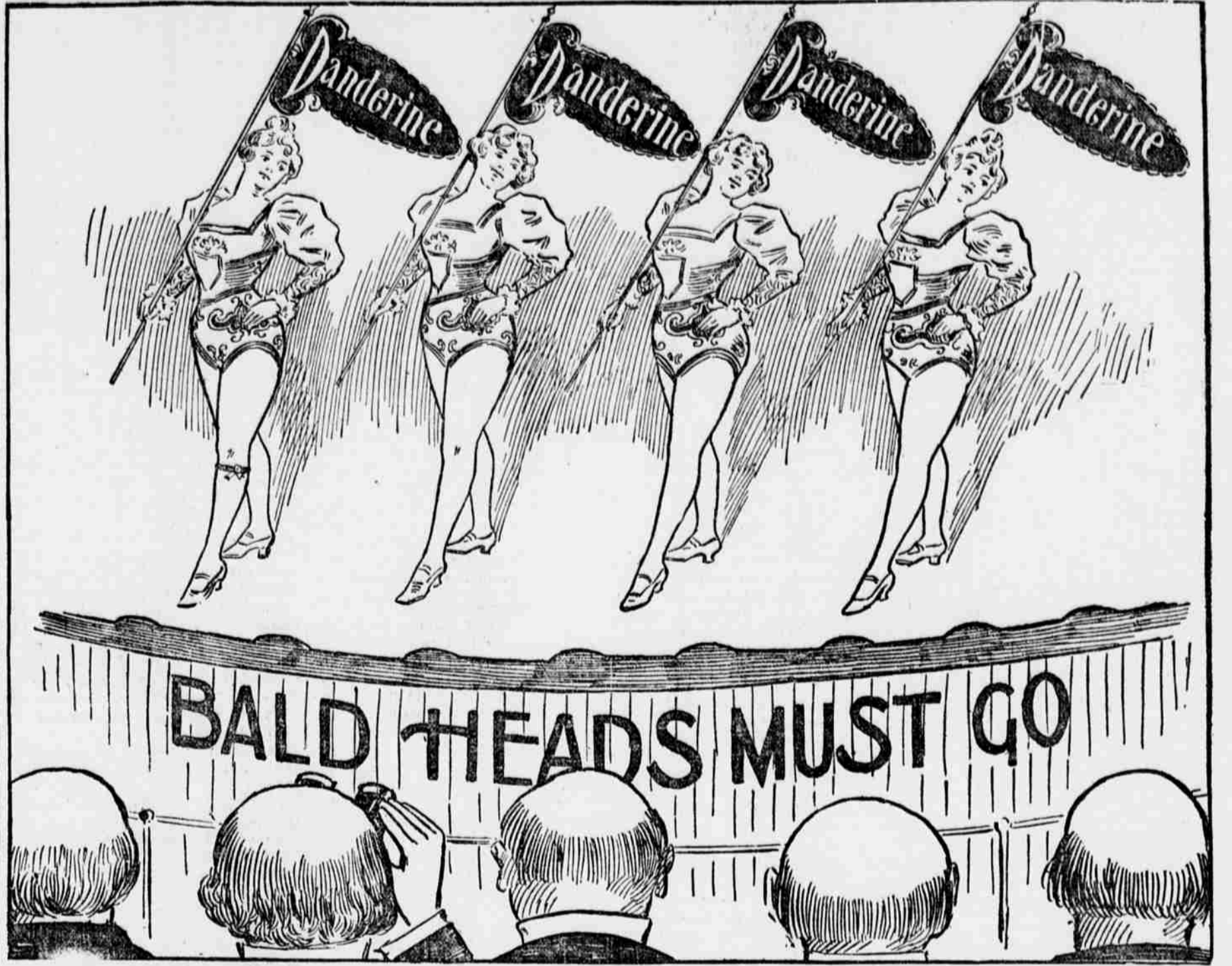


WE ARE NOW BEFORE YOU WITH THE GREATEST HAIR GROWER IN THE WORLD.



