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THE DAILY HORROR.

In justification of the publication of the details of the daily crimes, accidents and casualties, newspapers claim that their readers want these horrors served up for them. But the daily horror, tho' a news item is not strictly needed to advance society.

Particularly in the social line does the daily horror find its greatest number of readers. Scandal, ever a sweet morsel for busy bodies, finds itself today as ever, in the front rank.

The venturesome novelist treats of the "problem play," and yet the old adage of truth being stranger than fiction, is as true in this day as in any other age. The romance of the present century deals largely in the "problem play" that some tragic ending brings to the surface. Elopement of married people finds romantic ending in the murder or suicide of one or both of the parties. Double living because of an alleged affinity of soul, that justifies the act to those so grossly outraging not just the conventionalties, but the decencies of life, hardly finds tolerance, much less endurance in society, that is not really thin skinned. "Advanced thought" tries all the time to rearrange and reconstruct society, in order to justify laxity in the moral code. There are followers of "advanced thought," but the majority of the world refuses to accept it literally, and its presence is tolerated, with the chance of harsh rebukes, if there be over much of it forced upon people.

It is this moral strain that is to be found even in those far from being pure in heart, that keeps the world from tipping more towards wrong than right. It is the something divine accorded to poor humanity that holds as an unshaken basic principle, the institution of the family, its wholesomeness, its sacredness. There is no "problem," in the family, or its substitution. No "advanced thought" can change its construction. The daily horror passes it by leaving it unscathed, unpolluted.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

Who fears is worthy of calamity.—Ben Jonson.

You are probably arware that pneumonia always results from a cold, but you never heard of a cold resulting in pneumonia when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was used. Why take the risk when this remedy may be had for a trifle? For sale by all dealers.

However wretched a mortal may be, he is still a member of the common species.—Seneca.

RESTORE GRAY HAIR TO NATURAL COLOR

By Common Garden Sage, a Simple Remedy for Dandruff, Falling, Faded, Gray Hair.

The old idea of using sage for darkening the hair is again coming in vogue. Our grandmothers used to have dark, glossy hair at the age of seventy-five, while our mothers have white hair before they are fifty. Our grandmothers used to make a "sage tea" and apply it to their hair. The tea made their hair soft and glossy, and gradually restored the natural color.

One objection to using such a preparation was the trouble of making it, especially as it had to be made every two or three days, on account of souring quickly. This objection has been overcome, and by asking almost any first-class druggist for Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy the public can get a superior preparation of sage, with the admixture of sulphur, another valuable remedy for hair and scalp troubles. Daily use of this preparation will not only quickly restore the color of the hair, but will also stop the hair from falling out and make it grow.

Get a bottle from your druggist today. Use it and see for yourself how quickly dandruff goes and gray hairs vanish.

This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists.

Grant Anderson & Co. Agts.

There is Only One
"Bromo Quinine"
That is
Laxative Bromo Quinine
USED THE WORLD OVER TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Always remember the full name. Look for this signature on every box. 25c. E. W. Grove

STATE OF NORTH CAKOLINA.

Department of State—Certificate of Dissolution.

To all to Whom These Presents May Come—Greeting.

Whereas, It appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that the Pep-Tona Company, a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated at No. —, ——street, in the city of New Bern, county of Craven, State of North Carolina (F. S. Duffy being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served), has complied with the requirements of Chapter 21, revisal of 1905, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution.

Now, Therefore, I, J. BRYAN GRIMES, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 17th day of January, 1912, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.

In testimony whereof, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my official, seal, at Raleigh, this 17th day of January, A. D. 1912.

J. BRYAN GRIMES,
Secretary of State.

Philadelphia suffered a $1,000,000 fire od Sunday.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS
FOR BACKACHE KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

Mrs. Louise White Suydam Noble and Frederick W. Noble committed suicide in New York.

COLDS VANISH

Quick, Sensible Method That Dosn't Upset the Stomach.

Have you heard of the overnight cold cure that is putting colds in the head and chest out of business between sunset and daybreak.

Here it is. Cut it out and save it if you dont need it now. If you have a cold, cough, throat soreness or acute catarrh, be sure and try it tonight just before going to bed. Pour a scant teaspoonful of HYOMEI (pronounce it High-o-me) into a bowl of boiling water cover head and bowl with a towel and breath for several minutes the vapor that arises, then go to sleep and awake with a clear head free from mucus.

