

Husband Leaps From 12th Story Window to Death

Had Just Been Told by Attorney Wife Granted Divorce and Refused to Accept Alimony.

The crowd that quickly gathered at 2 p. m., saw lying on the pavement a huddled, crumpled heap of clothing, flesh and bones. The skull was crushed, the features twisted and distorted. It was just before an ambulance arrived that one man pushed forward, stood over the dead man and identified the onlookers with the horrified exclamation: "My God, it's Harley Guernsey."

Crowd Closes In. The crowd closed in for a view of the corpse. The man whose exclamation of recognition had stirred them, said later he and Guernsey had been members of a gay party, whose revels at a roadside inn had not broken up until the early hours of morning. He did not reveal his name. The story is brief, but it involves something of courage, something of sacrifice and much of pathos.

Mess of Life. Guernsey, the lawyer said, had been pressing his wife with offers of a large alimony settlement as partial atonement for the scandal in which she had been involved by the divorce trial. He had been involved by the alleged intimacy with half a dozen chorus girls and the details of their alleged midnight revels.

Tragic Death. "I seem to have made a lovely mess of life, don't I?" he is reported to have said to his attorney. The window of the office was wide open. Guernsey, the lawyer said, arose, walked rapidly across the floor and stepped out the window—12 stories above the ground.

Arrest Beatrice Man on Charge of White Slavery. Beatrice, Neb., June 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Walter Roswell, 31, was arrested here on a charge of white slavery, the complaining witness being Marie Fields, 23, who told the officers her home was at Lexington, Mo. She says she and Roswell have been living together for a number of years. She told Sheriff Emery that because she attended a dance at Wymore, Neb., Saturday night, Roswell assaulted her. She came here recently from Shenandoah, Ia. Roswell has been making his headquarters at Kansas City, traveling for an investment company. Deputy United States Marshal Tom Carroll came here this afternoon to take Roswell to Lincoln on a federal charge.

Wahoo Man Will Operate Gold Mine Near Wymore. Wymore, Neb., June 21.—(Special.)—The Nebraska Land and Mining company has leased its gold mine in the western part of this city to J. M. McDonald of Wahoo, Neb., who is now actively engaged in mining operations. The mine was shut down several years ago on account of the war. There are large quantities of ore at a depth of 135 feet, which has been declared by chemists and mining experts, to contain gold in paying quantity. The officers of the company are A. R. Norris, president; C. M. Murdock, secretary; Dave Fouts, treasurer.

Farmers Near Beatrice Harvest All Day Sunday. Beatrice, Neb., June 21.—(Special.)—In every direction from Beatrice the song of the binder can be heard in the distance, and farmers are working overtime to care for their wheat crop, which is ripening fast, before another heavy rain falls. In some localities farmers worked all day Sunday in the fields. Oats will be ready to cut in about a week and the wheat crop must be taken in before the oats harvest begins.

New Masonic Lodge. Syracuse, Neb., June 21.—(Special.)—William E. Hill lodge, No. 307, A. F. & A. M., recently chartered by the grand lodge, was instituted at Otoe in this county last evening by Past Grand Master Samuel Whiting and the Grand Chaplain, Dr. C. M. Shepherd of Lincoln, assisted by the past masters of the neighboring lodges. After the institution the new officers of the lodge were installed by Mr. Whiting in full form. They are: Dr. D. Horace Schall, W. M.; Samuel A. Mazziger, S. W.; Judson L. Clark, J. W.; Schuyler H. Buck, secretary; F. D. Hillman, treasurer.

Stock Movement Strong. Wymore, Neb., June 21.—(Special.)—There is a strong movement of stock to market from southern Nebraska, just at this time, and 200 carloads passed over the Wymore division of the Burlington Sunday, consigned to the Kansas City and St. Joseph markets.

Army Orders. Washington, June 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Col. Samuel Mop Rutherford, inspector general's department (cavalry), is relieved from duty as inspector, Fort Crook, Neb., and will proceed to Fort Sheridan, Ill.

More Truth Than Poetry

By JAMES J. MONTAGUE



A TRANSLATION.

