

YOU'LL LIKE OUR CORSET DEPARTMENT

WE have arranged our corset department with the view of thoroughly satisfying your every need and wish.

Our fitters have had special training and ample practical experience in corset fitting.

You will find them able to fit every figure requirement. The woman with the hard-to-fit figure will obtain unusually satisfactory results with our fitters.

Courteous attention and careful study of your needs is the rule throughout the department.

Our corsetieres also keep thoroughly informed on the changing dictates of fashion in corseting and in gowning.

Hence you may profitably consult them as to your special figure needs and also with the view of selecting the most up-to-date figure and gowning effects.

We extend to you a cordial invitation to visit our department, whether to obtain a trial fitting or merely to become acquainted with our styles and facilities.

SPRING UNDERWEAR FOR WOMEN AND GIRLS

YOU may be tempted to make the half worn winter underwear do for spring wear unless you stop to think how important to the fit of your spring dress it is to have good underwear. It's so much easier to make the dress fit trim and straight over smooth-fitting undergarments, and worn undergarments are never that.



You Will Be More Than Pleased With a Trial of ROYAL UNDERWEAR

It is not only made of the best grade of cotton, or cotton and wool, but every line of the body is followed so closely by the fabric as to make them perfect fitting.

Made of the best sea island cotton. "Royal" Underwear has a tensile strength seldom equaled at the price.

Union Suits at 25c to 75c. Separate garments at 8c to 50c.

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"SATISFACTION GUARANTEED"

JERRY FOUND THE GIRL

By JOHN CAINE.

Gerald Underhill drew in a deep breath of the air of Broadway, for it was the first time he had been in New York for almost eleven years.

While he was hesitating which way to turn, a crowd of people began pouring out of the Times Square subway station and a hand was laid familiarly on his shoulder.

"Jerry Underhill! Tom Sandford laughed heartily. "Well, of all things! When did you get in from the Klondike?"

"About an hour ago. Gee, Tom, it is good to see you again!" Underhill beamed on his friend. "I only arrived about an hour ago and I'm lonely already."

"I'm sorry, old man," Tom gripped his hand fondly. "I'm late for a business engagement now or I'd stick with you all day. But come up to dinner tonight and we can talk it over. Here," Tom hastily scribbled the address on a card and handed it to Jerry. "Then we will expect you?"

Jerry smiled and thankfully accepted the invitation at once. Then in a serious manner he said:

"You don't know any nice girl who could marry a miner, do you?"

"I don't," then smiled knowingly, "but my sister Alice may. We can ask her about it tonight."

They shook hands again and parted. Jerry tucked the card safely in his pocketbook and turned his steps slowly up Broadway.

Dinner was over at the Sandfords', and Jerry, with a long cigar, sat listening to the plans being made for the finding of a wife for him.

"I shall expect you to call every afternoon at 5," Alice was saying, "and each day you will meet a new girl; and I will give you a month to choose. Thirty days, and thirty girls make your acquaintance. Is it a go?"

Jerry removed the cigar from between his lips and looked appreciatively at Tom's sister.

"Sure is!" he exclaimed. "But I want them to be as much like you as possible."

Alice blushed and Tom coughed knowingly, while Mr. Gerald Underhill resumed his smoking.

"I'll do my best, and each day I shall expect you to remain after the prospective wife has departed to report on progress."

Jerry agreed to all conditions imposed by Miss Sandford, and, feeling thoroughly happy and grateful, he took his leave.

For two weeks Mr. Underhill, in his best clothes, called at the Sandford home each afternoon at 5 o'clock. He met a new girl every day, as agreed and among the lot were some of the noted beauties of New York.

To Jerry they were all wonderful, but none more so than Alice Sandford, who continued to charm him more as the days passed.

The allotted month had brought no decision, and Jerry, at a loss what to say, sat awaiting the coming of Alice. A perturbed frown was on his handsome face and a great unrest in his heart.

