

Romance in Origin Of Superstitions

By H. IRVING KING.

In some sections of the country it is considered most unlucky to replant old parsley in the garden...

Do You Know the Bible?

COVER UP the answers, read the questions and see if you can answer them. Then look at the answers to see if you are right.

More Truth Than Poetry

By JAMES J. MONTAGUE.



The Loving Are The Daring

Dancing is a regular part of the training at West Point. When a gallant cadet whizzes by with his girl...



No Qualifications Needed

The reason there are so many applicants for cabinet positions is that no civil service examination is required.

Coming To Him

We are in favor of increasing Germany's armory allowance by one, so she can put Bergdoll in it.

What's The Use?

Why begin to save daylight again. As soon as we get the habit the prosperity league will come along with a warning that unless we spend it business will be ruined.

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when men had to protect themselves at all times from the attacks of their enemies. They constructed walled enclosures on hills, from which they commanded the country round.

Where It Started

Our modern military strongholds are direct descendants of the days

Holding a Husband

Adele Garrison's New Phase of Revelations of a Wife

Who Is the Person Lillian Suspects?

I pressed closer to the window, strained my face against the pane, in the effort to determine whether I had really seen some one beside old Sammy lurking in the grounds below me...

Old Sammy had been patrolling the front of the grounds, and a moment after I had first seen the figure of the intruder he had turned the corner of the other side of the house.

Then with a sudden flaming insight I knew that I could not wait for the old man's appearance. He had an ancient revolver more dangerous to himself than an enemy.

"An armed watchman is coming round the other side of the house. I should advise you to get out of here at once."

The moving figure came to a stop, and stood for an instant motionless. Then the man, evidently preferring a woman's voice from an upper-story window to an armed watchman on his own level, turned, and ran lightly toward the Durkee house, actually past my window, and on down the driveway into the street.

What Has Happened?

I had a fairly good glimpse of him as he was silhouetted for an instant against the light of the street lamp, for he cleverly changed his run to a walk just before he reached the light, and went out of the gate as if he were some member of the household dispatched upon some nocturnal errand.

A rush of feet behind me, and Lillian said cryptically, "Get into bed. I'm not going to leave you again to-night, and I warn you if you do any window stunts again I'll tie you to the mattress."

the glow which is left for a moment when a powerful light is dimmed. "What has happened?" Why are you here at this window?" she demanded. "You called to someone, didn't you?"

A Strong Warning

I lowered the window before I answered, and drew the curtain, seeing as I did so, with my next desire to laugh—the figure of old Sammy coming around my house again, his flashing light illuminating his own figure, but little else.

"There was a boy lurking in the grounds," I said, when I had turned on the switch of the light. Then I gave her a little peremptory push. "Not another word," I declared emphatically, "until you have thrown on something over that thin night-dress. Mrs. Durkee left you a bathrobe, I know, just as she did me. Get it on."

"Haven't time," she retorted indignantly, then she jumped into my bed and pulled the covers up to her chin.

"There, grandma!" she mocked. "Now you may crawl in, too, if you like. But don't waste any more time. A boy, you say? How do you know? Begin at the beginning, and tell me what you've been doing, and what you saw."

"I obeyed her, and saw her face grow sterner at each word of the narrative. When I told of having thrown up the window and calling to the boy, she turned on me savagely.

"If you don't value your life for yourself, or for the rest of us," she said, and her tone was almost a snarl, "I should think you'd think of your little son."

"How was my life in danger?" "How does anybody know what that dev— one of those devils of young hoodlums have in the back of their cock-crazed heads? They shoot first and think afterward, especially when they're in a panic, as this one must have been at your unexpected appearance."

"He wasn't very panic-stricken," I said. "He was evidently cool and deliberate, as he ran this way, thus evading old Sammy, and changed his run to a walk as he reached the light above the gate."

"That makes it all the worse," Lillian said cryptically. "Get into bed. I'm not going to leave you again to-night, and I warn you if you do any window stunts again I'll tie you to the mattress."

"But long after she slept or feigned slumber I lay awake turning something she had said over in my mind. "How does anybody know what that dev— she had begun, then changed it quickly to, "one of those devils."

Was it possible that she had any suspicion as to the identity of the boy I had seen?

Spain maintains 1,600,000 hives of bees and produces almost 40,000,000 pounds of honey annually.

Common Sense

Speed U' Yourself. By J. J. MUNDTY.

You must keep after yourself every day in order to be up to the speed and efficiency which are required at the present time.

The contest for jobs—the number seeking the place you now hold—makes it unwise for you to let down for a single day.

If you were so foolish during the shortage of labor of all kinds to permit yourself to get into the per-going class and you have not speeded up, you may expect a little blue card one of these days.

Employers no longer put up with inefficiency, insolence and laziness because they have a large market of workers from which to select.

Reduced production and earnings are going to first affect the slow workers because it has become necessary to get more output per employee.

Better service is demanded in all lines. Manufacturer must give more value to wholesaler, wholesaler to retailer and retailer to consumer.

Better service from the men who work for the manufacturer in any and all lines which has to do with the production of merchandise or commodities—that is the watchword of present-day conditions.

North Dakota Bank Closed

Mandan, N. D., Feb. 15.—The Union Farmers' State bank of New Salem was closed today. Officials said reserves had fallen below the legal limit, and that the bank would reopen later.

