# POPE PIUS X IS DEAD This Salmon Season Is

## Pontiff's Demise Hastened By Grief Over Great War.

symptoms did not develop until Wed- the Pope expected. nesday morning.

Throughout the day Drs. Marchia- scene was mournful. fava and Amici devoted their utmost The Giornale D'Italia, discussing energies to stimulating their patient the difficulties of holding a conclave and keeping him alive. The cardinals for the election of a Pope while the were informed of the Pope's grave world is at war, says that even if Italy condition and some of them who en- were among the belligerents every fatime, spoke.

word might have stayed the slaughter, of the archdiocese of Utrecht, the but now he is importent," he said once.

Netherlands, who would be representa
130,000 cases in excess of last year. Prayers were said by thousands and tive of a neutral power.

'In ancient times the Pope by a stance, Cardinal William Van Rossum,



POPE PIUS X. 259th Incumbent of Papal See, Since Year 67, A. D.

the bells of the churches sounded when the sacrament was exposed upon all the altars. When the court learned of to the world as Pope Pius X., was the Pope's co dition there was the deepest concern. King Victor Emmanuel personally informed Queen Harris, before whom the test case is on trail. The court sustained Hyde's demurrer on the ground that the state demurrer on ed to the Queen mother.

Extreme unction was administered ernmental, with which the Holy See Hyde's demurrer were overruled. by Monsignor Zampini, sacristan to has had to deal in recent times. Pope and his niece were overcome his determined attitude in maintaining with grief. Cardinal Merry del Val the purity of Catholic faith, beginning knelt by the side of his bed, where with his syllabus condemning criticism other cardinals joined in, the members of the holy scriptures and of the of the household intoning prayers.

anxious days in the history of the issues, and more recently with Portuthe Pope was indisposed, but it was overthrew the monarchy. supposed that he was suffering from his usual ailment, the gout. Up to at Riese, in the Venetian provences, noon even the members of the house- the first child of Gian-Battista Sarto, hold were unaware of the seriousness a postman, and his wife Margherita. of the developments. Almost without They were of the upper peasantry, if warning came the word that the Pon- one may use the term, and besides the tiff was at death's door.

times he revived and was able to say ters. The fathers' salary of 40 cents a few words, but hope of saving him a day and the mother's modest earnwas finally abandoned. Several times ings from making dresses afforded throughout the city and at the palace them only the necessities of life. the rumor spread that the end had Giuseppe's early career was fortuncome, only to be denied later.

del Val, the papal secretary, and Car- him to read and write and drummed dinals Ferrata, Cagiano and Bisleti, into the youthful head the rudiments by the O.-W. R. & N., and it is to mayor. A city manager would be and the two sisters of the Pope, a bul- of Latin. With this impetus Giuseppe letin on the condition of the Pontiff at the age of 11 years entered the was posted early in the afternoon on seminary at Castelfranco, not far from the bronze door of the Vatican where his birth place, and for four years the Swiss guards stood watch. A every day, rain or shine, he tramped great crowd outside gazed with grief- to school, usually barefooted, until he ber on the second floor.

because those, with the exception of shoes was his yearly allowance.

### Huerta Is Seeing London.

London - Marooned in London because of the war and the consequent plans were mapped out by the admin-said Thursday that he probably would tion it was discovered that too much of interruption of travel, Victoriano Hu- istration for building up the American file an amended complaint in the test the gold was being wasted and opera- lately, and I can't stand it. I went erta, ex-president of Mexico, and his merchant marine with government suit to recover school lands alleged to tions ceased. The old stamp mills after that book. Did you throw some family, made a brief sight-seeing tour money for the immediate purpose of have been obtained through fraud in have been discarded and \$75,000 worth flowers out of the window?" about the city Friday. General Huerta transporting the products of the counthe Benson-Hyde deal. and family slipped into London un- try to the warring nations of Europe | Circuit Judge Harris, of Eugene, announced and took apartments in an and to South and Central America. sustained a demurrer to the complaint obscure hotel, where they have rested President Wilson, in consultation with filed by the state on the ground that quietly for two days, worn out by the Democratic leaders of the senate and there had been delay in filing the actrip from Jamaica. To inquiries as to house, approved a project contemplation. He said that the statute of limhis health General Huerta said he was ing the expenditure of about \$25,000, itations would not bar the action if users and reduced the minimum rate well but tired. He will remain here a 000 for the purchase of ocean-going the state could show good reason for from \$2.50 to \$1.75 for 5000 gallons with the light of his pocket lamp. few days, then go to Santander, Spain. vessels to be run by the government.

