

HOLLAND GETS THE PRESIDENCY

After Exciting Election, Letter-Carriers Select the Boston Man.

CANTON CONVENTION CITY

Retiring President, Following the Precedent of Previous Meetings, Is Voted Three Thousand Dollars.

- OFFICERS N. A. L. C.**
- President.**
J. D. Holland, Boston, Mass.
- Vice-President.**
E. J. Galtner, Muncie, Ind.
- Secretary.**
E. J. Cantwell, Brooklyn, N. Y.
- Treasurer.**
D. J. Geary, Chicago, Ill.
- Executive Board.**
M. T. Pinnau, Bloomington, Ill.
J. Gallagher, Jersey City, N. J.
A. C. McFarland, Des Moines, Ia.
B. P. Quinn, Philadelphia, Pa.
F. E. Trafton, Cleveland, O.
- Committee on Constitution and Laws.**
J. G. Cud Paddock, Ky.
F. Hoffinger, Los Angeles, Cal.
J. S. Rusk, Portland, Or.
- Trustee, M. B. A.**
S. E. Graham, Kansas City, Mo.
- Chief Collector, M. B. A.**
W. Dunn, Nashville, Tenn.
- Member Board of Directors Retirement Association.**
J. T. Magavira, Cincinnati, O.
- Convention City.**
Canton, O.

When the history of Portland conventions of the year is completed, the first biennial session and 15th convention of the National Association of Letter-Carriers should be given the credit of being the hardest-worked National gathering of the lot. It was after 1 o'clock this morning when the installation of the new officers was completed and adjournment taken without delay.

Yesterday a memorial was adopted upon report of the committee on resolutions, appealing to Congress for an increase in pay for the men in army, who have been requested to make no appeal for legislation except through the department in which they serve. The memorial was therefore directed to Postmaster-General Cortelyou, and presents in concise language the demands, or rather the desires, of the men.

Long and Tedious Count.

Yesterday afternoon the election of officers and selection of next convention city was made the order of business at 3 o'clock, the remainder of the session and the evening being devoted to the political contest. When the first ballot was taken there was no choice of a convention city, and one vacancy remained on each of the executive committee and committee on constitution and laws. A second ballot resulted only in selection of the member on constitution and laws, resulting in a third ballot necessary. Five boards of tellers, each consisting of four members, were appointed by President Keller as a means of expediting the work. Owing to the number of candidates, the count was tedious, and the interim between ballots and announcements of results was occupied in disposing of much routine business, including appropriation of a very large proportion of the surplus remaining in the treasury of the association, of which mention has been made several times during the past week. The president of the organization caused the new vice-president to declare that he believed the body had reached the psychological moment when, according to some scientists, people become insane, and declared that the delegates should watch carefully their acts. One of the last motions carried was the donation of \$300 to the retiring president, James Keller, in keeping with the precedent of the organization to provide something for its retiring officers. John C. Bunton, retiring vice-president, declared that he would wish to receive any sum, when a motion was pending to give him \$50, and the evident disposition to distribute the contents of the treasury ceased.

Mileage and Per Diem Reports.

Reports of the mileage and per diem committee and of the committee on the constitution and laws were received and approved after some discussion concerning a portion of the allowances. When a question was raised as to transportation charges of officials it was explained by President Keller that through an arrangement of the transportation committee with the official route about \$1200 was saved to the association and the saving would have been \$100 had all the delegates come via that route. The matter was brought out when in his statement one of the officers charged only \$1.50 to railroad fare and \$13 to a sleeper. After the explanation the bills were allowed and the committee applauded for its service in effecting such a saving.

A donation of \$10 was voted the janitor of the Armory for the extra work occasioned by the convention.

Acting Secretary John Barry was compensated for his services by an allowance of \$100.

Vice-President John C. Bunton submitted his annual report, dealing with the organization work of the year. He recommended that the reports of state vice-presidents be included in the published report of the convention. The report was accepted and its recommendations approved.

Proposed amendment of the constitution to devote 25 cents of the per capita tax of \$1.50 to organization work under direction of state organizations was the first point of difference of the evening session. After animated debate the report of the committee, nonconcurring in the resolution, was adopted.

Order Referendum Vote.

Another debate was started by the proposition to change back to the system of annual convention from the biennial, as was the rule prior to two years ago at Syracuse, when the change to biennial conventions was made. The delegates were reminded that politics had consumed too much time in Portland, and one speaker urged the need of one session in two years for business. When the discussion bore indications of lasting all night a motion to refer the question to a referendum vote was adopted.

