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**3<sup>3</sup>** In Our Store : : :

The Stock consists of Rain Coats, Overcoats, Mackintoshes, Wool Hosiery, Fancy Neckwear, Linen Collars, Handkerchiefs, Suspensives, Men's Hats, Umbrellas. Everything will go at same reduction, as our room is small. We have decided to make room for the size of our stock on hand, so if you are ready to purchase your Winter Supply, you had better come right now, as this sale will last only until the Holidays. Remember we are located in the Naylor Building near the corner of Main Street and First Avenue North.

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## OREGON BRIEFLETS

**Who Jones Was.**  
 [Copyright, 1907, by P. C. Eastment.]  
 It was more than thirty years ago that a Boston policeman saw Jones walking about on the Common with such a queer look on his face and so many evidences about him that he was lost that he accosted him and asked him for information concerning himself. Jones could give very little. He didn't know whether he was in Boston or Chicago. He didn't know how nor when he got there. He didn't know whether his name was Jones or Montgomery.  
 It was the duty of the police to solve the mystery. The case was written up and published broadcast. A close personal description was given, and many of the papers published his picture.  
 After he had hung around for a month he went to work as a common laborer, but waiting and hoping for news all the time. It was well for him that a wealthy man living in New Haven became interested in the case and determined to follow it up as a fad. Jones was only too willing.  
 He was first given a thorough examination by alienists. Jones was found just as sane as the alienists themselves. That may have disappointed them, but they had to admit it. Eminent surgeons then examined him to see if his state had not been brought about by some accident to the brain. Nothing of the sort could be shown. Jones was of phlegmatic temperament and not the man to worry his head over anything. A score of people were allowed to question him. Of course the idea was to bring forward something to remind him of himself and surroundings before the mysterious change. Almost every family name ever heard of in New England was mentioned, but he did not recognize his among them. Quite sure that he had a wife, over fifty given names were called over in hopes to strike hers, but this failed. Then there was a list of names of boys and girls, but he shook his head at each one. Then a list of trades was called over. He asked what a carpenter and a blacksmith were. He did not know what a scythe or a plow was.  
 For two weeks the wisest and keenest of men worked over Jones to rekindle the lost spark, and then things changed about just as might have been looked for. A majority of the committee and through them four-fifths of the public denounced the man as an impostor. It was argued that he was a tramp who was looking for a soft thing, and it was even urged that he be arrested. Only the New Haven man stuck to him, and perhaps that was more through obstinacy than anything else. He went back and reviewed the whole case from the beginning. As Jones had no money, it was fair to suppose that he had reached the city on foot. A man out of his right mind and acting queerly could not have traveled far even over country highways without being noticed or taken up. As the newspapers, daily and weekly, had given the case so much prominence, his nearest relatives were not subscribers to any public journal or lived in a secluded locality. Again, Jones must have been a man who frequently absented himself from home or his wife would have been worried about him and announced his disappearance.  
 This was the correct line of reasoning, and it soon brought results. Had it been followed from the first there would have been no long drawn mystery. The New Haven man drew a circle on the map for fifty miles around the landward side of Boston and then set out with his man. He got just one hint to guide him before starting. On the street one day as they were passing a machine shop Jones paused to inspect a machine at the door. From the way he went about it it was judged that he had had considerable to do with machinery. It is wonderful how easily any knot is untied when you get hold of it the right way. The two men traveled over the highways with a horse and buggy. As soon as they were out of the city every farmer or traveler was asked if he knew Jones. On the second day, when forty-five miles away and just as they were descending a long hill with a house and a chair shop at the foot of it, they encountered a woman. She was asked if she knew him.  
 "Why, he's my husband! Samuel, where on earth have you been all this time?"  
 Samuel rubbed his eyes, stretched and gaped and got down and kissed her. Nothing ailed him now. He was all right. He was a country chairmaker, with a shop driven by water power. He was also an inventor. He had left home to visit Boston and see about having a model made. On the way he had either lost his money or been robbed of it. He may have fallen or got a blow on the head. He may have been badly frightened. Brooding over his invention might have unsettled his mind. At any rate, he reached Boston as one walking in his sleep, and, as no newspaper reached the house, his wife had seen nothing about it. He had often been away for a week, and on this occasion she figured that he was staying a little longer to complete the machine.  
 The only points you may argue over are: Why didn't people in his vicinity recognize him, and would things have come back to him if they hadn't met his wife? You must argue them out to your own satisfaction. I have simply to add that his name was Bascom and not Jones and that he was inventing one of the corn planters in use today.  
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 —Bailey will buy your Wool and Mohair.

**Ambulance Field Examination.**  
 Scene—Hamilton South Haugh; soldier supposed to have been wounded is brought to surgeon's tent by bearers. Bearer (reporting)—Severe scalp wound, sir, accompanied with insensibility. Surgeon—Well, what have you done? Bearer—Dressed the wound, sir, and gave him a little whisky and water. Surgeon—Whisky and water! How did you expect an insensible man to swallow that? Bearer—He axed for't, sir.—London Illustrated Bits.

**Tricks of the Trade.**  
 Buyers of patent leather should look out for skins in which holes have been neatly covered with a piece of thin paper which is varnished over, the unfinished side being puttled up with a mixture of glue and leather dust.—Shoe Manufacturers' Monthly.

**Genius.**  
 As diamond cuts diamond and one hone smooths a second, all parts of intellect are whetstones to each other, and genius, which is but the result of their mutual sharpening, is character too.—Alfred Tennyson.

**Nor "The Long Green."**  
 Hicks—They say that the blind can distinguish colors by the sense of touch. Wicks—That's nothing. One doesn't have to be blind to feel blue.—Boston Transcript.

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No. 10	3:30 p. m.	4:50 p. m.
No. 2	4:37 p. m.	6:20 p. m.
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No. 5	" " " 8:50 a. m.	" " " 10:10 a. m.
No. 7	" " " 1:00 p. m.	" " " 2:20 p. m.
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