HYOMEI is guaranteed for catarrh, colds, coughs, croup, asthma, sore throat and bronchitis, or money back. Bottle of Hyomei 50 cents at Bradham Drug Co.

Favors out of place I regard as positive injuries.—Cicero

Foley Kidney Pills will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more.

The mysterious package explosion which resulted in the death of Mrs. Helen Taylor Saturday, was investigated and Charles M. Dickinson was held as a suspect.

When her child is in danger a woman will risk her life to protect it. No great act of heroism or risk of life is necessary to protect a child from croup. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and all danger is avoided. For sale by all dealers.

The Vegetarian Oyster.

Oysters are most exemplary in the matter of diet. The oyster is well nigh a vegetarian, living almost exclusively on seaweed, including the minute pine pollen of the water. Smaller animals form only 5 per cent of his food. He is a methodical feeder, always dining between the hours of 12 and 2 in the afternoon. When he wants his meals he simply opens his shell and lets the water flow in through a sort of gill, which retains the food, allowing the water to run out again. It is only in frosty weather that the oyster goes off his feed in order to protect himself as much as possible from the cold he lies with the bulging shell uppermost. In this position he cannot open his shell and must perforce go short of food. But he would sooner starve than let the cold water in to chill his delicate flesh. Bless him!—London Chronicle.

INDIAN KILLED ON TRACK.

Near Rochelle, Ill., an Indian went to sleep on a railroad track and was killed by the fast express. He paid for his carelessness with his life. Often it is that way when people neglect coughs and colds. Don't risk your life when prompt use of Dr. King's New Discovery will cure them and to prevent a dangerous throat or lung trouble. "It completely cured me, in a short time, of a terrible cough that followed a severe attack of Grip," writes J. R. Watts, Floydale, Tex. "And I regained 15 pounds in weight than I had lost." Quick, safe

LOW FARES

Via Norfolk-Southern to New Orleans, Mobile, Pensacola

Account Mardi Gras Carnivals, tickets on sale February 15th to 19th, 1912. Final limit March 2, 1912. Ask nearest ticket agent for particulars.

B. L. BUGG, Traffic Mgr. W. W. CROXTON Gen. Pass. Agt.

No man is born without faults, he is the best who has the fewest.—Horace.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

Miss Elsie Little, daughter of a New York publisher, was killed by a train near Pinehurst, N. C.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The steamship Suwance picked up 6 men in a small boat southwest of Frying Pan Shoals who had abandoned a burned schooner.

AN EPIDEMIC OF COUGHING

Is sweeping over the town. Old and young alike are affected, and the strain is particulary hard on little children and on elderly people. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is a quick, safe and reliable cure for all coughs and colds. Contains no opiates. For Sale By All Dealers.

The Dowager Empress of China issued an edict instructing Yuan Shi Kai to establish a republic.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS
FOR BACKACHE KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

Two hundred and fifty persons on Hollands Island, Md., have been cut off from the rest of the world four weeks and there are fears for their welfare.

Sedentary habits, lack of outdoor exercise, insufficient mastication of food, constipation, a torpid liver, worry and anxiety, are the most common causes of stomach troubles. Correct your habits and take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and you will soon be well again. For sale by all dealers.

The Court and jurymen trying the Camorrists went to Torre del Greco, the scene of the Cuoccolo murder.

THE TRAILS OF A TRAVELER.

"I am a travelling salesman," writes E E Youngs, E Berkshire, Vt., "and was often troubled with constipation and indigestion till I began to use Dr. King's New Life Pills, which I have found an excellent remedy." For all stomach, liver or kidney troubles they are unequaled. Only 25 cents at all druggists.

President Taft suspended the order which prohibited the wearing of distinctive religious insignia and garb at school exercises in the Indian schools

A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Liniment and bound on the affected parts is superior to any plaster. When troubled with lame back or pains in the side or chest, give it a trial and you are certain to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords Sold by all dealers.

The United States Government is holding troops in readiness for eventualities in Mexico.