Another point of difference was a proposal to change the basis of representation to one for each 50 members or major portion, from the present basis of one for each 20, and to permit delegates to cast as many votes as a branch has



JAMES C. KELLER, RETIRING PRESIDENT NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF LETTER-CARRIERS.

members. This matter caused a bitter war of words in which the rights of the first and second-class cities were compared by different speakers with widely divergent opinions. The author of the resolution finally withdrew it, with the consent of the convention.

Board of Tellers Announces Vote.

Following a recess of 20 minutes, the report of the board of tellers was announced at 9:10. There was a total of 1296 votes cast, making 96 necessary for a choice.

Announcement of the election of J. D. Holland was received with great enthusiasm, the Denver Letter-Carriers Band bursting out with a fanfare of patriotic airs, and the St. Louis band did likewise. M. A. Fitzgerald moved the election be made unanimous and another explosion of joy occurred. Another outburst followed the election of E. J. Galtner, of Muncie, as vice-president, whose election was made unanimous on motion of C. Trieber. With difficulty the president succeeded in quieting the tumult and silencing the band, when a party of enthusiastic friends of the successful candidate marched down the aisle singing "On the Banks of the Wabash."

Secretary Re-Elected.

E. J. Cantwell, elected secretary without opposition, has served in that capacity for six years and is re-elected for the fourth term.

There was no choice for treasurer on this ballot. G. W. Butterfield receiving 152, D. J. Geary 264 and A. MacDonald 26. The lowest candidate being dropped under



Jeremiah D. Holland, of Boston, Elected President of National Association of Letter-Carriers.

Vote on Convention City.

One vacancy existed in the executive board, and also on the committee on constitution and laws, and choice of the next convention city necessitating another ballot.

Atlantic City led on the first vote with 508, Canton received 428, Minneapolis 254, and Chattanooga 5.

Immediately when it became apparent a second ballot was necessary the Atlantic contingent and Minneapolis men got busy in working for converts, while Atlantic City's charms were whispered diligently among delegates. Each of the cities was represented by delegations that made every possible effort to carry away the prize of the 1907 convention. By a vote of 485 for Canton to 288 for Atlantic City, Canton won the prize.

Of the eight remaining candidates on the committee on constitution and laws, Messrs. Farrington, Reynolds, Schmidt and Stairs withdrew, leaving Carty, Ellington, Rusk and Shuff in the final contest, in which Rusk won with 253 votes.

A farmer in Holstein succeeded in capturing fruit thieves by putting bells on the tops of the trees, which warned him of their presence.

SHOOTS AT BURGLAR

Postmaster Minto Drives Him From Room.

AWAKENED BY INTRUDER

Thief Threatened to Kill Minto and His Wife if They Moved, but Postmaster Used His Revolver.

Three shots in quick succession were fired by Postmaster John Minto at 1 o'clock this morning at a burglar who had gained entrance to the room in which he and his wife were sleeping. Mr. Minto and his wife, who live at 741 Overton street, were awakened by the man, who with a revolver in his hand aroused them and commanded them to remain quiet or get their heads blown off. Mr. Minto with his left hand upraised reached under his pillow with his right, and drawing the pistol from beneath, fired three shots at the man.

The burglar made a break for the window and jumped through.

Mr. Minto said this morning that he thought he had hit the man, although not severely enough to catch him.

The burglar is described as of medium height, wearing dark clothes and having a dark mustache. He did not wear a mask.

Police officers from the central station and from the Upham-street station were sent to locate the burglar, but were not successful in finding him.

EPWORTH LEAGUE A POWER

So Declares Dr. Ford in His Address Before Convention.

"I consider the Epworth League as one of the most powerful and effective organizations of the kind in the world, and I give all other similar organizations full credit," remarked Rev. Dr. Ford in his address last night before the District Epworth League Convention in session in the University Park M. E. Church.

"It comprises the young people of the church. These are from the public schools and the colleges, and this makes the Epworth an intellectual force, as well as a moral force."

Dr. Ford pointed out that from the ranks of the league came workers in all branches of church departments, and said that the ranks of the deacons, which had done so much for the Methodist Church, were recruited from the young women who composed part of the Epworth Leagues of the country. Dr. Ford paid a high tribute to the organization, and said it measured up to Wesley's idea of intellectual, moral and religious force.

In the forenoon the following officers were elected: President, C. O. Boyer, of Salem; first vice-president, Miss Crockett, Portland; second, Mrs. M. B. Moore, Clackamas; third, Lucy Marson, of Woodburn; fourth, Miss Rinehart, of Silverton; recording secretary, Miss Landen, of Woodburn; corresponding secretary, Miss Oberg, of Portland; junior superintendent, Miss Swanson, of Portland; executive committee, L. E. Rockwell, F. S. Godfrey and Miss Mary Shaver.

