and two people say they heard it years ago anyhow—we will report that two business men of the garment industry were overheard in animated conversation on a bus top. Finally one of them paused and demanded: "Well, what do you think of my proposition?"

"I'll tell you in two words," said his associate. "Impossible."—The New Yorker.

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Bobby—I do wish aunty wouldn't make.

Mother—Why, dear?

Bobby—When she kisses me it's so much like being kissed by a man.

Appropriate Name

In architecture the term "wheel window" is applied to a circular window with radiating mullions resembling the spokes of a wheel.

A father can rear his boys right, but he has to give his attention to it.

High Finance

"I keep on reading about capital and labor, but I never understand about it."

"That's simple. You give me \$10; that's the capital.

"And the labor?"

"That's what you have getting it back from me."—Madrid De Excelsoir.

Too Newfangled

Book Saleman—I want to sell you an encyclopedia, sir.

Farmer—Nothing doing; walkin' good enough for me.—Passing Show.

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SHAKESPEARE STORY- TELLING CLUB FORMED

The National Junior Shakespeare Story Telling Club, thru the assistance of local teachers, will shortly form a branch or association here.

The club is educational in purpose and is designed to acquaint every grade school child with the works of the famous bard, and in such a way that it will appear like play to them. At the same time it prepares them for high school English studies, while those who are unfortunate enough not to advance beyond the grades will have a working knowledge of the classics.

The plan consists of story hours for the children, when groups will meet and tell Shakespeare stories in simplified form. Clubs for each grade will be formed. Then the grade clubs will compete for the honor to represent their school; the school champions will compete with those of other schools for the town honors.

The grand finale in each town is a Shakespeare pageant, or Shakespeare program, having the children portray the Shakespeare characters.

The National association now reaches into practically every state and has been immensely successful. Aside from the fact that members of the club are improving their education and mastery of English, there is a social feature. Parents and teachers have endorsed the plan with enthusiasm.

The district organizer will be in Hedley December 3rd for final information and enrollment.

Let the Hedley Motor Co. over
haul that motor for you.

Sheriff Pierce and Attorney R. Y. King were here from Clarendon Wednesday.

NOTICE OF SALE OF AN AUTOMOBILE

The State of Texas,
County of Donley.

Whereas the undersigned, a mechanic, has for the past sixty days retained possession of certain personal property belonging to, or in the name of, Charlie Johnson, whose residence is unknown, described as follows: One Cadillac touring car, tag No. 677-396 Okla. 1927, Engine No. 63-1636, as he was empowered to do under the law to secure his charges amounting to Three Hundred Twenty Nine (\$329.50) and 50-100 Dollars, due for more than twenty days past, as a reasonable, customary and usual compensation for the material furnished and labor done; and

Whereas, the said Charlie Johnson, whose residence is unknown, though duly notified as required by law on the 22nd day of November, 1927, by posting notices, to come forward and pay such charges, has failed and refused to do so;

Therefore, notice is hereby given that, after the expiration of twenty days from this date, to wit, on the 14th day of December, 1927, being the 2nd Wednesday in said month, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m., at the garage of G. A. Costley, known also as the Chrysler Garage, in Clarendon, Texas, which owing to the nature of said property is most convenient to exhibit same to purchasers at such sale, I shall sell said automobile at public sale, following the manner of sale under execution, and apply the proceeds to the payment of such charges; any balance to be turned over to the person entitled to the same.

Witness my hand this 23rd day of November, 1927.

G. A. Costley.

B. W. M. S.

The monthly social of the Missionary Society will be held in the home of Mrs. Blankenship Monday, Nov. 28. The following missionary program will be rendered:

Hymn, "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord."

Announcing W. M. U.'s 40th Christmas Offering—Mrs. Johnson.

Bible reading, 23rd Psalm in unison.

Prayer, Mrs. Brooks.
Characteristics of the Patriarchs—Mrs. Simmons.

The Bible Story of Israel—Mrs. Thompson.

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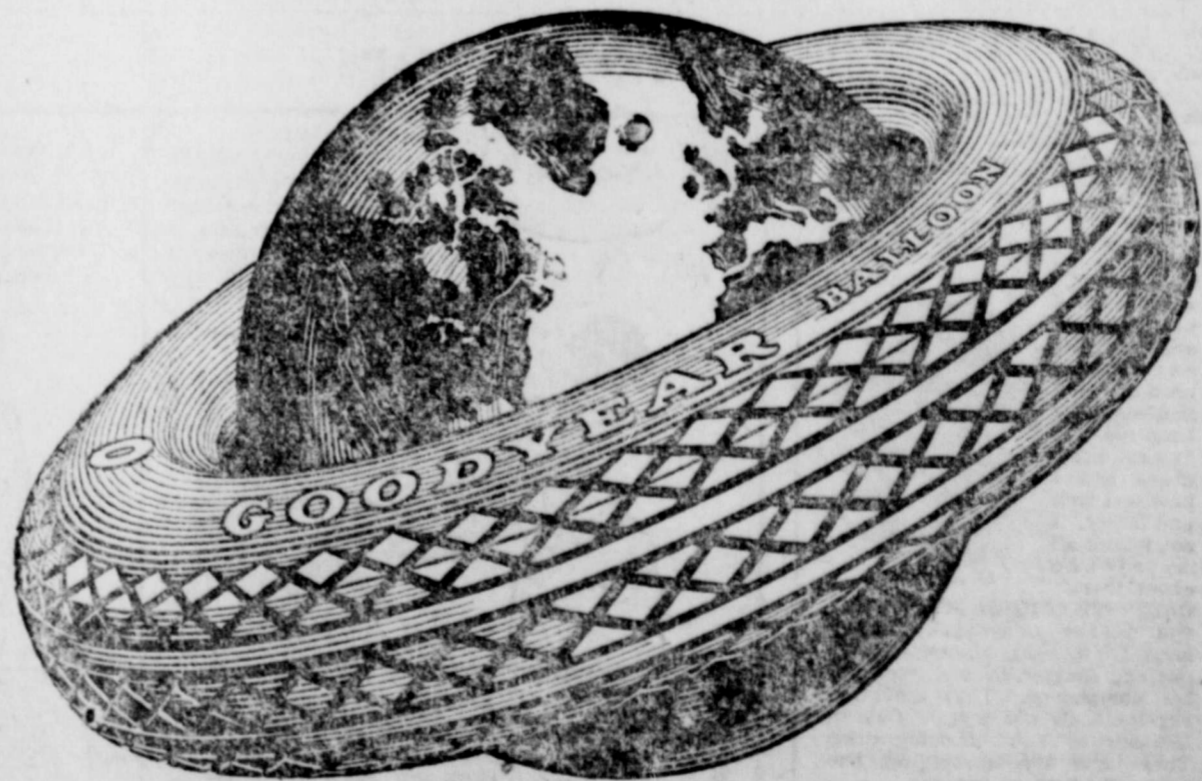
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"Died Last Week"

