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THE END OF IT ALL.

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"Say, captain," said the recruiting
sergeant as he entered the room where
his superior was seated in a building
on South street, New York. "I've got a
jimm dandy of a recruit. He's a swell."
"He isn't the sort we want."
"But he says he's bound to enlist
either in the army or navy."
"Bring him in."

The captain had seen Thomas Dal-
ton's kind before. It always began
with a false name—the first name that
came into their heads—and it almost
always ended in desertion or tragedy.
He sized the young man up as he
stood at the desk, and he made mental
memoranda as follows:

"Hasn't got through college yet. Got
into some scrape. Old man has given
him a dressing down. Young fellow is
proud and won't stand it. Hasn't the
money to go abroad or take a tour out
west and is going to enlist in spite of
the governor. Old man will buy him
out of the service in six months. The
mother's tears will make him do it.
He's bound to take the army or navy.
Six months of discipline will take
some of the frolic out of him, and I'll
give him a show to settle down."

The usual questions were asked and
answered, the young man was sent to
the surgeon, and before sundown he
belonged to Uncle Sam. The sergeant,
being now his superior officer, started
out to patrolize the "fresh fish."

It didn't work. He wanted to talk
confidentially. The recruit was mum.
Nothing further was learned about
him, and after three or four days he
was sent off to Jefferson Barracks to
go west to Fort Thomas. They want-
ed recruits out there. The Sioux were
threatening to go on the warpath again.

There are men among army officers
who should never have been commis-
sioned. Their temperaments unfit them
to preserve discipline and rule as they
should. Such a man was Captain Cole-
man of Company G. He was quick
tempered, irascible, peevish and a mar-
tinet, and of the ten captains in the
regiment he was oftentimes in trouble
with his men and was obliged to re-
port the most desertions. James Dal-
ton was assigned to Company G, and
within two days and for no reason that
he or his comrades could argue out the
captain was down on him and showed
it in various ways. It wasn't two
weeks before he was in the guard-
house for some dereliction that would
have been passed over in another. The
colonel was a fatherly man, and in his
desire to be fatherly toward the young
recruit he made matters worse.

Dalton asked for no one's sympathy.
He gave no one his confidence. He
tried his best to obey all regulations
and fit himself for a soldier. He would
have had praise from the right sort
of officer. Indeed, he did have it in a
way from the lieutenants of the com-
pany, but there was nothing but
growling and fault finding from the
captain. His conduct almost created a
scandal at the post. One day on com-
pany drill he was singled out and
needlessly rebuked and sneeringly criti-
cized and ordered off to the guard-
house under arrest. There was a mut-
tering up and down the ranks, but this
only provoked Captain Coleman to add
other charges. That night in the
guardhouse a gray haired corporal said
to Dalton through the slats of the
door:

"What it's about I dunno, but the
captain isn't giving you a square
deal."

"And it will grow worse instead of
better," replied the prisoner.

"You can bank on that. He's hound-
ed a dozen men out of the company
since I got these stripes. It'll be court
martial and five years for you if he
can bring it about."

"And what shall I do?"

"I've got to go out to post No. 3. I
shall be gone fifteen minutes. The
heavy iron poker has got in with you
somehow. If I was inside there, I be-
lieve I could pry off these slats with
it."

"Thank you."

When the sergeant returned, Dalton
was gone; also one of the muskets and
a belt of fifty cartridges. Over on offi-
cers' row a private soldier with a mus-
ket in his hands stood for three or four
minutes looking up at a certain win-
dow as if thinking to send a bullet
into the opening. Then he lowered the
musket and turned away and crept
from the fort between posts Nos. 7 and
8. It was a summer evening, with the
crickets singing, and the sentinels
drowsed as they walked. Daylight
brought excitement and a bustle. A
member of Company G had deserted.
Three mules had been run off from the
corral. Indian signal smoke had been
seen at daylight, and by sunup set-
tlers came pouring in with the news
that Red Bull had broken loose and
was in the hills with 500 warriors.

Dalton had made for the hills. He
must go into hiding and exist some
way until the hue and cry was over.
He knew that the redskins were
threatening, but he had no choice. In
the darkness he crossed the mile wide
plain and then made his way up the
side of Eagle peak for the same dis-

ance, and the coming of daylight
found the warriors all about him. All
the long forenoon they could see the
puffs from a score of Indian rifles.
They knew that it was the soldier
and deserter, but they could render
him no aid until afternoon—until they
knew that his last cartridge had been
fired an hour before. Then 300 men
marched out and found and buried the
ghostly thing the fields had left. He
had demanded ten lives for his one.
He had ostracized himself—enlisted,
deserted and there among the rocks
ended it all. M. QUAD.

Price of His Treason.

Benedict Arnold died in London June
14, 1801. His life after his treason was
a most unhappy one. He was avoided
by men of honor and on many occa-
sions deliberately insulted. He re-
ceived a considerable sum of money
from the British government and made
several unsuccessful attempts to en-
gage in business in British America
and the West Indies and finally re-
turned to London, where he died in
obscurity. His second son, born in
1780, entered the British army in 1798,
served with credit in many parts of
the world and three years before his
death in 1854 was made a lieutenant
general.—Household Companion.

A Nautical Secret.

Passenger—What makes this boat
pitch so? Sailor—That's a nautical se-
cret, ma'am, that we don't like to give
away; but, seein' it's you, I don't mind
tellin' you that it's the waves.—San
Francisco Call.

He Wanted to Know.

The Employer (coldly)—Why are you
so late? The Suburbanite (guiltily)—
There were two wrecks on the track
this morning, and— The Employer
(testily)—Who was the other one?

CURED OF RHEUMATISM.

