WOMAN DESERTED AT ALTAR IS GLAD

Wooer's Tales of Good Job and Cosy Furnished Flat Are Only Fairy Tales.

MOTHER BETRAYS SECRET

Has Not Worked for Stx Months and Never Has Had Money in Savings Bank-"Fooled but Cured," Girl Laughs.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27 .- (Special.)-Afte. Mary Cassella, 19 years old, had waited at the altar of All Saints' Cath-nic church until she was on the verge of hysterics, and still her bridegroom. William Steifer, did not come, she noticed that the bridegroom's mother was not there either. She sent for Mrs.

william Select. She sent for Mrs. Steller, and when the elder woman had finished giving her son a certificate of his true character, the girl dried her eyes and sald:

"Well if that is true. I'm glad he didn't come. I wouldn't marry him now if he were made of gold. I've had a narrow escape, all right."

The bride-to-he, who rejoices now because ahe is the bride-who-neverwax was waiting in all her finery. Her bridesmald, Miss Frances Chambers, also all togged-out, was there, too. Also was Stelfer's cousin, who was to have been hest man. A wedding feast had been apread in the Stelfer home.

Meanwhile Stelfer's nerve had failed him, though he had gone so far in his deception as ostenably to embrace the

deception as ostensibly to embrace the Roman Catholic faith. Dressed in his Sunday best he left his home and van-fehed. When the news came Miss Cas-

Sunday best he left his home and vanished. When the news came Miss Cassella became hysterical in the church. She was taken home and a doctor attended her. But her recovery was rapid when she learned from Stoffer's mother "what she had escaped."

"He showed me the back of a bankhook," said the girl, "and told me he had an account of \$2000. When we went downtown to get our marriage license he showed me the Custom fouse. That's where I work, he said, but he didn't offer to take me inside. Another time we were passing One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street and Eagle avenue when he pointed to a house that was being repaired. That's being fixed up for us, he said. Twe rented a floor there and we can move in on September I. Why, he even told me the Custom House paid his salary in checks on the Germania Bank in the Bronx, so that he would not have far to go to get them cashed.

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Miss Cassella said that before Steller got his imaginary position in the Custom House he told her he was a detective in a Twenty-third street department store, and to prove it he showed her a tin badge and a revolver. He and she became engaged two years ago, she said Steller carefully kept all knowledge of the fact from his family, but that did not surprise her. She thought his parents might not like her because of her nationality and religion.

Stelfer's mother said her son had been out of work six months. He had never been employed in the Custom House; never had any money in a sav-

House; never had any money in a sav-ing's bank. My son has been noting like

My son has been acting like an idiot for the past year." said Mrs. Steffer last night. "He knew he could not afford to marry. He'll have a warm welcome if he returns here." "He fooled me," laugher Miss Cassel-"but I am completely cured."

REPUBLICAN NAMES CLARK

Mann Acts, Lest Speaker's Own Party Be Backward.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—Champ Clark, Speaker of the House of Representa-tives, received the unofficial hemina-tion for the Presidency by a Republican last night. Chairman Mann, of Illinois, leader of the Republican minority in the House, speaking at the Delta Tau Delta fraternity convention, generously offered Clark the Democratic plum, acting, he declared, for fear the Demo-crats might not select him.

with a Democratic administration and President, I would be pleased if the party should select Clark, and lest the party might not do so, I hereby place Clark in nomination." Clark and Mann both are members

of the fraternity and Mr. Mann's gen-erosity came in a speech introducing Mr. Clark at the biennial banquet. Replying, the Speaker of the House said his chief pride in his Washing-ton life was that he believed himself personally as popular among his Re-publican opponents as among his Demopublican opponents eratic companions.

NEGRO EVADES PURSUERS Burning Feared if Iowa Culprit Should Be Captured.

BURANT, Is. Aug. 27.—After a search of 18 hours for an unidentified megro who attempted to smault Mrs. Al Wilkerson, at Colb J. 15 miles south of here, last night the pursuit was dropped this morning by Sheriff

Intense excitement followed the af-Intense excitement followed the affair, and another hurning was expected if the negro were captured. It developed today that the negro, dressed in woman's clothing, went to the Wilkerson home. Mrs. Wilkerson said she discovered that the negro was a man; he seized her three-year-old child and threatened to kill the child should she scream. She ran to her husband, who was working in a neighboring field, and gave the alarm.

