After The Introduction, Doesn't H Run Like This?

(By McEvoy, in the Richmond News)

I just can't stand hot weather

I think we ought to have cold weather in winter and hot weather in summer These mixed seasons get me all mixed .up. Hah-hah (you laugh mirthlessly).

Tee-ee (one of her sympathetic Do you remember last summer how hot it was?

Yes, wasn't it? I should sav.

It surely was hot.

(Pause while you cast about for another subject.) You don't happen to be related any of the Adamses (or Smith or Jones, or whatever her name) in Galena, Illi-

No, we haven't any relatives in Gasome Adamses in Galena. Went to school with a fellow named Adams who came from Galena. There must be a

No, we are not related to any Adamses in Galena. We came from Sanga-

But then Adams isn't a very unusual ... Dear Sir: I have your fever name, is it? The only Adamses I know live in Galena. I thought maybe you might be related to them. No, our folks came from Saugatuck. We are not related to the Adamses in Galena that I know of.

Well, I thought maybe you was.

(Pause—The Adamses from · Galena have been disposed of -Several minutes elapse-

Afi. an inspiration.) What do vou think of "Main street" Oh. I don't know. What do you think

Well, I don't know. I thought it was kind of good. It was awful long. Don't you think so? Yes, it was long. Did you like 12?
Well, I guess I did.

Well. I think I liked it too. (This is the end of Main street—Pause.) Have you heard any new music late-

No, I haven't. Have you? No. I haven't heard any lately... (Another longer and deadlier pause.)

Seefi a good show last night.
Did you? What show is that? Oh, it was one of those reviews. It was pretty good. But then, after your

jokes. They are all alike. But it was a pretty good show. Yeh, pretty good.

it? After a very long pause

I just can't stand hot weather (or the winter—etc., etc.

MY NEW STENOGRAPHER. have a new stenographer. She came to work today. She said a hundred words a minute To her were just like play,

gave her some dictation-A letter to a man-And this, as I remember. Is how the letter ran:

"Dear Sir: I have your favor And in reply would state. That I accept the offer

To turn the matter out. The copy will be ready By August first, about. Material of this nature

With thanks for your knd favor I am, yours very truly." The typewriter she tackled. Now and then she struck a key. And after thirty minutes Note what she handed me

Should not be rushed unduly:

And in supply would sit: As you have reasoned it. shall be in tomorrow To turn the Mother out.

The Cop will be all ready And cost us ten, about. Should not be rushed unduly. With thanks for your high fever Both of you are ill at ease-I am, yours very truly.

-N. D. N., in Washington Herald NEWS? Only one dollar a year.

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Two applicants before the directo of the U.S. marine corns institute mar" as "grammer" and were making corrections when a third applicant came along and asked: "What are you changing the word 'grammar' for?" Why, we spelled it wrong," answered one of the applicants. third man. "Darned if I ain't spelled it

with two m's myself."

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THE PRINCE WILLIAM NEWS

The readers of the NEWS will no doubt be much

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ounced by "News" Man

May I have the space to say a few

MANASSAS. VIRGINIA, JULY 21, 1921

\$1.00 A YEAR IN ADVANCE

ROBBED CLOTHIERS

Goods Taken From Window of Byro Clothing Store Saturday Night-Back Again Sunday Night.

Some time late Saturday night or early Sunday morning, one of the plate glass window panes of the Byrd Clothing Company was smashed sufficiently to nermit a thief to reach in and get about \$30 worth of clothing, including a coat and vest, a few shirts and a cap Anticipating an early return "engagement," R. L. Byrd employed Benjamin Gaskins, colored, as watchman for Sundev night. When well into the night, windows, he started to investigate. In going towards the rear of the store on the-toe, he ran against a stool that he and not know was in his path. The would-be robber or robbers immediately sensed the presence of a watchman and fled to an automobile standing

outside, and left for parts unknown. In getting out the stolen goods Satwas taken. Mr. Byrd found, upon in- ginia and Tennessee. It will be recalled that sevby the Hynson department store, which would indicate that the culorit who once wore it is a county resident. currence in Manassas that it is now considered "quite the thing" to greet Editor Prince William News:

the morning with "Were you burglar-

words in defense of myself against two malicious lies that are being circulated HAPPY HUSTLERS BUSY.

Fine Meeting of Bacon Race Club Held

zed last night?"

theid an all-day meeting. Tuesday, July a call at Eastern. Thursday evening, in and second immings: W. Utterback in the resolution for "misrepresenting and particular, I worked at the NEWS office then climbed the mound and finished a his constituency." Senator Mills is said compared with 1,068 in 1910, but only the boys in the afternoon. The girls until after 10 o'clock, going from there good game, although the locals was 10 be the most influential member of the colored farmers whereas in 1910 there were 196 colored farmers. which would have been given in the af- my room on West street. Mrs. Holliday

county. Also our president read a nice I know, of the disease, letter from our county president. This get ready for the Prince William rally

itors with them from Bethel and Purcell, ent town well can not supply the town's of Alexandria, and Mary A. Cook, of point to a large local enrollment, which Maloney and May Leachman sang a law, Mr. Harvey Woodyard, of Brents-We hope these will come again. We water needs We hope these will come again. We water needs.

Greenwich, and to Howard I. Williams. is, stature, very gratifying.

else appreciate an invitation from memFriday evening the town council, in of Dumfries, and Almeta L. Chinn, of Management Scheetz, of Quakershere of the Bethel club to meet with a special meeting called to consider the Agnowyille. them Priday, July 29th, for an all-day present water shortage, appointed a

day. August 9th.

THREELE CAN NOT COME.

for sovernor of Virginia, subject to the hack to the town council at a special August primary, that he will not be able meeting called for this evening. exceedingly that previous appointments U. B. SOCIAL NEXT THURSDAY. wour invitation, as I certainly would like The Ladies' Aid of the U. B. church to do." wrote Mr. Trinkle. And further, will hold a social on the church lawn

FIND 96 ACTIVE CASES

cont the findings of clinics held in Au- factival gusta, Fauquier, Nansemend, Prince and decayed teeth and 35 showed de-movement, which will be held

Disputing Umpire's Decision, Brents ville Team Forfeited Second Game -Haymarket First

in a dormitory room in company with less to sav. it was a good team. a young woman who was then board. Havmarket hit Trimmer, who began broadly that more stringent action will taken in 1920.

ing there, is absolutely without foun- the hurling duties for the locals, freely be taken later. State Senator Morgan On Ianuary 1, 1920. Prince William The Happy Hustlers of Bacon Race dation. I have never paid any person and scored most of their runs in the first Mills, of Richmond, was roundly scored had 1,271 farms, as compared with 1,-

The Amateur Cardener

BENOLD THE PROUD CITY

HIND IN DEFLANCE OF HIS

HEIGHBORY MOVICE STARTED

Some of the girls are busy sewing ence site has make to one in this center are making bread. Miss nection.

Brentsville finally leaving the the dial on the public which is paying in the dial on the public which is paying in the dial on the public which is rather surprising in along the lines mentioned, is interested passed about that I was examined at one in helping the boys with self-feeders, of the recent tuberculosis clinics held duel between Quayle, for Brentsville, of Richmond, passed similar resolutions.