Jimmy, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. George O. Jackson, will be six years old in January and ready for school. Instead of being happy over the prospect, Jimmy does not want to go. The following conversation recently took place between Jimmy and his mother:
"Mother, I'm not going to school."
"But, Jim, how can you get out of it? All little boys and girls have to go to school."
"We'll, I'll just have Bob take a note to the teacher and say, 'Jim died last week.'"
—**Indianapolis News.**

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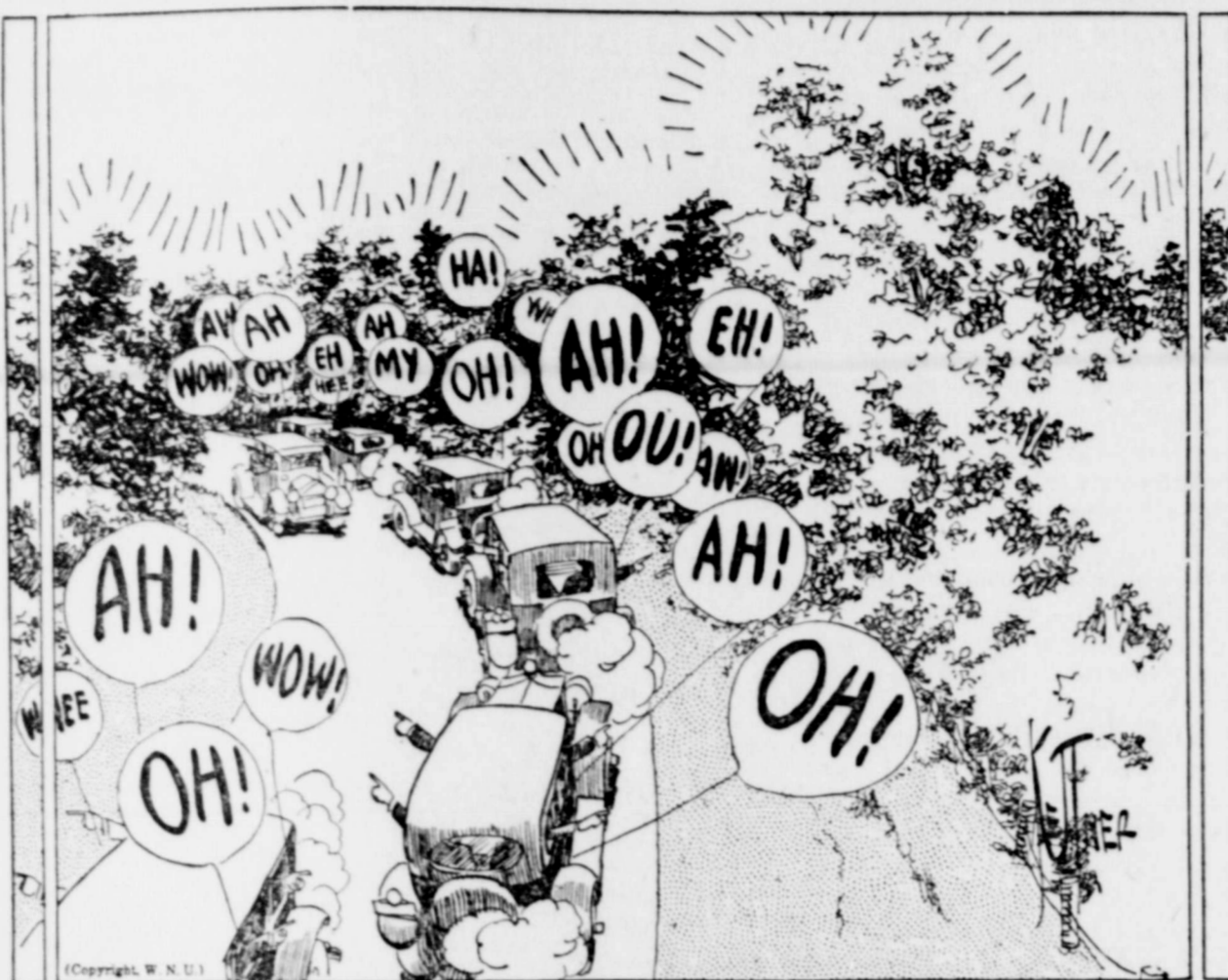
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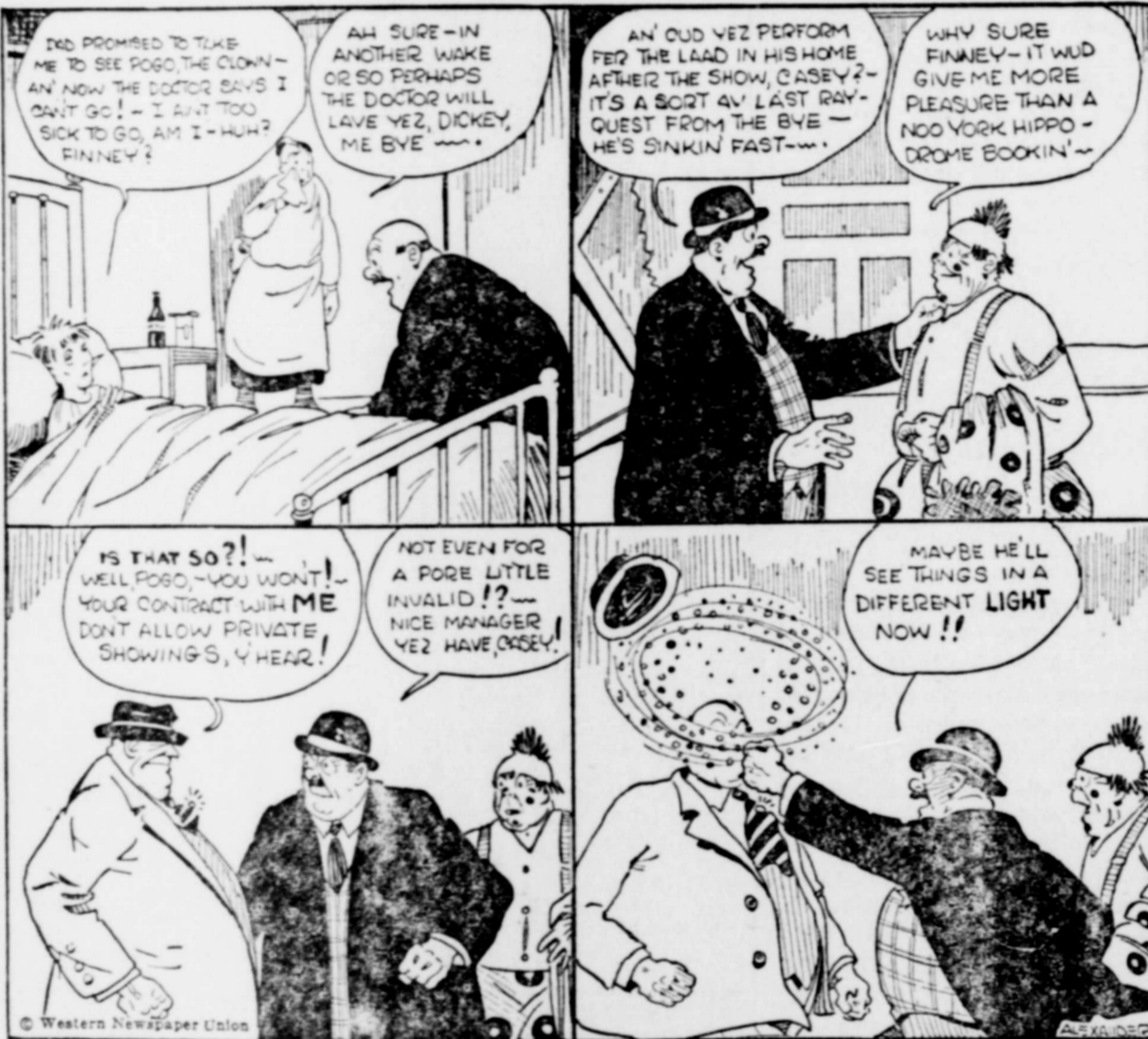
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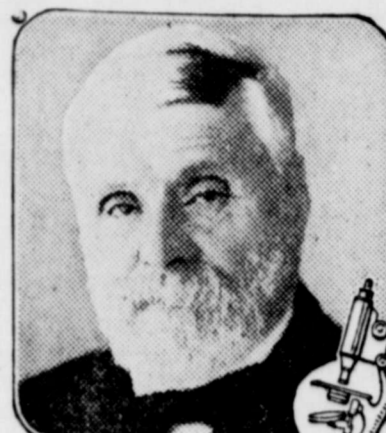
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Men Marooned

