

**A Sailing Vehicle for Road Use.**  
Greensboro Record.

Inventive genius is still marching on, the latest being a device for "sailing" a vehicle on land. A German inventor has devised a sail vehicle that makes fair progress along roads. Its features are lightness and effective steering apparatus. It consists of a light framework supporting a saddle and a mast for the sail and resting upon four wheels, one wheel on either side and one before and one behind. The two latter are of a larger diameter than the former, and all are far apart, as is the practice with automobile wheels. The chief peculiarity in the device is the connection of the wheels with one another. The rear wheel and the right side wheel are rigidly connected together, and the same is the case with the front wheel and the left side wheel. The two connecting bars are joggled with each other by means of an axle or cross bar, the attachment at each end being of a hinged type. A person sitting on the saddle rests his feet on this transverse axle, and by suitable pressure can alter at once the relation of the wheels to the main axle of the framework. This arrangement, furthermore, leaves his hands completely free for adjusting the position of the sail or using a brake.

Spencer Trask, head of the big financial concern of New York bearing his name, was crushed to death in a railroad wreck Friday while occupying his private car en route to the city from his country home near Saratoga. A freight train crashed into the rear of the passenger.

**The Battle**

By CLEVELAND MOFFETT  
Novelized by the Author From His Great Play of the Same Name  
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CHAPTER I—A young diver known as Philip Ames visits a miserable tenement in New York where he knows a young woman, Jenny, who has been reclaimed from the streets. II—The owner of the tenement, John J. Haggleton, a multimillionaire, visits the place. III—Haggleton learns that Philip Ames is his son, whom his wife took away with her years before. IV—Haggleton decides to live in the tenement under the name of Jackson to study social conditions and to try to win the affection of his long lost son. V—Moran, Jenny's father, tells how he was ruined in business by John J. Haggleton, whom, of course, he does not recognize. VI—Haggleton visits the disease laden tenements of the east side, many of which he owns. VII—Moran gets Haggleton (Jackson) a job in a bakery as helper. VIII—Haggleton decides to form a bakeshop trust. IX—Jenny is in love with Philip, but he is in love with Margaret Lawrence, a charity worker, a nurse. X—Gentle, a diver, who knows how Haggleton is, tries to keep Philip interested in helping the poor. Haggleton forms a bakeshop trust, and Philip becomes engrossed in this new business. XI—Jenny deceives Philip into her home and tells him she loves him madly. XII—Margaret Lawrence learns that Haggleton is Philip's father. She hates Haggleton because of his unscrupulous business methods. XIII—Philip risks his life to rescue another diver caught under water in a wreck. XIV—Gentle argues with Haggleton on the right if employers and employees and on the conditions of the poor. XV—Margaret Lawrence warns Philip against the bakeshop trust. XVI—Moran searches for Jenny, who has left her home, only to find her in a low dance hall. XVII—Philip learns that Haggleton is his father. XVIII—Moran learns that "Jackson" is John J. Haggleton. He tries to kill him, but the bullet lodges in Phillip's chest.

CHAPTER XII.  
MARGARET UNVANQUISHED.  
THERE followed weeks of pain and anxiety in the great Haggleton mansion in Fifth avenue. Meantime Philip was passing through a moral as well as a physical crisis. In his weakness and suffering, in the long restless nights when his mind wandered in incoherent mutterings, in his days of increasing strength and courage, in every moment of wakefulness or half wakefulness, there was present before him, vaguely or distinctly, this one thought, that a sudden and tremendous responsibility had been placed upon him. What

course should he decide upon? Here were dreams of his eager youth in the way of amazing realization. And this stern, worldly man, drenched by thousands, envied by millions—this great lord of taskmasters in whose hands lay all power over tolling multitudes—here he was, this richest man in America, Philip's own father, ready and eager to please him with untold benefactions, to do good instead of evil, to make amends for—for the past, as he had vowed in tender, broken words at that tortured bedside while he waited and hoped and possibly prayed (if Haggleton could pray) that his son's life might be spared him. He would tear down "lung block," and he would put aside several millions for immediate steps toward solving that problem and several millions more for miscellaneous charities in which his son might be interested. In short, Philip would have at least \$10,000,000 at his disposal in a campaign of practical reform. Ten million dollars!