Just at fall of twilight,
When the gold and gray
Over toward the sunset
Softly melt away
While the evening shadows
Creep across the sky
Little Mr. Robin
Sings his lullaby:

Up in the tree top the night wind is straying
Whispering dreamily over your nest;
Drowsily, softly the branches are swaying,
Rocking wee birds to their rest.
Sleep little robin, the day is behind you,
Sleep, while the sheltering maple-bough swings
Never an old Mr. Pussycat find you
Under your mother's warm wings."

When the earliest sunbeam
Lights the highest hill,
When to blinking slumber
Goes the whippoorwill,
Swinging from the summit
Of the tallest tree,
Little Mr. Robin
Pipes his reveille:

"Wake little birding, the morning is calling;
Up from the marshes the mist vapors creep
Over the meadows the sunbeams are falling,
Waking wee birds from their sleep.
Down in the woodland the blackbirds are crying
Up in the elm tree the oriole sings,
Time to be up and take lessons in flying
Trying those little new wings!"



WITH ONE EXCEPTION.

We like to see crown princes and don't care how many of 'em come over here just so his name isn't Hohenzollern.

YANKS NEVER SHALL BE SLAVES.
The arrest of B. Ruth for speeding shows that this is, after all, an extremely democratic country.

A PROFITABLE ENGAGEMENT.
Mr. Carpenter may need some new features after the encounter, but judging by the prices of ringside seats he will be well able to pay for them.

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SLEEPY-TIME TALES

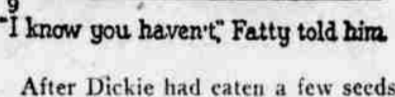
THE TALE OF DICKIE DEER MOUSE

By ARTHUR SCOTT BAILEY

CHAPTER IX.

Fatty Coon Needs Help.

The moment he plunged into the woods beyond the cornfield Dickie Deer Mouse began to feel better. He knew that Fatty Coon would not leave that place of plenty until he had filled himself almost to bursting with tender young corn.



"I know you haven't," Fatty told him.

After Dickie had eaten a few seeds that he found under the trees, as well as a plump bug that was hiding beneath a log, he actually told himself that he was glad he had met Fatty Coon in the cornfield. "Now that he has talked with me," Dickie reasoned, "he won't trouble himself to come to my house when old Mr. Crow tells him where I live."

That thought was a great comfort to him. Ever since he had waked up and heard Mr. Crow and Jasper Jay talking outside his house he had felt most uneasy. If Mr. Crow was going to guide Fatty Coon to his new home, Dickie hardly thought it safe to stay there any longer. But now he was sure that that danger was past. Fatty had no doubt that so long as he kept away from the corn his greedy neighbor would never bother to disturb him. So instead of quitting his snug home—as he had feared he must—he went back to it to finish his nap.

Now, Dickie Deer Mouse had lost so much sleep—through being disturbed by Mr. Crow and Jasper Jay—that when night came he kept right on sleeping. Yes! Instead of joining his friends in a mad scamper through the woods in the moonlight, Dickie Deer Mouse slept on and on, until—something shook the small tree where he lived and made it sway as if an earthquake had come. Dickie Deer Mouse roused himself with a start. His sharp ears caught a scratching sound. And sticking his head through his doorway, he looked out. One quick glance told him what was happening. That pudgy rascal, Fatty Coon, was climbing the tree! And every moment brought him nearer and nearer to Dickie's house. Dickie's big, black eyes bulged more than ever as he whisked out of his house and scampered to the top of the tree, where the branches were so small that Fatty Coon could never follow him. "Stop!" Fatty Coon cried. "Mr. Crow told me where I could find you. And I want to have a word with you."

him. "That's just why I want to have a word with you. I'm in a peck of trouble. And I want you to help me."

Dickie Deer Mouse could scarcely believe it. But being a very polite young gentleman, he told Fatty that he would be glad to do anything in his power to assist him—or at least anything except to come down out of the top of the tree.

Jewel, Flower, Color Symbols for Today

By MILDRED MARSHALL.
Today's talismanic stone is the crystal, an unusually lucky stone. The ancients claim that those who wore it, by gazing into its depths for some time, could foresee future events. However, whether one can prove the truth of this statement or not, the crystal is said to bring to its owner good judgment in directing future events.

