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HIGHEST OF SKYSCRAPERS

909 Feet High—Sixty-Stories and Will Cost \$15,000,000

Building from New York says: More than the cloud-piercing of the Singer and Metropolitan Life Building will be a picture to be erected for the Metropolitan Assurance Society, which have just been

building will occupy the site of the Equitable, on the corner bounded by Broadway, Pine and Cedar streets, including a tower, will rise to a height of 62 stories, 909 feet of curb line, exclusive of roof, which will measure to 150 feet more. The estimated cost will be about \$15,000,000.

Plans show that the main building will be of 34 stories or more, with a frontage of 167 feet on Broadway, 152 feet on Pine street, 304 feet in Pine and 312 feet in Cedar.

Above this building will square tower of 28 stories with cupola, the tower cupola together to be 520 feet high. The ball on the flag-pole will be 74 feet higher than the 56-foot steel Eiffel tower.

Granite and terra cotta, will be the materials of the facades, and the tower will be of the renaissance style. Presenting bays set between great pilasters of Corinthian Doric pattern, the corolla set with clustered columns. The bays will be elaborately decorated with carved

roof of the main building finished with cupolas several stories high, set around the tower. The tower will be in two sections, extending from the 34th to the 62nd story, the main cupola extending four stories above this.

Building is to be equipped with a group of 38 passenger elevators built in two rows in a corridor finished in ornamental tile. Eight of these will run to the top of the tower extension.

Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy Would Have Saved Him \$100.

In 1902 I had a very severe case of diarrhoea," says R. N. Selous of Cat Island, La. "For several weeks I was unable to do anything. On March 18, 1808, I had a similar attack, and took Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which gave me prompt relief. I consider it the best medicine of its kind in the world, and had I used it in 1902 believe it would have saved me a hundred dollar doctor bill." Sold by all druggists.

Defendant in an Iowa breach promise suit says he was shocked when he declared to the plaintiff that her eyes were like stars lighting his way to heaven. But it ought to be worth the damage to have felt so lit up at.

College education never hurt anybody if he was willing to do something afterward.

Modern Romeo Shot and Killed

Thomas J. Bagby, 20 years old, was shot and killed at Huntsville, Mo., Monday night when, like Romeo of old he clung to a rope ladder and talked to his sweetheart, Nellie Carter, 17 years old, the daughter of a well-to-do farmer.

E. J. Carter, Jr., the girl's brother, is held pending the coroner's inquest. Young Carter admits the shooting, but declares he thought Bagby a burglar and did not know he had killed his sister's suitor until he struck a light and looked at the dead youth's face.

The Carters and the Bagbys are neighbors and live five miles south of Huntsville. Both families are prominent and were friendly until young Bagby began to pay attentions to his neighbor's pretty daughter about six months ago. Her brother opposed the match, and Bagby was forbidden to see her or come on the Carter place.

About 9 o'clock Monday night Carter was awakened by the scraping of Bagby's feet against the weatherboarding and seizing his shotgun and a revolver ran out. He saw a man's form half concealed by the vines and fired. The girl screamed, the figure on the ladder swayed and was brought to the ground by a second shot.

War Against Consumption

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Preparing for His African Trip

President Roosevelt, by way of preparation for his hunting trip in Africa, is getting into touch with men familiar with the haunts and habits of big game.

Mr. Roosevelt has consulted A. Donaldson Smith, of Philadelphia, who has hunted big game all over Africa and who has written several books on the subject. He has written also to Frederick Coureny Selous, the English expert on African hunting, and to Edward North Buxton of England.

Mr. Selous has spent the best part of his life in South and Central Africa, to which country he emigrated in 1871 at the age of 20. For many years he has made a living by elephant hunting.

Over Thirty-five Years

In 1872 there was a great deal of diarrhoea, dysentery and cholera infantum. It was at this time that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was first brought into use. It proved more successful than any other remedy or treatment, and has for thirty-five years maintained that record. From a small beginning its sale and use has extended to every part of the United States and to many foreign countries. Nine druggists out of ten will recommend it when their opinion is asked, although they have other medicines that pay them a greater profit. It can always be depended upon, even in the most severe and dangerous cases. For sale by all druggists.

Nearby Poetry

There ain't no nothing much no more,
And nothing ain't no use to me,
In vain I pace the lonely shore,
For I have saw the last of thee.

I seen a ship upon the deep
And signaled this here fond lament,
I ain't done a thing but weep
Since thou has went.

Alas and I ain't one o' they
What haint got no faith in love,
And them fond words of yisterday
Was spoke true by heaven above.

Is it all up twixt I and you,
Will you go wed some other gent?
The things I've did I'd fain undo,
Since thou hast went.

O friend, I done what I have did
Without no thought of no offence;
Return, return I sadly bid,
Before my feelings gits intense.

I have give up all wealth and show
I have gave up all hope of fame,
But O what joy 'twould be to know
That thou has came!

—Charlotte Observer.

Heat prostrates the nerves. In the summer one needs a tonic to offset the customary hot weather nerve and strength depression. You will feel better within 48 hours after beginning to take such a remedy as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Its prompt action in restoring the weakened nerves is surprising. Of course, you won't get entirely strong in a few days, but each day you can actually feel the improvement. That tired, lifeless, spiritless, feeling will quickly depart when using the Restorative. Dr. Shoop's Restorative will sharpen a failing appetite; it aids digestion; it will strengthen the weakened kidneys and heart by simply rebuilding the worn-out nerves that these organs depend upon. Test it a few days and be convinced. Sold by L. G. Fox.

An Indian temperance orator says that as soon as rum is banished, tobacco will be kicked out. We suppose so, and after that statutory wisdom may decide for us just how much molasses shall go on the battercakes.

WATER RATES

Adopted by the Water Committee of the Town of Rockingham, at a Meeting Held in the Manufacturer's Building on June 12, 1908.

The charge per month for 10,000 gal. and under will be 30 cents per 1,000 gal. The charge per month for over 10,000 gal. will be 25 cents per 1,000 gal. Special rates will be made for special purposes.

The minimum charge per month will be as follows:
For 2-8 in. connections, \$1.00
For 3-4 in. connections, \$1.25
For 1 inch connections, \$1.50

This charge, however, is not cumulative but works as follows:
If a party having 5-8 connection uses 3,300 gal. per month his charge would be \$1.00. It would still be \$1.00 if he used only 1,000 gal., but if he uses 5,000 gal. his charge would only be \$1.50.

We are advised and believe that for houses of ordinary size, with not more than one bath room, the charge will hardly ever be in excess of the minimum.

The actual cost to the town for tapping the main and furnishing curb cock, piping, corporation cock, meter, etc., to the sidewalk line is as follows:
For the 5-8 connection.....\$17.04
For the 3-4 connection..... 21.62
For the 1 inch connection..... 28.00

The town will charge for this service, labor included:
For the 5-8 connection.....\$20.00
For the 3-4 connection..... 25.00
For the 1 inch connection..... 35.00


which charge is payable in installments of \$1.00 per month, or if paid for in full within ten days ten per cent may be deducted for cash.

All meters will be read monthly and if bills are not paid by the 20th of the succeeding month the water will be cut off.

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