#### Austrians on Italy Line.

Rome - A message received from within 24 hours.

been transported to the interior, tion was referred, will meet next culate a petition asking for the em- legislature to get the terms of court of the copper beeches. Electric lights are not burned at night week. Mr. Gregory's appointment as ployment of an engineer to select the changed so that court will not convene for fear of indicating the towns to attorney general also will be passed on most enconomical routes for the pro-

Early Career of Pope. Giuseppe Melchiorre Sarto, known Helena and the news was communicat- confronted with some of the most momentous problems, religious and gov-

The sisters of the They have included, on the one hand, origin of Christianity, and later bring-The dying Pope, in a moment of lu- ing forth the famous Encyclical "Pascendi" which expounds and condemns "Now I begin to think as the end is the system of modernism; and, on the approaching that the Almighty in his other hand, the painful struggles inexhaustible goodness wishes to spare which he had inherited with France me the horrors Europe is undergoing." over the separation of church and Wednesday was one of the most state, and later with Spain on similar papacy. The whole world knew that gal as a result of the revolution which

boy destined to be Pope there were All day his agony continued. At seven children, a son and six daugh-

ately influenced by the village priest, In the presence of Cardinal Merry who took a liking for the boy, taught stricken faces up at the Pope's cham- reached the outskirts of the village, city has been trying to solve the probwhere he would silp on his shoes to Confusion reigned at the Vatican keep up appearances. Two pairs of

### Approves Purchase of Ships,

Washington, D. C .- Comprehensive

### McReynolds Named Justice.

Washington, D. C .- President Wil-Trent says that Austria, which hitherto son has nominated James C. McRey- was elected president and J. R. Bar- still allowed a flat rate of \$1.50 a has mobilized its troops with prudence, nolds, now attorney general, as justice roll secretary of the Upper Valley month for oridnary household purposes. is now openly mobilizing at the Italian of the United States Supreme court, Good Roads association. The organiz A thousand workmen are and Thomas Watt Gregory, of Texas, ation aims to obtain construction of engaged in constructing entrench- to succeed Mr. McReynolds as attorney one or two trunk lines from the lower ments. Families of Austrian officers general. No Democratic opposition to orchard districts. The upper valley at Riva have been advised to leave the nomination of Mr. McReynolds is is idvided into seven communities and looked for in the senate. The judici- one resident from each district has ever held in this county. An effort State money, archives, etc., have ary committee, to which the nomina- been appointed on a committee to cir- will be made at the next session of the of the pines and the metal-like luster by the judiciary committee.

# Best in Three Years

bia river had so successful a season as fish. the one which will close next week. The steelhead run was short also and gillnetters and seiners on the lower tons short of the previous year.

The present season has been peculiar upper river and the canners are con- in many ways. There has not been cerned. The cold storage men, how- what is commonly known as a "run" ever, suffered a severe blow when the since the fishing began May 1. On Rome—Pope Pius X died at 1:20 the papal secretary, who take charge o'clock Thursday morning. He had been ill for several days, but alarming out of Rome, so little was the death of the papal secretary, who take charge off their principal market, and as a result the pack of that product, which from the opening day up to about the he Pope expected.