WOMEN

Women of the highest type, women of superior education and refinement, whose discernment and judgment give weight and force to their opinions, highly praise the wonderful corrective and curative properties of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Throughout the many stages of womanly life, from girlhood, through the ordeals of motherhood to the declining years, there is no safer or more reliable medicine. Chamberlain's Tablets are well worth a trial. For sale by all dealers.

THE LASH OF CIRCUMSTANCE

By HARRY IRVING GREENE

Author of "YOSONDE OF THE WILDERNESS"

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CHAPTER XIII—Mrs. Dace accepts Tom as her fiance and encourages him to invest money in a certain stock. Tom has a row with Mackay after which the latter threatens revenge.

have you got to tell me?" I urged in finishing. He closed his lips so tightly around his cigar that it resembled a nail driven into a crack and appeared to be filling himself to his toes with smoke as he reflected. Presently he expelled the smoke from his mouth after the manner of a nursery dragon.

"I don't know whether I am acting wisely or not, but under your promise to divulge nothing you may learn from me without my consent I am going to risk it. I know that you believe in your cousin Bruce's honesty."

"Implicity."

"But do you happen to know that he has somehow or other managed to come into active control of enough money to resume his operations on 'change on a rather liberal scale?" he queried with a thin smile. I was astonished and told him so.

"Well, he has," he pursued assertively. "Furthermore, he is carrying on his operations under some name which does not sound at all like his own. You look surprised. That's the way I felt when I first found this out."

I ruminated. "But certainly he would not be fool enough to openly and notoriously and under our very noses begin the use of money dishonestly obtained almost the day after the commission of a crime which he knows he has not absolved himself of?" I cried. LeDuc looked at me queerly.

"That is what almost any one would think under first impulse. But when you are dealing with criminals you must remember that they do not reason and act just as do honest men. When a sane man takes his life and liberty in his hand and commits a desperate crime, he is of necessity more or less regardless of consequences, as well as being driven by strong pressure. And in nearly all cases it is because of this recklessness that we catch him. He may commit the crime itself with a skill and caution that is almost more than human, yet the next day is apt to go out and do something so foolish that it instantly attracts attention to him. For instance, having had no money before, he now begins to spend it lavishly; or becoming under the influence of liquor boast or let things drop that sound queer. If it were not for these peculiarities of the criminal make up, and the fact that he generally makes a confident of some woman who betrays him, the road of the criminal would be comparatively safe and that of the detective an unhappy one."

"But I cannot believe that there is anything crooked about Bruce. Deceit is foreign to his whole nature." My friend thrust one hand in his pocket.

"Does he ever smoke cigarettes?" he smiled.

"Frequently."

"Any particular brand?"

I paused to reflect. "I think so. As I remember, those that I have seen were invariably a Turkish abomination with a serrated gilt band for a mouthpiece. What is your reason for asking me that?" He withdrew his hand from beneath the table and tossed a half-smoked specimen of the species which I had been describing on the table before me. I looked at him inquiringly.

"I found that in the hallway of your house near the closet where your uncle had been confined. Perhaps you noticed at the time that I picked up something which I did not show you."

Silently I sat trying to read his blank eyes. But as for divining what lay behind them I might as well have gazed at windows back of which the shades were drawn.

CHAPTER XIII.

Directly after this seance with LeDuc the stock which I had margined began that series of kangaroo leaps upward which will never be forgotten by those, who by reason of their interest, watched the marvel. I probably called my broker up not less than half a dozen times a day during this period, and it was seldom indeed that his last quotation was not higher than the one of any half an hour before. It went darting skyward in the eccentric zig-zags with which a kite mounts in a gale, and within a fortnight I found myself richer by thousands added to thousands. The glittering heights of fortune seemingly hung close over me; the end of the rainbow with its great bag of gold was within mathematical striking distance; and taking greater chances than ever for the sake of greater gains, I plunged wildly as I restaked my winnings on every throw. And day by day the Midas touch was mine and I won, won, won. Then grown money reckless by my constant success, I permitted myself another piece of extravagance for the allurement of the woman I loved and the greater opportunities it would give me to be with her. I bought a handsome motor car upon which I had had my eyes for some time, housing it in a public garage and telling nobody but her that I had purchased it.