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A man came and, after carrying the child some distince toward the river, the negro dropped it and fied. It is thought that he escaped to Texas.

ROW ENDS DISASTROUSLY

Deacon, Gunning for Pastor, Kills Fellow Deacon and Himself.

ASHBURN. Ga. Aug. 27.—As a result of a quarrel in which R. G. Whid-zen, deacon of a country church near here, vowed that Rev. Duncan Massey never preach in the church Whidden shot and instantly killed J. A. Lawson, another deacon, and then himself.

The killing of Lawson occurred in the church. Whidden immediately went home and killed himself with a shot-gun. He bought his own coffin yester-lay.

It was the regular day for church services, and Whidden went to the sifice to kill the pastor, it is believed, but the preacher had not arrived, so he fred at Lawson.

STAGE BEAUTY WHO IS SAID TO HAVE COMPROMISED SUIT TO ANNUL MARRIAGE TO OIL MAN'S SON



MRS, BESSIE CHAPMAN-FAULKNER-PIERCE.

FATHER FURNISHES CASH

Mrs. Bessie Chapman-Faulkner-Pierce in Retirement After Long Siege in Limelight-Husband Weds Under Assumed Name.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—(Special.)— The suit brought at the direction of H. Clay Pierce, of Standard Oil fame, to annul the marriage of his son and Mrs. annul the marriage of his son and Mrs.

Bessie Chapman-Faulkner, a noted stage beauty, has been settled out of court. It was to have had a further hearing last week in the Supreme Court at Poughkeepsie. There was a previous hearing in April, but Justice Morschauser has refused to sign the annulment papers on the testimony adduced by the side of Pierce.

Thus far young Pierce has not been examired personally to determine

whether he is incompetent, as alleged by his father when the action was brought to annul his marriage to the e widow with a stage career

The marriage of young Pierce and Mrs. Chapman-Faulkner took place in November last in this city. It came after he had followed her to Paris, where she was then very much in the limelight, having attracted the attention of Baron James Ormonde Rothschild.

Money Essential to Happiness.

She left the Baron, and was much in company with young Pierce. They came to this country and were mar-ried. The father of the young man was appealed to for money by the son, and this was refused. Then, after he had made a couple of attempts at suicide, raying he could not live without his bride, and that he could not live with her unless he had an allowance of \$25,000 a year, he was sent to a sanitarium and a suit was brought by A. F. Sleger, as his best friend, for an an-

Pierce's father testified as to the amount of liquor the young man drank when the case was brought before Justice Morsenauser, and to his being addicted to drugs. He told of two attempts at suicide made in the Pierce home, in this city, and of his refusal to give him any money.

Pierce Addicted to Drink.

A younger brother testified that when he accompanied Roy on a trip around the world, his elder brother was drunk all the time, and seemed to prefer the society of low characters. It developed later that when Pierce obtained a license to marry, he did not give his full name and was married as Roy Enright.

Since the hearing held in April there have been rumors of a settlement. Mrs. Pierce has been in relirement. At her home it was said that the ex-actress whose beauty created a stir from her appearance as a show girl, had gone away for a rest, under the advice of her physician. If the settlement has been made, Pierce, Sr., has furnished the cash, as Pierce, Jr., has little of his own

COTTON MILLS SHUT DOWN

Drastic Move in New England Makes 60,000 Idle This Week.

BOSTON, Aug. 27 .- More than 60,000 cotton mill operatives in the New Eng-land states will be idle until Septem-her 5, emphasizing the most drastic ner 5, emphasizing the most grantic curtailment policy which has been in force in nearly 20 years. Many mil-lion spindles will be idle next week and it is estimated that the production will be less than 50 per cent of normal. Many of the plants affected have been shut down several times since Spring A general resumption of activity is set for September 5.

MAIL ROUTE MAY BE CUT

SUIT COMES TO END

there was a continuous star mail route operated by the Government from Cheballs to Sulphur Springs, in the extreme easiern end of Lewis County. At that time the route between Bremer and Morton, for a distance of 8 miles, was cut out by the Department, owing largely to the fact that Winter rains made the North Fork of the Tilton River impassable, there being one 21-day cessation of mail service.