Outside the apostolic palace the was curtailed. Strange to say, the was a break and since that time the

made a fairly good harvest. salmon is approximately 40 per cent little fishing in the upper river, but tered the sick room describe the impressive scenes, especially when the lege to meet. It expressed the belief portifier, rousing himself from time to that a new Pope might be chosen from post of the properties every far ahead of last year, the canned pack then great schools of what were being fully 60 per cent better and then great schools of what were being fully 60 per cent better and pickled or cold storage output being 20 as they reached the upper river, but then great schools of what were being fully 60 per cent better and pickled or cold storage output being 20 as they reached the upper river, but then great schools of what were being fully 60 per cent better and pickled or cold storage output being 20 as they reached the upper river, but then great schools of what were being fully 60 per cent better and the properties are the properties are the properties and the properties are the properties are the properties and the properties are the prop among the foreign cardinals, for in-a stance. Cardinal William Van Rossum, for the season is slightly over 280,000 gobbled them up by the ton, making

Astoria - Not since 1911 have the The cold storage output for the season almon fishing interests of the Colum- approximates 4375 tierces of pickled

This is particularly true so far as the the pack of frozen fish is fully 300

catch by the traps was not so large as salmon have entered the river only in was to have been expected and that is little spurts. Early in the season the the only class of gear that has not fish averaged small and prior to July 1 the great bulk of them went into Taken as a whole, the pack of spring cans. Up to that time there had been

# Northwest Dried Fruits Greatly Reduced in Price

of cheaper foodstuffs in this period of war prices can turn gratefully to dried shead of the available supply.

Such is the situation in the rice and

expected unless sea traffic can be re- and another the day before. At New sumed shortly.

The reason for this is that 40 per ity, was \$7 on board cars, the highest cent of the dried fruit output is sold in price in 10 years. Spain is one of the principal purchasers of apples. Even little Bulgaria, in bond in this country immediately

foodstuffs to show that the law of supply and demand is governing the presply and demand is governed to the presply and demand is go ent prices, and that they have not been ican republics. The demand from yanked skyward merely through lust these countries is about 10,000 to 15,-

Portland-The housewife in search | declining market. Where prices have

fruit. It is one product that has not bean market. On rice, one of the gone up in price because of the war. most important of food commodities, Dried apples, dried prunes, dried the price locally has advanced all the peaches, dired pears and risins, quite way from 50 cents to \$2 a bag of 100 to the contrary, have slumped sharply pounds, according to quality. There in price. Still lower prices may be was a rise of half a cent Wednesday, Orleans, fancy head rice, the best qual-

foreign countries. France is an es- The reason for this is the embargo pecially heavy buyer of dried prunes which the British government, on in particular. Germany and Austria August 8, put on shipments of No. 1 take large quantities of apples and China rice, Siam rice and brewers' prunes. England is also a heavy buyer. rice for the next six months. With down in the Balkans, buys great quan- advanced from \$1.50 a bag to \$2 a tities of American dried fruit products. bag. By bonded rice is meant rice This instance is cited by dealers in held in storage on which no duty has for profit. In this case, the supply 000 bags a month, exported mostly being greater than demand, there is a from San Fancisco.

#### Many Years' Delay by State is Made Issue Crop Donated to Advertise

en days in which to explain a delay of the immense crop this year may be 14 years between the granting of school land deeds to one Hyde and the filing of a suit to set aside these deeds, crop. More than \$1200 was subscribed which are alleged to have been ob- at the meeting. tained fraudulently.

the basis for similar suits affecting Gilbert. The Salem Fruit Union and thousands of acres of Oregon school H. S. Gile & Co., promised dried ber-

This decision was voiced by Judge the product. has been guilty of laches, or unreasonable delay.

The state contends that Hyde entered into agreement with persons to will be disposed of at fair prices. make application for school lands, but Several railroads have placed orders make application for school lands, but for large supplies for use in dining lent, because, it is alleged, Hyde cars. agreed to pay from \$1 to \$20 to the applicants. As soon as they obtained certificate of title they transferred it to Hyde, the prosecution alleges.

### Orenco Club Revives.

charged and a board of five directors will be elected from the officers. The old officers will have charge until the their crops. annual meeting. Steps were taken toward establishing a cannery for the next season's business. Another meeting will be held next week for further discussion and to plan collection of subscriptions for stock. Several hundred dollars already have been subscribed.