What is rather surprising in that the control of the recent tuberculosis clinics held duel between Quayle, for Brentsville, of Richmond, passed similar resolutions. brood-coops. Some are husy writing in Manassas and found to be actively in- and Lavcock for the locals. The game tions.

roff was called by the secretary. Quite and each time my lunge were found to tempted a steal on a pitched ball and plans for the \$2,000,000 building, busa sumber of members were absent, ow- be in excellent condition. I attempted while so doing the batter hit to third iness men, builders, trades unionists ever, jumped in the decade, 1910-1920, to get examined at one of the clinics base, who overthrew first base, this en-The minutes of the last meeting were recently held in Manassas, but owing to titting him to an extra base, but instead private citizens and demand that the crease of \$4,231,836, or 87.5 per cent. read, and approved. A number of se- the crowd there was not able to be ex- of stopping at third, he continued home continued and that another lections were read from the "Club Let- amined, which I desired to be merely and on the umoire's decision that he amile be made in the regular way. ter." including several telling of some as an extra precautionary matter, should go back to third, Brentsville left of the good work being done in our though I have no symptoms, as far as the field.

WATER SHORTAGE STILL FELT

other Well-Meets Tonight. a deline a series and a series

Hustiers would do all they could to with the extra air compressor going day make the club work a success in Prince and night than it had before the installation of this added equipment. This insure of the NEWS by the county clerk's language. The club was delighted to have vis- evidence would indicate that the pres-

committee consisting of O. E. Newman, Reward for return to NEWS office to the English work at Eastern. William Lewis, of Rectortown, presidperintendent of public utilities, which ago between Hall's store and Stone an emperienced teacher of ability, will was delegated to investigate the mat- House. Had two todge buttons on it, also make with the work at Eastern this ter thoroughly. This committee is to and North Dakota label inside. 15-1x committee session. Major E. W. R. Ewing, president of ing of another well, to get the approxhe Manassas Confederate Memorial intate cost of digging such a well, and

"It will give me great pleasure to for- Thursday afternoon and evening of next ward the movement in every way I week. Ice cream, cake and temonade will be for sale from 2 o'clock until 9 in the evening. There will also be a candy table, where several kinds of good home-made candles will be found. The Virginia Tuberculosis Associa- Everybody is cordially invited by the tion and the state board of health re- committee in charge to patronize this

William and Shenandoati counties, sum- "NEWS" EARLIER THIS WEEK. marized as follows: Total examined for The NEWS is demand several hours were active, 37 were arrested, 140 were force to enjoy the inaugural exercises

eral weeks ago it was definitely determined that hand. the route of this highway from Washington to

following the old turnpike that became famed dur- asked to join in making the day a mem- Roy Price, of Washington secretary, ing the war of 1861-65.

> Ten-Year Period County Farm Land The Richmond Builders' Exchange has adopted a resolution condemning the War Memorial Commission for its

First, the repost that I was at East- by the score of 7 to 3. The Haymarket John T. Wilson Construction Company nounced, subject to corrections, certain cents. ern College-Conservatory Thursday lineuo tooked like the "Who's Who" in 'on a cost plus basis without having preliminary figures from the census of Postmaster General Have, in making. evening of last week about 10 o'clock, baseball around Greenwich and, need-plans and specifications drawn up.

in a dormitory room in company with less to say, it was a good team.

Members of the exchange hinted as recorded in the fourteenth census, when a person sends a special delivery.

PARTEURS' PROSPECTS BRIGHT

The tocal boys are out for revenge Sat- enquenging, according to President R. home, "The Meadows," on Thursday H. Richtay, who the first of the week returned from a trip through West Virginian the interests of the local school. Marriage licenses issued since the last a total about a week through Mary-

Misses Mary Lee Chapman, Louise Woodyard and family; her brotheseintown. The who has a M. A. degree from College University, has been selected prorpiateness. Refreshments were wena Windsor, Leona Baily and Bella served in the dining-room by Mins Ma- Kinchelos, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Plorence,

ing at the punch-bowl. heautiful miners of silver brought by their friends and displayed on tables in

ALDIE SHOW/WEDNESDAY.

ament will be ridden. In the afternoon visiting Mrs. E. M. Briggs the past week. and a baseball game between Leesburg ington. and Aldie will start at 2 o'clock. The grand tournament ball will be opened at visiting her sunt, Miss Lucy Kincheloe 9 o'clock in the evening. The proceeds will go to the Aldle high school.

Route of Lee Highway From Washington to Chattanooga INAUGURAL EXERCISES AT HENRY HOUSE TODAY

Beginning this morning at 11 o'clock, good food and refreshing drinks for sale. ment to convert the historic Bull Run | The movement to convert the Rull battlefields into a fine Confederate Run battlefield into a Confederate mem-memorial park will be officially launched orial park has received much impetus at the Henry House. It is confidently during the past few weeks Many men ested spectators and supporters of the fairs, have become interested in the project, which will require the collection Besides addresses promised from sev- of \$50,000, one-half of which is to be eral kell-wnown men, the band from the jused for the purchase of the land and Marine barracks, Quantico, through pri- the museum, and the other half for layvate subscription of local business men, ling out the fields and the placing of ap-

will be present. General Mitchell, of the propriate monuments and markers. air service has promised an airplane It is expected that announcement will for the occasion. A red cross ambu- be made today as to the amount already lance unit from Washington will be on collected for this purpose, and that the

orable one. Those who do not bring and Rev. Westwood Hutchison, of Ma-

(Alexandria Gazette)

The cost of sending a special deliv

Cost of Sending Special Delivery Letter

secret award of the contract for a \$2,-

there were 190 colored loanness.

In 1920, 1,079 farms were operated that, in most cases, the letters one or several hours affected resolutions. tial delivery letter to get to its ultimate

compositions about their chickens. In Manassas and found to be actively in manassas a The regular meeting was called to

During the past two years I have been examined twice for life insurance Quayle reached first base. He then at-

Rain is badly needed in our com sons. Walter and Richard Baltzell, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Lucretia Barnes.

Mrs. Mary Boorman spent Friday evening of last week with Mrs. Win.

SMITHFIELD.

Mr. I. S. Lunsford and daughter. Lucille, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Colvin.

The Rawlings Publishing Co., of St. Della Barrett, Mrs. J. H. Steele and Louis, Mo., has now on the press a book daugitier. Miss. Audrey, and Mr. W. hy Passident R. H. Holliday, of Eastern McLemore, of Lexington, motored to College-Conservatory, entitled, "The Lexington Monday in Mr. Barrett's ear, Outdoor Sports for Young Ladies," where several days will be spent at Mr. to write a book dealing with the sports who is related to the Barretia and for young men, which he expects to Steeles, had been on a visit to his local

OR A day of when. A DOUBLE header to co.

OTHER THINGS INSULTA

AND MAKE shrill moleon.

A RAISE, for example.

CATHARPIN.

The Alexandria District conference ing arrangements for a big field day in will meet with and be entertained by August. our Sudley congregation August 2, 3 Miss May Cook, of Greenwich, and and 4. The opening sermon will be de- Mr. Henry Hunt, of Warrenton, were divered by the Rev. Edgar C. Beery, quietly married last Saturday afternoon pastor of Clarendon charge, on Tues- in Manassas, Rev. Barnett Grimaley, ofday evening, August 2, at 8 o'clock. ficiating. The bride and groom left Ma-Committees on arrangements have been nassas on Southern train No. 44 enroute appointed by our pastor, Rev. Homer to Washington.

