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SULZER'S VISIT TO ALASKA.

Tacoma News.

The Daily Alaska Dispatch of August 11 announces the arrival at Juneau of the Honorable William Sulzer of New York. This fiery Democratic congressman is described by the Dispatch as "one of the hard-working members on the Democratic side in congress."

"Not much," replied the boy, with peculiar emphasis. "But I say she is," persisted papa. "And I say not," insisted the son. The father became testy on the subject. "You're hard to please. You don't expect a woman to be perfect, do you?" "No."

"Then why isn't this one just the girl for you?" "Because," replied the young man, with an effort, "she's for some other fellow. She told me so last night."

"Sincerely and solemnly the basket was borne into the church," says the Associated Press account of the funeral of the late Emma Sawyer. The correspondent evidently expected to see the pall bearers do a rag-time two-step down the aisle of the church.

In cases of croup give the little ones One Minute Cough Cure. Then rest easy and have no fear. It never fails. Pleasant to take, always safe, sure and almost instantaneous in effect. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

"Sir Thomas Lipton's boat has sailed to America," remarked the observant boarder. "Yes," added the cross-eyed boarder; "it is now being Shamrocked in the cradle of the deep."—Pittsburg Chronicle.

Use Bannet Salve, the great healer. It's guaranteed for cuts, wounds, sores, piles and all skin diseases. Use no substitute. Hart's drug store.

Advertising may be too much of a good thing. Some weeks since an item went the rounds of the press commenting on the scarcity of train hold-ups this season. Since then they have averaged about one a day, with all the usual thrilling accompaniments of dynamite, gun play and bravado.

A. B. Bass, of Morgantown, Ind., had to get up ten or twelve times in the night and had severe backache and pains in the kidneys. Was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure. It's guaranteed. Hart's drug store.

Chicago undertakers have combined to fight the coffin trade and "make it look like a dead one." So much has been said about the matter, but the details are shrouded in mystery, though it is understood that they will be unshaded in the records of the next convention. It is certainly a grave situation for the trust, which is not at all unlikely to be buried under the avalanche of competition.

The fame of Bucklen's Arnica Salve as the best in the world, extends round the earth. It's the one perfect healer of Cuts, Corns, Burns, Bruises, Sores, Scalds, Blisters, Ulcers, Felons, Aches, Pains and all Skin Eruptions. Only Infallible Pile Cure. 50c a box at Hart's Drug Store.

"I never saw so much attention paid to me as in the case this summer," remarks Mr. Snags. "Every paper you pick up has something about them." "That explains why they are so perpetually active," added Mr. Snags. "They are pulled up by their unwelcome importance."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

There is really no use of a man striving to do something for himself. Those enterprising ones who hold up the "Kary" train are in jail, the most progressive members of the New York police force are going to jail, the street trust is being money; so what's the use.

It's not always the girl with the most talking sail who gets into the swim.

It was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility writes P. J. Green, of Lancaster, N. Y. "No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicine I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female troubles; that they are a grand tonic and invigorator for weak, run-down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Hart's Drug Store.

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James White, Bryantville, Ind., says DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve healed his running sores on both legs. He had suffered six years. Doctors failed to help him until DeWitt's. Accepted no imitations. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

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From Various Sources.

"BAT" MASTERSON'S REVENGE. Story of Frontier Revenge and How One Life Was Paid for With Three.

The Omaha News. "Those were the days when men could shoot. Why you ought to see the way they would shoot to see who would win for the drinks. They would get some empty tin cans and place them in the street, then one man would start pulling two big guns from his belt and slip the top of a can. That would start him rattling and he would empty both guns at it, tipping the top every time and keep the cans rolling down the street. The first man to miss would have to buy the drinks and I have seen as many as eighty shots fired before someone would lose."

"Another thing they used to do would be to take a cup-sock, about an inch and a half square and nail it to a tree. Then they would mount their horses and ride at the mark. The man who would miss the box would lose."