Advent of the Tacoma Eastern at Morton also made it possible to get mail into the east end of this county by rail. With development of wagon

mail into the east end of this county by rail. With development of wagon roads along Tilton River Valley, and building of two new steel bridges by the county, it is proposed to move Bremer postoffice from its old alte on the hill road to the home of Thomas Greer, in the river valley. A request in the way of a petition to the Postoffice Department asking for re-establishment of the service between Bremer and Morton will be filed. At present a letter mailed at Morton for a resident of Bremer, must go in to Tacoma, thence to Chehalls, thence to Bremer, a total distance of 155 miles to reach

WHEN IS THING CONCEALED? FOR COURT TO DECIDE.

Issue Raised in North Carolina Swamps Interests Bankrupts All Over Country.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—From the swamps of Onslow County, North Carolina, has come forth a legal problem for the Federal Supreme Court to pass upon, when it convenes in October. The decision may affect bankrupts in all parts of the country. Shorn of legal phraseology, the question is, "When is a thing concealed?"

John L. James was a storekeeper in Onslow County previous to February 28, 1908, when a petition of involuntary bankruptcy was filed against him. Nothing unusual developed until James asked for his discharge from bankruptcy. Just four months and three days before the bankruptcy petition was filed, it was charged, he had hidden in a swamp in Onslow County five caddies of tobacco, one case of gun shells, two trunks of shoes and some dry goods, with intent to defraud his creditors.

creditors.

The law would not grant his discharge if, at any time subsequent to the first day of the four conths immediately preceding filing of the petition, he had "concealed" any of his property his credwith fraudulent intent toward his cred-

itors.

The Circuit Court of Appeals decided. that, although the goods were placed in the swamp three days more than four months before the prescribed time. there was "continuous concealing" because, without further action by James, the offense repeated itself every day until he disclosed the hiding place.

The Supreme Court never has passed on the question whether there is such an offense within the meaning of the bankruntey laws as a "continuous conbankruptcy laws as a "continuous con-

RECORD FLIGHT PLANNED

Trans-Mississippi Hydroplane Trip for Distance September Proposal.

ST. LOUIS. Aug. 27.—Plans for a trans-Mississippi hydroplane flight next month of not less than 1500 miles, sufficient to eclipse the world's record just established by Harry N. Atwood, are well under way here.

Two courses are under consideration to start at St. Paul and finish at Vioksburg. Miss., a distance of 1511 miles, or to start at Dubuque. Is., and finish at New Orleans, 1555 miles. The purpose of the flight is to focus attention on the Mississippi on the eve of the deep waterway convention at Chicago, and to promote aviation in the Middle West, as well as to estab-lish a new world's record for distance.

PORT FUND IS AVAILABLE

Bay City Ready to Begin Work as Soon as Controversy Ends.

BAY CITY, Or., Aug. 27.—(Special)— The port officials of Bay City, Mr. Pike, Mr. Bozorth, Mr. Nelson, Mr. Pice. Mr. Honorth, Mr. Neison, Mr. Jacoby and Mr. Hawk, say that they are ready to supply their share of the money required by the Government at any time that Tillamook settles its port controversy.

Bay City's share is \$125,000 and this is available. An election will shartly

Venus de Mile to Be Model of This Year's Coiffures.

PARIS MENTOR SAYS SO

Compromise Effected at St. Louis Show Permits Women Whose Natural Tresses Are Scant to Wear Switches,

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 27 .- (Special.) "Rats" are under the ban in this season's styles of hairdressing, according to the dictum that went forth to the models at the "Made in St. Louis" show being held in the Coliseum here.

The dictum, however, was not made The dictum, however, was not made in St. Louis. It came from Paris, and was conveyed by the woman who has come to rehearse the 12 models who have been named the "perfect thirty-sixes." She told the models, to be in siyle next Winter and Spring, they would have to look like Venus de Milo. Venus did not wear corsets, and the fashlon mentor told the models it is impossible to look as if you didn't have corsets if you wore rats. Moreover, he corsets if you wore rats. Moreover, he said, corsets would be tabooed this Fall and Winter.

All the models, except one, had come fully equipped with rats, and there was a scene when they were asked to take them off. One model said she did not mind wearing the Turkish trousers, if they were the correct thing, but she thought a young woman would have to be prefly bold to appear in public with nothing on her head but a few scraggly hairs that she was born with. The includes by agreeing to permit those whose natural hair was not luxurious

to wear a switch.