Welch With the hearty cooperation We are sorry to note that Miss Anna of all members and friends of Sudley Florance, who is on the sick list, does charge, we hope to make this occasion not improve. a most happy and profitable one. Mr. Gilbert Garner, jr., of Memphis, The ladies of the Sudley Wesley Bible Tenn., is visiting his grand parents, Mr.

class met at the church Monday morn- and Mrs. John Garner. ing to lay the carpet which has recently Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kelly and family been purchased. This carpet will al- of Meetze, spent the week end with ways be thought of as a memorial to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Spittle. Mrs. Laura E. Sanders, deceased wife Mrs. Wm. Boley, Mr. and Mrs. Westof Mr. F. H. Sanders, of Catharpin, it ley King and family, all of Nokesville, being through her suggestion and effort spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Badger that the ladies of Sudley community, Smallwood. a few years ago, gave the proceeds Mrs. Walter Holliday, who has been

from the sale of Sunday eggs for the in Emergency hospital, Washington, for month of April to this purpose. the past three weeks, expects to leave Master Robert Haislip, of Manassas, the hospital this week, and to return and Miss Phythis Lenhert, of Washing- home soon, much improved in health. ton, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Caton BRENTSVILLE.

one day last week. Many of the NEWS readers will regret to learn that the Rev. Mr. Peterson Rev. J. R. Cooke was unable to hold in very ill at his home in Herndon. Mrs. services at the Presbyterian church last Peterson, nee Miss Roberta Swart, is Sunday morning owing to another en-

well known in Sudley community. gagement. Mr. Hugh Swart, of Middleburg, vis- Mrs. Shafer and daughter, of Aden, ited at the home of Mrs. Etta Lynn on spent Sunday with Mrs. S. B. Spitzer. Mrs. Augusta Webb spent the week Harris, of Crimona, Va., arrived by moend in Washington shopping and visit- tor last Friday to visit Mrs. Borden's

most widely known colored nurses and lange, and experienced the mudholes who has been indisposed a greater part from there to Brentsville. of this year, suffered another severe st- Mrs. O. W. Hedrick entertained Mr. tack the first of last week. After re- and Mrs. Mowry and their house guests ceiving medical attention, she is now at dinner Monday evening.

were Washington visitors on Friday. here Sunday. Mr. Will Brower motored to Round Dr. Wm. J. Bell is very ill at the home children, who had spent the past week his bedside. d Mrs. C. F. Brower, Ir. Harvey Fogle, of Rappahamnock county, Mr. W. W. Pugh, of Glendale, Md., Virginia, are visiting Mr. A. L. Holsingvisited friends in this community during er. They made the trip by automobile. the past week. Needless to say, every- We are glad to see Mr. G. Lewis one was glad to welcome the "Possum Jamison sole to be at work again after

sick list for a few days but is improv- ton, are spending the summer with her children were supper guests of Mrs. J. Worthington Aivey on Friday last.

Mr and Mrs. Overles R. McDonald were callers at the home of Mr. L. 1. Pattie on Sunday evening. commerce. In 1910 there were 48,-

Mre Watter Ward and her grandfather. Mr. Edward Pulaski, accompanied relatives to Cherydale Saturday and spent the week end. Upon their return they were accompanied by Mrs. Ward's mother, Mrs. Popley.

Record crowds are attending the revival meetings being conducted by Rev. "Billy" Sunday, at Norton, Wise county, Virginia. There have been over 1 ices opened. The amount necessary to taking \$22,500, was raised during the July 19, 20, Aug. 2, 3, 16, 17, 30 and 31. first week of the meeting.

"Bushy Park," has been receiving treat- 11, 24 and 25th. ment at Sibley hospital, Washington, for

Mr. C. L. Reading, of Aden, spent

Mr. Luther Dodd, of Washington, epent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Dodd

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Morris speat Susday at "Clover Hill." Mr. W. F. Davidge, jr., of Washing-

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ton, is visiting at "The Grove." The Greenwich baseball club is mak-

WASHINGTON, D. C.



Mr. and Mrs. Guy Borden and Mrs. "Aun!" Meltssa Smith, one of our They were caught in the storm at Or-

Miss Pearl Hensley, who is spending Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. McDonald some time at Catlett, visited her home

Hill Friday and was accompanied home of his daughter, Mrs. J. W. Hedrick. by his sister, Mrs. R. H. Willis, and His son, Hugh, of Washington, is at visiting Mrs. Willis' brother and sister- Mr. Frank Allbright and Mr. and Mrs.

Hunter" back & "Ole Virginny."

treatment at a Charlottesville hospital.

Master L. Jett Pattie has been on the

Mrs. Price and children, of Washingparents, Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Owers.

PEWER NEGRO FARMERS NOW

There were fewer negro farmers in ing to figures just made public by the Mies Edmonia Patti: returned to her joureau of the census department of lightful trip by water 19 Mt. Vernon, 114 negro farmers, while in 1920 there Norfolk and other points of interest. She were 47,690 as against 136,874 native was accompanied by Mies May Lynn born white farmers. In the state there and Master Keene Wells, of Welling- were 96 Indians and no Japanese and Chinese farmers.

Niagara Falls. N. Y..

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THE PRINCE WILLIAM NEWS, MANASSAS. VIRGINIA

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CLARENCE W. WAGENER. Publisher and Editor.

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES. One year (in advance) _____\$1.00 Six months____ No subscriptions accepted for less than six months.

A NIGHT POLICEMAN NEEDED. No time should be lost by the town council in employing a night watchman. All that is needed to give weight to this statement is a Your fountain pen troubles are at an moment's consideration of the seriousness of the many recent robberies end, once you purchase the newest visited upon our town. Business places have been found to be such thing in this line a Dunn pen. Ask easy marks that soon homes will be added to the list. If the financial us to show you one. W. C. Wagener.

condition of the town will not permit the employment of both a day FOR SALE-6,000 Flue brick.—A. Lipoliceman and a night policeman, we had better have no "cop" on beau, Manassas. duty during the day in order that the property of the citizens can be WANTED-To rent, a house with modproperly safeguarded at night.

ROAD OIL MAKES A DIFFERENCE.

It is surprising what a difference it makes in the working and living vel Cream Separator, peer of all others. conditions when the otherwise prevalent dust is held down in its prop- A demonstration will convince you of er place by a good coat of road oil. A portion of Battle and Center its superiority.—Cornwell Supply Co. streets have received such a bath this week, and all who contributed Oil is cheeper than wood or coa to this improvement are enjoying the advantages now. With the town present prices. Buy a Detroit Vapor putting the oil down, the expense of this oiling has not borne heavily on any of the subscribers. How nice it would have been had all the ply Company.

Can be used the year around.—Cornwell Supply Company. principal streets of the town been treated to at least one application FOR SALE—Efird house, opposite court of oil, with the property owners adajcent sharing in the cost of the oil! house; corner lot on Grant avenue.

THE WATER PROBLEM REMAINS UNSOLVED. Keen is the disappointment on the part of every Manassas citizen

over the failure of the town well to supply any appreciable increase of water with the installation of the extra air compressor. The test has been made and; according to Superintendent Frank Gue, ir., the extra water needed is simply not in the one well the town is now dependent

What is going to be done, and with what speed?

