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They Were but Trifles, but They Helped to Unravel a Murder Mystery.

Chicago had a chief of detectives 15 or 16 years ago who compared in many respects with the best European talent. He did some work which for neatness and adroit application was equal to anything that Gaborian invented. I have in mind now a murder case in which he figured. Some unknown person had shot a farmer living a few miles out of Chicago through the heart. The murder happened in the dead of night and the victim was decoyed out of the house to meet his death.

A dull witted farmhand had been discharged by the dead man, and was then working in Chicago. This fellow was promptly placed under arrest. A pawn ticket for a revolver was found in his pocket. It was a cheap weapon, and very little significance was attached to the fact that the man should have owned it and pawned it at that particular time. He gave a reasonable account of his movements on the night of the crime, and the murdered man's wife was firm in her protestations that she had not seen him for weeks.

During the inquest, however, the detectives observed that the bullet which came out of the dead man's heart was marked in a peculiar way. It had scratches on one side, as though there were defects in the pistol from which it was fired. Examination of the revolver found in the pawnshop showed two spots of rust in the chamber near the muzzle. The detectives fired the weapon three times into a barrel of water, and the balls were marked exactly like the bullet that killed the farmer. A number of other pistols of the same make and caliber were obtained and subjected to the same test, but none of the other bullets was marked in the same manner as those from the farmhand's pistol. It appeared, therefore, that the latter weapon had been used in killing the man, but, while the detective skill that discovered this damaging fact was loudly extolled, shrewd lawyers got hold of the case for the defense and succeeded in getting the man acquitted.—Chicago Chronicle.

TREASON FOR DRINK.

How a Frenchman and a German Forswore Their Native Land.

William Berg, the great German traveler, is an enthusiastic admirer of Emperor William, whom he closely resembles, says the San Francisco News Letter. Mr. Berg, nevertheless, is on terms of intimacy with Mr. John Bergez, who was born within a stone's throw of the Column Vendome. One day both these gentlemen were fishing in the lagoon in Marin county. Mr. Bergez had toiled long and successfully and was sorely athirst. He had forgotten his flask, a lapse of memory of which the Gallic angler is rarely guilty.

"Berg, give me a drink," shouted Mr. Bergez across the lake. Mr. Berg obligingly strolled round the lake, and approached Mr. Bergez, flask in hand.

"Thanks," said the Frenchman.

"Hold," said the German traveler, retaining the flask in his muscular grasp. "One moment, please. Which is the greatest country in Europe?"

Mr. Berg looked appealingly at the stern Teuton. He saw there was no relenting. He must forswear la belle France or go dry.

"Germany," he gasped.

"Drink to the emperor," enjoined Mr. Berg solemnly, and the toast was pledged.

A few nights after Mr. Berg was dining with Mr. Bergez. The latter was caressing a dust covered bottle of superb burgundy. The traveler gazed at it affectionately, and extended his glass with a gleam of anticipation in his eyes.

"One moment, please," said Mr. Bergez coldly. "Which is the greatest country in Europe, Mr. Berg?"

There was a moment's painful pause, during which the Gaul passed the bottle under the traveler's nose.

"France," muttered Mr. Berg, unable to resist the bouquet of the vintage. And so the tricolor was avenged.

Train Noises.

A method of preventing the noise made by trains when passing over iron bridges has been devised by a German engineer named Boedecker, locality not stated. He puts a decking of 1¼ inch planks between the cross girders, resting on three inch timbers laid on the bottom flanges, while on the planks a double layer of felt is placed, fixed to the vertical web of the cross girder. At the connections with the girder a timber cover joint is put on felt, and two hooked bolts connect the whole firmly to the bottom flange. Four inches of slag gravel cover the decking, which is inclined toward the center of the bridge for drainage purposes, and a layer of felt is laid between the planks and the timbers upon which they rest, and the ironwork in contact with decking and ballast is asphalted. The decking weighs 600 pounds per yard for a bridge 11 feet wide and costs 23 cents a square foot.

Fleshmaking Food.

Cream gruel, according to an eminent English authority, is the ideal nourishment for thin folk. A teacupful taken at night immediately before retiring is said to give marvelous results. To be at its best it must be perfectly made, then thinned with sweet cream. Taken in that condition and warm it is agreeable as well as fattening, and produces just that sense of satisfied hunger essential to ideal rest. It is claimed that perseverance in the treatment yields such apparent results that the cheeks can be seen to expand from day to day.

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Mr. Binn—Well, I wish he would turn his attention to some device that would compel him to burn his own fuel. He coal bin adjoins ours.—Yonkers Statesman.

The Sudan Ruler.

The present ruler of the Sudan was sometimes spoken of as the Mahdi. Mohammed Ahmed, the Mahdi, died in June, 1885, a victim of his dissolute mode of life. He nominated as the Khalifat el Mahdi (or Mahdi's successor) the Caliph Abdullah, the horrors of whose rule have been so vividly portrayed by Slatin Pasha. The caliph is a Baggara of dark chocolate colored complexion, with a long and prominent nose. He wears a short beard, cut according to the Moslem custom. Owing to his sensuous mode of life he is now extremely stout. He is unable to read. His palace at Obdurman is crowded with slaves, eunuchs and young boys, who wait upon him, and his wives number some hundreds.—New York Times.

The Malay Apple.

The ohia, or Malay apple, is a common timber tree of the Hawaiian Islands, though not peculiar to that locality. On the island of Maui is a mammoth orchard of wild ohias, extending from the sea to the mountains and measuring 20 miles in length by from 5 to 10 miles in width. The trees are from 40 to 50 feet in height, some of the largest yielding nearly 50 pounds of fruit, the total crop being said to be sufficient to fill a fleet of 100 steamers. The beautiful crimson or white apples, however, are unfit for transportation, as they last but a short time in a good condition.—Popular Science Monthly.

Men are so constituted that everybody undertakes what he sees another successful in, whether he has aptitude for it or not.—Goethe.

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"When the bluefish—there may be 3,000 or 4,000 of them together—sight a school of menhaden, they go for it like a brigade of heavy cavalry, cutting and slashing, snapping and biting, right and left. The menhaden are simply overborne by superior weight, and there is nothing for them to do but flee. If they are driven toward the shore, the land is to them what the precipice would be to the man. They must take it or they must turn and try to fight their way through. Many do turn and try to swim under or over or around the savage bluefish, and some escape in this way, and some are snapped up, and some are maimed and then cast ashore, and many of them, crowding together, are so closely pressed that they are practically forced ashore.

"Sometimes fish that are not cast up very far flop down into the water again. A high wave may set some free. A fish thus liberated may find its fins so damaged that it can't swim, and it is cast up again. Weakened by its rough experience, it may fall a prey to some of the bluefish yet lingering off shore. It may escape."—New York Sun.

Glass Coffins.

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A Lesson In Punctuation.

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