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His face always wore the same expression—the look of the stoker who comes to the deck for a breath of fresh air. His business was, once every second, to give a certain machine a twist in order that a piece of wire might bend into a circle. He had done this sort of thing so long that two fingers had acquired a peculiar hardened curvature. One shoulder was lower than the other. He knew no other business.

It seems that the man had had an unusual boyhood. While others were at their sport, his hours were spent in passionate reverie. The literature of romantic chivalry, the story of followers of the Cross, the fine heroism of soul-starving deeds for others claimed him and made him tremulous with aspiration. He knew of nothing larger, more captivating for him than a life eked out in some remote field of self-sacrifice for the redemption of the human race. And to this he pledged himself. But then his father died. Ruin was the specter at the funeral feast. An unnamed Nemesis pursued him, try as he might to keep faith with himself and the call of mortal hunger. Self-sacrifice.

Yes, the screw-eye is a very useful article.—Boston Transcript.

FOOD FOR ALL THE WORLD

No Fear of Starvation While the Banana Grows With Its Present Wonderful Prodigality.

Concerning the value of banana flour there is no possible question. Henry M. Stanley, while he was in Darkest Africa, tested that matter thoroughly. For something like two years it was one of the staple foods on which he lived, and his testimony regarding it is both clear and convincing, though the flour he had was made in the most primitive fashion, by the natives among whom he was living, and was not comparable, save in the single particular of cost, with the flour that has been produced and is being produced today in New York city.

The world's available supply of bananas is practically inexhaustible. Growing wild as the banana does with all the excessive prodigality of tropical vegetation, in localities far outside the ken of civilization, there is no way of estimating the possible extent of the annual crop, but it may be said that enough bananas to feed the world grow somewhere each year.

Moreover, modern science has discovered the methods by which this banana flour can be made of the partially ripe fruit in such fashion that it will keep almost indefinitely almost anywhere.

Mending a Sagging Door.

It ruffled the tidy nature of the handy man to have to pull and jerk at his door to open it, and then to have to coax and push to shut it. A door should fit in its frame, like a stopper in a bottle, he thought. A cursory examination disclosed that it struck at the bottom. Of course, if the swelling had been at the top, it would have been so easy just to plane off the surplus. But, at the bottom! He tried tightening the screws in the upper hinge, which were quite loose, but found the wood so soft that even longer screws would not hold. There seemed to be nothing to do but remove the upper hinge, dig out the soft wood and insert in its place a piece of new wood, which held the hinge screws firmly and prevented the door from sagging.

Maxims for Marksmen.

It is strange that the novice will almost invariably try to hit the bull's eye of a swinging target when it is at the center or in the lowest position. This is decidedly the incorrect method. The expert knows that the time to shoot is at the end of the swing. In fact, anyone will arrive ultimately at the same conclusion, for a little thought will convince him that a target is the more easily hit when at a standstill, or at the end of a vibration.

The moving target as a rule has the largest bull's eye, and is often one of the easiest to strike, if you happen to know how.

Simply aim at the point where the center of the target stops and wait till it returns. Then, bing!

Raven Not Extinct in England.

The assertion, made in some London papers, that the raven is practically extinct in England, has been denied by a dweller on Exmoor. The raven, according to this bird watcher, is by no means rare in Somerset, where he is often seen and heard. The story of his having a dummy nest to mislead marauders is due to a misunderstanding of the bird's habit of sometimes building a new nest instead of repairing the old one. Ravens have a place in many old legends in Europe, and cannot be spared any more than can the stork of Alsace and Lorraine.

Quite Unprepared.

Conlin (visiting sick friend, solemnly)—Don't think I'm lookin' f'r th' worst t' happen, Dinny, but it's f'r yer own good I'm asking it—are ye prepared?

Slavin (very deliberately)—'Tis sorry I am t' say I'm not, Terence, but av ye'll be good enough t' call ag'in tomorrah I'll guar-rantee t' have a brick handy, ye domb crape hanger!—Buffalo Express.

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MILLINGTON

Messrs. William and Edward Vansant and Eugene Porter have gone to Wilmington, where they have secured fine positions.

A slight fire occurred in one of the big show windows of Mr. H. H. Benneman's store on Wednesday evening while he was lighting one of his gasoline lamps.