At Friday night's meeting of the town council, called especially to consider ways and means of remedying the water shortage, an investigation committee, consisting of O. E. Newman, R. S.-Hynson, and Supt. Gue, was appointed. These gentlemen are to report back to the council, at a meeting called for this evening, as to the most likely location for another well, the approximate cost of digging it and how soon the work could be started.

FEEL A PARTNERSHIP WITH THE "NEWS."

I have not before taken the opportunity of inviting readers of the CHAS. NEWS and all other Prince William folks to send in such SIGNED contributions as they, from time to time, feel may be helpful in one way or another. The columns of this paper are open to articles that have a constructive aim. By this I refer to articles of justifiable criticism as well as those that have praise as the keynote.

It is a difficult task—the running of a weekly that constantly strives Do You Reed to help the people of the county in every way it can. The services of this paper can become of greater value, if each reader will think of it as an organ through which he or she can serve, too. Will you please bear this in mind?

The NEWS seeks no patting on the back. It takes no space to seler in lengthy terms to things being accomplished through its efforts your thres begin to show consider-(when once in a while its strokes do apparently prove helpful). There table wear, don't forget the oldest is too much ahead, always to take the time to say that the NEWS established vulcanizing business did this and that. When it has been helpful, its readers should realize of Managers

It without having their attention called to it. There is nothing self-safisfied about this paper. It is not always as primmed and polished and furbelowed as some might like it to be but it is totally unbiased, non-partisan and striving all the time for the right and for progress.

WHAT ARE YOU DOING FOR THE FAIR? Four weeks from today the third annual Prince William fair is

echeduled to be going full blast. What are you doing NOW to help make it a success? Are you preaching the gospel that despite the unseasonable weather we had up until a few weeks ago, Prince William CAN have a good fair, if the people of the county will convince themselves that they can, and then go out and proclaim the fact. We must first "sell" our serves on what we can do, and then it will not be a difficult task to get

our neighbors thinking the same way. This little message is being published now because preparations for good exhibits must be gotten under way without further delay. Every reader knows that it takes time to get a nice exhibit together. - Eyou know definitely that you are going to exhibit your cattle, and swine and poultry and canned goods. you will find three weeks not a

hit too much time to get them ready. And for goodness" sake, don't stand back because the dates-Auguit 16-19, inclusive—do not suit you, or because you feel that you did not get the prize you should have gotten last season, or because racing in on the program. Consider the fair as a human institution. which, while all of its actions may not accord with your convictions does stand for county progress and, if accorded your support, should be of very material assistance in furthering the interests of your coun-

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Be Strong. Say not the days are evil-who's to blame? And fold thy hands and acquiesce... O shame. Stand up, speak out, and bravely, in God's name.

Be Strong. It matters not how deep intrenened the wrong. How hard the battle goes, the day, how long. Paint not, light on. Tomorrow comes the song.

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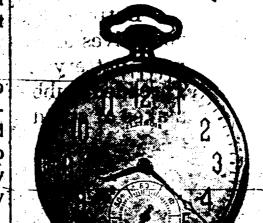
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SAID "The wind" AND TRIED to sleep. I HEARD rappings. AND SAID "Rate," AND ROLLED Greek THEN I heard steps. AND IN the Make OF A dying moon. A WHITE speak root. WASR'T scared-smich

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ong you will have dollars to your credit.

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significant pennies."

"Tortoise" and "Hare"

By MURIEL BLAIR (1981, Western Newspaper Union.)

"Hare" Snyder: and never were two sobriquets more fairly earned. Sny. of "The Forest." der was the particular bright boy of Mr. John Fair's daughter, Nettie, and every other night on long rides. the class, and always at the top, while her husband; Mr. Thomas Hollings-"Tortoise" Mowbray lagged respect- worth Stewart, of Augusta, Gan have ably near the bottom of it After college, it was the same, turning to their southern home early this "Hare" Snyder and "Tortolse" Mow- week. Georgia peaches are reported George William Mathers, 84 years corporation Snyder through a "pull,"

bray obtained positions in the same full and high priced. Some local rail- old, and for practically all his life a res-Mowbray because the straightforward. cleancut appearance of the young man favorably impressed Henry Davenrich, the president. The "hare" made money and speht but better attendance is desirable. It recklessly, while the "tortolse" put | Woodbine Sunday school at 10 a. Mrs. Eliza Ensor and Mrs. Margarie

his aside, added to it, and lived mod- m. needs more teachers. same girl. Cynthia Lanfrey was a building on Madison avenue, where ers' salaries. she kept house for him. At this period Miss Gilbert, county agent, and Mrs. the "hare" and the "tortolse" had been T. E. Haines last week distributed cir- Byvirtue of a certain deed working with the corporation for culars announcing the county picnic and trust executed by A. F. Liming

and he was invited again. Cynthia his story in a plain, slow- cently. "You're too late," she said, with a some days but is slowly regaining his dates, which have been reduced little sob and a following laugh. strength. "James Mr. Snyder-asked me yes-

toise" was temporarily placed in

senses.

"You'd have done the same if you'd large crowd attending.

Saturday night was a vig out.

Saturday night was a vig out.

In the same if you'd large crowd attending.

Miss Rosemary Wright, of Washing-ton, spent the week end with Mr. and large crowd attending.

Friday, Aug.

coise" slowly, clenching his fists-for somehow he always hated to hear the "hare" 7 pronounce - Cynthia's name-"amount to nine thousand dollars and seventy-three cents." "Out out the cents," said Snyde "Yes, I guess that's about the the

"I have four thousand dollars," an swered the "tortoise." "I can borrow

Davenrich's_place I'll make you as-"When you are in Dayenrich's place

shall look for another position," said Mowhray quietly, and turned on his "ent back to his desk, ling was set for June, three end. The "tortoise" went avenue. Davenrich retired carlier Then rumors began to spread concorporation. Inquisitive men, connected with the state, began poring nightly over the books. Then one day they

summoned Mowbray before them. "There is an item of nine thousand dellars paid in by you on March 2 last, according to the books," they said. "Can you explain this?" "Yes," answered the "tertoise" un-

money back. What are you going to lars?" asked the chief depositor. was entered but never deposited." The "tortoise" could not think

raickly enough to answer. So they Next day the world learned that near ly two hundred thousand deliars had been embessed by a high efficial it the corporation.

erner stood before him, accommanded by the lawyers for the state. "You want mo?" asked the

"Yes," answered the lawyers. "As witness. You are figs. Snyder

"Good Lord !" said the "tortoles." Then, "I am really free!" he asked. "Imust go-I have an important engagement." And, finding that he was real-My at liberty, he went to the house on findhon avenue. In the window was "I came—I came to say how

all through grief. She know that, un-Med the "tortoles" worms sever got grand his nest and blaced him.

Mince-pie will-no longer be what it a fad af the "old swimming hole" on Speaks, James Cross, Robert Cross, Guy itor Tuesday. used to be before the 18th amendment Cedar Run. and the failure of the apple crop. Picnic at Watt Posey's Saturday Front Royal on a business trip for the neral services were conducted Monday night brought out a big crowd for the government. fair boys to play for.