The main portion of the afternoon was devoted to missionary work, with an address from Miss Laura Austin, soon to leave for India as a missionary, supported by the Oregon Conference. Following is the programme for today:

DECIDE CATON SUIT

Jurors Find for Administrator of Estate.

CERTIFICATE OF DEPOSIT

It Belongs to the Estate and Not to the Mysterious Wilson Who Indorsed Paper and Sought to Claim It.

"Where, oh, where is Wilson now? where, oh, where is he?" was a question frequently asked by H. H. Northrup yesterday in his argument to the jury in the suit of Harry E. Northrup, administrator of the estate of Benjamin F. Caton, deceased, against the Citizens' National Bank and A. N. Wilson, to recover \$2000 due on a certificate of deposit.

The jury, after a brief deliberation, returned a verdict for the plaintiff for \$2000, which includes \$80 interest.

The certificate was issued by Ladd & Tilton in favor of Caton, who died March 16 last. Wilson, claiming to be the owner, indorsed it to the Citizens' National Bank in the latter part of April, and the certificate was cashed on April 27. The Citizens' National Bank has no interest in the controversy and paid the money into court when the suit was filed.

Shortly before Caton died he was taken to Good Samaritan Hospital, at the instigation of Jay Upton, bailiff in the County Court, and Dudley Evans, health officer. Caton's money was taken with him, and Messrs. Evans and Upton assert they never saw any certificate of deposit. E. M. Simonton, of the Ames Mercantile Agency, testified that R. O. Scott, a brother-in-law of Jay Upton, tried to get him to discount the certificate. Mr. Scott is now in Sea Girt, N. J., attending a wife who is ill, and his statement cannot be obtained. Wilson did not appear at the trial or send on a deposition, but he did telegraph to his attorney, Charles F. Lord last June, about the matter. Mr. Lord makes the following statement about his client:

"Wilson and Caton were old friends in the East," he said, "and the former visited the old man last winter when he was in Portland. Late in January, or early in February, of this year, Caton sold Wilson the certificate. The old man was preparing to go to Kentucky to live with his niece, and needing the money, he sold the certificate for \$2000, giving Wilson the \$20 interest which would be due April 25. Caton then took sick and was unable to make the trip."

Mr. Northrup commented on the absence of Wilson, and inquired: "Why did he not tell us where he was, as we could get service on him?"

"Because you did not ask it," promptly responded Mr. Lord.

Mr. Northrup frequently referred to the indorsement on the certificate as forged, and said: "We don't accuse anybody, but we know it is."

"Gentlemen, this calls to mind a quotation from Sir Walter Scott's 'Lord Marmion':"

Oh, where was Marmion then?
One blast upon his hoarse horns were
Worth a thousand men.

"I wish to paraphrase this as follows," continued counsel:

Oh, where is Wilson now?
One blast from out his rusty lips would
Cush this frothy crew.

The jury which tried the case was composed of Charles L. Seaguer, John Searner, Dennis Harrington, William C. Sechrist, E. S. Brubaker, N. Wolf, J. C. Lockett, H. W. Zigler, Andrew Allen, H. R. Everding and J. H. McBride.

A Wisconsin Writer

Recoveries From Bright's Disease.

Eben E. Rexford, known all over the country as "the Poet of Shelton," and as a poet, a contributor to the "Ladies' Home Journal," and a bright "Disease" as he has fully recovered. Here is his letter to a friend:

Shelton, Wis., April 3, 1905.

Robt. M. Dadd, Milwaukee, Wis.: You ask me what I think of that treatment, I think it saved my life. During the attack of Bright's disease I suffered all it seems to me that a man can suffer and survive. I was told by a prominent medical writer that I would never see my stomach satisfied at night of them. Nothing seemed to permanently benefit me. Up to the time you enclosed a circular of Fulton's Compound with the ill-fated medicine prescribed by my physician I had never heard of it. I determined to try it, and got from it the first substantial relief. I did not quit when I felt better, but continued it for months after I felt entirely well. I advised several friends about it, and in every instance to give entire satisfaction. I feel, I can never be thankful enough to you for vesting my attention to it.