Sunday school will be held at Trinity M. E. Church, South, tomorrow Jan. 12, at 2 p. m., subject, "Moses Called to be a leader of Israel"; 3 p. m., preaching by the pastor, Rev. E. G. Coe. The Sunday School took up a collection last Sunday afternoon for the Armenian and Syrian Relief Fund, amounting to $55.50. The Sunday evening services also the prayer meeting on Wednesday evenings have been discontinued while the revivals are being held at Asbury M. E. Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stevens, of near town, and Mr. Edgar T. Stevens attended the funeral of their brother-in-law, Mr. W. Loag Thompson, at Hillsboro, Md.

At its regular meeting on Wednesday night, Millington Council No. 80, Daughters of America, was served with a bountiful spread of refreshments at the close of the business session, by Sister Anna Burris. Those members who were not present surely missed an enjoyable treat. Who will be the next sister to surprise us so pleasantly and completely as did Sister Burris?

Mr. John S. Newnam moved last week into his home on South Sassafras St., vacated by Mr. W. I. Jarvis and Mr. Walter Myers moved from near Blackiston's, Del., to his farm vacated by Mr. Newnam; Mr. George Everett moved last Saturday into his house on Railroad avenue, vacated by Mr. J. Glenn Anthony and Mr. Benjamin Stevens moved from a farm near Sudlersville, formerly owned by Mr. Walter Stevens, to the farm vacated by Mr. Everett; Mr. George W. Everett moved to the farm vacated by Mr. Chester Bamberger, who now lives near Clayton, Del.

Mrs. C. M. Hurtt visited her sister, Mrs. Kate R. Tonkin, of Wilmington, last week.

Miss Clara Innis and Miss Helen Booth, of Chester, Pa., spent the week end with Mrs. John W. Higman.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of Asbury M. E. Church was held on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. P. Ahern.

Millington High School, which was closed on December 13 on account of the influenza, was re-opened Thursday, January 2.

Mrs. Annie S. Price returned home last Monday, after spending two weeks with relatives near Wilmington.

Services at Asbury M. E. Church tomorrow, January 12, will be as follows: 10.30 a. m., preaching by the pastor, Rev. D. J. Moore; 2 p. m., S. S., subject, "Moses called to be a leader of Israel"; 7.30 p. m., song service followed by revival services, which will be continued every night during the week. The public is invited to attend all these services.

BETTERTON ITEMS

The Ladies Aid Society held its regular business meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles Trott on Friday afternoon with a good attendance. The entire corps of officers were unanimously re-elected for 1919.

The business and social meeting of the Epworth League was held on Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brice. After the business session a most enjoyable social hour, in charge of the fourth vice-president, followed. Plans were made for "a good time social," to be given on Jan. 22.

The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the P. E. Church was held on Friday afternoon at Mrs. James Sutton's.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Glenn (nee Myers) are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a baby boy, Louis Earle, on Christmas day.

Mrs. Edwin Myers spent a few days the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn.

Mrs. John Brice has returned from a visit to friends in Baltimore.

Mr. Beauregard Lewis is spending some time at his home in Betterton.

Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell, whose wedding was announced this week, came to their home in Betterton Friday evening.

STILL POND

Miss Anna Bowers spent last week end with her friend, Mrs. Elwin Ford, near Millington.

Dr. J. H. Kelley has returned home from Baltimore, where he has been having his eyes treated.

Mrs. John Jarvis is spending some time in Chester, Pa.

Lieut. Willis, of Edgwood, visited Miss Gladys Hackett at her home here last week.

Mrs. William Holten Parr, of Pittsburg, is visiting Miss Lucille Parr.

Mrs. Fred Ford and daughter, Velma, have returned to their home in New York after spending the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Emma Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Moore entertained a number of young people at their home last Thursday evening.

Mr. Charles Jewell, who works for the International Harvesting Co., is spending some time at his home here.

GALENA ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. James Hicks and little daughter, of Massey, spent the week end with parents in town.

Mrs. Victor Stradley and daughter, Estella, is attending the convention at Denton.

Messrs. S. G. Caldwell, Samuel Wiltbank, James, Olin and Earle Davis attended a government sale at Camp Meade Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bolton spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Philadelphia.

The revival meetings are now going on at the M. E. Church. Come out and help.