DA DERINE SCALP TONIC IS POSITIVELY GUARANTEED TO RESTORE THE HAIR AND PERMANENTLY CURE DANDRUFF. The preparation will be found the most efficacious specific for increasing the growth of the hair that has ever been produced in any form. Its action on the scalp is wonderful, removing all the ailments and disorders that this most important member is heir to, in from ten to thirty days. It never fails in any case to produce a fresh and healthy action of the scalp and hair follicles. Any scalp that is in a healthy condition will produce a satisfactory amount of hair. "THAT is in accordance with nature." The ability of this article to accomplish these results has been firmly established, and there is no question regarding its efficiency. A trial will convince you that all cases are parallel, and that there are none but what come within the scope of the rare and specific virtues of Danderine. Ask for **Danderine Scalp Tonic**. Trial size, 25c; large \$1.00. For sale by all druggists.

BOSTON STORE DRUG DEPT., OMAHA, Distributing Agents
KNOWLTON DANDEBINE CO., Chicago, Illinois.

Billy's Adventure.

By Martha McCullough Williams.

If there was anything under the sun Billy hated it was hauling water. Not that the work itself was hard, or in any way disagreeable, but because he loved the spring and the springside so, and his mother was sure to call after him as he started: "Hurry back, Billy! I am dying for a fresh drink!" or "Make haste, Billy. We can't do a thing, not even put on the puddling, until the water comes."

Tom dance so the slide was in danger of upsetting. "Here, give me the bushes—I'll fix them while you hold the horse," the stranger said, fetching a hand on his pocket. There was a knife in it so keen and sharp when it was opened it awoke Billy to consciousness. By help of it, in a trice the bushes were in place, though Billy-Boy could not quite understand why in the placing the stranger meddled so much with the wedge-shaped board that went into the bung.



NOT FOR NAUGHT HAD HE PRACTICED TRYING TO THROW THE LASSO.

been no frost to nip the asters and golden-rod. All the weather was gorgeous with them, their dewy maps flecked here and there with reddening sumach or yellow and purple briars. But Billy had no eyes for them. All the mile betwixt spring and house he had been muttering, "Think they might let me stay to heat the latrine!" or "Reckon they think a boy, a big boy, don't ken their own heads from the back of the neck!" Still, he had heard something—enough, at least, to tell vaguely, so he brightened perceptibly as he drew to the spring, for other thirty folk were there—two men in a very dusty buggy, with a tired looking horse. As he came up one of them hailed Billy: "Howdy, sonny! Dear bless my soul, but I'm glad to see you. I've been clean lost this half hour—it's good to find myself anywhere about Squire Clark's."

"Howdy, brother Amos! It is funny—you gettin' lost! Thought you'd rode the circuit till you knew every pig track," Billy said, beamingly. Brother Amos, the colporteur, a worn-out itinerant, was a prime favorite with all the boys, he had such a knack of fetching exactly the books they wanted, books they had blood and fighting in them, and good boys who did not die young of their own goodness.

managed to get the rope lines with which he drove and shaped them into a noose. Not for naught had he practiced throwing a lasso. It was a near call—so near a miss would have been disgraceful—but next minute Mr. Bradley found the rope setting over his arms and being drawn tight, while Billy yelled lustily: "Father! Mother! Brother Amos! Wake up and see what I've caught!" Philanthropist Bradley, it turned out, was an all-round crook, the head of a gang that had shakedowned the diamond-mining eyes since he left the city. All unwittingly, brother Amos had been made to serve their turn. He had met one of the gang while working as a prison missionary, and had given the man his address, promising to help him when he came out. If you think after his adventure Billy was not something of a hero, you had better ask his mother. She will tell you that he never hauled another barrel of water.

