THE NEW

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CHAPTER XIII.

A Sharpster's Trick. CAVY hearted, all his enthusiasm gone, Abner climbed the stairs to the office. He found Howard and Miss Lizzie both pers. They looked up as he entered.

"Disappointment for you, Uncle Ab." Reymond got on to our big item and has telegraphed it at some length. It ones to handle it."

take," Miss Swayne spoke up. "We stand for Tarp's Dry Goods and General ought not to have let Frank know we Merchandise Emporium, 85 Main Street. had a piece of news. Of course he Darley.' It looks as if any sensible perwent right out to see if anything was

"It don't matter-it don't matter a dang bit!" Abner growled, He picked up the New Clarion and with a look of

"Jackass, jackass!" he said to himain't no sech a man as Thomas L. that he has just got in a full line of boys' Keith over thar; that's made up out o' whole cloth like the balance. Le'me mer of cash reduction and"see; whar is them dang letters so much is made of? Here they are:

"T. D. G. A. G. M. E. 85, M. S. D." Abner went over them slowly, one by one. Suddenly he looked up from the paper, stared steadily at Howard and

"Do you happen to remember what number on Main street Tarp's store is

"Eighty-five," Howard answered. "It's been printed often enough."

With a grim face and steady stride Abner went to a window and looked

"Tarp's Dry Goods and General Merchandise Emporium, 85 Main Street, Darley!" he muttered. "That's the article he wanted to run in at 3 cents a line, an' I beld out fer 10. Tarpy, old but ef I had it on an' you appeared before me I'd take it off an' sweep the ground with it. You don't look so awfully bright, but appearances are deceitful. Thank God we ain't alone in the mess. Them big dailies bit as quick as we did of they didn't spread

page. "May I come in, gentlemen?" A flushed face appeared at the door, and, the news, and if I hadn't landed that shark they would have thought I was sound alseep. As you see, I exaggerated some. You know I stated that all the places of business here in town

were shut up." "And that the mob broke into the hardware store to get picks and shovels to take to the scene of action," Howard added. "You covered less space than we did, Frank, but you lied

more." "Next time you'll divide with a fellow, I reckon?" Reymond said teas- the end of it."

"Ef we ever git hold of a thing like this we'll donate it to you free of charge, Frank," Abner put in sarcastically. "News like that ain't fit for a rural paper."

Miss Swayne was at a window now, looking down below. "I see Tarp's



porter scattering blue and pink dodgers in the street. There are two boys doing the same thing farther down. They are running fast and yelling out nature of which Howard hardly un By medicine chest. dodgers. Do you suppose he got Jim

out of the window and shouted, "Hey, thar, boy, fetch one o' them up here!" He met the panting youth at the head of the stairs, as also did Miss Lizzie, who took a circular and brought it back to her table.

"Yes. Jim Hill printed it," she said. "Bad, bad work. Good gracious, folks! Taik about quick action! Tarp is already turnin' our article into an ad.

"Great excitement over at Elktown. Since the first settlement of Georgia no greater sensation has been sprung on the state than the vast interest over the report of a certain burled treasure of gold. Our enterprising paper, the New Clarion (new in more ways than one in this ripe age of gullibility), gave the main part of its present issue to the tale, and the big dailies all over the United States took it up with a whoop and a yell. And what was it all about? Why, a boy over near Elktown discovered on a rock some mysterious letters. They were:

T. D. G. A. G. M. E. 85 M. S. D. And when he reported it at home the entire community went wild. They at once dreamed out a cock and bull yarn about an Indian finding a treasure of gold and leaving some letters on a rock as a guide to the spot. The Indian princess who was reading two of the Atlanta morning pa- to inherit all the loot wasn't mentioned. Neither was the young chief who was a sultor for her hand and threw himself over a cliff when the clew was lost. But lo and Howard said. "In some way Frank behold! It now transpires that the letters were painted by a sign writer the enterprising J. L. Tarp employed to go about decorating barns, fences and even is a pity that we couldn't be the only | the face of nature itself with the rare opportunities this great merchant is holding "I think I see where we made a mis- T. D. G. A. G. M. E. 85 M. S. D. simply son aware of Tarp's enterprise would have recognized the true meaning of the letters, but it seems as if our wisest and most conservative citizens made the lamentable error herewith recorded. However, while there is some little disappointment over the outcome, the majority are high disgust began to scan the Elk- realizing that while a buried treasure is out of the question, yet a mine of pure gold is found in the rare bargains Tarp is offering to one and all. He begs respect self and of himself. "Of course thar ful leave to mention in this connection and men's suits which are being fairly beaten to powder under the sledge ham-