Mr. Wm. Henry, of Chattanooga,
Tenn., had rheumatism in his left arm.
"The strength seemed to have gone
out of the muscles so that it was use-
less for work," he says. "I applied
Chamberlain's Pain Balm and wrapped
the arm in flannel at night, and to my
relief I found that the pain gradually
left me and the strength returned. In
three weeks the rheumatism had dis-
appeared and has not since returned."
If troubled with rheumatism try a few
applications of Pain Balm. You are
certain to be pleased with the relief
which it affords. For sale by all drug-
gists.

Running No Risk.

"What," asks the maiden aunt, "go-
ing to marry that Mr. Newwun? Why,
you hardly know the man, Imogene.
In the few days you have been ac-
quainted with him you cannot possibly
have learned anything of his family or
antecedents or habits or personal cir-
cumstances."

"That is true, Aunt Keturah. But
you have always told me that no wom-
an who knows anything about a man
will marry him."—Success Magazine.

PLENTY OF TROUBLE

is caused by stagnation of the liver
and bowels. To get rid of it and head-
ache and biliousness and the poison
that brings jaundice, take Dr. King's
New Life Pills, the reliable purifiers
that do the work without grinding or
gripping. 25c. at Brewers drug store.

His Distinction.

A solemn funeral procession, slowly
wending its way up the slope from the
church to the grave, was intercepted
by the old verger, who, pulling his
forelock in the usual rustic style, ad-
dressed the clergyman, whispering in a
confidential manner:

"Please, sir, corpse's brother wishes
to speak to yer!"—London Tit-Bits.

HE GOT WHAT HE NEEDED.

"Nine years ago it looked as if my
time had come," says Mr. C. Farthing,
of Mill Creek, Ind. Ter. "I was so run
down that life hung on a very slender
thread. It was then my druggist re-
commended Electric Bitters. I bought
a bottle and I got what I needed—
strength. I had one foot in the grave,
but Electric Bitters put it back on the
turf again, and I've been well ever
since." Sold under guarantee at
Brewer's drug store. 50c.

Live Furs.

"Mamma, look!" exclaimed Mary.
"Those furs are just like mine."
"Why, Mary, you have no furs," re-
plied the astonished mother.
"Yes, I have," said Mary, "and they
are filled with kittens."—School Educa-
tion.

A big cut or a little cut, small
scratches or bruises or big ones are
healed quickly by DeWitts Carbolyzed
Witch Hazel Salve. It is especially
good for piles. Get DeWitts. Sold by
Stayton Pharmacy.

Announcements.

For Treasurer.

I hereby announce to the voters of
Marion county that I am a candidate
for county treasurer at the Republican
primaries; pledging honest, faithful
and impartial conduct of the county's
business.
—WM. STAIGER.

For County Judge

I hereby announce my candidacy for
County Judge, before the Republican
primaries for Marion county April 17.
Having been County Commissioner
two terms and County Judge one term,
I believe that I am qualified for the
office for which I am a candidate.
—G. F. Terrell.

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for County Superintendent of
Schools for Marion county, at the Re-
publican primaries, April 17.
—A. C. BAKER.

For Representative

I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for the Republican nomination
for representative at the primaries,
April 17.

If nominated and elected I
shall always vote for the peo-
ple's choice for United States
Senator.
—HAL D. PATTON.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE OF MARION COUNTY

M. L. JONES, of Brooks.

Republican, farmer, businessman,
and taxpayer; graduate of Willamette
University; studied law and admitted
to the bar. Where he is best known
are found his strongest supporters.
Among businessmen everywhere his
word is as good as his bond. He
stands for a strictly business and eco-
nomical administration of county af-
fairs.

FOR COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT.

I hereby announce my candidacy
for County School Superintendent,
subject to the Republican primaries,
April 17th.

—W. M. SMITH.

FOR COMMISSIONER.

I hereby announce my candidacy
for the nomination for county com-
missioner at the Republican primaries,
April 17. I am a resident of Turner
precinct, and as this part of the coun-
ty has not been represented for a num-
ber of years, I believe it entitled to
recognition. I believe in justice to all
in whatever matter might come before
me.
—B. E. ROBERTSON.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

I hereby announce myself as a
candidate for the Republican nomi-
nation for county judge at the Marion
county primaries, April 17.

—W. M. BUSHEY.

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Post-graduate of Wyman's College. Daily
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A Pleasant Change.

"So you enjoyed Venice?" said the
traveler.
"Yes," answered Mr. Cumrox. "It
was kind of pleasant, for a change, to
be robbed by a gondolier instead of a
hack driver."—Washington Star.

Held Down the Speaker.

The sanctity of the speaker is an in-
violable law of parliamentary England,
yet once the necessities of the nation
were so great that an assault and bat-
tery had to be made upon his sacred
person. It was in the third parliament
of Charles I. that the angry commons
framed their petition of rights. This
cut at the very root of the king's pre-
rogative, and among those in the house
who opposed it was Mr. Speaker. Upon
Sir John Elliott moving its acceptance
the speaker essayed to leave the chair,
which would, of course, have proved
fatal to the bill. But they were ready
for him, and Hollis and Valentine seized
him, one on each side, and literally
held him in the chair until the for-
mality of the reading was over. So
vital was the petition considered that
Cromwell said in the lobby afterward:
"Had we been defeated I should have
left England tonight."—London Chroni-
cle.

WHOOPIING COUGH.

I have used Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy in my family in cases of whoop-
ing cough, and want to tell you that
it is the best medicine I have ever
used.—W. F. Gaston, Posco, G. This
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Kodol relieves indigestion. This new discov-
ery represents the natural juices of diges-
tion as they exist in a healthy stomach,
combined with the greatest known tonic
and reconstructive properties. Kodol for
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