Margaret had nursed him with a sort of passionate intensity. Philip assumed that the catastrophe had wiped out the past, that the obstacle which had risen between them had been leveled by it. Her evasive answers when he spoke of their coming marriage worried him a little, but her professional assertion that for the present his mind must be set first of all upon his recovery reassured him in a measure. Her mind was fully made up. No, she could not bring herself to marry the son of a man who had destroyed and in a way disgraced her father. She loved Philip, loved him in spite of this hateful relationship. She would have married him joyfully as Philip Ames, a man of the people; she would have married him in poverty, in obscurity, in sickness, in anything except his present state.

Her relations with the old millionaire were difficult. He spoke to her as little as possible. Yet it was unavoidable that time and again they should stand side by side watching over the patient when the fever rose and his chances of recovery seemed doubtful. It was then that they listened together to his delirious mutterings in which his love for her, his admiration and affection for him, his reverence for his mother's memory, his perplexity over the wrong committed, were intermingled. She began to like Haggleton, to admire the unvarying readiness of resource, the determination and efficiency that always were at his service in the sickroom, as they had been in the marts of men and in Moran's tenement.

Haggleton was fighting his final battle. He had conquered Philip, Gentle, Joe Caffrey, Jenny, Moran even, repentant in his cell awaiting trial. Now he was seeking to conquer Margaret. Gentle had long since surrendered to the enemy, gone over to his camp, bag and baggage, his almoner already, marveling every day at the way Haggleton had of making every one of his preliminary gifts to the poor yield its hundred per cent of benefit. Jenny had been provided for. Haggleton had seen to this too.

And the bakery trust, forgotten now, flourished. It was selling better bread and cheaper bread to the whole east side. Joe Caffrey had found himself there. He was in temporary charge of the offices in Moran's transformed rooms. "If you want to make a lazy man hustle give him a job bossing somebody else," Haggleton had said laughingly to Gentle. Thus three weeks passed, weeks of diminishing anxiety. Philip had been declared out of danger and was to make his first appearance at the dinner table that night. Margaret's service as a nurse had come to an end. She must make her final choice.

Haggleton left her alone with him, in his usual mental attitude of preparedness for whatever might happen, hoping that he had won her for Philip and Philip for himself, yet doubtful and ready to do battle to the very last. Haggleton talked with Gentle in the library. He turned to the large picture of his wife and their infant son over the mantelpiece and looked at it. "You have recovered your son, Mr. Haggleton," Gentle said, with reassuring conviction. "Philip answered the call of the blood, as you said he would. He loves you."

"Yes, he loves me. That's the great, precious fact—my boy loves me. But he knows this girl, too, and she won't change. I have watched her all these weeks while she has been nursing Philip. The doctor says that he owes his life to her devotion, but—no, she won't change; she can't forget." "She can forgive." "I doubt it, and I don't blame her. I like her. She has narrow ideas, but she holds to them hard! I'd rather have a person strongly wrong than weakly right." "She will never leave Philip now," persisted Gentle. "Suppose she makes Philip leave me?" "It's inconceivable!" "Nothing is inconceivable, Mr. Gentle, when a good woman thinks that she is fighting a bad man. A conscientious woman has no scruples." "At any rate, she must speak out soon."

A servant entered. "There's a person asking to see you, sir," he announced. "He says his name is Joe Caffrey. There is another person with him, a woman." "It's Jenny," said Gentle in an undertone. "They want to plead for Moran, I guess. His case comes up next week." "Show them both in." "How was Moran when you last saw him in the Tombs?" asked the millionaire. "Sincerely sorry for what he did. When I told him what you have done for Jenny he broke down."

"I'll see that he is dealt with leniently. After all, his mad act was prompted by a father's love, like mine." The servant opened the door again and admitted Joe Caffrey, followed timidly by Jenny.

[To Be Continued.]

**Simple Remedy for LaGrippe.**  
LaGrippe coughs are dangerous, as they frequently develop into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough, but heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. J. H. Kennedy & Co.