### Pendleton to Get Another Park.

Pendleton-Pendleton is to have anweather it is cloudy in dust, and in overdrawing of accounts and deficits. wet weather it is ankle deep in mud. The Commercial association of this lem, and new the railroad company offers to donate the land on condition that the city will care for it.

### State Will Push Suit.

### Hood River Roads Asked.

its delay in starting suit.

Hood River - Charles Steinhauser posed highways.

### Two Per Cent of Berry

Eugene-The State of Oregon has Salem-To advertise the berry that

A committee appionted to co-operate If the state has a good excuse the with the Salem Commercial club in the exploitation of the berry is composed test case of the State of Oregon of H. R. Crawford, H. S. Gile, George against Hyde may proceed and from F. Rodgers, Ralph Moores and Frank ries for use as samples in popularizing

berries might fall far below the sup-Other contentions in ply. To obviate this the association was formed several months ago, and it is now believed that the entire crop

### Hop Picking to Start.

Dallas-Hopgrowers are busy preparing for picking. The crop all over would have looked upon it as a joke Polk county will be short this year. In many yards the crop will only be 50 Orenco - Citizens of Orenco have per cent of the usual yield. In some tranformed the Civic improvement yards the yield will be normal. Owing league into the Orenco Chamber of to unsettled conditions in Europe, hopcommerce. A nominal fee will be some yards next week, and by September 16 all growers will be gathering It is believed the quality will be about the same as

### Salem Rule May Change.

Salem - A commission-managerial form of government for Salem has been recommended by a committee appointed by the mayor and city council to make an investigation. The report recommends a government by seven commissioners, one from each ward, to other park. The latest addition is to be elected at large, and the one receivbe jointly constructed by the city and ing the largest vote to be chairman or face the depot. The present site is chosen. The report provides for limita triangular area, known for years as ing the tax levy for general purposes "Pendletion's Prairie." In windy to 10 mills forever. It also prohibits

### Old Mine Is Reopened.

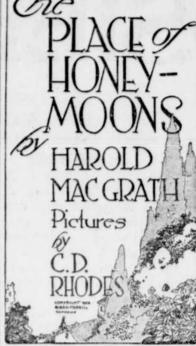
Molalla-The Ogle Mountain mine, 29 miles south of Molalla, started its she watched it dance. Suddenly all machinery running Wednesday for the became dark again. first time. This mine has been worked in a sort of a way for the last 18 years. A few years ago stamp mills Salem-Attorney General Crawford were installed, but when put in operaof modern machinery installed.

### Medford Water Cheaper.

Medford-After considering the subject several weeks the city council the bunch, and look at what I found granted the request of outside water and from 25 cents to 15 cents for over Nora's heart tightened. What she saw 1000 gallons over that amount. All was a beautiful uncut emeraid, outside water-users were put on a meter basis, while city water-users are

### Polk Court Term Is Over.

Dallas-The August term of the Circuit court for Polk county has adticularly busy with their crops.



Eleanora de Toscana was singing in Paris, which, perhaps, accounted for Edward Courtlandt's appearance there. Multimillionaire, he wandered about where fancy dictated. He might be in Paris one day and Kamchatka the next. Following the opera he goes to a cafe and is accosted by a pretty young woman. She gave him the address of Flora Desimone, vocal rival of Toscana, and Flora gives him the address of Eleanora, whom he is determined to see. Courtlandt enters Eleanora's apartments. She orders him out and shoots at him. The next day Paris is shocked by the mysterious disappearance of the prima donna. Realizing that he may be suspected of the abduction of Eleanora Courtlandt arranges for an alful. Eleanora reappears and accuses Courtlandt of having abducted her. His alibi is satisfactory to the police and the charge is dismissed. Eleanora flees to Lake Como to rest after the shock. She is followed by a number of her admirers, among them the prince who really procured her abduction. Courtlandt also goes to Como and there meets Jimmie Harrigan, retired prizefighter and father of Eleanora, whose real name is Nora Harrigan, Harrigan takes Courtlandt into his favor at once. He introduces Courtlandt to his daughier, but the latter gives no sign of ever having met him before. She studiously avoids him. Nora's confessor scents a mystery involving Nora and Courtlandt. He takes a strong fancy to the young man. Nora's suitors become more and more persistent.