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CHAPTER XIII—Continued

It stripped down to this: If the police found Galbraith at Elkwan Garth Guthrie was done. Cameron might fix it with the company, but the authorities would be merciless. Then the smug Charles could revel in his "I told you so's," and Ethel—he had not thought of Ethel, whose Christmas letters he had not answered, since he found Joan Quarrier on the Albany clearing—she could thank Heaven for her lucky escape.

"But the police won't find him at Elkwan!" Guthrie rasped through his teeth, and went to the trade-house to make his plans with Etienne.

"Did you have any trouble getting him up here?" Guthrie asked.

"No, he holler some, but he was lashed in good."

Then Guthrie explained the part Etienne was to play when the police appeared. They would want to interview him, and must find him in bed, a sick man. Accordingly, he must have the bandages, which Miss Quarrier would prepare at once, ready to put on. The children would have to be coached and kept out of the way.

"Have you ever been badly hurt, Etienne?"

The half-breed smiled and opening his shirt, drew them back, baring a long scar across the muscular chest.

"At Henley house, at de New Year dance, I get dis, mance year ago. I was ver' seek man. I know. Wen polece dey come, I be ver' seek man once more."

Guthrie laughed outright at the gravity of his head man.

"Trust you, Etienne, to act your part anywhere! Now if we could only keep them away from my quarters, but I've got to feed them there. That's where the danger lies. He may make a noise. He'll have to have an opiate to keep him quiet. If they hear him, it's all up with us."

Savanne took the pipe from his mouth and leaned toward his chief, the muscles in his swart face knotted with the intensity of his feeling. For a space the two men hardly breathed as the narrowed eyes of the half-breed bored into Guthrie's quizzical gaze. Then Etienne said slowly: "You are good frien' to me an' my familie. I feez dese polece—if you—say so."

Slowly, as he read the stark sincerity of the offer in the other's face—sensed that his friend of the dusky skin was bringing to the altar of their friendship the supreme gift, the hazard of his life, Guthrie's eyes softened with the affection which two years of river and coast and trail with Etienne Savanne had kindled. He reached out a long arm and took the swart hand of the other.

"I won't forget—my friend."

The swart face of the half-breed lit with pride at the words, then turning away, he threw over his shoulder: "I get de bandage from M'amselle Quarrier an' show Marie how to mak' good nurse."

"His temperature's risen to 103. I can hear it in the other lung now."