Brief City News

Police in Movie—Members of the Volunteer Traffic police squad will be shown in a movie film to be taken at the court house Wednesday noon.

Soup Dish Stolen—A silver soup dish belonging to George B. Thumel, attorney, was stolen from his home at 3569 Jackson street Monday night.

Robbed by Highwaymen—O. C. Allen, 1809 Burt street, was held up Monday night by two armed robbers in an alley between Burt and Cumming streets and robbed of \$40.

Would Close Road House—A suit for an injunction to close the roadhouse of Ed Hart, two miles north of Florence, was filed in district court yesterday by County Attorney Shotwell.

Cold Wave Coming—The weather men criss the deal for Omaha by announcing that colder weather may be expected immediately. Kids who have been wearing out the knees of their pants playing marbles declare they are now off the weather bureau entirely.

Loch Case Set—Hearing of the federal liquor complaints against Loch, proprietor of the Orpheum Gardens, arrested last

week charged with violating the Volstead act, has been set for February 25.

Confesses Robbery—Jack Reed, negro, who was sentenced to six months in jail for breaking into the Y. B. cigar store last fall, confessed to city detectives that he robbed the place last week.

Open Nursing Classes—Classes in home nursing under the auspices of the Omaha chapter of the Red Cross were opened last night at the Y. W. C. A. The classes will also be conducted Thursday afternoons.

City to Rent Drill Hall—At the request of Col. Amos Thomas of the Nebraska National guard, the city council voted yesterday \$1,500 to pay the first year's rent of two floors over the Central market for drilling purposes for the Omaha guard companies.

Permit Denied Serjan—Amholt Serjan, 120 South Twentieth street,

was denied a permit to conduct a soft drink parlor by city council yesterday. Police Commissioner Ringer told the council that Serjan had lived in America 35 years and had not yet learned the English language.

Purse Nabbed—Mrs. G. L. Moore, 2624 Parker street, went into a grocery store Monday evening to buy some chewing gum, she placed her purse containing \$19 on the counter while waiting for change from a \$2 bill. When she turned to pick up her purse, it was gone.

Money Lost at Cleaner's—Mrs. L. G. Cain, 809 South Twentieth street, put \$11.55 in the pocket of her husband's coat for safe keeping and then friend husband took the coat to a cleaner's. When Cain got the coat from the tailor he asked "where is the \$11 I left in the coat?" The tailor handed out 55 cents. "That's all I found," he said. Police are investigating.

Advertisement for GOLD'S featuring large stylized letters and decorative borders.

Advertisement for "Pape's Cold Compound" Breaks any Cold in a Few Hours. Instant Relief! Don't stay stuffed-up. Quit blowing and snuffling!

Advertisement for Scott's Emulsion and KI-MOIDS. ASK FOR IT! Expect to find the Fisherman, the "Mark of Supremacy," on every bottle of emulsion that you buy.

Large advertisement for Government Refrigerators from CAMP DODGE. Just Received Several Carloads of—Government Refrigerators From CAMP DODGE. What You Have Been Looking for--On Sale Now. Large Size—\$150. 74 inches high, 85 inches wide. Large ice capacity. Limited supply of medium size—\$100. 75 inches high, 62 inches wide. 400-lb. ice capacity. GOOD AS NEW. Made of high grade materials. Suitable for GROCERS, BUTCHERS, RESTAURANTS, HOTELS, MILKMEN and FARMERS. Omaha Fixture & Supply Company. Complete Store and Office Outfitters. 1101-03-05 Douglas St. Omaha, Neb. Special low prices this month on Used Safes, Desks, Scales, Show Cases, Coffee and Meat Grinders, National Cash Registers, Soda Fountains, Tables, Chairs, Etc. We Buy, We Sell, We Manufacture Store and Office Fixtures of every description.

Advertisement for BURGESS-NASH COMPANY. "EVERYBODY'S STORE". The Burgess-Nash Interior Decorating Department. Have You Chosen Your New MINA TAYLOR If Not You Should Do So Wednesday. For every day women are coming in and choosing among them—perhaps a frock for home duties or something especially pretty for afternoon and street wear. Mina Taylor Dresses. The Dresses for Every Activity which are being made in a model factory now in operation on our second floor. They are made in such pretty styles—these Mina Taylor dresses! They have the clever lines and the many little touches that give them the individuality that you like about your clothes. And the fine gingham and chambrays which are chosen for them give most satisfying service and wash beautifully. Wear your Mina Taylor autoing or picnicking—your outing is the happier for the knowledge that even if your frock does get soiled, it will "do up" to perfection. For real service—and satisfaction—and for the very real economy it represents—try a Mina Taylor. And please come soon—while the showing here is very complete. Priced from \$3.95 up. Gauntlet Gloves in Chamoisette. Elizabeth Ellen Toilet Preparations. Especially prepared toilet preparations of the finest quality are extremely popular with women who care about their personal appearance. Silk and Wool Frocks In Semi-Tailored Effects. Poiret twill and tricotine are the favored materials, but smart little frocks with long bodice and circular skirts and snugly fitted basque effects are decidedly fetching made of that ever youthful material, taffeta. The season has produced few more delightful effects than the frock developed in charmeuse or crepe, which depends entirely on the cutting, the embroidery and draping of the fabric for its beauty.