The natal stone for those born on an anniversary of this day is the moonstone, to which the ancients also attributed power to endow its wearer with ability to foretell the future.

Today's color is silver, which we are told brings riches to its wearer. The orchid, the symbol of luxury, is today's flower.

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Common Sense

By J. J. MUNDTY.
What Do You Think?
In making an inventory of yourself in an effort to decide what sort of person you are, just analyze your general line of thought.

If you give this close and unbiased study you may be surprised—even shocked—by the sort of person you really are, because you cannot be better than your thoughts. You may have pretty good control of your actions, but if your thoughts and actions do not track together you get very little comfort or personal gratification out of the fact that you are keeping your real self under control.

Parents' Problems

How can punctuality best be taught to children?
Punctuality can best be taught to children by letting them feel the consequences of tardiness. A child who tells time should not be reminded to start to school in the morning; he should, himself, watch the clock—the attitude of his teacher toward lateness will soon teach him punctuality in this particular. Similarly in other directions: Make the children who can tell time, learn to use clocks, and let them take a few times the consequences of failure to do so.

Grand Island to Protest Poor Telephone Service

Grand Island, Neb., June 21.—Grand Island's chamber of commerce has appointed a committee to attend the state railway commission hearing at Lincoln and to protest against the retention of the Northwestern Telephone company's surtax and to register complaint against poor service.

French War Bride Seeks Her Missing Husband in Omaha

Welfare Board Will Try to Obtain Work for Her That Will Divert Her Mind From Troubles.

Welfare board workers fear young Mrs. Frank Ready, French war bride, who is searching for her missing husband in Omaha, will take her own life unless her mind is diverted from the sorrow caused by his absence. "She was hysterical when she left our office yesterday afternoon," said Wallace Wilson, superintendent of the board. "We did not believe she was in such a desperate state of mind until some French people conversed with her in her native language. They told us we must do something at once, or she was almost sure to commit suicide."

Thus far the board has been unable to locate the litigious Parisian's husband, although it is working on the theory he is still in Omaha. Mr. Wilson said he would send her back to her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Ready, at Hartington, Neb., this morning if possible. When she returns here later he will attempt to obtain interesting news for her that she may forget her wrecked love, he said. The young bride says her mother-in-law does not like her. "She thinks I try to steal her son from her and take him back to Paris," she said. "She wants to ship me off to France, but I will not. Frank's father is kind to me and I like him. I know Frank still loves me, too."

The young couple were married in France two years ago, where the girl ran a Paris tram car. Ready took a medical course at the state university.

State Board Admits 37 Embryo Attorneys To Practice of Law

Lincoln, June 21.—(Special.)—Thirty-seven young lawyers were turned loose on the Nebraska bar today when the state board of bar examiners admitted that many to the practice of law in the state. Eighteen of the number live in Omaha. They are: Leo Beveridge, Frank E. Carpenter, jr.; James E. Cobry, Norris P. Crafts, George Evans, Ethan C. Finlay, Max Fromkin, Penelope Hamilton, Miss J. Long, M. J. Mithide, J. Kinnelberg, Long, Wade Garland Morgan, Herbert S. Musgrave, Gordon A. Nicholson, Howard E. Ohman, John W. Setzer, Irwin A. Stalmaster, Bernard R. Stone, Walter M. Wharton, Stephen J. Wurtz.

Those from other towns in the state are: Oscar T. Babcock, North Platte; Chester J. Brown, Bartlett; Ivan Denzil Evans, Theford; Roy B. Ford, Lincoln; George M. Harrington, O'Neill; Joseph Jefferson Heelan, Mullen; W. Eugene Henry, Loup City; Albert Paul Johnson, Broken Bow; James W. Kinsinger, Lincoln; Paul J. Manhart, Palmyra; David B. Masse, Fairfield; James S. Moore, Lincoln; Marcus L. Postel, Lincoln; Ernest L. Reeker, Meadow Grove; Jeanette Regan, Lincoln; Roscoe L. Reice, Creighton; Severine E. Torgerson, Kimball; Dana R. Williams, Albion.