E. B. E. REXFORD.

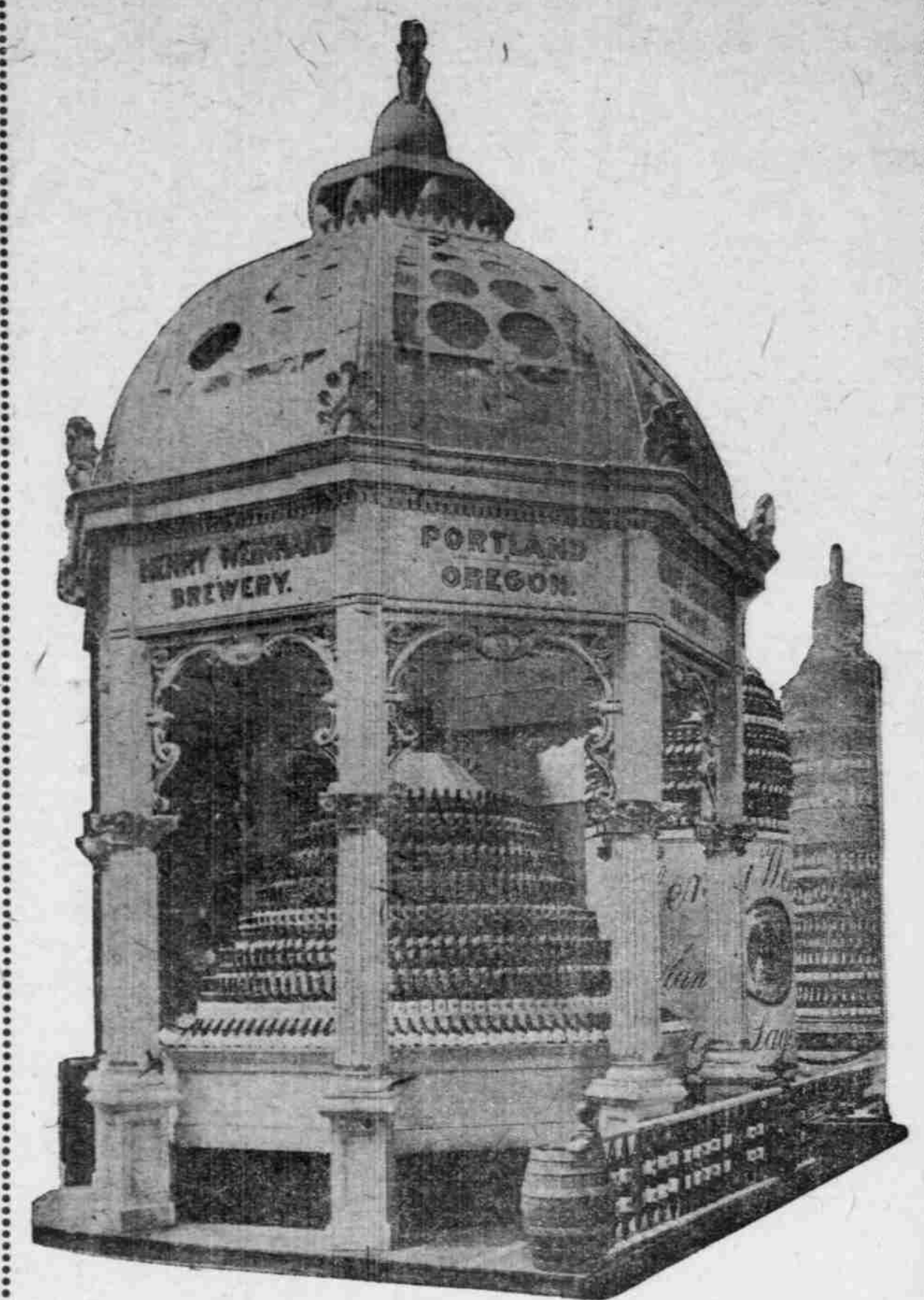
Facts also attested by Jno. A. Dadd & Son, 2nd Grand Avenue, Milwaukee.

Bright's Disease and Diabetes are curable in 87 per cent of all cases by Fulton's Compound. Read for literature.

Woodard, Clarke & Co., agts., Portland.

When I suspect Bright's Disease—weakness or loss of weight; puffiness, hands or eyelids; dropsy; kidney trouble after the third month; urine with white sediment; blood in vision; drowsiness; one or more of these.

ATTRACTIVE WEINHARD BREWERY EXHIBIT



ONE OF THE FEATURE BOOTHS OF THE AGRICULTURAL BUILDING.