> "Punk!" Miss Lizzie broke off in disgust. "The idea of Tarp trying to tie his little old business on to a piece of news like- But, say!" she frowned in perplexity, "isn't it funny that he has managed to make those letters exactly

"'Tain't overly funny to me." Abner grunted as he crushed the circular in his hand and dropped it on the floor. "Has either of you boys got hobnails in your shoes? Ef you have I want to squat on my all fours at the head the street. An' I'd like fer the whole dang town to see me when I hit the

Blank faces met the remark. There was dead silence for a minute. Then' Reymond groaned:

"I see it! Lord, Lord, I see it! Bunko is no name for the trick played

At this moment one of Tarp's clerks came and handed Daniel one of the circulars and left. Written on the top

Editors of the New Clarion: it on as thick over the'r whole front Dear Sirs-Kindly insert the inclosed cirular among the locals in your next issue As they will make only a few lines I will have to pay your price per line; but, as I ld you. I think that rate is too steep for nything as long, for instance, as the ad mirable letter from your Elictown corre spondent, to which my circular calls mod est attention. Respectfully yours and with kindest regards,

"Does he think we'll be fool enough to print it?" Howard asked angrily. "He'll have to pay us for all that

"He's already paid me," Abner retorted. "He's give me a million dollars' worth of experience. Yes, boys. we've got to grin. A good, healthy, for givin' grin is the only cure fer a disease like our'n. He's got us whar the hair is short. We've got a chance to make folks think we took the stuff as an ad. an' got paid for it. But, la! ef we kick one single bit we'll never hear

"I don't know what my papers will say to me," Frank Reymond grouned "I'm expected to send in facts and noth ing but facts. Now I'll have to wire 'em that it was all a fake."

"Ef you don't the railroads may run some excursions up that way." Abnet said. "I'd sorter hate to have the may or and city council of Atlanta startin' fer Elktown with campin' outfit and Weeping Water. Phone 1403. minin' tools."

Howard's place at the table in the hotel was next to Mrs. Langham and her daughter. He found Cora alone at dinner one day.

"I have a surprise for you," she smil ed, "and it may not be a pleasant one Mrs. Collier Says Could Not Keep either. Do you still intend to go to Atlanta tomorrow?"

"Yes, I have some business Mr. Dan iel wants me to attend to, and I have postponed it as long as I can. What is your surprise?"

"Why, I was telling mother about your going, and it really put her in the of the merit of Black-Draught Liver Urish farm, 41/2 miles east of Weepnotion of running down on the same Medicine, has following to say for ing Water; on Wednesday, Saturday day. We have some shopping to do, and she wants to have a look at her flowers, which she is afraid our house keeper may be neglecting. We would be there only a day and night, and then

said. "It will make the trip much more pleasant, for I don't care much for At. dose, and feel better right away. lanta in the warm weather."

when we arrive tomorrow," Cora said. Black-Draught Liver Medicine." "Mother has set her heart on it. She rather nice, even in the summer time. long been recognized as the standard for it is cool and well shaded."

to everybody. We didn't print those derstood, he accepted the invitation. hope," Cora continued. "He is taking He sells it in 25c and \$1.00 packages,

Howard had to do some early morning work at the office the next day, and so did not meet the Langhams till just before their departure at 8 o'clock.

overwhelmed with business he will

join us at lunch. He is a very nice

man, if I do say it," she added, with

a smile; "he is rather stern in his man-

ner even with mother and me, but he is

i dear, dear man."

belling so strongly against her attrac- of business at the court house. tions. He was half convinced that he had misjudged her in regard to her hunger for the admiration of men, and. after all, he began to ask himself, who could know positively that a confirmed flirt might not love some particular bare thought that she might actually care for him was an attractive one.

"The carriage will meet us," Cora informed Howard, as he got her things 11, and you may go directly home with ters and calling on their friends, us if you wish," Cora added, as they came out of the car and joined the be plenty of room in the carriage."

to at once," Howard answered. "I that city, think I had better come out later. might miss the man I expect to see if I wait till the afternoon."

long as possible."

The driver, a middle aged colored man, wore a silk hat and a long, dark blue coat with brass buttons, and as he reached for the satchels Howard servilely to the Indies.

Mrs. Langham asked, as they all followed the driver to the resplendent vehicle and well groomed bays at the edge of the sidewalk.