President and Mrs. Taft gave their first New Year's levee at the White House Saturday from 11 to 1:55 o'clock, during which time the Chief Executive shook hands with exactly 5,575 people. In the receiving line were the Vice President and all the cabinet members except Secretaries Knox and Dickinson who were absent from the capital. The President wore his usual broad smile during the entire reception.

**Pneumonia Follows a Cold**  
but never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar, which stops the cough, heals the lungs, and expels the cold from your system. J. H. Kennedy & Co.

Rev. Carr Baylus Justice, a venerable Baptist minister and a brother of Superior Court Judge M. H. Justice, died at his home in Rutherfordton Friday, aged 73 years. He was a son of Rev. Thomas B. Justice, also a noted Baptist minister. He served as pastor of the Rutherfordton church for 38 years.

It is a dangerous thing to take a cough medicine containing opiates that merely stifle your cough instead of curing it. Foley's Honey and Tar loosens and cures the cough and expels the poisonous germs, thus preventing pneumonia and consumption. Refuse substitutes and take only the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in yellow packages. J. H. Kennedy & Co.

**Youth Meets Tragic Death.**  
Andrew Styles, aged 22 and a painter in the employe of the Chadwick-Hoskins Company, met a horrible death Saturday night about midnight at Charlotte where he was killed at the Sixth street crossing of the Southern and Seaboard Railways. A Southern freight train had the track blocked and as soon as it pulled out Styles started to cross and was run over by a Seaboard train going in an opposite direction. His body was badly mangled.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. It invigorates the entire system and strengthens the kidneys so they eliminate the impurities from the blood. Backache, rheumatism, kidney and bladder troubles are all cured by this great medicine. J. H. Kennedy & Co.

Fayetteville officers are looking for K. T. Franklin, who fled from there Friday when it was learned that he was a bigamist. Franklin married a prominent Rock Hill lady last September and they went to Fayetteville to live, Franklin posing as a traveling representative of The Christian Observer, of Louisville, Ky. According to reports Franklin has another wife living, an 18-year-old daughter at Charleston, S. C., and has served two terms in the penitentiary.

**Rev. I. W. Williams Testifies.**  
Rev. I. W. Williams, Huntington, W. Va., writes us as follows: "This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble and am free to say the Foley's Kidney Remedy will do all that you claim for it." J. H. Kennedy & Co.

New York has another murder mystery to solve. Sunday Morris Nathanson, a wealthy real estate holder and clothing manufacturer, was found dead in his office, his body bound to a chair with cords. His partner, Isaac H. Gold, was arrested but was later released. Nathanson's two sons conduct a clothing business at Fayetteville, Tenn.

**A Traveling Salesman.**  
H. F. Beers, 617-7th Ave., Peoria, Ill., writes: "I have been troubled for some time with kidney trouble, so severely at times I could scarcely carry my grips. After using one bottle of Foley's Kidney Pills I have been entirely relieved, and cheerfully recommend them to all." Foley's Kidney Pills are healing and antiseptic and will restore health and strength. J. H. Kennedy & Co.

Judge H. H. Lorton, of Nashville, Tenn., recently appointed by President Taft to succeed the late Justice R. W. Peckham as a member of the Supreme Court bench, was sworn in at noon yesterday and was a guest last night at the annual dinner given by Chief Justice Fuller to his associates on the bench.

Superintendent J. J. Laughinghouse, of the State's prison, says he is just as much in the dark now as he was six months ago as to when the electric apparatus for the prison "death chamber," required under the act requiring that all death sentences in the State shall be in the prison by electrocution, will be ready. In fact, it looks now like it will not be ready January 14, when the Morris negro, to die for criminal assault, is scheduled to receive the distinction of being the first victim of the electrocution act.

**LAND POSTED NOTICES.**  
For sale at the following prices: 2 for 5 cents; 5 for 10 cents; 12 for 20 cents; two dozen for 35 cents; 50 for 60 cents. Mail orders receive prompt attention. Gazette Publishing Co., No. 236 Main avenue, Gastonia, N. C.

**NOTICE.**  
All accounts due the Williams Drug Company will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection if not settled by February 1st, 1910. F10. H. M. EDDLEMAN.