The display shows there is to be a revolution in women's dress styles for the next season. Curves and the mineing step that goes with the hobble skirt are to disappear, and in their places is to come the correctess natural figure. Trousers are to replace the petitional in this effort to realize the natural figure for women, but few women doubtless will follow the trousers idea—in public. Madge McGulre, the former Mrs. Rube Waddell, who was the feature of the palama exhibit at the first "made in St. Louis" show a year ago, is not in the show, but the Misses Edmundsen and McCabe, who posed with her in silk palamas last year, will again be a

PORTUGUESE NOT UNIT

WITH DIVIDED PARTY, NATION IS FACING CRISIS.

Dissolution of Chamber May Result From Church Question-Strikes Are Added Menace.

LISBON, Aug. 27.—The political sit-uation in Portugal is taking a serious turn. The Republic party is completely divided. The advanced element under the leadership of Alfonse Costs, provisional minister of justice, and the conservative section, under Antonio Almeida, provisional minister of the interior, and Sanhor Camacho, declared terior, and Senhor Camacho, declared open war at the elections for the presi-dency, the moderates winning the day

The difference in the strength of the dent Arriaga is devoting dent Arriaga is devoting all his energy to conciliating the rival factions, but the chances of his succeeding are not considered easy. It is probably that after the formation of a new cabinet, parliament will be adjourned. The re-opening of parliament, however, is ex-pected to lead heated contests in the house.

One of the chief measures of the new ministry will be the redrafting of the separation law. Though considered just in principle, drastic clauses were inserted in this law through the influence of Costa, who thereby gained the support of the extreme republicans. The general opinion is that the Gov-ernmenet will be unable to resist the flerce attack of the adherents of Minister Costa, and in such case dissolu-tion of the Chamber of Deputies will be inevitable.

Strikes threaten to have a serious effect on the country. Forty thousand cork cutters, lightermen and general dock workers, are out. The Diaro Noticas reports that at Moita, Almada, Aldegalla, Alcohete and other villages opposite Lisbon, centers of cork-cut-ting industry, the people are abandon-ing their homes in fear of sabotage. Acts of violence are being perpetrated. Official buildings are closed and are guarded by the military. The streets are patroled by the troops.

CHOATES WEDDED 50 YEARS

Ex-Ambassador and His Wife Soon to Celebrate Anniversary.

BOSTON, Aug. 27. — (Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Choate, who are now at Naumkeag, their villa at Lenox. Mass., will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary on October 16: Mrs. Choate, who was married half a century ago to the ex-Ambassador to the Court at St. James, was Miss Caroline

D. Sterling.
Mr. Choate was graduated from Harvard in 1852. He is a member of the Metropolitan, Union League, University, New York Athletic, Downtown, Cen-tury, Riding, Alpha Delta Phi and City

GIRL TOSSED OVERBOARD

Jilted Sweetheart Takes Revenge From Deck of Lake Steamer.

HOLLAND, Mich., Aug. 27.—Angered, he said, because Grace Lyons, of Chicago, broke her promise of marriage, Walter Hopper, of Chicago, last night attacked her on board the steamer Puritan in mid-lake and tossed her overboard. Her body was not re-News of the tragedy was flashed by wireless and officers were waiting for Hopper when the boat reached the dock.

LUMBER TRADE IS TOPIC



An Education

obtained at the expense of eyesight is of slight value. It is better to obtain both by seeing that the children's eyes are right. If not right, let us make them right. Children cannot tell you whether their eyes are right or wrong. We can and do. Is not such information almost beyond price? Yet we supply this very necessary information at a nominal

HOMPSON EYESIGHT

Fifth and Morrise

zation of the West Coast Lumber Man ufacturers' Association, was attended by the most representative body of lumbermen ever gathered together in

the Pacific Northwest.

The banquet followed a concatena-tion of Hoo Hoo at which a class of a dozen was initiated. The work was put on by W. P. Lockwood, snark of the western district of Washington; W. C. Miles, senior Hoo Hoo; Frank B. Cols, junior Hoo Hoo; T. H. Claffey,

Cole, junior Hoo Hoo; T. H. Claffey, bojum; J. P. Austin, scrivnator; A. Chandler, jabberwock; D. L. Melville, cuscocabin; George D. McDonald, arcanopa, and M. L. Gilmer, gurdon.

