

Find Red Riding Hood

Character in Legend

Little Red Riding Hood was a real girl, but her history has been altered in its journey down to modern nurseries. Abraham of Chelms, a knight of the Seventeenth century, who claimed a girl named Mary as his niece, walked himself up in a solitary cell as a monk after changing his mind at the altar about matrimony. Mary used to don her red hood each day and carry boiled milk and butter to her uncle, passing it to him through the one window of his cell. The former knight also was visited by a monk whose name was Wolf and whose character, according to ancient historians, quite justified the appellation. He used to fall in with Mary and would make pleasant inquiries concerning the conditions beneath the napkin in her basket. Arriving nowhere with his suit he carried the damsel off to a neighboring city where he finally deserted her. The uncle's wrath was so aroused that he left his seclusion to search for her in the guise of a cavalier, and finding her after a great expenditure of time, energy and money, brought her back and walked her up in a cell beside him. There she spent 15 years and tradition has it that many miracles were wrought by the two for pilgrims who visited them.—Kansas City Times.

Eider Ducks Brought Close to Extinction

For a long time Iceland prospered in her trade in the down of the eider ducks, which was prized all over the world for making pillows and quilts. As always in such cases, however, the pot-hunters overworked the industry and the result is that now there is no great amount of money in it. Very severe laws protect these birds, and the taking of the down from the nests is carefully regulated.

Sea birds of various kinds make their nests in the cliffs and the hunting of these birds is a regular but perilous activity. They are caught with nets on the end of long poles, and also by traps made with horsehair snares and having a live bird as a decoy tied to them. In some cases men are let down with ropes from cliffs hundreds of feet so as to gather eggs in otherwise inaccessible places.

These wild birds, such as puffins, auks, gullinots and terns, collect in such vast multitudes at some of these rookeries that they will sit perched so close together, as to form a solid mass. This helps them to keep warm. The noise made by their strident cries is overpowering, and when they are scared up and all take wing the rush of air is like a tempest.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Diplomatic Official

There were some doubts as to a man's fitness for the school board, but his first speech in his official capacity silenced all critics. He listened to several recitations with a grave and interested air, and at the end of the last one he rose to address the school, "by request." "Some things are in my province as member of the school board, and some are not," he said, with a genial smile. "It's within my province to say that I never heard scholars answer up more promptly than you children of District No. 1. As to whether your answers are or are not correct, it is not my place to say. Your teacher knows, and in her hands I leave the matter."

Soap Berry Still Used

The manufacture of soap upon a very large scale dates only from 1823. The use of soap is of great antiquity. A well-equipped soap factory was found by the excavators of Pompeii. Historical records of Italy and Spain show that soap was in use in those countries in the Eighth century. The soap berry was used before soap was manufactured. Soap berry is the common name of several species of Sapindus and of the fruits which are so rich in saponin that they were employed for the same purpose as alkaline soap before the days of that article. The Chinese prefer them even yet for cleansing the hair and delicate skins.

Evasion State Laws

In American constitutional law an "original package" means the package in which goods are shipped from one state to another. The United States court held that where an article is imported into one state from another it does not lose the protection of the interstate commerce clause while the original package remains unbroken and is the property of the importer. Interpretation of these decisions made it possible to evade state laws by selling direct to the customer in original packages. The importance of this is in its bearing on the sale of cigarettes and other commodities about which state laws differ.

Wonder How She Felt?

George was bringing the one and only out to meet the family, and naturally the family was striving to please the girl, who was a prim and quiet individual. Everything went off fine—dinner, dancing and conversation.

George stepped out to get some smokes while the girl was in an adjoining room putting on her wraps, preparatory to leaving, the door to the room being slightly ajar. At this time George's brother came in and without warning, exclaimed:

"Where'd George pick up that dumbbell?"

Isn't He Terrible?

Job had a good deal of patience, but he wouldn't have stood for the fellow who sits down in a chair next to your desk and says: "Now just go right ahead working. Don't let me interrupt."—Louisville Times.

SOCIETY

Mrs. C. E. Umphrey, Mrs. S. L. Mackin, Mrs. A. A. Richmond, Mrs. Nelson Durham and Mrs. Elbert Bede entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Umphrey, honoring Mrs. H. I. Short of Spokane, Mrs. George Hall and Mrs. Carlton Armitage of Los Angeles and Mrs. Will Hall of Pasadena, former residents who were visiting here. Out of town guests were Mrs. John Kingston of Elkton, Mrs. Roy Romaine of Salem and Mrs. Joe DuBrulle of Portland. Other guests were Mrs. Roy Short, Miss Joe Smith, Mrs. Charles Beidler, Mrs. George Matthews, Mrs. S. V. Allison, Mrs. A. W. Swanson, Mrs. H. A. Miller, Mrs. A. W. Kime, Mrs. C. E. Frost, Mrs. Clara Burkholder, Mrs. James P. Graham, Mrs. N. J. Nelson Jr., Mrs. Andrew Brund, Mrs. N. E. Compton, Mrs. L. L. Harrel, Mrs. K. K. Mills, Mrs. C. C. Cruson, Mrs. J. H. Chambers, Mrs. B. R. Job, Mrs. Charles Adams, Mrs. Ethel Nixon, Mrs. O. L. Nichols, Mrs. Elbert Smith, Mrs. Herbert Eakin, Mrs. A. L. Wynne, Mrs. J. A. Wright, Mrs. E. W. Ames, Mrs. W. E. Lebow, Mrs. Bessie Sutcliffe, Mrs. H. B. Griggs, Miss Esther Silsby, Mrs. George Kerr, Mrs. Harry Metcalf, Mrs. Orpah Benson, Mrs. Catharine Bader, Mrs. Ray Trask, Mrs. Mary Smith and Mrs. D. H. Hemenway. The following program was given: Piano solo, Miss Dorothy Umphrey; group singing, Hikors club, accompanied by Mrs. Charles Adams; vocal solo, Mrs. George Matthews, accompanied by Miss Madelle Beidler; piano solo, Miss Frances Mackin. An automobile game was played and the "Nash" group won. Mrs. Charles Adams, chauffeur of the group, was given a basket of mixed flowers. The honor guests were given corsages. Nasturtiums were the dining room decorations and delphiniums and roses were used in the other rooms. Ices and cakes were served.