There was a certain October Wednesday the whip cracked so loudly as the outfit reached the spring any one who knew Billy would have been certain he had a new and especially acute grievance. It was drawing on to 4 o'clock, but still very warm. There had them, and even spoke of buying. This was at 1 o'clock—at 8 the diamonds were missed. So was Bradley. Then it came out that he had been seen leaving so early. We searched the house until sure the lost stones were not there; then as the traveling man was sure he had been chloroformed, and as Bradley's room had opened on the same porch—"I feel a strong case of circumstantial evidence," the man called Bradley said calmly, stepping from the buggy. "Mr. Sheriff, I do not blame you in the least. Your mistake is not merely natural—it is inevitable. Now, in justice, I ask to be searched at once. I am a total stranger. It had been arranged by letter that Brother Amos should call for me at daylight. He met me at the steps of the Franklin house—unless I am mistaken, anybody will accept his word for truth. We have been together ever since. Ask him, please, if I have parted with, grown away, or in any way disposed of anything."

over the hills near their home. One day Nino and his father were walking on one of the mountains before little Joachim Vincenzo said the beauties of nature to the boy. "There is Aquino in the distance and there Montecassino," said the count, for he had been raised to this rank. Here Nino broke in: "Aquino, where the father of the church, St. Thomas was born; Montecassino, where he learned to read and write. Babbo, can't I go there to learn as he did, how a man should read and write?" The count questioned the child further and learned that the child, then 7 years old, knew the story of St. Thomas Aquinas as well as he did that of Napoleon, who was then the scourge of Europe. When the count told his wife about it he said: "I am disappointed; I wanted to make a soldier of him, a general at least."

mother sent them some of the home-made cakes, so dear to the hearts of all children at boarding school. When later their teacher reported that his pupils had acquitted themselves well in a scholastic disputation (Nino was then 12 years old) Count Ludovico sent them each a dollar, by way of encouragement. Nino had already written a sonnet in Italian and was trying his hand at Latin verses. On the occasion of a visit to the school by a famous Jesuit, Vincenzo Pavoni, Vincenzo Pecci, then 11 years old, wrote this Latin verse: *Nomine Vincento tu, Pavone, vocaris. Parvulus atque insanus Peccus ipse vocar; Quas et virtutes magnas, Pavone, secutus. O Utinam possim Peccus ilipe sequi.* It may be freely translated: *Vincent is the name by which thou art called, O Pavon!* Vincenzo Pecci's my name, still a small boy and weak; Great are thy virtues, Pavoni, happy possessor. O would that I, Pecci, might imitate thee in them. How many boys in America could do as well at this age?

ORCHID HUNTING.
Perils and Prizes of the Search in Tropical Islands.
Should Uncle Sam decide to keep all Spain's colonies, those gentlemen, the orchid hunters, will have reason to rejoice. East or west these tropic islands are among the happiest hunting grounds for the flowers of the air. Yearly many men go in search of them at inconceivable risk of life and limb. Some few are scientific enthusiasts, or the agent of scientific institutes. The most part, however, go for revenue only. Not every man can hunt orchids successfully—in this calling, as in most others, the ability commands a high market price. Statistics are uninteresting—still, it is worth while to be told that the business of orchid growing and orchid collecting, though begun as late as 1830, now employs a good many millions of capital. Both here and abroad there are collections whose value runs well up into the hundred thousands, and collectors with nerve enough to pay \$5,000 for a single specimen—provided it is sufficiently unique. Further, there was at least one grower long-headed enough to refuse more than \$5,000 for an absolutely unique plant. It was seedless and could be multiplied only by the tedious process of rooting leaf cuttings—hence, he saw his profit in such multiplication, and preferred to sell a hundred plants at a thousand each, even though he had to wait some years to do so. Such men stand back of the orchid hunters proper. Usually three or four Europeans go together to a tropic port, engage from fifty to a hundred natives, buy all manner of supplies, and strike straight into the wildest interior. Often the men carry everything; sometimes there is a bullock train, or even a train of bullock carts. But that is impracticable in the true virgin tropics, wherein the hunters find their choicest treasures. It is like a fairy tale to talk with one of the returned explorers. You hear of trees 200 feet high, literally covered with orchids, or maybe a half dozen species, each growing in its own distinct zone or altitude.