"Said he was too busy, miss," James answered, as he opened the earriage side. "Said fer me ter drive down fer 'im at dinner time an' fetch 'im out."

As the prancing horses bore them o' the stairs and have you kick me into away and Howard turned to cross the street to go to the business part of the city he glanced back. Cora was look

Two o'clock found him alighting from an electric car in front of the Langham residence.

and apron and careful step answered Howard's ring and showed him into the great double drawing room on the right of an equally roomy hall, from which a polished walnut stairway curved upward. Seating himself, he looked about him. Beyond the farthes: parle was a library, and adjoining this was a smoking room, or den. Massive plate glass mirrors in gilt frames rose from the floor to the ceiling at opposite ends of the drawing rooms, giving the effect of more space than could otherwise have been obtained.

He thought of Mary Trumbley with a certain touch of homesickness. He smiled as he fancled seeing her seated but she would be honest enough to think, and she would condemn his presence there. And, after all, why trial. had be come? Why was he paying such attention to Cora Langham? Why unless attracted either by her personality or social position?

(To Be Continued.)

Pasture Notice.

I have room for 15 head of stock in pasture. Inquire of E. M. Ruby, 4-27-tf wkly

House Without Black-Draught.

Hardin, Mo .- Mrs. J. W. Collier, of this town, who knows from experience publication: "I want to let everybody and Sunday on the John Urish farm; is just what is claimed for it. I am German Lutheran church. never without Black-Draught, and KOPRIN is a black imported Per-

I advise everybody who suffers We hereby certify that the Per-

remedy. It is a fixture in thousands With some vague misgivings, the of homes as the main stay of the fam- suck, \$15.00. If mares change owner-

Nobedy replied, and Abner leaned his meals at the club; but if he is not making it cost you only one cent a occur. dose.

Local News

From Tuesday's Daily.

yesterday looking after some matters | Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and of business and calling on his friends.

Col. J. B. Seyboldt of Murray was

was new to him, and he was not re- few hours looking after some matters

the road overseers in that district, is here today attending the meeting of the board of county commissioners. John H. Busche of near Cedar

man as strongly and as unselfishly as Creek was in the city today for a few any other woman? At any rate, the hours looking after some road work Alvo this afternoon to resume her with the county board at their meet-

George M. Hild and wife were together. "James is always prompt among those going to Omaha this have luncheon at 2 o'clock. It is now few hours looking after business mat-

throng of passengers going toward the for O'Dell, Nebraska, where he will in company with his son, Dave Eaton, door leading to the street. "There will attend the funeral of his sister-in- to attend the trial of the case of Or-"There is something I must attend held tomorrow from the late home in was on in the county court.

"You would if we had our way about brother, J. W. Crabill, and family, for wife at the Clarkson hospital. It is it," Corn answered sweetly. "Once we a few days and attending the funeral thought that it will be possible to get you out home we will keep you as of Mrs. Allie Kennedy, departed this morning for her home.

Miss Emily McGregor of Sargent, Nebraska, is in the city visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Fred Macarried he doffed his hat and bowed jors, as well as at the country home of her sister, Mrs. Sam Gilmour, business matters and visit friends for "Why didn't Mr. Langham come?" south of this city.

> Joseph Nejedley of Creighton, Nebraska, came down Sunday from his home to spend a short time here looking after some matters of business and visiting with his relatives and friends. While hare he renewed his subscription to the semi-weekly Jour-

Mrs. Charles Rhode of St. Joseph, fice. Missouri, arrived in this city last evening for a few days' visit with Mrs. Elmwood attorney, accompanied by tate ing from a window. She waved a del A. Rhode. Mrs. Rhode will return to those two genial and clever gentleicate handkerchief at him and smiled. her home on Thursday morning, ac- men, "Ted" Jeary and Charles Stone, All the time that he was engaged in transacting the business he had come transacting the business he had come to attend to Cora remained in his home of her son.

All the time that he was engaged in companied by Mrs. Rhode, sr., who motored over yesterday afternoon hearing will be hear upon said petition on May 13th, 1916, at two o'clock P. M., or the 6th P. M., in the County of Cass, Network of the adverse period to the hours in the county sent. While here month, Cass county, Nebraska, and that commencement of said suit and to enhome of her son.

Miss Margaret Mauzy, who has Charlie was a caller at the Journal been enjoying a short visit here with headquarters and visited for a short her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry time with the editor and publisher. A young colored maid in white cap | Mauzy, departed this morning for her work at Los Angeles after a stay of four weeks in New York purchasing goods for the large department store of which she is one of the buyers.