The Pearson brothers, G. F. Summers Colvin are spending the week end with and I. May, with the children, have Miss Adine Colvin. moved from the Chappell place to the Horseback riding in the mounting Sullivan house, one of the oldest houses has also become a faid with the young

paid a week's visit to "The Forest." reroads are said to be in a bitter fight ident of Clifton neighborhood, died Friwith their own men over a cut in wages, day of the infirmities of old age. Sur-Church service was held last Sunday viving the deceased are four sons. Wm at Purcett's school by Rev. I. M. Bell, H., David W., C. V., and Tilden Math-

The test of their friendship came still unprovided with teachers for the ensuing year. The drop in the price same girl. Cynthia Lanfrey was a chsuing year. The drop in the process of Davenrich and lived in a big of pulp seems to have affected teach-

Mr. Ployd Herring, of Washington, notes, secured under said deed

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"THE FOREST."

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folks down here. Parties go out nearly

CLIFTON.

Death of G. W. Mathers.

Trustees' Sale of

Gumpman: 35 grandchildren and 33

nearly ten years. Snyder was pretty raily at the fair grounds, August 12th. as of October 23rd, 1915, and Lemonade and ice water are provided. duly recorded in the county clerk's Mr. Atkins and family have moved office for Prince William county, bray was invited casually, on some into the Chappell place, which he reto secure the payment of eleven cently purchased. Mr. and Mrs. W. Daring had the mis- each, five of which dated July lat fortune to lose their youngest child re- 1915, and the remaining six dated October 23rd, 1915, with interest Mr. W. E. Posey has been laid up for thereon from their respective by payment from time to time. and leaving a balance of principal NOKESVILLE AND CEDAR RUN. due on said eleven notes of \$243.60 charge of the books of one of these | Miss Victoria Taylor is spending her tioned sum from Sept. 1st, 1916, toadles and discovered something that vacation with Miss Margaret Davis at until paid; all of said notes being In the morning he went straight to and Mrs. M. C. Hazen. the holder or beneficiary of said "My God, Tertoise," he yelled, "did spent the week end with his parents, trust, I will offer for sale at pub-And Davenrich put you in charge of the books? Then he came to his Saturday night was a big success, a National Bank, Manassas, Vir-

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CAUSE AND EFFECT.

Gushley of the woman next door.

"Does my daughter's piano playing

"Not in the least," replied her neigh-

annoy your husband?" asked Mrs

Moonlight bathing has become quite Palibearers were Messrs. Moses Mr. J. E. Brown was a Manassas vis-Mathers. Kenton Mathers and Archie Mr. Elton R. Herring has gone to Mathers nephews of the deceased. Fu-**FESTIVAL AT BUCKHALL.** afternoon by Dr. A. I. Fristoe, with

cinity will hold an ice cream social Sat- when she starts."—Selected. urday night for the benefit of the pro-Miss Effie Adams is spending a two-posed church improvements.

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sition with Bell's Bakery.

in Washington this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Athey were in daughter, Marguerite, who have been Washington Wednesday.

Mrs. L. A. Pine is spending the week with Mrs. Detwiler, at Clifton.

the guest of her sister, Mrs. John show will be given at the colored Bap- and Mrs. W. H. Havdon, of near Ma-

was the week end guest of his sister Mrs. Albert Speiden.

days to his family here.

visit with relatives here.

Miss Frances Russell, of Marshall, visiting her brother-in-law and sister, & jenkins department store, during the Mr. and Mrs. Clarence W. Wagener. Miss Beatrice Kibler and Mr. Frank-

Ma Kibler, of Marshall, were Manassas visitora Monday.

with relatives at Paris Va. The Bethlehem Good Housekeepers' Messrs, C. H. Wine, T. E. Haines,

Miss Christeen, are spending several weeks with relatives in Pennsylvania and New York.

man, of Washington, attended the dance lven in Eastern College-Conservatory Mrs. Read Hynson, of Philadelphia.

Mr. G. C. Lvon, Mr. and Mrs. G. Lyon and Miss Mildred McClintock, o Washington, were week end guests of

Miss Fannie Martin, of Charlotte, N C., is visiting her brother-in-law and mater. President and Mrs. R. H. Holliday, of Eastern College-Conservatory.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lyon.

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Lion left yesterday for Atlantic City trip to Basic City. They were accom-

Mrs. Clarence W. Wagener and little some time in that city.

association of the Manassas high school

tist church in Manassas at 8 o'clock this nassas. evening. A silver offering will be taken Mr. James Nelson, of Washington, up for the benefit of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Undrell Hibbs and their Mr. J. G. Lunsford, of Marion, S. C., daughter, of Fauquier county, motored to Manassas Sunday and spent the day returned Friday after a visit of several at the home of Mr. Hibbs' brother, series of revival meetings at King's Councilman Walter F. Hibbs. Raymond J. Davis, of the postoffice

store of J. L. Bushong, is enjoying a force, has been confined to the house this week on account of illness. He is Mrs. William Lewis has returned to improving and expects to be able to reher home in Rectortown after a short sume his duties in a day or two.

Mr. W. J. Adamson is assisting temporarity as a salesman at the Camper absence of Mr. lenkins, who is on a vacation trip to Madison county. Mr. A. S. Boatwright spent Sunday

in Minnieville and was accompanied to Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Weir, and daugh- Sinclair, who spent several days this ter. Miss Katherine, spent the week end week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W

dub held its annual picnic Tuesday on Eugene Davis and Roswell Round mo-Mr. Wine assisted in the initiation of a candidate in the third degree of Masonic

Mrs. H. A. Knevels, of Ben Lomond fann. last week visited her daughter Miss Mary Knevels, who is a patient in a hospital at Charlottesville. Miss

Mrs. Roberta Lynn, Misses Lillian

Company.

Manassas

church August 1, at 8 p. m. You are Messes. J. P. Leachman, H. W. Her- Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McCoy returned offering will be taken to cover Mr. ring, C. E. Nash and Hon. Thos. H. home Sunday after a pleasant motor Chan's expenses. Mns.Annie Haistip spent several days where they will remain for two weeks. panied home by their daughter, Miss Arthur E. French, colored, was

Madeline, who has been visiting for brought to Manassas Thursday of last week by Sergt, R. M. Weir. French. who has just been released from prison spending several months with Mrs. Mrs. J. Willis Meetze and little daugh- in Baltimore, is said to have forged the Wagener's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. I. ter, Rachael Sophia, who have been vis- name of a former local employer, Mr. Miss Dinah Davis has accepted a po- Russell, at Marshaff, returned home Sun- iting Mrs. Meetze's parents, Mr. and G. D. Baker, to two checks. Mrs. W. I. Adamson, on West street, The dance given at Eastern College-

for several weeks past, will leave Sat-There will be a meeting of the alumni urday for Marcus Hook, Pa., their frome. Conservatory Tuesday evening was Mrs. George Berry and Miss Margaret at the home of Miss Ruth Smith on Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dalton and two ed. Music was furnished by Coles or-Lynch were Washington visitors Mon- Grant avenue Tuesday evening of next children, of New Jersey, are visiting chestra from Washington, Guests from relatives in Prince William county. Mr. Warrenton, Havmarket, The Plains and Dalton was at one time a local plumber Washington helped to make the occa-Mrs. Douglas Janney, of Occoquan, A stereopticon and motion picture while Mrs. Dalton is a daughter of Mr. sion a success.