"I must say, Mr. Underhill, you are a disappointment to me," Alice, more vexed than she cared to admit, looked across the room at Jerry.

sorry," he spoke earnestly; "but can I help it if I don't love any of the beautiful ladies?"

"No, I suppose not; but," a ray of hope had come to her, "do men always know when they are in love?"

"Maybe not," He rose, and came toward her. "You have been so good to me, I wish I could have wanted one of them for my wife." He took her hand. "Goodbye; you see, I wanted a girl, and they all seemed so worldly, too wise for a western life."

She watched him get into the waiting taxi; then closing the door, walked slowly upstairs, and into her room.

Jerry told the driver to take him to the park, and to drive slowly. They had been in the park perhaps fifteen minutes, when suddenly he poked the driver in the back, and fairly shouted at him:

"Return at once to the house we just left. And, driver, don't lose any time."

When Mr. Underhill's card was brought to her, Alice looked at the maid inquiringly, and without giving any sign of her thoughts, descended at once to the library, where he waited.

"Alice!" The word was a caress, the more so as he held out his arms to her.

She paused and then quickly went to him—into the longing arms.

"Alice," he bent down until his head was close to hers, "why was I so blind? Here I've been loving you from the first moment I met you, and yet I never knew it before. You're such a womanly woman and still a girl. "Oh!" he sighed contentedly, looking into her upturned face.

She half pushed him from her, but he quickly drew her back.

"You're going to marry me, aren't you?" he asked, fearfully.

"You are sure that you love me?" She smiled tenderly.

"Yes, sweetheart, very sure."

Then as she came closer he stooped and kissed her.

Must Have Little Else to Do. When a man can take time to learn to wear a monocle, you can put it down that his other interests aren't pressing.

We were meant to be kings—to lead noble, royal lives, governing them and refusing, even for a moment, to let them govern us.—Blanche Elizabeth Wade.

Madame. There's so much saint in the worst of them and so much devil in the best of them that a woman who's married to one of them has nothing to learn of the rest of them.—The Tailor.

Novel Plan to Fatten Geese. To fatten geese some breeders keep the birds in a dark room, and by letting in daylight every few hours persuade them to take six or seven breakfasts a day.

Apparently. It appears to be necessary for the people to do a great deal of scolding and to engage pretty continuously in strong-arm work for the purpose of getting what is theirs.

The Exception. Some people expect one to believe in their veracity except when they deprecate themselves.

Champ Enlightens the House.

Speaker Champ Clark startled the house during the consideration of the conference report on the Sherwood service pension bill by saying from the chair:

"I have it, all unde, that President Taft will sign this bill if we get it to him today."

The bill was agreed to and hurried to the White House. Then friends crowded around Mr. Clark.

"What does 'alley unde' mean?" demanded Representative Victor Murdock. "I know some Latin, but I never heard of that before."

"Yes, it's Latin," announced Mr. Clark. "It means 'outside of the record.' I learned in a roundabout way that President Taft is going to leave the city this afternoon and that he was waiting to sign this bill. If he does not 400 or 500 aged soldiers might die before he is back."

"It means 'grapevine' in Ozark language," some one suggested.

"Exactly," said the speaker. Then the gathering fell into a discussion of Latin quotations, and the speaker demonstrated that he knew more about Horace, Cato and Virgil than all the rest.—Washington Correspondence Boston Transcript.

Slot Literature in Germany. Penny in the slot literature is the latest thing in Germany. A firm of publishers at Leipzig has patented an automatic machine which gives a choice of a dozen small paper covered volumes which are displayed behind glass. On a strip of paper across each volume is printed a brief description of the book, and a coin in the slot does the rest. These automatic machines are to be placed in hotel lobbies, waiting rooms, theater foyers and other public places. The hope is expressed that as the books offered are carefully selected and by first-class authors the venture may have a beneficial educative effect upon the masses and thus counteract the influence of the cheap and trashy literature with which the country is flooded.