Joan Quarrier entered the living room, from which Old Anne had taken the supper dishes.

"Double pneumonia!" Guthrie muttered. "Not a chance, after the flu, is there? Poor old Craig! We've done what we could."

She raised her eyes to the man who slouched, head in hands, elbows on knees. "Friendship is a very real thing to you."

He looked up. "Yes, so real that without a thought of the cost to you, I brought you into this—"

"That was rather a fine compliment to me, Mr. Exile, that you should feel sure of me—know that I would come."

"I thought only of him—of what I owed him." For an interval he was silent, then continued with a look that brought the blood to her face: "You?—I knew you would come—when you understood. But it was unfair—wrong."

"Why wrong?" she demurred. "Etienne or this man, what did it matter? You needed me to help you and I came."

"But I've done worse still. If the police find him here, you'll be subject to the law—an accessory. I did not think. I was mad, but I want to get you out of this before it's too late. I'll take you to Albany tomorrow."

As Joan Quarrier stared at the speaker, her surprise slowly shifted to anger. The dark eyes lit with a look new to the man who watched.

"You mean that? You think I'd desert him, dying, your friend?"

He shrugged helplessly in the face of her determination. "You're in a false position. I had no right—"

"Stop!" she commanded, raising her hand in finality. "Now, if they come, what will you do?"

For a space he could not answer, swept by a wave of pride in the staunchness of the girl of whom he had asked so much.

"I've got to feed them here. Can you keep him under an opiate?"

"Yes, he's under one now. If he grows delirious, as some do, he'll injure himself—try to get up. We'll have to keep him lashed to the bed."

"I'll get them over to the trade-house as soon as they eat. They may not stay more than a night, but when they fall to find his body at the schooner, they'll want to see me."

"I gave Etienne his bandages and showed Marie how to adjust them."

"What a wonderful cooperator you are, Healer of Wounds! How am I ever to repay you?" He sat from habit with the unmarred left side of his face quartering on the girl. Suddenly she straightened, startling him with the tenseness of her look.

"Why do you sit that way?" she demanded angrily.

"What—what do you mean?" he asked, confused by her tone.

"You treat me as if I were—oh, like the one he came back to." She pointed toward the adjacent sickroom.

Vaguely her meaning dawned on him. Scars—to her—were an accolade. Those straight eyes of hers never turned in horror from a wound.

"Forgive me," he said, and his eyes clouded with mist. "I knew the day I met you—that you saw beyond—the scars."

For an instant her face was radiant with a look that stirred the man with the mad desire to go to her—take her in his arms—wring from this woman who doubted his love, the admission that she too cared. But no, not here, his ward and guest, helpless to avoid him. His chivalry checked his impulse. She knew he loved her; she should have fair play at Elkwan.

Muttered words from the sick man drew them to his bedside. The great frame, banded by strips of cloth to confine him in his delirium, rendered the bed he lay on insignificant. His heavy russet hair, smoothed by the nurse from his wide forehead, framed the deep blue eyes which stared, unseeing at the ceiling of the room. Below leered the torn mouth, ghastly in its distortion.

"We were happy—before," they heard him mutter. "I know—I know—it was hard. But couldn't you hear it—for the sake of—the old days? Handsome Galbraith—it was—once. Then—that shell? Good-by, Handsome Galbraith!—But you—I loved—needed. Your eyes! God!—I look in them—when you saw me!"

The eyes of Joan Quarrier and Guthrie met. Two tears, ignored, slowly wet her cheeks. The face of the man was twisted with pity.

"What hell he must have lived through!"

"And she—why are such creatures put into the world?" said the girl, huskily. "When his need of her was greatest—she unmasked her little soul."

Involuntarily Garth Guthrie started. How unerringly she had characterized Ethel. Had she guessed, he wondered.

"I can guess what followed," Garth replied. "I know him. Heart-broken—he often spoke of her—he went to drink, to forget. Then it happened."

"But after all, are they sure he's the man?"

"The circumstantial evidence puts it beyond question—the description, his being here in the north."

While Joan caught a few hours' sleep in the room of Guthrie which he had again given her, the factor sat beside the unconscious man, whose tortured lungs labored for breath.

Before she lay down the girl stood quizzically before the photographs which still stood in their places on his dresser.

"You're very lovely," she murmured. "It's not strange that he can't forget you. He still remembers, or you'd not be here—still remembers, although he wants me to think he has forgotten."

CHAPTER XIV

In early afternoon Etienne swung back the trade-house door with a crash.

"Dog-team on de riviere!"

"All right," replied Guthrie. "Tell Miss Quarrier on your way. Now you get into those bandages and into bed, and don't have the children around if they come to talk to you."

"I am ver' seek man," laughed the half-breed and went out.

So the police had come? He hadn't expected them for days, but they must have reached Albany from Moose the day he left. They certainly hadn't lingered at the schooner with Cameron's men; mystified at failing to find the body of McDonald, they probably wanted to talk first to the men who had discovered the tragedy, then return to Seal cove.

They would pass at least one night at Elkwan to talk it over. There was no alternative to having them eat at his quarters. There lay the danger. He would rush them through supper and to the trade-house where they would sleep, as, of course, Joan Quarrier had his spare bed. Etienne's accident they would have heard of from Cameron, and Etienne and Marie were more than equal to entertaining them with the picture of a man suffering from a painful wound. The rub would come at meal time. Would the opiate keep McDonald quiet—and his breathing—would they hear it? If only he could have been moved for a day, but where? The trade-house, factor's quarters, and Etienne's were the sole heated buildings at the post. Going to his quarters, he called Joan and Old Anne.

"Anne, you can't speak English—don't answer any questions. Understand!" The broad face of the cook stretched in a smile as she winked. "Name," she answered in Cree.

"Good! And when you hear us come in for supper, make as much noise as you can in the kitchen. Sing all you wish, rattle the pans. When you wait on us, talk to me in Cree—"

all the time. See? They may hear him breathe."

"Eh-eh!" replied the Cree.

"How is he now?" Guthrie asked Joan.