Weinhard's Brewery has long held a prominent place among the manufacturing industries that have contributed to Portland's material progress. Its products have not only found a ready market throughout the entire Pacific Northwest, but have also earned an enviable reputation in competition with the products of the most famous breweries of the East. Weinhard beer is known along the entire Pacific Coast as the "par excellence" product of the brewery. For purity and palatableness, no beer made is superior to it, while few beers are as highly recommended by the medical profession for the sickroom and the table. Only the purest water and the best grades of hops and barley being used in the manufacture of this beer, its high reputation is not to be wondered at.

With its customary enterprise, the management of the Weinhard brewery has made an exhibit at the Lewis and Clark Exposition that is attracting much attention from Fair visitors. A portion of this attractive exhibit is shown in the above illustration. To appreciate thoroughly this display of brewery products, however, it must be seen, and Fair visitors who have not already inspected are cordially invited to pass that way. The exhibit is located directly opposite the main east entrance to the Agricultural and Horticultural building.

Weinhard's brewery is today one of the most modern and completely equipped brewing plants in the country. It has always been a credit to the City of Portland, being a factor of no mean importance in the city's industrial and commercial life.

Union Seminary and Professor Van Dike,

will be five bishops of the Episcopal Church, six bishops of the Methodist Church, three of the Methodist Church South, two Moravian bishops, and one each from the United Brethren, Reformed Episcopal and African Methodist. A number of laymen prominent in public life will speak. One of these, it is expected, will be Vice-President Fairbanks. Others include Governor Higgins, Mayor McMillan, Justices Harlan and Brewer, of the United States Supreme Court; Secretary of State Root, Senator Beveridge, of Indiana; Judge Scruggs of Chicago; Judge Gray, of the United States Supreme Court, and John Wana-maker.

The colleges and universities will be represented by their presidents, including President King of Oberlin, Tucker of Dartmouth, France of Brown, Hall of

Scrub Woman Robs Pawnshop.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—While employed as a scrubwoman, Mary Brennan, an aged widow, is accused of having acquired in the last month jewelry valued at \$5,000 from a large pawnshop in Brooklyn. Her nephew, 20 years old, is alleged to have been used in disposing of the plunder. Both were arrested last night, the police stating that they have confessed and that about one-third of the property has been recovered. A pawnbroker, through whom the nephew disposed of considerable jewelry, is also under arrest.

During her work of scrubbing, Mrs. Brennan, the police say, managed to secure a great quantity of small but valuable gems and gold. So secretly was the

work conducted that it was only detected

by an accident. About a week ago a patron of the pawnshop applied for the redemption of a diamond ring valued at \$50, which he had pawned for \$200. When the manager endeavored to find the ring it was missing. Subsequent investigation disclosed the heavy loss noted.

ARE YOU GOING EAST?

If So, Learn About the Very Low O. R. & N.

September 7, 8, 9 and 10, the O. R. & N. places on sale very low-rate long-time tickets East, according to I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge meeting Philadelphia, Pa. Particulars by asking at City Ticket Office, Third and Washington streets, Portland.

The British flag floats on 11,395 merchant vessels. The total number of such vessels in the world is given as 23,756.

Danderine

GREW MISS LEWIS' HAIR

AND WE CAN PROVE IT

The Great Danderine Never Fails to Produce the Desired Result.

MISS Lewis' hair was very thin and it was less than two feet in length when she began using Danderine. She says her hair and scalp are now fairly teeming with new-life and vigor.

That's the main secret of this great remedy's success as a hair grower. It enlivens, invigorates and fairly electrifies the hair glands and tissues of the scalp, causing unusual and unheard-of activity on the part of these two most important organs, resulting in a strenuous and continuous growth of the hair.

The following is a reproduction of Miss Lewis' last letter:

January 3, 1905.

Dear Doctor Knowlton—

You know I told you in my first letter that my hair would not reach much below my shoulders, and that all of it together only made one tiny braid.

I am sending you my photograph, which I had taken at Stevens Bros. It tells the whole story better than I can tell it.

Everybody I know is using Danderine, so you see I am doing something to show my appreciation.

Sincerely yours, (Miss) EVA LEWIS.

Danderine makes the scalp healthy and fertile and keeps it so. It is the greatest scalp fertilizer and therefore the greatest hair-producing remedy the world has ever known. It is a natural food and a wholesome medicine for both the hair and scalp.

Even a 25c bottle of it will put more genuine life in your hair than a gallon of any other hair tonic ever made. It shows results from the very start.

NOW at all druggists in three sizes, 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1. per bottle.

FREE. To show how quickly Danderine acts we will send a large sample free by return mail to any one who sends this advertisement to the Knowlton Danderine Co., Chicago, with their name and address and 10 cents in silver or stamps to pay postage.

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