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## HAPPENINGS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK

**NEW YORK, May 1**—A tragedy of a particularly shocking character was enacted the other day in Brooklyn, when a woman of about thirty-five years shot her own father on the street, to avenge the death of her younger brother, who, she said, was killed by her father five years ago. She had been brooding over the sad ending of her brother until she became possessed by the irresistible desire to avenge her brother's death. She had left her father years ago because, as she stated to the police, he had treated her with unbearable cruelty.

Two cases which came to public notice the other day would make excellent plots for Sunday-School stories. They are full of human interest and unusual enough to satisfy the craving for sensations of the most emotional reader. A few days ago two detectives arrested a man, whom they followed from pawnshop to pawnshop where he had tried to sell some atomizers which, it is alleged, had been stolen from a drugstore on Third Avenue. At the hearing in the Jefferson Market Court it was ascertained that the prisoner had once been one of the most distinguished and most eloquent ministers of the Southern Methodist Conference. He was in charge of one of the richest churches of New Orleans and for ten or twelve years was considered one of the most powerful evangelists of the South. But his health gave way under the strain of his work. He began to drink, retired from the ministry and became a tramp.

Two months ago he turned up intoxicated one night at the old Jerry McAuley Mission in Water street. He was urged to tell his experience. The conductor of the Mission did not know him, believing him to be one of the usual Bowery derelicts. The ex-minister arose and began speaking. Soon he became sober under the excitement of the moment and his words took on some of their old fire. The drunkards who heard him fell on their knees in contrition, while the fashionable visitors to the Mission marveled at the eloquence of the shabbily dressed man. When he had finished

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—Mrs. CHARLES BARCLAY, R.F.D., Graniteville, Vt.

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## AMAZING NUMBERS ARE KILLED IN WAR

PEACE SOCIETY SECRETARY SAYS THEY FIGURE UP INTO BILLIONS.

CHICAGO, May 1.—Amazing statistics will be presented to the National Peace Society, which convenes here Monday, by Benjamin F. Trueblood, secretary of the American Peace Society. In a report compiled for distribution among the delegates, it is asserted that fifteen billion persons have sacrificed themselves in wars since the beginning of authentic history.

"This vast number of victims," says Mr. Trueblood, "is about equal to all the people who inhabited the globe for the last six hundred years, allowing three generations to the century and 650,000,000 estimated population of the world at the opening of 19th century as the average population per generation."

"The usual estimate of the number of men lost in the wars in 19th century, including those who died of wounds and diseases, places it at 14,000,000. Of this number the Napoleonic campaigns are responsible for about six million. Losses in the American Civil War have been variously estimated at from 800,000 to 1,000,000 men. The brief war between Prussia, Austria and Italy in 1866 entailed a loss of 45,000 men."

Mr. Trueblood also gives figures governing the cost of war from a financial standpoint.

"The figures," he said, "are staggering and probably would be more so if they could be fully obtained. Only approximate correctness is claimed for the following statements."

"The Napoleonic campaign, covering 19 years, cost \$15,000,000,000, the British-American war in 1812-1814, \$300,000,000; the Crimean war 1854 to 1856, \$1,666,000,000; American Civil War \$13,000,000,000 and the Prussian-Austrian war of 1866, \$325,000,000."

The national debts of the world powers, Mr. Trueblood estimates at \$34,633,154,000.

"The significance of this vast sum, the interest on which is over \$1,000,000,000 a year," he says, "is that practically the whole is chargeable to war and militarism"

ed to imprisonment for a period of forty-two years at Sing Sing. It appeared that the prisoner had served several terms for burglary and had committed nearly one hundred burglaries since he had been released from prison the last time. His method had been to stupefy his intended victim by illuminating gas, before he robbed their apartments and several persons had narrow escapes from death as the result of breathing the gas.

### A PARISIAN RUSE.

The Dressmaker's Lure That Ensnared the Americans.

Grace Margaret Gould tells in the September Woman's Home Companion some of the ways the Parisian dressmaking establishments sell their goods to American women. Here is one ruse that she saw worked in one of the biggest establishments in Paris:

There was a sudden and evident commotion among the employees. "The princess! The princess! She has arrived!" they cried.