Mrs. Linda Walls and son, John, spent Christmas week at Milford, Del.

The Galena school is going to have a parcel post sale and bake in the town hall Saturday, January 11, at 6 p. m. Everybody come out and buy something for your Sunday dinner.

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The more civilized a society is the wider is the range of each woman's influence over men, and of each man's influence over women. Intelligent and cultivated people of either sex will not limit themselves to communing with their own households. Men and women equally, when they have the range of interests that real cultivation gives, need the stimulus of different points of view, the refreshment of new ideas as well as of new faces.

No one who has seen French women can doubt that their great influence on French life, French thought, French imagination and French sensibility is one of the strongest elements in the attitude France holds before the world today.—Ladies' Home Journal.

NO OBSTACLE DAUNTS RATS

Rodents in Norway, When Setting Out to Exile, Have Never Been Known to Turn Aside.

The rats of Norway employ a remarkable method to avoid a famine. When starvation threatens, those that are chosen for exile assemble in countless thousands in the mountain valleys leading to the plains and pour across the country in a straight line, which is often more than a mile in length. They devour every green thing in their path, and the country through which they pass looks as if it had been plowed or burned with fire.

They march principally by night and during the morning, resting in the afternoon. No matter how abundant the food may be in any particular locality they do not seek to settle in it, for their destination is the sea, and nothing animate or inanimate, if it can be surmounted, retards the advance.

Foxes, lynxes, weasels, kites and owls hover on the rodents' line of march and destroy them by the hundreds. The fish in the rivers and lakes take their toll of them, too, but the survivors press onward.

Little New in Warfare.

The use of asphyxiating gas is a very ancient device. Smoking out the enemy was one of the regular maneuvers of war in antiquity, says the Scientific Monthly. Polybius relates that at the siege of Ambracia by the Romans under Marius Fulvius Nobilior (B. C. 189) the Aetolians filled jars with feathers, which they set on fire, blowing the smoke with bellows into the faces of the Romans in the countermines. At the great naval battle fought in the waters of Ponza between Alfonso of Aragon and Genoa in 1435 the Genoese carried vessels filled with quicklime and redhot cinders, the smoke from which was blown by the wind against the enemy. Leonardo da Vinci, who among his many other accomplishments was a notable military engineer, suggested the use of poisonous powders, such as yellow arsenic and verdigris, to be thrown from the topmasts of ships so as to choke the enemy. This formed a part of the war instructions given by Leonardo to the republic of Venice in 1499, when the Turks had passed the Isonzo and threatened St. Mark's.

To Renew Land's Fertility.

In the San Luis valley of Colorado there is an area from 400,000 to 500,000 acres which has almost completely been deprived of fertility in a seemingly mysterious manner. This condition has been investigated by Dr. W. P. Headden of the Colorado agricultural experiment station, and he attributes this condition to the so-called "black alkali," composed largely of sodium carbonate. This carbonate is carried in the waters of the valley, including the rivers and the artesian wells, and the practice of subirrigation has brought it to the surface by capillarity and evaporation. Doctor Headden suggests that the remedy lies in a conversion of the carbonates into sulphates by the use of a liberal amount of gypsum to one pound of black alkali—and downward washing by means of surface irrigation with furrows or by flooding.

Hand Shaking.

The practice of clasping or joining right hands as a pledge of sincerity or as a seal of a promise is of very early origin. The apostle Paul, in his epistle to the Galatians, says: "And when James, Cephas and John, who seemed to be pillars, perceived the grace that was given unto me, they gave to me and to Barnabas the right hands of fellowship; that we should go unto the heathen." In this case, evidently, a friendly agreement was sealed by giving the right hands of fellowship. From this the custom of giving the right hand of fellowship upon suitable occasions spread throughout Christendom and joining right hands became a part of the Christian marriage ceremony. The custom of hand shaking certainly existed before Shakespeare's day, for he refers to it many times as a kind of pledge or social greeting. It is not confined to English-speaking nations.

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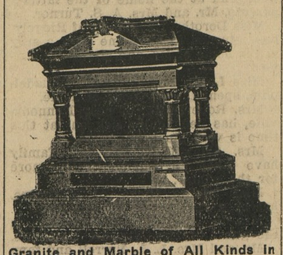

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W. FINLEY COLLINS

late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 21st day of June, 1919, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

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