"Her eyes reflected her anxiety. 'Worse—much worse. Raging fever—105; pulse running away. He's been straining terribly at his bonds. Lucky you and Etienne made them strong.'

"You gave him the opiate, of course?"

"Yes, he's feeling it now. By supper time he'll be quiet—but his breathing?"

"That's what worries me." Guthrie went to the sick room where the giant, bound to his bed by thick bandages of cloth, lay moaning in a half stupor. "Old Craig. To finish like this!" Sorrowfully, the man who was imperiling his future that his friend might have his chance went out to meet the approaching dog-team.

With Shot beside him, curious of the strange dogs, Garth watched the visitors climb the cliff trail behind their team of scrubs.

"Good day!" called the older of the two men, stepping forward with extended hand. This is Mr. Rawdon. The speaker nodded to his companion, a young, heavily built man, who shook Guthrie's hand.

"I've been expecting you," said Guthrie. "You can turn your dogs into that empty shack after you've fed them. They'll be safe there. My only assistant, as you know, is laid up."

The dogs fed and safeguarded from the big Unavans of the post, Guthrie led his guests to the warm stove of the trade-room.

"You come straight from Seal cove?" he asked carelessly. "They



"Dog Team on the Riviere!"

were expecting you when I left Moose with Miss Quarrier."

At the mention of Joan's name, the heavy face of Rawdon lighted with interest.

"Yes," replied Farrel, lighting his pipe. "We went over to the island with Cameron's people who are guarding the fur. But, of course, we wanted to talk to you and your man before we got down to work."

"Got down to work? What do you mean?" Guthrie's cold eyes studied the face of the inspector. A decent face, he thought, honest, human.

"Why we found only three bodies. Cameron says you found four, including McDonald's. McDonald's wasn't there."

"McDonald's body not there? Impossible!"

"No, we made no mistake. The Indians must have spirited it away. They tell me there's a fortune in fur on that schooner, too, but there's no sign of its being plundered."

The watchful Guthrie had his opening and lost no time in developing it.

"Why, we left McDonald dead in his berth, from flu, I suppose. Breault was in the cabin, and the other two in berths. The interpreter and a sailor they claim were on the boat must have made for the nearest camp. Did you search the ice? The Indians might have buried him. He had some Indians picking up fur for him on the island. They may have found him and given him a decent grave in the ice."

"That's true, but why should they leave the rest on the boat?"

"He was the big man—the chief. He had a great hold on them. That might explain it," Guthrie suggested. "Well, I wonder what they've got for you hungry men to eat," he added. "Make yourselves at home while I go over and ask Old Anne when she'll be ready for us."

"By the way," called Farrel as Garth opened the door. "How's your man, wound all right? He can talk, can't he? I want to get his statement."

"He's doing finely—thanks to his army nurse. She saved him from infection."

They were waiting for Garth at the house. Her eyes shadowy with strain and anxiety, Joan met him at the door.

"The morphine? Is it working?" he asked.

"He's quiet now, but I don't know how long it will last. It seems lost on him. I've given him all I dare."

"His temperature—pulse?"

"Awful! I don't see how he lives. It looks like the crisis tonight."

"I can't hear him breathe. Is supper ready? I'll bring them in and rush it through."

"Yes."

As he turned to go out he heard a

sob. She stood at the door of the bedroom.

"To think he should die like this!" she said.

Guthrie strode back to her. He took a limp hand in both of his. "Healer of Wounds, I love you! Courage!" And he went out.

At the trade-house door his set face dropped its lines.

"Well, Old Anne is about ready for us. It's short variety but I hope there'll be enough for your appetites. I'm sorry, but I'll have to put you up here. Miss Quarrier has my extra room."

As Joan Quarrier, pale, but mistress of her nerves, met them in the living room with a forced graciousness and was introduced, the eyes of Rawdon bulged in patent admiration of the picture she made. Fair women are rare where life is hard, and his evident surprise at finding the ex-army nurse who had wintered at the mission at Albany of such comeliness, seemed temporarily to paralyze his tongue.

Appearing on the minute with the stew, Old Anne filled the room with the harsh sibilants of the Cree tongue.

"Don't taint Anne," Guthrie laughed, making conversation as his guests ate. "She's a bit queer in the head, but her heart's all right, isn't it, Anne?"

Anne turned upon him a chaos of chatter. From the kitchen, where she went for the boiled goose, the staunch old Cree kept up a rattle of pans, until she hurriedly returned to resume her conversation with the man whose ears strained for sounds through the shut door of the sick room.

As yet no sound from the room. Thus far—victory!

"Well," said Farrel, comfortably, as he finished, "your cook may be a bit talkative, Guthrie, but I sure have enjoyed her supper."

"Glad you have. Sorry it wasn't better."

"And you've got to run to that half-breed?" demurred Rawdon, now quite at his ease with Joan. "I don't see why you can't stay a while and talk to us."

"Oh, a nurse always puts duty before pleasure, Mr. Rawdon," she replied, with a stiff smile, as with tilted head she waited, nerves taut as wires, for the repetition of a sound she had heard—a sound incomprehensible, terrifying, from the closed room.

"Well," he laughed, "that's what I call a compliment. But you'll be back soon?"

"Back soon, you whelp!" cursed Guthrie inwardly. "If you don't finish that food, I'll choke you with it!" Then his heart skipped—to shake him with its hammering, as he heard a thud—a sound of ripping cloth. Raising his voice, he said sharply: "If you're through, gentlemen, we'll have a smoke beside the trade-house stove," and with Farrel, rose from the table where Rawdon lingered, hypnotized by the face of the girl who sat rigid with fear.

Guthrie flung open the door, admitting the biting air. "Rawdon!" The words snapped through the silent room like the crack of a whip. "Miss Quarrier has a dressing to do for Savanne. Then behind the shut door, a crash, curses, a groan roared him, desperate, where he stood. The game was up. He had lost!

"Why, what's that? Somebody in there?" demanded the younger policeman, rising, head thrust in the direction of the sounds. Gray-faced, Joan Quarrier, like one under a spell, Guthrie harden—saw the gray eyes grow cold, as the surprised Farrel turned to his host.