I took Mrs. Dace out on the first evening after I had mastered my new acquisition for a long ride country-ward. The weather was ideal, the roads in splendid condition and we

ARAPAHOE NEWS.

February 5.—Cold weather still continues and everybody is feeling good. Had just a little snow yesterday morning.

A goodly number of people from this place went to Bayboro Saturday to attend the Farmers' Institute he'd there. They reported a nice time but rather cold.

Mr. T. J. Boyd made a flying trip to Reelsboro Saturday.

Mr. Clifford Nunn, of this place, left one day last week for New Bern to enter the Southern Shorthand and Business University there.

Mr. Harry Rawls made a business trid to New Bern last Thursday.

Miss Lucy Linton spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Keel at Graitsboro.

Miss Nancy Ireland, of Alliance, went home Friday evening returning Sunday.

We have a right fullschool here now. One of our lady teachers has 76 on her roll and 66 in attendance.

Rev. J. J. Walker filled his regular monthly appointment at the Christian church here last Sunday and Sunday night.

REPORTER.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

Tariff revision work in committees of both houses of Congress will be resumed this week.

FIRST LA GRIPPE, THEN BRONCHITIS.

That was the case with Mrs. W. S. Bailey, McCreary, Ky. "My wife was taken down with a severe attack of la grippe, which run into bronchitis. She coughed as tho' she had consumption and could not sleep at night. The first bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound gave her so much relief that she continued using it until she was permanently cured." For sale by all dealers.

Senator LaFollette announces that despite ill health he would not withdraw from the race for the Republican Presidential nomination.

QUICK RELIEF FOR RHEUMATISM.

George W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "DR. DETCHON'S RELIEF FOR RHEUMATISM has given my wife wondarful benefit for rheumatism. She could not lift hand or foot, had to be lifted for two months. She began the use of the remedy and improved rapidly. On Monday she could not move and on Wednesday she got up, dressed herself and walked out for breakfast." Sold by Bradham Drug Co.

Water and Electricity.

Since the general introduction of electricity into the cities it has been known that it was possible to secure a very considerable shock through a stream of water, and firemen in large cities are on the lookout for this. Wires which look as if they might conduct heavy currents are cut before a stream of water is thrown in their direction. Recently in the construction of an electric railway in South Africa it was noticed that a column of steam from a locomotive could be the means of conveying the current, and severe workmen were shocked in this manner.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS
FOR RHEUMATISM KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

A resolution aimed at Roosevelt, denouncing the idea of Presidential third terms, was sidetracked in the House.

HOW COLD AFFECTS THE KIDNEYS.

Avoid taking cold if your kidneys are sensitive. Cold congests the kidneys, throws too much work upon them, and weakens their action. Serious kidney trouble and even Bright's disease may result. Strengthen your kidneys, get rid of the pain and soreness, build them up by the timely use of Foley Kidney Pills. Tonic in effect, quick in results. For sale by all dealers.

Reichelt, inventor of a parachute cloak, got premission to drop a dummy from the Eiffel Tower, but leaped from the tower himself, and was killed.

THE SOUND SLEEP OF GOOD HEALTH.

Is not for those suffering from kidney ailments and irregularities. The prompt use of Foley Kidney Pills will dispel backache and rheumatism, heal and strengthen sore, weak and ailing kidneys, restore normal action and with it health and strength. Mrs. M. F. Spaulsbury, Sterling, Ill., says "I suffered great pain in my back and kidneys, could not sleep at night, and could not raise my hands over my head. But two bottles of Foley Kidney Pills cured me." For sale by all dealers.

Bricks Without Straw.

She—Too many men expect their wives to run their homes on practically nothing. They forget that no one can make bricks without straw. He—My wife does—out of doors.—London Telegraph.

KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS WITH DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY FOR COUGHS AND COLDS
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HAVE HIGHEST RECOMMENDATION

R. A. Davis, 627 Washington St., Connersville, Ind., is in his 85th year. He writes us: "I have lately suffered much from my kidneys and bladder. I had severe backaches and my kidney action was too frequent, causing me to lose much sleep at night, and in my bladder there was constant pain. I took Foley Kidney Pills for some time, and am now free of all trouble and again able to be up and around. Foley Kidney Pills have my highest recommendation."

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