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### A Moose Against an Engine.

Some time ago as a short train of flat cars was running up the Duluth and Winnipeg road into Itasca county, Minnesota, a large moose was discovered near the track. In an instant he flew ahead of the train along the old tote path used by the Indians and woodsmen before the railway was built. The path was close to the car track and parallel with it. As there are no regular trains on Sunday the engineer had a clear field and he determined to show the moose how to run. The iron horse snorted and bounded along over his track of steel, while all on board intently watched the race. It was a four-mile straightaway run.

The moose's gait was an indescribable trot, such as only the moose can exhibit; his hind feet fanning his ears, his tongue hanging from his mouth, every muscle in his body moving, while his paces were apparently two rods in length. At first it was only a little jog, but as the engine began to do its best the moose let himself out a knot at a time, and all the mysterious power of steam could not prevail against this monarch of the forest.

Faster and faster sped the engine, but still the frightened moose trotted in the van, letting out his tongue another link, and adding a knot, as it was needed, to his gait. But when four miles had thus been traversed, the contestants came upon a clearing where men were gathered. Thus driven from his pathway and forced to abandon what seemed a playful pastime, the moose dashed across the track several rods in front of the engine, and a moment later, without awaiting the award of his well-earned laurels, was lost to sight in the forest. Youths companion.

### Fought Over the Corpse.

HOROKEN, N. J., Nov. 11.—Three women engaged in a row in an undertaker's shop here yesterday, the cause being rival claims to a body which was taken out of the river two days ago. The body was that of Frank D. Eberle, a cigarmaker of Harlem, in whose pocket was found, a letter from Mrs. Hattie Eberle, of Long Branch.

The two women went to the undertaker's establishment where the body was lying and one of them said that the man had been her husband and the father of her three children. Her companion was an unmarried sister of Eberle. While the two were sobbing and crying a good-looking, rather flashily dressed woman entered and announced that she was Mrs. Eberle, of Long Branch. It was evident that she knew the other women and that they knew her.

The coroner was dumfounded when the newcomer said she wanted to take charge of the body. The other woman began to cry and then to abuse the new-comer. The latter produced a marriage certifi-

cate dated in November 1890. When the certificate was shown there was a scene. Wife No. 1 and the sister of the deceased attempted to secure the certificate and the women were soon screaming, scratching and pulling one another's hair. The coroner finally succeeded in restoring order. Wife No. 1 and deceased's sister left the place very indignant. Then No. 2 also left, and now it is probable that the body will be buried in a pauper's grave.

### MURDERED 200 YEARS AGO.

HERMOSILLO, N. M., Nov. 11.—A strange discovery has been made here, which shows that a most horrible murder has been committed at some period long past. One of the oldest places in the town is a large adobe house on the southern out-skirts, which is said to be the oldest house in the Territory. This house was built by the Spaniards when they first came to this country and has been added to and taken from until only a small part of the original remains. This remaining portion consists of the central portion and was left on account of the solidity of the walls. It was determined not long ago by the owner to tear down part of this wall and change the shape of the building. The workmen had made but a few blows when they found that the apparently solid walls was hollow. An opening was made large enough to show the interior, and it was found that the cavity contained a skeleton. An investigation showed that some man had been chained to the wall and left to die of hunger and thirst. On the wall near the staple where the chain was attached were scratched the words, "Manuel Del Murrillos," which is supposed to have been the name of the unfortunate who was left to die. There is no possible means of determining how long the body had been there, but it must have been placed there 200 years ago.—The Republic.

### THE WILD MAN OF FAYETTE.

A wild man has appeared in the vicinity of Beck's Creek, Loudon Township, in the northeastern part of this (Fayette) county, Ill. a wild man is terrorizing the people. He has been seen twice within the last week, and yesterday a party soon of hunters sighted him, but he disappeared and they could get no further trace of him. He has features resembling those of a negro or a half-breed Indian, is of medium height and is in a state of perfect nudity. The people in the neighborhood are organizing a searching party for the purpose of capturing him.

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