#### CHAPTER X-Continued. "Abbey, I wouldn't climb those stairs for a bottle of Horace's Falernian served on Seneca's famous citron

"Not a friend in the world," Abbott lamented.

Laughingly they hustled him into the hallway and fled. Then Courtlandt went his way alone.

rlarrigan was in a happy temper. He kissed his wife and chucked Nora under the chin. And then Mrs. Harrigan launched the thunderbolt which, having been held on the leash for several hours, had, for all of that, lost one of its ability to blight and scorch.

"James, you are about as hopeless man as ever was born. You all but disgraced us this afternoon. "Mother!"

"Me?" cried the bewildered Harrigan. "Look at those tennis shoes; one white string and one brown one. It's mough to drive a woman mad. What

in heaven's name made you come?" Perhaps it was the after effect of a good dinner, that dwindling away of pleasant emotions: perhaps it was the very triviality of the offense for which curred.

"Damn it, Molly, I wasn't going but Courtlandt asked me to go with him, thing widely, his heart, his mind, his and I never thought of my shoes. You hate or his affection. are always finding fault with me these days. I don't drink, I don't gamble, I don't run around after other women; I never did. But since you've got this social bug in your bonnet, you keep me on hooks all the while. Nobobdy noticed the shoe strings; and they if they had. After all, I'm the boss it. Here!" He caught up a book on person.' social usages and threw it out of the window. "Don't ever shove a thing like that under my nose again. If you do, I'll hike back to little old New York and start the gym again." He rammed one of the colonel's per-

the morrow) between his teeth, and stalked into the garden.

Nora was heartless enough to laugh. "He hasn't talked like that to me in years!" Mrs. Harrigan did not know what to do-follow him or weep. She

Nora turned out the lights and sat out on the little balcony. The moonshine was glorious. So dense was the twinkling here and there were more as silently as he could. She heard him move hither and thither among the grape arbors. For five or six minutes

"Nora, are you there?" "Yes. Over here on the balcony. What were you doing down there?" "Oh, Nora, I'm sorry I lost my temper. But Molly's begun to mag me

"A bunch of daisies?" "Marguerites," she corrected. "All the same to me. I picked up

"Yes."

inside." He extended his palm, flooding it

### CHAPTER XI.

A Comedy with Music. The Harrigans occupied the suite

n the east wing of the villa. This forever and forever! consisted of a large drawing room and journed after one of the longest terms balconies and a private veranda l the rear, looking off toward the greet

prevailed upon the face of the waters and defied all save the keenest scrutiny to discern where the mountain | card. tops ended and the sky began. It was

books, and good fellows. Here they all were. Mrs. Harrigan him up." was deep in the intricate maze of the from off the willing if aching digits of smiled enigmatically. playing (planissimo) snatches from stantly gone. the operas, while Abbott looked on, his elbows propped upon his knees, his chin in his palms, and a quality of ers there had been little movement ecstatic content in his eyes.

As Celeste began the andante, Nora | his hand. signified to the Barone to drop his ork. She let her own hands fall. without expression of any sort, and somehow music seemed to stir the dim pleasant and as engaging as she knew and not quite understandable longing how to be. She did not care if he for utterance. Mrs. Harrigan alone misinterpreted her mood. She welwent on with her work; she could comed him with a hand. He went on work and listen at the same time. to Mrs. Harrigan, who colored pleas-After the magnificent finale, nothing urably. He was then introduced, and in the room stirred but her needle.

the spell. "You never played that better," declared Nora.

"That's some!" Harrigan beat his stuff; eh, Barone?"

The Barone raised his hands as if cribe his sensations. His elation was with icy glances from stormy eyes, that ascribed to those fortunate mor- he encountered such smiles as this tals whom the gods lifted to Olympus, adorable creature had never before be-At his feet lay the lace hemming, hopelessly snarled.