American eyes began to bulge. Out from a magnificent equipage stepped a regally gowned grand lady, attended by footmen and maid and received by the whole bowing establishment, to the neglect of all other customers. She was in a rapturous mood this day and easy to please, praising their past efforts and selecting several of their new creations without regard to cost. After she had made her departure amid like ceremonies there was no need of the saleswoman bothering her head over suggestions. Every American woman present wanted a gown copied from the one the princess had bought, and she got it after much pleading and at a price far beyond the limit she had set.

And the point of this fable is this: The princess was no princess, but an employee of the house.

Every French gown has two prices—an American price and a French price. It is needless to say which is the greater price.

Along about April the cry goes up, "The Americans are coming!" and then the prices go up too.

Along about November, when the Americans have left, you might almost say they are giving away gowns, only the Frenchman never does give away anything. Then it is that the Frenchwoman in general and the French actress in particular selects her wardrobe.

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## CATCH THE MURDERERS OF DEAD SCIENTIST

GOVERNMENT RECEIVED MESSAGE THAT HEAD HUNTERS ARE TAKEN.

CHICAGO, May 1.—Field Museum authorities have been notified by a telegram from Brigadier General C. R. Edwards in charge of insular affairs at Washington that the murderers of Dr. Wm. Jones, who was killed by head-hunters on the island of Luzon, have been captured. Director Skiff said the Washington officials received a cablegram from Dean Worcester, Secretary of the Interior of the Philippines, that the murderers were being taken to the nearest constabulary station.

"I suppose," said Curator G. A. Dorsey, "that the capture was effected by Captain Geo. Bowers, who is in command of the nearest constabulary. At the time of the murder he was sent out to investigate among Ilongots, the tribes among whom Dr. Jones was doing his work. He evidently has the right parties and they doubtless will be dealt with summarily as an example."

The trial probably will be held in Beguet province, which is nearest to the head-hunters country. Convictions will result in death by hanging.

## WILL FIGHT THEATRE TRUST, HE SAYS

LEE SHUBERT SAYS THE NEW COMBINATION WILL NOT AFFECT PLANS.

NEW YORK, May 1.—The Shuberts today defied combined forces of Klaw and Erlanger, David Belasco and Harrison Grey Fiske in the interesting fight which is promised for the theatrical business next season.

Regarding the agreement which Belasco and Fiske reached with Klaw and Erlanger, Lee Shubert had this to say: "Whatever Belasco, Fiske and Klaw and Erlanger may do does not affect me, as the matter is absolutely indifferent to us. The Shuberts are strong enough to go it alone without any assistance from anyone and we certainly are going to do it. This move on the part of the syndicate could not have found us better prepared. With our New York theatre and the ones we control throughout the country we will be able to book our own attractions without the least difficulty."

"Our main strength, however, lies in the large number of attractions and stars we control. These are the key to the situation and the managers of one-night stand theatres throughout the country must use our attractions or close their theatres. I admit that the move was a complete surprise to me, but I repeat that it will not have the least effect on any of our plans."

Rev. I. W. Williamson's Letter  
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## REGISTERING AGAINST CUSTOMS TROUBLE

WEALTHY AMERICANS LISTING THEIR VALUABLES BEFORE GOING ABROAD.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 1.—As a result of the recent exposure of a plot to smuggle French finery and foreign jewels into this country on a gigantic scale by employing the names of rich Americans returning home from Europe, scores of men and women who have planned to go abroad within a short time are registering their valuables at the local customs house.

Already the officials are called upon to take accurate descriptions of jewelry, furs and gowns which the prospective travelers wish to take with them, in order that they may not be annoyed upon the return by the greater activity of the New York authorities due to the recent expose. Magnificent ropes of pearls, diamond tiaras, costly gowns and opera cloaks and other valuable possession are laid out by their owners before the local officials. A necklace valued at \$18,000 has been inspected thus far and other baubles of almost equal value destined to dazzle society circles of the old world capitals, have been recorded and packed under the official seal.

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