The LaComus club entertained Friday with a noon luncheon at the Colonial cafe, honoring Mrs. George Hall of Los Angeles and Mrs. Will Hall of Pasadena, who were charter members of the club during their residence here. Out of town guests were Mrs. Joe DuBrulle of Portland, Mrs. Roy Romaine of Salem and Mrs. Glen Hankins of Wendling. An attractive bowl of croquet was the table centerpiece.

Mrs. S. E. Markley entertained Sunday in celebration of the sixth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Medley of Springfield. Mr. Medley is a nephew of Mrs. Markley. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Will Medley, Mrs. Marietta Town and Mrs. Carrie Hemenway.

Mrs. A. W. Kime entertained Thursday afternoon, honoring Mrs. George Hall of Los Angeles and Mrs. Will Hall of Pasadena, former residents.

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er residents, who are visiting friends here. Guests were Mrs. Carlton Armitage of Los Angeles, Mrs. Joe DuBrulle of Portland, Mrs. Roy Romaine of Salem, Mrs. D. H. Hemenway, Mrs. C. J. Kem, Mrs. Nelson Durham, Mrs. A. A. Richmond, Mrs. C. E. Frost, Mrs. W. W. McFarland, Mrs. H. A. Miller, Mrs. John Veech, Mrs. A. J. Swanson, Mrs. E. Nixon, Mrs. N. J. Nelson Jr., Mrs. B. R. Job, Mrs. Charles Adams, Mrs. Elbert Bede and Mrs. L. L. Harrel. The afternoon was spent with needlework and light refreshments were served. Sweetpeas and roses were room decorations and a bowl of yellow marigolds was the table centerpiece.

A party was given Thursday at the home of Dave Hubbard at Dr. Hubbard's birthday anniversary of the fifty-fifth birthday anniversary of Mr. Hubbard's brother, Wiley Hubbard, and the twenty-sixth birthday anniversary of his nephew, K. O. Wiscarson of Bend, who is visiting here. Those present were Mrs. S. E. Hubbard of this city, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wiscarson and two daughters of Bend and Oscar Hubbard of Eugene.

The Latham Community club will be entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. C. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Armitage of Los Angeles, who visited here a

week, were honored at an informal dinner party given Friday night by Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Nelson Jr.

Mrs. N. E. Compton will entertain Wednesday afternoon for Mrs. Will Hall of Pasadena, Cal., who has been a guest of honor at numerous social functions during the past week.

Mrs. B. R. Job is entertaining today for Mrs. Will Hall of Pasadena, Cal., who is spending the summer here.

The Utopia club has postponed its picnic, planned for Wednesday, to July 28, the regular club day.

The Good Neighbors club was entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. F. Johnson.

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Late Books of Fiction

Received by Library

A number of new books, including novels for the pay shelf, children's books and several non-fiction volumes, have been purchased by the city library. For the smaller children several of the Burgess bedtime story books have been added.

Five of the latest books of fiction have been purchased for the pay shelf. Books from this shelf are loaned at five cents for seven days and as soon as enough money is received to cover the price of the book it is put on the regular shelves. The library in this way is able to buy current fiction. Included in the new books are "The Sea Gull" by Kathleen Norris, who has written many popular novels; "The Magic Garden" by Gene Stratton Porter; "Heaven Trees" by Stark Young; "Reveries" by Samuel Hopkins Adams, and "Sorrel and Son" by Warwick Deeping.

"The Revolt of Asia" by Upton Close is one of the interesting books of non-fiction. Mr. Close has spent a number of years in China and other Asiatic countries and is well versed in their problems. Other non-fiction books are "Wild Honey" by Nevin, "A Griffin in China" by Wimsatt, "Poetical Works" by Edgar Allan Poe, "Riata and Spurs" by Charles Seringo and "The World's

Best Book of Games and Parties" by Lear and Mishler.

Books for older girls are "High Acres," "Happy House" and "Aprilly" by James Abbott and for the older boys "Last of the Chiefs," "Altsheler," "Rancho on the Oxhide," "Imman," "Lone Bull's Mistake," "Schultz," "Don Bull's Mistake," "The Wolf Patrol," "Hoyliger," "Billy Topsail," Duncan.

Tom Burgess books, including "Reddy Fox" and "Grandfather Frog" and seven of the series of stories of twins by Lucy Fitch Perkins, are among books purchased for the smaller children.

Quarterly Dinner Is Held.

Twenty-five attended the quarterly dinner of the women's relief corps given Saturday noon in I. O. O. F. temple. None of the five remaining members of the G. A. R. was able to attend. Mrs. Julia Gover won the chicken given by Mrs. Nettie Saling, corps president, to stimulate attendance. The next quarterly dinner will be given in October.

O. & C. Tax Case Is Up.

County Judge Barnard was in Salem Saturday to appear in court at the time the O. & C. tax case came up. The state is suing to obtain its alleged share from each county of the money that was recently paid them by the United States. If the state wins the case Lane county would be compelled to turn over \$228,000.

Denny Abel Gets Bear.

Denny Abel, of the Anderson & Middleton company, brought a large black bear in from Culp Creek this forenoon. Denny had learned that the bear was in the neighborhood, left here this morning with his artillery and returned a few hours later with the hide.

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