"Father, father!" remonstrated Nora; "you will wake up all the old ladies of his dream. Women were riddles who are having their siesta."

"Bah! I'll bet a doughnut their ears are glued to their doors. What ho! Somebody's at the portcullis. Probably the padre, come up for tea."

flung it open heartily. It was char- as he thought he saw opening out beacteristic of the man to open every-



Emerald.

"Come in, come in! Just in time

for the matinee concert." The padre was not alone. Court-

landt followed him in. "We have been standing in the corridor for ten minutes," affirmed the padre, sending a winning smile around the room. "Mr. Courtlandt was for the interloper to account the very first going down to the bureau and sending of this ranch. If I want to wear a up our cards. But I would not hear white string and a black one, I'll do of such formality. I am a privileged

"Sure yes! Molly, ring for tea, and tell 'em to make it hot. How about a her own heart ached miserably did not little peg, as the colonel says?"

The two men declined. How easily and nonchalantly the man stood there by the door as Harrifectos (which he had been saving for gan took his hat! Celeste was aquiver with excitement. She was thoroughly happen, dramatically, romantically.

hated scenes, and Courtlandt had the advantage of her in his knowledge of took the middle course, and went to this. Celeste remained at the piano, but Nora turned as if to move away.

"No, you must sing. That is what I came up for," insisted the padre. If there was any malice in the churchearth blackness that the few lights | man, it was of a negative quality. But it was in his Latin blood that drama like fallen stars. Presently she heard should appeal to him strongly, and a sound. It was her father, returning here was an unusual phase in The Great Play. He had urged Courtlandt, fumble among the knickknacks on the much against the latter's will this day, mantel, and then go away again. By to come up with him, simply that he the United States at the bottom of a and by she saw a spot of white light | might set a little scene such as this | list of 15 countries as a nation of savwoman, though by a thousand other this antagonism was principally due land. Australia, Japan and Italy. to the fact that Eve had been confrom Adam. Naturally she resented this, that she had not been fashioned independently, and would hold it against man until the true secret of head. the parable was made clear to her.

better to sing. She would not be ple of hundred millions less, but this compelled to look at this man she takes no account of the investments so despised. At the beginning she had of French thrift, Russia has \$,000,000 intended to sing badly; but as the depositors, but only \$300,000,000 bemusic proceeded, she sang as she had tween them. Austria has 6,500,000. not sung in weeks. To fill this man's with about the same amount as Great soul with a hunger for the sound of Britain. Italy has as many depositors fresh knowledge of what he had lost deposits, Japan has about 20,000,000

Celeste turned from the keys after the final chords of "Morning Mood." "Thank you!" said Nora. "Do not stop," begged Courtlandt,

Nora looked directly into his eyes

There was a knock at the door. The managing director handed Harrigan a

"Herr Rosen," he read aloud. "Send a day for indoors, for dreams, good him up. Some friend of yours, Nora; Herr Rosen. I told Mr. Jilli to send

The padre drew his feet under his Amelia Ars of Bologna, which, as the cassock, a sign of perturbation; Courtinitiated know, is a wonderful lace. By | landt continued to unwind the snarl of one of the windows sat Nora, winding lace dropped by the Barone; the interminable yards of lace hemming Barone glanced flercely at Nora, who

the Barone, who was speculating as | Herr Rosen! There was no outto what his Neapolitan club friends ward reason why the name should would say could they see, by some, have set a chill on them all, turned trick of crystal gazing, his present oc- them into expectant statues. Yet, all cupation. Celeste was at the piano, semblance of good fellowship was in-

Mrs. Harrigan smoothed out the wrinkles in her dress. From the othand no sound to speak of. Harrigan "Play the fourth ballade," urged still waited by the door, seriously contemplating the bit of pasteboard in

Herr Rosen brushed past Harrigan unceremoniously, without pausing and Harrigan gently closed his book, for went straight over to Nora, who was in that rough kindly soul of his lay a thereupon seized by an uncontrollable mighty love of music. He himself was spirit of devilment. She hated Herr he acknowledged each introduction "Bravo!" cried the Barone, breaking with a careless nod. He was there to see Nora, and he did not propose to put himself to any inconvenience on account of the others.