Chinese Smoking Cigarettes. Use of cigarettes is increasing among the Chinese. An American and British tobacco company hires salesmen to distribute packages among the natives, giving away thousands, and then arranges with some native merchant to carry the stock in the goods. By this process has been built an enormous trade, which is steadily growing.

Bank Founded by Republic. When the Republic of Genoa became embarrassed by a multitude of loans, in 1407, it consolidated them and made this heap of debt into the capital of a bank, formed for the purpose.

Didn't Seem to Suit Him. Hobbie, aged four, had always played with older boys and consequently had picked up much slang. Recently his mother had punished him by giving him a spanking. A little later, still weeping, he came to his mother and said: "Mother, don't you love me at all any more?" "Why, yes, Bobby, why?" "Well, I don't think that 'stunt' you pulled off just now looks much like it."

ACCIDENTS WILL HAPPEN!



A Temperate Man

will sometimes meet with misfortune and soil or tear his "best suit" of clothes. There was a time when this meant the expense of a new suit. Not so now. Modern science has provided a better and more economical plan. We are provided with the latest machinery and

Up-to-Date Knowledge For Dry Cleaning

all kinds of clothes. We guarantee not to shrink or injure the garment. The cost will not be one tenth of a new suit but it will look just as good. Clothes called for and delivered to any part of the city.

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Successor to Will C. Creider
Red Cloud, Nebraska

Application For License.
Notice is hereby given that a petition signed by thirty or more resident free holders of the second ward of the City of Red Cloud, Nebraska, has been filed with the Clerk of said City of Red Cloud, praying that a license be granted by the City Council of said city to C. A. Meager for the sale of malt, spirituous and vinous liquors on Lot 13, in Block 4, in the City of Red Cloud; that action will be taken on such petition by the Mayor and City Council of said city on the first day of May 1913, or at the first meeting of the council thereafter.

Dated at Red Cloud, Nebraska, April 10th., 1913.
O. C. TEEL,
City Clerk.

Application For License.
Notice is hereby given that a petition signed by thirty or more resident free holders of the first ward of the City of Red Cloud, Nebraska, has been filed with the Clerk of said City of Red Cloud, praying that a license be granted by the City Council of said city to Warren Longtin for the sale of malt, spirituous and vinous liquors on Lot 5, in Block 31, in the City of Red Cloud; that action will be taken on such petition by the Mayor and City Council of said city on the first day of May 1913, or at the first meeting of the council thereafter.

Dated at Red Cloud, Nebraska, April 7th., 1913.
O. C. TEEL,
City Clerk.

Notice to Teachers
A special examination will be given on the third Friday and following Saturday in April, in county certificate subjects only.

The reading circle examination will be held Saturday afternoon, April 19, and Saturday afternoon, May 17. The state eighth grade examinations

Paints That Protect and Beautify

A touch of Paint here and there when it is needed costs but little and brightens things up wonderfully. During the spring renovating you will probably see many places where a little paint, enamel, varnish or varnish stain will make a great improvement.

Let Us Supply You
We sell the Sewall Mixed Paint and the Chi-namel Varnishes, and we know them to be the best on the market. Our prices are as low as high grade goods can be sold anywhere. Come and examine our stock.

Chas. L. Cotting
The Druggist

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I am now located at the Willow Dale Breeding Barn in Red Cloud for the season of 1913 with a fine bunch of Imported, Pure Bred Registered Draft Horses and Jacks. These Horses range from 3 to 5 years old, weighing from 1700 to 2250 pounds, and are as good as you will find anywhere.

TERMS ON ALL HORSES—\$20 for a live colt. \$5 discount on all bills paid within 30 days after colt is foaled.

H. A. Johnson

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Private Money To Loan
also regular Farm Loans on best terms to be had in the State. Call for me at State Bank Red Cloud.—C. F. CATHER.

Look out for the BANDIT.
Widow's Pension.
The recent act of April 19th, 1908 gives to all soldiers' widows a pension \$12 per month. Fred Maurer, the attorney, has all necessary blanks.

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