**NOTICE.**  
To the Members of the Farmers' Union of Gaston County:  
There will be a meeting of the Gaston Farmers Union at Dallas on Saturday, January 8, 1910. Every local is requested to send delegates to this meeting as it will be an important one. The work for the coming year will be outlined and other affairs of like nature attended to. Come, brother farmer, and let us determine to start the new year, 1910, as a great corn and hog year in old Gaston. W. W. FAIRES, President.

**A HARD STRUGGLE.**  
Many a Gastonia Citizen Finds the Struggle Hard.  
With a back constantly aching, With distressing urinary disorders, Daily existence is but a struggle. No need to try to keep it up. Doan's Kidney Pills will cure you. Gastonia people endorse this claim:

Thomas Revels, of Gastonia, N. C., says: "For several years pains in the small of my back caused me much suffering and though I was constantly taking remedies I was unable to find relief. A short time ago I was advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills and deciding to do so, I procured a supply at the Abernethy-Shields Drug Co. Since using them, I have had practically no pains in my back and my kidneys have been normal. My advice to anyone afflicted in a similar way is to give Doan's Kidney Pills a trial."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

A cooking range or rather the water tank attachment to it exploded Friday in the home of Mr. L. C. Caldwell at Statesville and blew a servant across the room. No serious injury was done, however.

**WHAT EVERY WOMANLY WOMAN WANTS.**  
One of the fondest desires of millions of women is to have beautiful hair. This desire can be gratified without the slightest risk, for druggists everywhere, and J. H. Kennedy & Co. sell a hair tonic called Parisian Sage for 50 cents, that will turn dull, lifeless, unattractive hair into lustrous and attractive hair in two weeks, or money back.

Put the name on your shopping list right now, and be sure and get the genuine. Every package has the girl with the Auburn hair upon it. Since its introduction in America, Parisian Sage has won unstinted praise from women of refinement who have learned what a delightful and refreshing hair tonic and dressing Parisian Sage is. Just because the makers are absolutely certain that Parisian Sage is the only preparation that kills the pernicious dandruff microbes, they are willing to guarantee it to banish dandruff, stop falling hair and itching scalp, or money back. J4-11M4-11

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**DENTIST GOES TO BELMONT.**  
Dr. M. E. Hoffman, of Stanley, will practice dentistry in Belmont on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday after the third Sunday in each month.

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**Good Investment Liberal Loans**

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Charles W. Morse, the convicted banker, was taken Sunday from New York city to the Federal prison at Atlanta, Ga., to begin his fifteen year sentence for violation of the National Banking laws. Before leaving New York Morse issued a dramatic statement in which he attacked the court and the jury that tried and sentenced him.



**ABOUT HYOMEL.**  
A Bottle Costs Only 50 Cents—A Complete Outfit Including Inhaler \$1.00.

When J. H. Kennedy & Co. will guarantee Hyomel to cure catarrh or give you your money back, what is your answer?  
Are you satisfied with your condition, or do you want to rid yourself forever of vile catarrh, with its humiliating symptoms, such as hawking, spitting, blowing and bad breath?  
Hyomel is a simple, antiseptic medicine, that you breathe through a small pocket inhaler over the parts affected.

It is made of Australian eucalyptus mixed with other germ killing and membrane soothing antiseptics. Get a complete outfit today. It only costs \$1.00, and contains everything necessary to cure any ordinary case of catarrh. Extra bottles, if needed, 50c.  
Hyomel is the best remedy in the world for sore throat, coughs and colds, croup and bronchitis. It gives wonderful relief in two minutes. For sale by druggists everywhere and by J. H. Kennedy & Co. J418 A 26-M 10.

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The old year passes into darkness, the new year accepts the light. The present is the day of new things and  
**WE ARE IN THE LEAD**  
for the newest and the best. Our success is an inspiration to offer better things than ever. We are eclipsing all our past efforts.

**J. I. GREEN**  
Phone 147 - Photographer

**NOTICE.**  
At a recent meeting of the Physicians' Protective Association of Gaston county it was decided to put all who have not made satisfactory settlement with their physicians on the delinquent list to take effect January 1, 1910. This association means business and will do just what it claims to do. This will enable you, if you pay your bills, to get prompt attention. This does not mean that all people must pay cash for services but simply means you must pay in a reasonable time. J11 c 3.