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REPRIEVE COMMERCE COURT?

MERCY COURT?

The all but completed program to abolish the Commerce Court has called forth from shippers numerous protests that when complaining against the court they did not desire action in any such wise. Neither did they desire the recent decision of the Superior Court which leaves them with no appeal from the rulings of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

What shippers now propose is that the Commerce Court shall have power to consider any question or questions of law entering into rulings against relief.

The fact is, shippers, Congress, Supreme Court and public alike appreciate the value of a properly framed and conducted Commerce Court. The complaint from all sides has been that the Commerce Court judges usurped power and misused the power which they had usurped.

When a young man sits ten feet away from a girl and kindly informs her that she is his first and only love she can bet on his veracity.

A GIRL'S WILD MIDNIGHT RIDE.

To warn people of a fearful forest fire in the Catalinas a young girl rode horseback at midnight and saved many lives. Her deed was glorious but lives are often saved by Dr. King's New Discovery in curing lung trouble, colds and coughs, which might have ended in consumption or pneumonia.

Wise people worry over things fools may never think of.

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Reads His Future Wife's Name On Egg.

Sharon, Pa., July 2—A romance started through reading the name of a young woman on an egg shipped from Everton, Dade county, Missouri, will probably end in a wedding as soon as David Lewis, of New Castle, reaches that State. The woman in the case is Miss Fannie Spight.

He proposed by mail and was accepted and yesterday he left for the "show-me" State, where he will claim the hand of Miss Spight. After the wedding the couple will return to New Castle to reside.

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The GLOW of the RUBIES

by FRANCIS PERRY ELLIOTT ILLUSTRATIONS BY RAY WALKER

"What's that?" says the young fellow, kinder frowning. And you say, easy-like, "Why, we'll just be one happy family."

"Oh!" I uttered, dazed by this new blow. So it was her pajamas.

But there was more of the message—I could see it in Wilkes' eye.

"Yes, sir," he went on as I gave him a nod.

"Mr. Billings called through the door-crack—and his voice was particularly shrill—screaky-like—very unnatural, sir—and he said: 'You tell him I say he'll find it very dangerous to keep them by him a moment; tell him my advice is to return them immediately!'"

Here the butler hesitated an instant and added: "And he said for me to try to remember three letters I was to mention—said you would understand."

"Three letters?" I repeated dully. "Yes, sir, three letters—I did remember 'em, too, because they happened to be the initials of a young woman I—hm! Q. E. D., sir."

"Q. E. D.," I said, puzzled and miserable. "What's Q. E. D.?" And then an idea startled me.

"Oh I say, you mean—er—P. D. Q.—oh, Wilkes!" I sounded like Jack!

But he seemed sure he didn't; insisted on Q. E. D. When he had withdrawn, I sat there a moment, allowing hard.

Presently I pulled myself together, Jenkins, as he helped me dress, eyed me in a frightened way, his face kind of pale and greenish.

"Is it anything about Jacky?" snapped the frump.

I shook my head and just gently placed the little wrapped parcel in Frances' hands. My hand shook so I almost dropped it.

"Some—something of yours that was lost," I said, and I knew my voice shook a little, too.

"For the last time, I knew—and it was just my devilish luck that she got misty and dim. I whispered hoarsely: 'Open when you are alone.'"

And then I walked straight out of the house!

A gardener directed me to the main gates, but there were so many dashed curves and terraces I got hopelessly twisted, and pretty soon didn't know whether I was leaving or coming.

"Don't you know I sat down on an iron bench to think it over, and by Jove, I must have dozed off, for the first thing I knew some one yelled my name, and I looked up to see—Billings!

He was looking a bit soiled and disheveled, and his eyes had a haunted look.

"What the devil are you doing, sitting here?" he demanded.

"I—I'm gone," I said, hurriedly getting to my feet. "Just resting—"

"They told me I would find you here," he said. "Here you are, sitting out here in the hot sun without any hat! Good thing, Dick, you haven't got any—hm!""

"But, nice way you and my sister treated me—hm!—hm! But I'll forgive you this time."

Here he linked his arm in mine. "I'll forgive you, if you never say anything at the club about those damned black pajamas—nor in the family, either. Great Heavens! I wouldn't have this get out!"

"I wouldn't think of such a thing!" I exclaimed, immeasurably relieved, but indignantly, as well. He led me across the turf.

"Oh, I've had an awful time, Dick! Awful!" he lifted his hands. "Oh, I don't want to tell you about it—I don't want even to think about it myself!"

I murmured something sympathetic, for I felt sympathetic with anything, besides, there still lingered a bit of headache from the Holdberg punch and I could imagine from that what his feelings must have been.

"By George, Dick," he burst out again, "the wife I've been with and she—"

LOCO LOCALS. Onslow County, July 3—The farmers are hustling to get the grass out of their cotton while the weather is fair.

Everybody is looking forward to a nice time at the big July meeting at White Oak, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Clyde Hoffman of Hookerton, spent a few days at Mr. R. B. Parsons this week.

Miss Susie Higgins returned home Saturday from Verona where she spent three weeks with her sister.

Mr. Dock Collins and Mr. Perry Smith of Jones county were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. J. R. Parsons and Mr. Albert Taylor spent Sunday afternoon with friends near Mayville, think they have some attraction.

Mr. G. W. Smith and Mr. W. L. Snipes spent Sunday afternoon in Jones county.

Misses Gladys, Mabel and Verda Collins of Jones county, spent the day here Sunday.

Master Dell Collins is spending this week here.

Mr. F. F. Parsons, Miss Maggie Carr, Mr. Clyde Hoffman, Miss Etta Smith and Mr. D. L. Smith all went on the excursion to Wrightsville Beach Sunday. They reported a very nice time.

Will close with best wishes for the Journal. "THE UGLY GIRL."

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Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

It used to be low neck and short sleeves, now it's low neck and no sleeves. What next?

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Norfolk and Virginia Beach via Norfolk Southern Ry., Account Big Fourth of July Celebration.

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"I continued using Foley Kidney Pills and can truly say I was relieved at once." His example is worth following.—For sale by all dealers.

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