Says U. S. Investment in Europe Will Solve Excess Production

Yankton, S. D., June 21.—Investment of American capital in the securities of foreign enterprises, thus enabling other nations to buy our surplus of raw materials and manufactured goods, is the only solution to the problem of excess production which now seriously threatens American industry, according to John S. Drum of San Francisco, president of the American Bankers association, addressing the South Dakota Bankers association in annual convention today. The countries that were and should be our best customers are no longer able to settle for all the goods they need, in cash, he declared, nor in goods, nor by selling our securities back to us, nor on a short time credit basis. They are crying for our goods but unable to get them. No great nation ever possessed the opportunity that is ours for building up world markets, he asserted.

Designate Two New Towns On Branch Railroad Line

Lincoln, June 21.—(Special.)—Two new Nebraska towns were created today by order of the state railway commission designating two stations on the Union Pacific's branch line from Haig, Neb., into Wyoming. One is designated as station No. 1, which is 7.66 miles from Haig, and the other is station No. 2, within a half mile of the state line 7.9 miles from station No. 1. Station No. 2 bears the name of Lyman, a banker who pushed the proposed creation of the town and built several buildings, including a bank there, to insure the location of the townsite in that place. As yet, there has been no name designated for station No. 2.

Suicide Attempt Fails. Lincoln, June 21.—(Special.)—The breaking of a belt saved Oscar Farber, 33, from death in the Lincoln city jail. Farber placed the belt around his neck and tied it to a gas jet. The belt broke.

Where It Started

Church Bells. St. Paulinus, bishop of Nola in Campania, was the first to make use of bells for religious purposes; the term "Nola" came to mean in low Latin, a bell, and particularly a church bell. From "nola" the words knell and knoll, signifying the slow tolling of the bells, are derived.

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HELP YOURSELF CLUB

The Campaign Closing

The close of the Help Yourself campaign is in sight. It is only three days hence. This means the present stage of the campaign is the critical one.

DECISIONS INVOLVING THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS AWAIT THE OUTCOME OF MEMBERS' WORK DURING THE NEXT FEW DAYS.

There are many very close scores among the prospective winners of the Capital Awards and the nine automobiles.

You are now sweeping into the home stretch of the big race. The goal is in sight. This race means a great deal to you. You want to win—so does the other fellow. That, as you know, is the spirit of the race.

Invariably, when in the home stretch, the racers exert themselves to their utmost. So must you in this race. Most races are won in the home stretch. You know how keen you are to win—so is the other fellow.

Some members, however, will be over confident. They will rely on their past efforts to put them in first place—they will expect the work they did during the special offer periods to put and keep them in the Capital Award winning list. **THEY ARE DUE FOR A SHOCK.**

Still others will assume they have covered their entire fields and that no further subscriptions can be secured—they will take a chance on the scores they have acquired. **THEY COULD MAKE NO GREATER MISTAKE** than to think their previous efforts have completed their task. There are many more new subscriptions obtainable in every field and more second payments. Each day until the finish holds great possibilities.

It is a fact that some of the scores are treading on the heels of the one above them—they are so very close. There are cases where a Club Member may advance several Awards with but a few good-sized subscriptions. **THERE IS ONE CASE WHERE TWO OR THREE SUBSCRIPTIONS WOULD ADVANCE A CLUB MEMBER FROM A DISTRICT AWARD TO A CAPITAL AWARD.** Think of that!

If you are now in the Award winning list and do not put in some good work during these few remaining days, it is practically certain you will not be in the Award winning list at the close of the Campaign. The only way to keep the place you now have is to add to your score of votes by getting subscriptions. The only way to advance to a better position is to secure more subscriptions.

Important Notice to Club Members

From today on, no more Voting Certificates will be returned to the Club Members. However, a letter acknowledging receipt of their remittances and the number of votes issued, will be sent to every Club Member for each remittance received.

The standings of the Club Members will be changed in Thursday's paper and will not be changed again until the close of the Campaign.

All vote Certificates which Club Members are holding in reserve should be sent to the Club Campaign Manager upon or before the close of the Campaign.

All subscriptions placed in the mail before ten o'clock, Saturday night, June 25th, will be counted in the Campaign, provided they reach the office of the Club Manager not later than Wednesday, June 29th.

Late remittances should be sent by special delivery and not by registered mail.