Frank B. Cole, of the West Coast Lumberman, was toastmaster at the banquet and introduced the speakers of the evening. Mayor A. C. Little welcomed the visitors on behalf of the City of Raymond and congratulated welcomed the visitors on behalf of the City of Raymond and congratulated them upon their organization, urging them to get together and pound the dissenter into line, citing as an object lesson the organization of their employes the shingle weavers, and the manner in which they secure results by their unity of action. J. W. Kleeb, of the Kleeb Lumber Company, of South Bend, made the address of welcome on behalf of the Willapa Harbor ne on behalf of the Willapa Harbor umbermen.

Who would make a good Governor of the State of Washington?" was the toast assigned to Governor M. E. Hay The Governor did not attempt to answer this query but warmly con gratulated the lumbermen on their or ganization and said. "If your organiza-tion will do that which it has hopes of doing, I wish it God speed." He said that he realized the lumber market was badly demoralized and that it was case of the lumbermen awapping

JAPANESE ADMIRAL TO PAY RE-SPECTS TO SEATTLE'S MAYOR.

Two of Uncle Sam's Armored Cruisers Will Escort Warrior to Sea as He Sails Away to Japan.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 27.—Admiral Togo will arrive in Seattle tomorrow for a farewell visit of the United States before salling for Japan. He arrives early in the morning and until his departure Tuesday he will be kept busy receiving visitors and attending re-

ceptions and banquets.
Immediately upon his arrival he will be taken to the Hotel Washington for breakfast, after which he will pay his respects to Mayor George W. Dilling.
He will be entertained at luncheon the Petrier Club. In the afternoon at the Rainier Club. In the afternoon at the Rainer Club. In the attention a reception will be given in his honor by the Japanese consul. The closing feature of the day and the most important function of his stay here will be a banquet given by the Commercial organizations of the city. The armored cruisers West Virginia,

TWO LETTERS

San Francisco, Aug. 3, 1911.

Charles S. Ettinger, Esq., 58 West 104th street,

SS West 104th street.

New York City, N. Y.

Dear Sir: Answering yours of the 22nd will say that our consulting physician wrote you on the 20th.

As to the recoveries, we expect recoveries in Bright's Disease but we make no strong claims in Cirrhosis of the liver. If the dropsy is from the latter the writer would not have great confidence, but if it is directly from the kidneys or the heart trouble is secondary to the kidneys then we would look for the usual favorable results.

We anticipate that the prescription that our consulting physician sent you on the 20th will help the Compound to more definite results so far as the to more definite results so far as the kidney trouble is concerned. We hand you herein brochure for physician as requested.

Yours very truly, JOHN J. FULTON COMPANY. New York City, N. Y., Aug. 9, 1911, John J. Fulton Company, San Francisco, Cal.

John J. Fulton Company,

San Francisco, Cal.

Gentlemen: Yours of the 3rd received. I am glad to inform you that I am much better. I am on the fifth bottle of FULTON'S RENAL COMPOUND. You see I use capital letters. The whole name should be written in capitals. The oedema (dropsy) has about left my limbs and feet and is declining perceptibly in the abdomen. My thirst, which was abnormal, has about gone. I am in hopes to get well enough to again attend to business. I am going to see the Doctor this afternoon and show him the improvement made.

Respectfully yours.

CHARLES S. ETTINGER.

To show the supposed hopelessness

Postoffice Department to Be Asked

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To show the supposed hopelessness of this case of kidney disease let us explain that this patient had been tapped before going on this treatment. Bay City's share is \$225,000 and this is available. An election will shortly be held to take in Garibaidi and its surrounding country and if this is successfully accomplished the port will be in a position to offer about \$250,000.

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flagship of Rear Admiral Sutherland land. The following officers were elect-

Foresters Institute Lodge.

RIDGEFIELD, Wash., Aug. 27.—(Special.)—A court of the Foresters of America was instituted here on Wednesday night, under the direction of Deputy Grand Chief Ranger C. A. Bover 1. To the Kalama court and three from the false from the Kalama court and three from the false from the Kalama court and three from the false from the

and Colorado arrived from the Puget Sound Navy Yard today. They will escort Admiral Togo to sea Wednesday and then proceed to San Francisco, where they will join the other ships of the Pacific fleet preparatory to a cruise to Hawali. Wednesday night. Seven members from the Kalama court and three from Wednesday night.

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