From Wednesday's Dally.

J. D. Shrader of Omaha was here or a few hours today attending to ome business matters and visiting

Florence McCarthy came up this morning from Union to attend the Ervin-Stottler suit which was on trial n the county court.

James Ervin, residing southwest of Union, drove up this morning to at- horses for summer pasture, on the tend the session of county court Horn place, four miles west of where the Orvin Ervin case was on Plattsmouth. Inquire of W. H. Rai-

Mrs. L. H. Brooks departed this

KOPRIN!



KOPRIN will make the season of 1916, after April 10, as follows: On Monday and Tuesday on the Henry know that I have used Thedford's on Thursday and Friday on the John Black-Draught for many years, and it Lohnes, sr., farm, 1 mile west of the

"I am glad you are going," Howard really I couldn't keep house without it. cheron stallion, weighing 1,900 pounds. Whenever I feel bad, I take a small He is licensed and inspected and pronounced sound.

"You must take luncheon with us from liver or stomach trouble to use cheron stallion Koprin (93646), im- waste land, school house on one corported September, 1912, by E. J. Hei- ner, two and one-half miles from For three-quarters of a century sel, Frement, Iowa, is recorded by the Greenwood. This is smooth land and has already written to our housekeeper (75 years), Thedford's Black-Draught Percheron Society of America, and at bargain at \$140.00 per acre for to have everything ready. You've has been regulating irregularities of that his recorded number is 91043. quick sale. J. R. Barr. Write or interest the liver, stomach and bowels, and has

Terms: To insure colt to stand and ship, service fee becomes due at once. If you have not tried it, get a pack- | Care will be taken to avoid accidents, "You will meet my father, too, I age from your nearest dealer, foday but will not be responsible should any

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly Will Jean was a visitor in Omaha influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surthe foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the con-He joined them in the observation car at the end of the train, where they had secured comfortable seats.

The journey was pleasant enough to the young couple. Howard was discovering a side to Cora's nature that they covering a side to Cora's nature that they constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Medicine that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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> morning for Clay Center, Nebraska, H. C. Creamer of Murray, one of where she will enjoy a short visit at the home of her son, W. F. Brooks, and family.

Miss Hazel Tuey, who was called home by the death of her grandmother, Mrs. J. D. McDaniels, departed for school work.

William Starkjohn was a passenger this morning for Omaha where he will spend a few hours visiting with Fritz and will be anxious to see us. We morning where they will visit for a Siemoneit at the hospital where he is recovering from an operation.

> Uncle Eli Eaton motored up from E. A. Lorenz departed this morning his home east of Union this morning law, Mrs. W. J. Lorenz, which will be vin Ervin vs. Carry Stotler, which STATE OF NEBRASKA,

Ed Egenberger was among those Mrs. Isaac King of Superior, Ne- going to Omaha this morning where braska, who has been here visiting her he will spend the day there with his be had bring Mrs. Egenberger home tomor-

> Switzer, motored from their farm home near Nehawka to this city yesterday to attend to some important (Seal) a short time. Mr. Leo Switzer was a pleasant caller at this office.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Harshman and babe motored from their farm home afternoon for a chort visit with their To All Persons Interested in Said Esfriends and to attend to some important business matters. Mr. Harsh man was a pleasant caller a: this of-

Hon William Deles Dernier, the hours in the county seat. While here

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE

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sons interested and to the public that the undersigned, Martin A. Beyer, has filed his petition and application in the office of the city clerk of the City of-Plattsmouth, County of Cass, and State of Nebraska, as required by law, signed by the required number of resident free-holders of the said city. setting forth that the applicant is a tate of Electa Packard, deceased; Jacon man of respectable character and standing and a resident of the State of Nebraska and praying that a license may be issued to the said Martin A. Beyer for the sale of malt. spiritous and vinous liquors for the period of one year from the date of the hearing of said application in a building situated on lots eleven and twelve (11 and 12), in block twentyseven (27, in the First ward of the said City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska. MARTIN A. BEYER,

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clock a. m., each day for examination. In the estate of Amelia B. Clark, deceas-Leo Switzer and brother, Delhart court on or before said list hour of other persons interested in the estate Witness my hand and seal of said Cole

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATION.

ALLEN J. BEESON.