Herr Rosen instantly usurped the hands together thunderously. "Great | chair next to Nora, who began to pour the tea. He had come up from the village prepared for a disagreeable to express his utter inability to des- half hour. Instead of being greeted stowed upon him. He was in the clouds. That night at Cadenabbia had apparently knocked the bottom out which only they themselves could solve for others. For this one woman he was perfectly ready to throw everything aside. A man lived but once; and he was a fool who would hold to He was at the door instantly. He tinsel in preference to such happiness fore him. Nora saw, but she did not care. That in order to reach another she was practising infinite cruelty on this man (whose one fault lay in that he loved her) did not appeal to her pity. But her arrow flew wide of the target; at least, there appeared no result to her archery in malice. Not once had the intended victim looked over to where she sat. And yet she knew that he must be watching; he could not possibly avoid it and be human. And when he finally came forward to take his cup, she leaned toward Herr Rosen.

"You take two lumps?" she asked sweetly. It was only a chance shot, but she hit on the truth.

"And you remember?" excitedly. "One lump for mine, please," said

Courtlandt, smiling. She picked up a cube of sugar and dropped it into his cup. She had the air of one wishing it were poison. The recipient of this good will, with perfect understanding, returned to the divan, where the padre and Harrigan were gravely toasting each other with benedictine.

Nora made no mistake with either Abbott's cup or the Barone's; but the two men were filled with but one de What She Saw Was a Beautiful Uncut | sire, to throw Herr Rosen out of the window. What had begun as a beautiful day was now becoming black and

uncertain. The Barone could control every feature save his eyes, and these openly admitted deep anger. He recollected Herr Rosen well enough. The encounter over at Cadenabbia was not the first by many. Herr Rosen! His presence in this room under that name was an insult, and he intended to call

opportunity he found. Perhaps Celeste, sitting as quiet as a mouse upon the piano stool, was the only one who saw these strange ourrents drifting dangerously about. That prevent her from observing things with all her usual keenness, Ah, Nora, Nora, who have everything to give and yet give nothing, why do you play so heartless a game? Why hurt those who can no more help loving you than a woman; she wanted something to the earth can help whirling around the calm dispassionate sun? Always they But her want was a vain one. Nora turn to you, while I, who have so much to give, am given nothing! She set down her tea cup and began the aria

from La Boheme. (TO BE CONTINUED.)

## NOT A NATION OF SAVERS

In the Matter of Thrift the United States Is Far Behind European Countries.

A table prepared by Dr. Henry S. Williams for Moody's Magazine places promised to be and study it from the ers. The comparison is on the numvantage of the prompter. He knew ber of savings bank depositors per that the principal theme of all great thousand of population and ranges books, of all great dramas, was antag- from 554 in Switzerland to 99 in this onism, antagonism between man and country. Denmark, Norway, Sweden, Belgium and New Zealand follow the names has it been called. He had Swiss. France leads the big nations, often said, in a spirit of raillery, that then come Holland, Germany, Eng-

Our 10,800,000 depositors, with their structed (and very well) out of a rib \$4,728,000,000 deposits, or almost \$440 per depositor, may be contrasted with Germany's 22,500,000 depositors with but \$4,942,000,000, or only \$189 per The United Kingdom has almost 15,000,000 depositors, but only a Nora saw that opposition would little over \$1,250,000,000. France has be useless. After all, it would be nearly as many depositors with a couher voice, to pour into his heart a as Russia, but with one-fourth more depositors, but they do not average \$9.

The savings habit, it can be seen, is very much more general abroad where the opportunity is very much less. Three-fourths of our saving is being done in the New England and Eastern as she replied: "One's voice can not States. Then come the Middle West, It was raining, a fine, soft, blurring go on forever, and mine is not at all the Pacific Coast, the South and the Western States.