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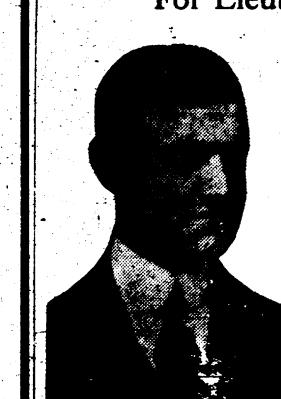
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ELLISTRATIONS BY

men gathered in a hotel in Berne and heard one of the quartet outline a plan

leaves for England with his daughter he decides to use the name Carl Peterson. CHAPTER I

and is Surprised, Captain Hugh Drummond. D.&A. M. C., late of His Majesty's Royal Loamshires, was whisting in his morning bath. Being by nature of a cheerful

prise his servant, late private of the famous regiment, who was laying After a while the whistling ceased. over. It was the signal for James

Denny—the square-iawed ex-batman con which that most excellent woman

had srilled to a turn. But on this par-

preoccupied, distrait. Once or twice he scratched his head and stared out of the window with a

tion. Excitement essential. Would be room. propered to consider permanent job M. guitably impressed by applicant for his marvices. Reply at once Box XiA" the put down the paper on a chair the Haymarket entrance to the Offiand stared first at her husband and ton. For a few moments after enter- she remarked after a while, "You're a managed to the name is sound enough, if it was then at the rows of letters neatly ar- ing the hetal he stood at the top of extended on the table.

leasth. "Fair fiving in the face of Pre- bles in the lounge below. vidence. Orime. Deany—crime. Don't | Slowly and thoroughly he continued you get 'aving nothing to do with such his search. It was early, of course, med pranks, my mea, or you and me yot, and she might not have arrived. will be having words." She shook as but he was taking no chances. admonitory finger at him, and retired | Suddenly his eyes coased wandering. slowly to the kitchen. A moment or two later Hugh Drum- far and of the lounge. Half hidden

tunate possessor of that cheerful type | commenced drummthir ear the table of ugliness which inspires immediate with her fingers.
The table statt to He paused as he got to the table and pied and Drummond made his way to

the room, carrying the kidneys, and

said. "Wherefore this worried look his advertisement to the paper.

sarily pulling books off shelves and found her eyes were fixed on him. putting them back again-'If so he .. This time shearly not look away. that he does," she continued grimin She seemed to think that it was her "him and me will have words—as I've turn to conduct the examination and told him aiready this morning." She Drummond fumbled in his waistcoat stalked from the room, after staring pocket. After a moment he found pointedly at the letters in Drummond's | what he wanted, and taking out a card hand, and the two men looked at one he propped it against the teapot so

sir, that's torn it," said Denny in a Box X10.

hoarse whisper. astray, does she, James?' He was opening the first envelope, and sud his eyes. "Just to set her mind at the compliment. So will you." tell her that, as far as I can see at

te exceptional cases." He propoed the letter up-against the foast-rack and commenced his breakfast. "Where is Pudlington. James? and one might almost askwas is Pudlington? No town has any right to such an offensive name." Ha gianced through the letter and shook genuine." Ma head. "Tunh! tush! And the wife of the bank manager too-the bank

manager of Pudlington, James! Can you conceive of anything so dreadful? But I'm afraid Mrs. Bank Manager is a pues a distinct puss, 'It's when they get on the soul-mate stunt that

Drummond tore up the letter and is piece the pieces into the basket be-

"Go through them, James, while I as-"The last thing I want is nor the said fervently. "The last thing I want is nor the said fervently. "The last thing I want is nor the last thing I want is nor th was broken. James Denny seemed three out for me. I see that you will have to become my secretary." "Do you want me to open them,

"You've hit it James hit it in one. Classify them for me in groups. Crimny?" The trate voice of his wife at inal; sporting; amatory—that means of or pertaining to love; stupid and the door made him look round guiltily. we or percanning to love; scupin and don't suppose you know Captain Drawn work, and guess work without much of "What about this other man?" he miscellaneous." He stirred his coffee thoughtfuily. "I feel that as a first yenture in our new career—open, I said, James—fore appeals to the treatethly." He two men bowed slightly, the tree up against. Firstly, Henry Lak
James—fore appeals to the treatethly.

Mr. Lakington smiled. "I do not the men who spoke to me. He

member ever having heard my harmwas I believe, one of the most brilliant. knaves. Let me feel that I can fly to scribed," he remarked suavely. "Are Orderd. There was nothing, in his

his hands. "I'm surprised at you, water. Sometimes I cannot help thing himself against the world and James," he remarked severely. "A section him how wonderful it must have retary should control itself. Don't been to be able to kill without fear of the engaging feliah," said Hugh.

robably crime.

him get his het and stick from the state of the here, and, clockroom. Then he looked at the meidlent I got into a room I'd nev-T'm up against it, X10. For a giri cloakroom. Then he locked at the street than I got mus a room is never than I can giri, and noticed that she had gone a locked in before. On a deak lay thew. I want help—badly. Will you tittle white.

"What's the matter, old thing?" he is the matter of the carried than up and looked at afternoon? I want to have a lock at asked quickly. "Are you facility is known something."

decision in it—the character. She'll "but I am not surprised."

At four e'clock exactly Hugh Drummend stepped out of his two-sealer at the stairs outside the dising room. "I calls it wicked," she announced at | while his even traveled round the th-

and remained fixed on a table at the

The table will to ber

glanced at the rows of letters. "Who ward is and sat down. marked. "Great Scot! I shall have to his mind that this was the girl whe | She was looking at him gravely as Drummond glanced at her with a but that was quite sufficient to make very charming—superially at the angle "And did you?" asked Drummond. Drummond nodded, and looked

that the girl could see what was on it.

In large black capitals he had written

"It's very nice of you to say so," he denly he looked up with a twinkle in murmured. All I may, I will return a. The instigator of the plot gives his rest," he remarked gravely, "you might foolishness, you know, What I said in present, I shall only undertake murder my letter is literally true, . I want won to tail me." and there was no trace your word of honor, whether that advertisement was bona ade er a fike."

He answered her in the same voin. "It started more or less as a loke. It may now be regarded as absolutely you prepared to risk your life?" then he smiled. "Granted that the

inducement is sufficient." he returned slowly. "I think I may say that I am." He saw that she was staring over

"and tell me your name quickly." "Drummond — Captain Drummond, his train of thought and he hurriedly Drummond with a slight smile. "Not peach.

at Drummond. "The trouble," she hear isn't it?" answered the girl lightly. It to tell. At present it is largely guess not quite know what to say. mond, do you? Mr. Lakington art a clue. However, to start with, I had

her succor, clad in my new grey, suiting."

Not very, I'm afraid," answered con to him, had he run straight. But
He finished the last piece of bacon

Drummond. "Just recently I have the didn't. He deliberately chose to the newspeer types didn't. He deliberately chose to chair and opened it.

Then's the femili of that," he constituted away his plate.