County Judge.

near Nehawka to this city yesterday In the Matter of the Estate of Loretta ay of April, 1916. Emma B. Ault. chraska. Theres Ault and Minnie Snodgrass filed You are hereby notified that on April her petition in this Court alleging that Loretta Ault, late of Cass county, in the District Court of the County of leparted this life intestate in the city Cass, Nebraska, to quiet plaintiff's title of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, on the 23rd to the above described lands, to-wit lay of December, 1914 leaving an esfractional lots six (6), and seven that requires administration, and in the northeast quarter (N. E. 1-4).

eceased.
You will further take notice that a of the 6th P. M., in the County of Cass, unless cause be shown on of before the join each and all of you from having hour set for hearing the prayer of said or claiming any right, title, lein or

By the Court: ALLEN J. BEESON. County Judge. John M. Leyda, Attorney for Petitioners.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE COUNTY OF CASS, NEBRASKA. oanna Baxter, Plaintiff,

Clara E. Young, also known as Clara Ellen Young, et. al. Defendants OTICE OF SUIT TO QUIET TITLE To the defendants Clara E. Young, lse known as Clara Ellen Young; John also known as Clara Eden Young, John Doe Young, first real name unknown, bustand or widower of Clara E, Young, also known as Clara Eden Young: Clara E. Young Doe, real name other than Clara E. Young unknown; John Doe, first and reeal name unknown, husband or widower of Clara E. Young Doe; the unknown beirs, devisces, legators personal representatives and all ces, personal representatives and all ther persons interested in the estate of Clara E. Young, also known as Clara illen Young, otherwise described as clara E. Young Doc, real name other as You are hereby notified. ian Ciara E. Young unknown, deceasthe unknown heirs, devisees, les teer personal representatives and a Itching, bleeding, protruding or lind piles have yielded to Doan's lintment. 50c at all stores.

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That is name unknown, deccased; Samuel I Jones, hiso known as S. H. Jones, Mr. Samuel H. Jones, first real name un inknown; the unknown heirs, devisee egatees, personal representatives an

S. H. Jones, deceased; the unknown

neirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons in arested in the estate of Mrs. Samue

Jones, first real name unknown, de

cta Packard; the unknown heirs, de-risecs, legaters, personal representa-ices and all other persons interested

the estate of Spencer Packard, de

egatees, personal representatives and H other persons interested in the es-

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3. Miller, Mary P. Miller, the unknow heirs, devisees. legatees, perconai representatives and all other persons in terested in the estate of Jason G. Milr, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representa-tives and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary P. Miller, dethe unknown heirs, devisees. ounty, Nebraska, at the County Court persons interested in the estate of John oom in Plattsmouth, in said County, R. Chark, deceased; the unknown beirs, in the first day of May, 1916, and on devisees, legatees, personal represented 31st day of October, 1916, at 10 hatives and all other persons interested County Court, at Pictiamouth, Nebras- the unknown beirs, devisees, legatees ka, this 1st day of April, 1916. personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate Cole, deceased: the unknown heirs, de-viscer, legatees, personal representa-tives and all other persons interested the estate of Clara E. Cole, lam L. Gray, Mary E. Moore, Isa-e Moore and the unknown owners northeast quarter (N. E. 1-4) of the northwest quarter (N.W. 1-4), of section You will take notice that on the 17th oth P. M. in the County of Cass, Ne-

petition may be granted and such proceedings had and done in said estate as or to said lands or any part thereof: to require you to set forth your right, title, claim, lein or interest therefn, if any, either legal or equitable, and to have the same adjudged interior to the title of plaintiff and for general equitible relief. This notice is made pur-suant to the order of the Court. You are required to arswer said petition on or before Monday, May 22, A. D., 1916, or your default will be

duly entered therein.

JOANNA BAXTER, W. A. ROBERTSON, Attorney.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

State of Nebraska.

County of Cass, so.

In County Court.

In the matter of the estate of John You are hereby notified that there has been filed in this court a report of the administratrix, together with her

estate and her discharge as adminis-That a hearing will be had thereon before this court in the court house in the city of Plattsmouth, said coun-

report for final settlement of above

all other persons interested in the estate of Samuel H. Jones, also known o'clock a. m. ty, on the 8th day of May, 1916, at 10 That all objections thereto, if any, must be filed on or before said day

and hour of hearing. censed: Packard & Miller, a partner-ship composed of Spencer Packard and Jason G. Miller: Spencer Packard, El-Witness my hand and the seal of the County Court of said county this

27th day of April, 1916. ALLEN J. BEESON.

County Judge.

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