Tommy, aged 5, and his cousin Willie, aged 6, had several little altercations, in which Tommy invariably got the worst of it. One day his mamma said to him: "Tommy, tomorrow is Willie's birthday; wouldn't you like to give him something?" "You just better believe I would," was the reply; "but you see, he's bigger than I am and I can't."

"I suppose so." "Don't you wish they were safely-plus?" "Well, Johnnie," said the minister to a little boy, "I hear you are going to school now." "Yes, sir," was the reply. "And what part of it do you like best?" asked the good man. "Comin' home," was the prompt and truthful answer.

To Be Healthy and Strong Use "Garland" Stoves and Ranges.
Regina Diemer died in Hungary a few weeks ago at the age of 111, leaving five children, thirty-five grandchildren and ninety great-grandchildren.

WEAK MEN
Relieves Kidney & Bladder troubles at once. Cures in 48 Hours all URINARY DISCHARGES.
SANTAL MIDY CAPSULES
PRATTLE OF THE YOUNGSTERS.
"Auntie, has kitty got pins in her toes?"

POYNETTE

ANTI-PILL Cures the Pill Habit.
Constipation, Dyspepsia, Biliousness, Nervousness. Action not followed by costiveness. Dose: 4 to 7 pills. Sample free. Druggists. 25c, or address ANTI-PILL CO., Lincoln, Neb.

WOODBURY'S Facial Soap, Facial Cream, Facial and Tooth Powder make the grandest toilet combination known for the skin. Send 20 cents for sample of each, by mail for three weeks. Use JOHN W. WOODBURY, 127 W. 42d St., N. Y. 19 State St., Chicago.

Patronize Home Industries
By Following Nebraska Factories!

BREWERIES.
OMAHA BREWING ASSOCIATION.
Carload shipments made in our own refrigerators. Blue Ribbon, Elite Export, Vienna Export and Family Export delivered to all parts of the city.

BOILERS.
OMAHA BOILER WORKS.
JOHN R. LOWREY, Prop. Boilers, Tanks and Sheet Iron Work.

CORNICHE WORKS.
G. F. EPHENETTER.
EAGLE CORNICHE WORKS. Manufacturers of Galvanized Iron Corals, Galvanized Iron Skylights, Tin, Iron and Slate Roofing. Agent for Kinneard's Steel Ceiling, 108-16-12 North Eleventh street.

FLOUR MILLS.
S. F. GILMAN.
Flour, Meal, Feed, Bran, 1913-15-17 North 17th street, Omaha, Neb. C. E. Black, Manager. Telephone 592.

IRON WORKS.
DAVIS & COWGILL, IRON WORKS.
Iron and Brass Founders. Manufacturers and Jobbers of Machinery. General repairing a specialty. 1563, 1563 and 1565 Jackson street, Omaha, Neb. LINSPEED OIL.

WOODMAN LINSPEED OIL WORKS.
Manufacturers oil process raw linspeed oil, kettles, lined oil, old process ground linspeed cakes, ground and screened flaxseed for druggists. OMAHA, NEB.

Annual Sales over 6,000,000 Boxes

BEECHAM'S PILLS

FOR BILIOUS AND NERVOUS DISORDERS such as Wind and Pain in the Stomach, Giddiness, Fullness after meals, Headache, Dizziness, Drowsiness, Flushings of Heat, Loss of Appetite, Constipation, Blisters on the Skin, Cold Chills, Disturbed Sleep, Frightful Dreams and all Nervous and Tremulous Sensations.

THE FIRST DOSE WILL GIVE RELIEF IN TWENTY MINUTES. Every sufferer will acknowledge them to be

A WONDERFUL MEDICINE.

BEECHAM'S PILLS, taken as directed, will quickly restore Females to complete health. They promptly remove obstructions or irregularities of the system and cure Sick Headache. For a

Weak Stomach Impaired Digestion

Disordered Liver
IN MEN, WOMEN OR CHILDREN

Beecham's Pills are Without a Rival

And Have the LARGEST SALE of any Patent Medicine in the World. 25c at all Drug Stores.