Denny was engrossed in a letter his had just opened. A perplexed look had just opened. A perplexed look was spreading over his face, and suddenly had enough money to denly he sucked his teeth loudly. It was a sure sign that James was excited, and Drummond gianced up quickly, and removed the letter from a bad heart kept me on this side of the last place of bacon been rather too busy to pay much at the big been rather too busy to pay much at the big been rather too busy to pay much at the big been rather too busy to pay much at the big been rather too busy to pay much at the big been rather too busy to pay much at the big been rather too busy to pay much at the big been rather too busy to pay much at the big been rather too busy to pay much at the brain to crime. Not vulgar, the been rather too busy to pay much at the big been rather too busy to pay much at the brain to crime. Not vulgar, the been rather too busy to pay much at the brain to crime. Not vulgar, the been rather too busy to pay much at the brain to crime. Not vulgar, the been rather too busy to pay much at the big brain to crime. Not vulgar, the been rather too busy to pay much at the brain to crime. Not vulgar, the been rather too busy to pay much at the big brain to crime. Not vulgar, the been rather too busy to pay much at the brain to crime. Not vulgar, the been rather too busy to pay much at the big brain to crime. Not vulgar, the been rather too busy to pay much at the big brain to crime. Not vulgar, the been rather too busy to pay much at the brain to crime. Not vulgar, the brain to crime. Not vulgar, the been rather too busy to pay much at the brain to crime. Not vulgar, the brain to crime. Not vulgar, the brain to crime. The beautiful the brain to crime. The brain to pay much at the brain to crime. The brain to pay much at the brain to

retary should control itself. Don't forget that the perfect secretary is an it; an automatic machine—a thing incapable of feeling.

He read the letter through rapidly, and then, turning back to the beginning, he read it slowly through again.

"My dear Box X10,—I don't know whether your advertisement was a joke: I suppose it must have been. But I read it this morning, and it's just possible, X10, just possible, you mean it. And if you do, you're the man I want. I can offer you excitement and probably crime.

"Isomorphic itself. Don't in its in the same stick from the consequences. There is art in killing. Captain Drummond—profound art."

He looked at his watch and sighed. The stable way. Are you returning home this evening?"

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you and see if I think you are gameine. Wear a white flower in your besttonhole."

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pulled out his cigarette case. "Tomorrow, James," he murmured. "That
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The pulled of it, my friend—rather sooner is and, to my horror, I maked at length,
"I can tell you very little about him,"
The can tell you very little about him, "I can tell you very little about him,"
The can tell you

would welcome Elversien.

Wester West "Only the second," murmaned Hugh, I have back on the table.

"Then hadn't I better start my career in the want con, 'of "Peterson!" murmured Drummond.

with the first?" She looked at him in silence. "I think they would deceive name."

remarked, "that up to now our conver theme here. Miss Penton, he said, the garden and yawns. She's no setion has hardly proceeded along there are a lot more copies." more hing ish than that waiter." conventional lines. I am a complete only looked inside for a moment. A faint smile flictered over -1 stranger to you; another man who is the I have never seen or thought of companion's face; he had formed a complete stranger to me speaks to such a sight. Resultfully arranged on fairly vivid mental picture of Irma. you while we're at tea. You inform thack very shelves were ropes of Then he grew serious again. moment or two later Hugh Drummond came in. Slightly under six feet

method a plant a girl was seated alone,
him in the near future. The state a whole heap of loose, uncut stones,
think there a mischief, ahead?"

The girl shrugged her shoulders.

The girl shrugged her should her The girl threw back her head and compose the one for which Sam- "What the novellats call femiliane inimphed merrily. "You poor young man," she cried; "put that way it domestic offering a reward. Then he shut "That—and my father." She said the sound alarming." Then she grew as door and locked it, and again last words very low. "He hardly ever

rious masin. There's plenty of time sible. He could only see the profile, big; and the face they were set in was your father first."



Prebably Have to Kill."

pulled simself together.

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hike of Melbourne's lost minia- "It become make a sound old English

Levy, the den mone sender, was + entries. I suppose, the tanwered,

derful copies. And should you ever be hour, hour after hour. Oh! It makes had written him, and, having given she spoke, and it seemed to her com- tempted to think otherwise ask your me mad. . Don't you understand? With disapproval showing in every an order to the waiter, he started to panion that there was an appeal in father, Miss Benton. Be warned by I've got to get him away from those ine of her face, Mrs. Denny entered study her face as unobtrusively as post the hig bine eyes. And they were very me: don't do anything feelish. Ask devils, before he breaks down com

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him bless the moment when more as a if was tilted at, in the half-light of the She shuddered. "That very ever away. While she had been speaking "Good morning. Mrs. Denny," he jest than anything else he had sent room. Altogether Drummond reflect- ning," she answered. "And daddy flew he had made up his mind what course ed. a most adorable girl. And ador- into a frightful passion, and cold me to take, and now, having outset everyon your face? Has that reprobate Her eyes, he could see, were yers able girls had always been a hobby of power to dark to medicie in things that body eine he decided that it was time James been misbehaving himself?" | blue; and great masses of golden his. Probably Lakington possessed a didn't concern me ugain. Then grad- for the interview to cease. Already The worthy woman shorted. "He brown hair colled over her ears, from letter of hers or something, and she usily, as time went on, I realized that an early diner was having a cocktail,

> "You mentioned murder, too," he re- My address is 60A Half Moon streets She nodded. "I've got no proof," thing happens, if ever you want meshe said. "less even than over the at any hour of the day or night-ring burglaries. But there was a man me up or write. If I'm not in, leave a called George Dringer, and one eve- message with my servant Denny. He us, I heard him discussing this man thing is your own address."

> with daddy. "'He's got to go,' said Lakington. swered the girl, as they moved toward 'He's dangerous ! "And then my father got up and glorious relief of feeling one's go closed the door; but I heard them are some one to turn to . . . " She guing for half an hour. Three weeks looked at him with shining eyes, and later a coroner's jury found that Drummond felt his prize quicken such George Dringer had committed suicide denig. while temporarily insane. The same "May I drop you anywhere?" be evening daddy, for the first time in his asked, as they stood on the nevement. Hife, went to bed the worse for drink." but she shook her head.

stared at the orchestra with troubled She gave the man an address, and eyes. Things seemed to be rather stepped in while Hugh stood bare deeper than he had anticipated. headed by the door. He was an Italian Giuseppe, by stay you see? Lakington, which took place at low during the war." "The last thing I want is for the Lakington murdered him. I know it. ing after it, and then he walked across

stely. Against his saner judgment he Somehow deep down in his mind, he The trouble," she began after a mo- was beginning to be profoundly im- wondered whether it was a joke-"The world is full of such surprised ment, "is that there is not very much pressed, and, at the moment, he did



I believe that we have impinged upon the goods." He rose and stood leshing out of the window thoughtfully.

"You think the genuine, sir? said James.

His master blew out a cloud of smelter. "First and foremost the brute wants meets. "I know it is," he answered dreamily. "Look at that writing; the decision in it—the character. She'll."

I believe that we have impinged upon the grow interested. That is one of the man interested. That is one of the man interested. That is one of the man interested. The ones I was helding fecked slightly with white. His forehead is bread, and his eyes are a sort of cold grey-blue. But it's his with think is his particular worry?"

What is his particular worry?"

"First and foremost the brute wants is cigarette to marry me," replied the girl.

"I looke being efvicue," said more and white and utterly ruthless." She turned to him appealingly. "Oh! don't think Tm talking wildly," life important think Tm talking wildly," life important think Tm talking wildly," life important of the character. She'll is not surprised."