"But here is the way Bill Masterson was killed. Ails the way that Masterson, king of gamblers, good shot and good fellow, avenged that death."

"At the time Bill was marshal of Dodge City, and a laughing city could not have been found, not even if all the frontiers of the country had turned loose their money birds of fortune on one town."

"There were three of the Masterson boys, Bill, Bat and Jim. A day or two before the celebrated killing Jim had had the third finger on his right hand shot off. He had thrown up his hand to spell the aim of a cowboy, rampant after a soaking up of a half a gallon of bad whisky, and the gun had been discharged. Jim's finger dropped to the ground and for two weeks after he sat with it under a stream of cold water to stop the expected infection."

"A true, strictly colored under the Masterson regime was that every stranger entering the town must have his guns at the gates, as it were. It was Bill Masterson's duty to see that this rule was obeyed."

"Bat, 'Bill, the Kid,' Jake Robbeaux, McTavie and several others were sitting in front of the Dodge City house one afternoon when a boy rushed up. 'For God's sake, hurry, Bat. They're going to kill you!' he panted."

"Oh I guess not," Bill answers how to take care of himself, "was the answer. 'For the love of God hurry!' the boy repeated."

By this time Bat saw that something was up. He hurried toward the place where the trail entered town. Just then a shooting out. From where they were they could see Bill's big figure sink slowly to the ground."

Three cowboys had attempted to enter town without giving up their guns. Bill had met them."

"Come on, boys," he said. "Just give up those shooting irons now and let's not have any trouble."

The only answer got was a string of epithets and an insulting dare to come and get them. Bill Masterson was not the man who would let them go without a fight. He reached for the first man's weapon. The cowboy, half starved with drink already, drew the gun and shot him full in the stomach. Bill dropped without a groan and never breathed again."

"At this point Bat came on the ground. 'Who did that?' he demanded, as he stood his two big guns around in front of him."

"They did," said one of the dazed on-lookers—later because Bill Masterson was about the most popular man in the town, Bat being a close second. They pointed at the cowboys. Bat did not even draw a gun. Instead, he called to one of the men, probably fifty feet away by that time."

The man turned. Bat drew his gun from his holster quick as a flash and the lead whistled. The cowboy whirled in the air and then dropped clattering in the heavy dust. A black-edged, jagged hole in his forehead, square between and on a line with his eyes told the tale of Bat Masterson's marvelous marksmanship."

By this time the other two were running 100 feet away. Bat whistled. The cowboy behind turned to look. As he did Bat waved him to draw. The man started to turn, giving no thought to anything but to put good distance between himself and the avenger."

But before he could turn Bat's gun spoke again. An angry little crack and the second of his brother's murderers had bitten the dust. A vicious little hole in the forehead, just between the eyes told the tale."

One of the hoodlums was now left. He was 500 feet away and running like a deer. Apparently thinking that he was beyond range he turned, placing his finger in his nose and giving them one of those contemptuous little wriggles which is known to every little school boy in the land."

But he had made a false reckoning. For the third time the gun that Bat held cracked. A second of suspense and the last of the trio threw up his hands, and staggered a few feet, then fell. They went toward him."

Exact in the spot where his two pals had been shot in the forehead, half-way between the shaggy, dusty eyebrows was a black hole, the best evidence on earth that Bat Masterson was the premier of gun men, even in those wild days."

"What did they do with Bat Masterson?" said McClave in conclusion. "Why, they made him marshal in Bill's place."

Secretary Wilson gives the cheerful information that the corn crop is good in some places and poor in others. How pleasant it must be to possess the keys to the vault where Solomon's knowledge lies buried.

A lot of Anglophiles who were bringing to make Europeans believe they were English are now kept tolerably busy trying to prove that they are Americans and fit to go about loose in Holland.

The cooks of the Spanish king have gone on a strike. The secret police are now trying to locate the walking delegate of the Chicago Serrano Girls' union who is suspected of lingering about the palace.

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