"Get Etienne, quick!" Like the ring of tempered metal the voice of Guthrie crossed to the Cree in the kitchen door. She disappeared.

"What's this all about, Guthrie—this racket in there?" stormed Rawdon, heatedly.

As the bewildered Farrel waited for Guthrie's answer, his eyes widened as he saw the groping fingers of the factor of Elkwan, who leaned against the gun-rack, find and close on the butt of his automatic.

Then with a crash the door of the bedroom was thrown back, and a giant figure, shreds of cloth hanging from naked shoulders and arms, swayed, head lowered, in the doorway. Burning with fever, the wild eyes above the grinning mouth glared with the ferocity of a mad beast at the man who instinctively recoiled toward him. Gripping the door jambs for support, the great muscles of his arms flexed, Laughing McDonald shook the room with a roar: "Give 'em the steel, Canadians! Steel for their gas! Give 'em—" With a gasp, a hoarse rumble of the deep throat, a choking cough, the massive frame pitched headlong to the floor.

On her knees beside the man whose pulse she could not feel, sobbed Joan Quarrier. Gripping the relaxed hand of the friend he had failed to save, Guthrie listened for a heart beat. There was none. Laughing McDonald had joined the silent battalions.

"He's gone?" he asked the girl, while the policemen, dumb in their surprise, gaped at the two figures with their dead.

She nodded.

"Gentlemen," Guthrie turned his face to his guests. "You are too late. Your man has escaped."

"Stan' back!"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

First Must Come Labor

Unless man plants and sows and reaps, seedtime and harvest avail him nothing.—Presbyterian Witness.

Sometimes we encounter a wise man who causes us to admire a fool.

EASY LESSONS IN AUCTION BRIDGE

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Article Nine. Defensive Bids (Continued.)

A FEWER dealer bids one no trump, second hand may:

- (1) Overbid in a suit.
- (2) Overbid with two no trump.
- (3) Use the informatory double.

While these are not strictly defensive bids, it seems most logical to consider them at this point.

(1) It is seldom wise to bid two of a suit over one no trump. If the suit is a minor there could be practically no chance of assuming the offensive and making game. Moreover, the stronger such a minor suit is, the more formidable it would be against a no trump, while its value against any other suit as trump would be far less.

Suppose dealer bids a no trump and second hand holds a solid diamond suit with the four top honors and nothing else of value in his hand. If he bids 2 diamonds the dealer or his partner probably will bid a major and they might easily outbid second hand's diamonds. With a major suit as trump, diamonds probably would be trumped after the first round, thus producing but one trick. But if second hand passes and the no trump bid wins the declaration, these diamonds would surely take seven tricks, setting the no trump declaration. If, after second hand passes, third hand takes his partner's no trump out by a suit bid, second hand's diamonds may be bid on the next round.

The same is true of a major suit unless some outside strength offers a possibility of game, and the hand as a whole gives assurance that opponents could not go game by shifting to any other suit.

Examples of second hand holdings after dealer has bid one no trump and what should be done:

- (1) S-x x; H-x x x; D-A, K, Q, J, x x; C-x x. Pass.
- (2) -A, K, Q, x x; H-x x x; D-x x x; C-x x. Pass.
- (3) S-A, K, Q, x x; H-x x x; D-K, Q, x; C-K x. Bid 2 spades.

(2) It sometimes happens that dealer bids one no trump when second hand had made up his mind to make that bid, and in such a case many players are puzzled to know what to do.

There are two methods of procedure: Second hand may bid two no trump, or he may double informatory dealer's one no trump.

If second hand holds seven or eight probable tricks, largely in the minor suits, he should not hesitate to bid two no trump because a game seems probable and that would be worth much more than the penalty he might win by allowing dealer to play the hand.

(3) If, however, he has just a moderate no trump bid, his best play is to double and let his partner choose a trump suit with the common understanding that a four-card major should be bid rather than a five-card minor. The requirements for such a double are two and one-half to three quick tricks, depending upon distribution and intermediate cards called "fillers." Doubler's hand should be such that he would be satisfied with a bid of either major from his partner, or he should have strength enough to allow him to overbid on the next round if partner's strong suit should be his weak one. For instance, if the doubler holds S-A, J, x x; H-K, Q, x x; D-A, x x; C-x x; and partner bids two clubs, second hand would go to two no trump on the next round of bidding. But if partner named either major or diamonds, second hand would be satisfied.

Other examples of second hand holdings when dealer has bid one no trump:

- (1) S-K, J, x; H-A, J, x x; D-x x x; C-K, Q, J, x. Double.
- (2) S-A, Q, x x; H-x x; D-A, K, J, x x; C-K, x. Double.
- (3) S-A, x x x; H-A, x x; D-x x x; C-A, x x x. Pass.
- (4) S-x x x; H-K, x x x; D-A, K, x x; C-A, x x. Pass.

In No. 1 if partner bids diamonds, second hand would bid no trump; and in No. 2, if the response is in hearts, second hand would do the same. No. 3 has three quick tricks but lacks fillers. No. 4 has three and a half quick tricks but is so weak in the majors that it should be passed.

Reserve Power Kept on Hand in Sweden

It is of course the usual thing for a city to have a few reserve reservoirs to guard against interruption of the water supply, but a Swedish city has extended the principle, having constructed two steam reservoirs. These are two large iron tanks, holding a reserve supply of steam for the city's hydro-electric plant. Enough is held here to operate the generators an hour or more.

The tanks are filled to within 90 per cent of their capacity with water raised to a temperature considerably above what its boiling point would be in the open air. When steam is drawn off more is instantly available. A relatively small boiler is sufficient to keep the accumulators charged and ready for service. The insulation is such that heat losses are negligible even in low temperatures outdoors. Automatic valves keep the pressure in the tanks constant.

WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

Praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Mrs. Annie Kwinaki of 526 1st Avenue, Milwaukee, Wis., writes that she became so weak and run-down that she was not able to do her housework. She saw the name Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the paper and said to her husband, "I will try that medicine and see if it will help me." She says she took six bottles and is feeling much better.