The College Graduate think Tm talking wildly," life important of the man his surprised."

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The girl laughed scornfully, "Oh! publishly even wondering whether Programmed and there."

Drammond sicked the sea from his regardly searches stare that seemed to cigarette, then he turned to her discharge my brain. Then he went over passionately. "You must admit," he is one of the safes and unlocked it. girl briefly. "She lies on a cofa in the garden and yawns. She's no

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mous Value of Resources. (Manufacturer's Record.)

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Drummond waited for her to com- mentleman not to find them together." pose herself before he spoke again. "I think," he said, "we'd hetter go. my telephone 1234 Mayfair. If any

ning, when Lakington was dining with in absolutely peliable. . The only other "The Larches, near Godalming," an the door. "Oh! if you only knew the

The girl fell silent, and Drummond , "No thank you. I'll so in that taxi."

"Then there was another case." She "-"Don't forget" he said eathestly was speaking again. "Do you remem- "Any time of the day or night. And ber that man who was found dead in while I think of it-we're old friends a railway carriage at Oxhey station. Can that be done? In case I come an name; and the fury brought in a ver- She thought for a moment and then dict of death from natural causes. A nodded her head. "All right," she anmonthy before; he had all interview with swered ... We've met a lift the Lordon

house: because the Italian being & With a grinding of gear wheels the stranger, came to the wrong place, and taxi drove off, leaving Hugh with Will Lakington happened to be with us at vivid picture imprinted on his mind the time. The interview intahed with of blue eyes, and white teeth, and a

prise. I had no idea that you were is "Then you'll help me?"

London."

That's what I'm here for." With a smile Drummond lit another cigarette.

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Drummond did not answer immeditie whole thing an elaborate hoax? teries which up to date he had regarded as existing only in the realms of

about to lay them down on the tablethat an envelope caught his eye, addressed to him in an unknown hand writing. Mechanically he nicked it un and opened it. Inside was a single half-sheet of notenaner, on which a few lines had been written in a small.

"There are more things in heaven and earth, young man, than a capability for eating steak and onions, and & desire for adventure. I imagine that you possess both; and they are seets by the poet. In heaven, however, one never knows especially with regard the onions. Be careful." Drammond stood motionless for moment, with narrowed eres. Then he leaned forward and pressed the

"Who brought this note, James?" he said quietly, as his servant came into A small boy, str. Baid I was to be sure and see you got it most partice lar." He unlocked a cupboard near the window and produced a tantalus. "Whisky, sir. or cocktail?" "Whisky, I think, James." Hug carefully folded the sheet of paper and

er's mind as to why, in the past, he had carned the rame of "Bull-Dog"

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which is more than is found in all Eu- Martin Delaney, jr., of Alexandria, is rope and six times as much as Great visiting his aunt, Mrs. E. A. Smith. Mrs. Eliza Posey spent Sunday after-It is almost needless to mention that noon with her sister, Mrs. Susie Duvall, the South produces practically all of Mr. Leroy Kutp, of Spring City, Pa., the cotton grown in the United States spent the week end with relatives here. and controls the cotton trade of the He was accompanied home by his wife world. The value of its cotton crop, and son, who have been spending the including seed, is approximately \$2,- past two weeks with her aunt, Mrs. 200,000,000 a year, and more as prices E. A. Smith.

One-half of the lumber produced in Jersey, are visiting the former's brother, the United States comes from the South Mr. Louis Milstead, and other relatives. and this section supplies practically all Miss Lena Strobert, of Washington, of the country's naval stores. The spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. South has water-power sufficient to de- 1. F. Milstead. velop about 9,000,000 horse-power. Miss Eva Kidwell, of Agnewville,

Last year the property subject to gen-spent Tuesday of last week with Miss eral taxation in the South was assessed Maxine Reid. at \$17.687,000,000, which is \$500,000, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Posey and fam-000 more than the entire assessed valnation of all property in the United where they will visit relatives for a few States in 1880. Its increase since the days. last figures given in 1912 equals the Mrs. Ada Maxield spent Saturday gain made in the rest of the country with her daughter. Mrs. Ruby Mills. outside of the South.

Mrs. I. Frank Milstead and son and From its vast mineral resources the daughters, Percy and Lydia, and Miss South in 1918 produced metallic and Viola Williams, called on Miss Eva Kidnon-metallic minerals to the value of well, of Agnewville, Wednesday eve-\$1.354.000.000, which is over 25 per ning of last week. cent of the total value of all minerals produced in the whole country. The McADOO ON PARK COMMITTEE

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Park, according to Clarence J. Owens, chairman of the finance board, and will undertake to secure subscriptions to the About 99 per cent of the country's extent of \$1,000 to promote the success of this patriolic enterprise. Chanrman Owens is directing the

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tween Spain

claim was based of De Soto un the Mississippi river. France, through the ex plorations of La Salle from the north and the early entry of French priests from Canada. considered this territory theirs. As for England, she rested her claims on the discovery of North America by the Cabots, and in the charter granted to Virginia included all the country lying to the West. The French were the first to get a foothold in Ohio, but the

English pioneers, who shortly began to drift westward, firmly established their, settlements in the fertile Ohio valley. After a long period of warfare. in which the Indians played a leading part, the Northwest Territory was finally ceded to the United States by the Treaty of Independence in 1783. And Virginia and other states, which had laid claim to portions o this region turned over their rights to the federal govern-

The government of the Northwest Territory was formally created by the cordinance o 1787. People from the East migrated into this territory in such numbers that by 1808 Ohio was taken into the Union as the seventeenth state. The fourth largest state in size of populaties. Ohio has 24 electoral votes for President, while in area. with its 41,040 square miles, if ranks only thirty-fifth, which shows how densely it is populated. It is noted as the state ing makes the seventh Ohloan to fill the presidential office. The name Ohio is derived from

the Iroquois word O-hee-ya. meaning "beautiful river." It was first applied by the Indians of the Five Nations to what we now call the Allegheny river, one of the chief tributaries of the Ohio. Gradually the name came to include the whole plied to the Mississippi, Later appropriately the first state was named after it. Ohio is often called the Buckeye State from its large number of horse chestnut trees.

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the beginning
of the Sixteenth contury, whom de Pineda and De Soto sailed un the Mississippi. In 1682 La

Salle descended the Mississippi and took possession of the entire valley in the name of the French king, Louis XIV. In his Louisiana, French colonies acce sprang up, including New Or-leans, which was founded in

An interesting chapter of Louisiana was the formation of the Company of the West by a financial schemer named John Law. This company cotonsibly was to exploit the new colony and held dut to speculators an alluring get-rich-quick scheme. In 1768 France ceded Louisiana east of the Mississippi to Bogland and by secret treaty, New Orleans and the western territory west to Spain. Spanish rule proved uneudurable to the lababitants and the restrictions over the navigation of the Missterippi led to hostilities besettlements and Spain. This situation, however, was brought Spain relinquishing her rights to this territory to France and the purchase in 1808 by the United States from France of the antire Louisiana territory The southern portion of this acquisition was organized as the territory of Orienne and in 1812 was admitted as the eighteenth state of the Union, with an area of 48,506 square raffes. As the Littlefens cost-of-arms has a policed in the contex. the state

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