Mrs. Mattie Adams, who lives in Downing Street, Brewton, Ala., writes as follows: "A friend recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and since taking it I feel like a different woman."

With her children grown up, the middle-aged woman finds time to do the things she never had time to do before—read the new books, see the new plays, enjoy her grand-children, take an active part in church and civic affairs. Far from being pushed aside by the younger set, she finds a full, rich life of her own. That is, if her health is good.

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Flapper's Clock

"We have all heard of the old-fashioned woman who sang one or more verses of 'Nearer, My God to Thee,' to determine the exact moment when the boiled eggs were properly done," writes Pansy of Urbana, "but it remained for a modern flapper to give us a brand-new and practical idea on the subject."

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MRS. J. C. BENNETT

Mrs. Alvrine Bennett, wife of J. C. Bennett, and mother of C. H. Bennett of this city, died last Thursday morning in Amarillo, to which city she and her husband moved some months ago from Hedley.

Her remains were brought to Hedley and at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon were tenderly laid to rest in the Rowe Cemetery, Rev. C. B. Brooks conducting the service.

Mrs. Bennett came to Hedley with her husband from Ardmore, Okla., and lived here about a year and a half. She made a number of friends in this community who are deeply grieved because of her death.

Surviving her are her husband, J. C. Bennett, two daughters, Mrs. Myrtle Ridgeway of Oklahoma City and Mrs. Leah Joyce of Fort Worth, and three sons, C. H. Bennett of Hedley, J. R. Bennett of Amarillo, and J. C. Bennett of Vernon.

To the bereaved family The Informer extends its sincere sympathy.

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NAZARENE YOUNG PEOPLE

A young people's zone rally was held at the Nazarene church in Memphis Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week. A number attended from Hedley. Rev. R. M. Hocker of Plainview, district president, was in charge and Rev. M. M. Short, pastor at Memphis, was host. A feature of the rally was a big turkey dinner on Thanksgiving day.

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We wish to take this means of expressing our sincere thanks and deep gratitude to the good people who were so thoughtful and kind to us on the occasion of the death of our beloved mother and grandmother, Mrs. Alvrine Bennett. We want to especially thank Mrs. Mosley, Mrs. Culwell, Mrs. R. G. Adamson and Mrs. Busby and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jewell for their personal ministrations, for the good dinner prepared, and beautiful flowers. Also to the Funeral Directors, Ray Moreman and Fred Buntin, who went to Amarillo after the body of our loved one, and were so courteous and helpful thruout this trying hour. May the richest of blessings be showered upon each one of you.

C. H. Bennett and Family.

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J. K. Shelton, the well known and popular cotton man, writes us to send the Informer to him at Brick, Okla. Which we will.

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John Cooper, who is employed in the Piggly Wiggly store at Clarendon, spent Thanksgiving Day with the home folks here.

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Feminine Age

She—I'm not on speaking terms with Freddie. The mean thing wouldn't give me his seat at the bar her's this morning.—Sydney Bulletin

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Slowing Up?

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What's the Answer?

- Questions No. 19**
- 1—What contemporary novelist was banished from Spain for opposition to the government?
 - 2—Who is light heavyweight champion pugilist?
 - 3—Whom did Pocahontas, the famous Indian girl, marry?
 - 4—What general in the Revolution was known as the "Hair Buyer General" and in which army did he serve?
 - 5—Who invented the reaper?
 - 6—What two interrelated families are conspicuous for the number of the artists and artists they have contributed to the American stage?
 - 7—What is the most striking physical characteristic of Colombia?
 - 8—What are water voles and where are they found?
 - 9—What is the distinction between "immigrant" and "emigrant"?
 - 10—What is Ascension day or Holy Thursday?
 - 11—What is now the only living representation of dog tribe of carnivores in Britain?
 - 12—Who has been called "The Spanish Shakespeare"?
 - 13—Who defeated William T.ilden for the tennis championship?
 - 14—At what battle was the great Indian Tecumseh killed and when?
 - 15—At what battle was "Remember the Alamo!" the soldiers' war cry and when?
 - 16—Who invented the machine gun?
 - 17—What Norwegian composer took as a basis for an orchestral suite that has become famous, a drama by Ibsen?
 - 18—What is the second largest river in Africa?
 - 19—What is the matter with the phrase: "From whence come you"?
 - 20—What is Whitsunday?

- Answers No. 18**
- 1—Constellation against the L' In surgente, in 1799.
 - 2—Gen. Francis Marion.
 - 3—Eli Whitney.
 - 4—April 30, 1922.
 - 5—Edwin Booth.
 - 6—Edinburgh.
 - 7—Carlyle's "French Revolution."
 - 8—Wild horses and asses.
 - 9—No; it should read "more slowly"—the adverb instead of the adjective.
 - 10—The spiritual idea of love; self-immolation; innocence and purity; sacrifice.
 - 11—Severe criticism of his "Hours of Idleness" in the Edinburgh Review.
 - 12—Gen. John Stark.
 - 13—Lord Dunmore.
 - 14—Thomas A. Edison.
 - 15—Cecil Leitch.
 - 16—Claude Monet.
 - 17—Josef Hofmann.
 - 18—The Yang-tse-kiang.
 - 19—To the Pacific coast of North America, between British Columbia and northern California.
 - 20—It should read "that sort," since "sort" is singular.

Ideas About Heaven

Are Many and Varied

Where is heaven? What is heaven? The question may not have been settled, but it has at least been answered. The ideas contributed are many and various. Here are a few of them:

A circus lot at the end of Main street.

A very high spot in the human imagination.

A beautiful mirage which lures deluded travelers into the barren desert of credulity.

The abode of certain portions of the Deity.

A spiritual land of peace, plenty and equality, situate, lying, and being in the uppermost region above the clouds, conjured up by religion to assist in the maintenance of law, order and good will among God's children while in the bodily state on earth.

The most sublime, the most pitiful, the most pathetic delusion of all the ages.

Heaven is that which lies about us in our infancy. Heaven is that about which we were lied to in our infancy.

The ideal, the limit of human ambitions and aspirations, the ever-flying perfect.

A place to which every one is anxious to go, but no one seems to be in any hurry to get there.—The Forum.

Concerning the Kiss

A Greek peasant kissed the hand or knee of a superior when he bowed before him. Kissing the feet of the gods was also a form of Greek worship. The Greeks had made the rule: To kiss on the lips is to adore the living breath of the person saluted; to kiss the feet is to humble one's self in adoration. Our custom of kissing our hands to people at a distance from us comes from the ancient habit of kissing the hands to a god whose statue was too tall to be reached.



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First Time Known

"Congratulations! I've just thought of something clever."

"Beginner's luck."—Stray Stories.

Sturdy wild beets are being used by government scientists in an effort to breed greater resistance to disease into the cultivated sugar beet.

Made in disk form, a new device on which to record the gasoline and oil purchased for an automobile can be carried on the steering wheel.

Sculpin Had Traveled

When Joe Clukey, a Rockland (Maine) sailor, pulled a sculpin out of Rockland harbor, he found he had caught a fish with a history. Firmly embedded in the fish's tail was a piece of rusty wire and attached to the wire was a small water-soaked piece of wood on which was carved: "A. K. June 19, 1919, Northeast harbor, Me." If the specimen in question followed the shore line from Northeast harbor to Rockland, it swam about 109 miles.

DUMPLINGS

2 cups flour, 2 level teaspoons Calumet Baking Powder, 3/4 level teaspoon salt, 2 teaspoons butter, 3/4 cup milk. Mix and sift dry ingredients. Work in butter and add milk gradually.

Exterminating Coyotes

Nebraska farmers are ridding coyote dens with wolf hounds to kill off the puppies. The numerous spring crop if allowed to mature would result in a great loss of chickens, turkeys, and young stock. As many as 12 pups have been found in a den. And the dens are not hard to find because of the presence of chicken and rabbit bones at the entrances.—Capper's Weekly.

If you use Red Cross Ball Blue in your laundry you will not be troubled by those tiny rust spots, often caused by inferior bluing. Try it and see.—Adv.

World's Swiftest Girl

The fleetest girl in the world hails from Japan. Miss Fumiko Terac exchanged her kimono for running shorts, and earned her right to the title of "swiftest girl alive" when she won the 100-meter sprint in the all-Japanese sports carnival held recently near Tokyo.

Her time was 10.45 seconds. Fumiko has beaten all men runners of her own country and all the best women runners in the world.—London Tit-Bits.

Family Secret

Some one asked little Barbara Stern, daughter of the Big U's business manager, the meaning of the quotation, "For men must work and women must weep."

The little girl thought it over for a moment and replied: "It means that the poor man has to work all day and get the money and then his wife has to cry all night and get it away from him. But," she added as an afterthought, "my daddy isn't like that."

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Had Her There

"Willie," whispered his mother in church, "how many times do I have to tell you one must keep one's eyes closed during the prayer?"

"Well, mother," replied Willie, "how do you know I don't?"—Boston Transcript.

The Easy Way

"Did that firm fail to pay its debts?"

"No; it failed so that it wouldn't have to pay them."

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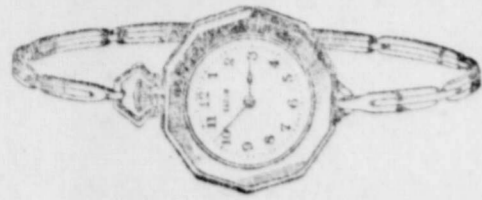
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School songs were sung around the camp fire, and every once in a while a rousing cheer would ascend to the sky from the boys and girls.

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This is a dandy little college story that the name does not do credit to. You will appreciate this picture. Come to see it. Also Good Comedy. 10c 30c.

QUEEN THEATRE

Saturday, 26th

BEN WILSON in

Range Rider

with his two pals—his horse and his dog, Fangs. They are always good. And we also have a Good Comedy. 10c 25c

After spending a few months with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Blankenship in Southern California, Uncle Bill Blankenship returned to Hedley one day last week, to the delight of his many friends here.

BIRTHDAY SHOWER

A birthday shower was given Miss McWhorter at the home of Mrs. R. L. Solder Friday afternoon. Miss McWhorter was invited over in the afternoon and was very much surprised to find the room filled with her pupils, the Senior and Junior Classes and the basketball girls.

Sue McFarling, as spokesman for the Seniors, made a lovely talk, telling Miss McWhorter how they appreciated what she had done for the Seniors. Also presenting a lovely gift.

Grace Hickey made an inspiring talk as captain of the girls' basketball team, presenting a gift to Miss McWhorter showing their gratitude to her as their coach.

The Junior Class also presented a beautiful gift in token of her work with the Juniors in their Play.

Eula Curd, representing the Expression Class as a whole, made a very sweet talk, and each member of the class presented some token of their love.

Mrs. J. B. Masterson, as a guest, also brought a lovely gift. Punch was served all during the afternoon, about fifty people being present.

See Adams Dry Goods & Notions for Dolls of all sizes and prices.

L. E. Thompson spent three days of last week in Dallas, buying furniture and holiday goods for the Thompson Bros. store.

SPECIAL BOOK SALE—25c
Saturday, Nov. 19.—Novels, Stories, etc., at 25c each. These are second hand books in good condition. HEDLEY DRUG CO.

John W. Swinney and family came down from Canyon and spent the past week end with home folks and friends.

LOST—Between town and my home, Thursday night, Nov. 24, one saddle. Leather pocket on one side. Finder please notify Alton Quisenberry.

Thanksgiving Day was celebrated in Hedley by the closing of the school, stores and filling stations. Our turkey population was almost totally annihilated.

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Mary Boston, R. F. Newman, Leon Reeves, Harmon, Gladys and Myrtle Scales, all of Hedley, and Vera Breeding of McLean make up the total of representatives from Donley county.

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