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CHAPTER II-Continued.

"From a drop of water," said the imagine. writer, "a logician could infer the poswriter, a have you read Gaborlau's works?" sibility of an Atlantic or a Niagara sibility of an Atlantic or a Niagara without having seen or heard of one without having seen or heard of one or the other. So all life is a great hain, the nature of which is known ly. whenever we are shown a single link

of it. Like an other analysis is one which only one thing to recommend him, and of deduction and unred by long and pa-that was his energy. That book made tient study, nor is life long enough to me positively ill." allow any one mortal to attain the

highest possible perfection in it. Beegin by mastering more elementary Let him, on meeting a fellow mortal, learn at a glance to dis- characters whom I had admired treattinguish the history of the man, and ed in this cavalier style, the trade or profession to which he belongs. Peurile as such an exercise may stood looking out into the busy street. which he rippled on. seem, it sharpens the faculties of observation and teaches one where to said to myself. look and what to look for. By a man's very concelted." finger nails, by his coat sleeve, by his hoot, by his trouser knees, by the cal- inals in these days," he said, queru-

by his expression, by his shirt cuffsing is plainly revealed. That all united should fall to enlighten the competent inquirer in any case is almost inconcelvable.

"What is it?" asked Sherlock Yard official can see through it." Holmes

at it with my egg spoon as I sat down to change the topic to my breakfast. "I see that you have It is not practical. I should the bearer of a message. like to see him clapped down in a third-class carriage on the Under- marines," said Sherlock Holmes. ground, and asked to give the trades f all of his fellow travelers. I would lay a thousand to one against him."

"You would lose your money," Sherlock Holmes remarked calmly. "As for the article, I wrote it myself." "You!

"Yes; I have a turn both for observation and for deduction. The theories which I have expressed there, and below and heavy steps ascending the which appear to you to be so chimeri- stair cal, are really extremely practical-so practical that I depend upon them for stepping into the room and handing my bread and cheese.

'And how?" I asked involuntarily. "Well, I have a trade of my own. I the concelt out of him. He little

the front room, which is bare of furture, discovered the body of a gentlenan, well dressed and having cards in his pocket bearing the name of 'Enoch Drebber, Cleveland, Ohio, U. S. A. There had been no robbery, nor is there any evidence as to how the man met his death. There are marks of blood in the room, but there is no no doubt; but he was by no means wound upon his person. We are at a such a phenomenon as Poe appeared to loss as to how he came into the empty

"My dear fellow, what does it mat-

ter to me? Suppose I unravel the

whole matter, you may be sure that

Gregson, Lestrade & Co. will pocket

"Yes. He knows that I am his su-

erior, and acknowledges it to me;

He hustled on his overcoat, and bus-

"Yes, if you have nothing better to

mona fiddles, and the difference be-

will have your data soon,"

the house, if I am not very much mis-

(To be continued.)

A Crushing Reply.

"So it is. Stop. driver, stop!"

ween a Stradivarius and an Amati.

but he would cut his tongue out before

if I have nothing else. Come on!"

"You wish me to come?"

mud colored streets beneath.

Brixton road.

"But he begs you to help him."

an unofficial personage."

beat saw a light there about 2 'a the

norning, and as the house was an empty one, suspected something was

"Have you read Gaboriau's works?" Sherlock Holmes sniffed sardonical-

"Lecoq was a miserable blunderer," Like all other arts, the science he said in an angry voice; "he had a great kindness if you would favor ly, "Gregson is the smartest of the Scotland Yarders,"

"The question was how to identify an unknown prisoner. I could have fore turning to those moral and mental done it in twenty four hours. Lecoq of a bad lot. They are both quick and marked. "He and Lestrade are the pick aspect of the matter which present the took six months or so. It might be energetic, but conventional-shockinggreatest difficulties, let the inquirer made a text book for detectives to ly so. They have their knives into teach them what to avoid."

each other, too. They are as jealous I felt rather indignant at having two as a pair of professional beauties. There will be some fun over this case if they are both put upon the scent." I walked over to the window and

"This fellow may be very clever," I "but he is certainly lost," I cried; "shall I go and order you a cab?" There are no crimes and no crim-

"I am not sure about whether I shall polices of his forefinger and thumb. lously. "What is the use of having go. I am the most incurably lazy devbrains in our profession? I know well il that ever stood in shoe leatherby all of these things a man's call that I have it in me to make my name that is, when the fit is on me, for I can, be spry enough at times." famous. No man lives or has ever "Why, it is just such a chance as lived who has brought the same amount of study and of natural talent you have been longing for."

to the detection of crime which I have "What ineffable twaddle!" I cried. done. And what is the result? There slapping the magazine down on the is no crime to detect, or, at most, "I never read such rubbish in some bungling villany with a motive so transparent that even a Scotland

"Why, this article," I said, pointing style of conversation. I thought it best I was still annoyed at his bumptious

"I wonder what that fellow is look read it, since you have marked it. I ing for?" I asked, pointing to a staldon't deny hat it is smartly written. wart, plainly dressed individual who However, we may as well go and have It irritates me though. It is evidently was walking slowly down the other the theory of some arm-chair lounger side of the street, looking anxiously at hook. I may have a laugh at them, who evolves all these neat little para- the numbers. He had a large blue endoxes in the seclusion of his own velope in his hand, and was evidently

tled about in a way that showed that "You mean the retired sergeant of an energetic fit had superseded the apathetic one. "Brag and bounce!" thought I to my "Get your hat," he said. telf. "He knows that I cannot verify

The thought had hardly pass we were watching caught sight of the number on our door and ran rapidly

across the roadway. We heard a loud knock a deep volce "For Mr. Sherlock Holmes," he said.

my friend the letter. Here was an opportunity of taking

suppose I am the only one in the thought of this when he made that ran-world. I'm a consulting detoctive, if dom shot.

EVENTS OF THE DAY TRACY He found the door open and in FROM THE FOUR QUARTERS OF THE WORLD. A Comprehensive Review of the Important Happenings of the Past Week, Presented Closely Pursued and Twice Wounded, He Puts and knees.

use any time before 12 you will find me there. I have left everything in statu quo until I hear from you.

A cyclone destroyed 42 houses at dead The notorious criminal, convict, for dayilght. Pompri, province of Kursk, killing 22 me with your opinion. Yours faithful- people TOBIAS GREGSON."

Senor Sagasta, in an interview, announces that he is about to retire my friend refrom public life.

> Rohl, of Munich, Bavaria, beat the world's six-hour bicycle record at Friedrau Sunday. He averaged 38 miles an hour.

Commodore Joseph Montgomery, the in a wheat field near the Eddy home, Confederate naval officer who nearly where Tracy spent the last few days, captured Grant during the Civil war, and whither he had been tracked by his I was amazed at the calm way in died at Chicago Sunday. hunters.

"Surely there is not a moment to be Dr. William M. Bradshear, president of the Iowa State college at Ames, and former president of the National Educational association, died Tuesday of coln county. Its disposition will be nervous prostration.

> The circuit court of Cuyahoga county has dissolved an injunction against the all law, setting at naught all efforts of Cleveland city council, which prevent- the authorities of two states to capture ed that body from transacting business or kill him, baffling the best man because of alleged illegality and the inauguration of a 3-cent street car fare. ing across two states with impunity, Former President Steyn, of the Ordemanding and receiving entertainment

all the credit. That comes of being ange Free State, is reported to be in very bad health. He has gone to The all along the line, this criminal won Hague to meet President Kruger. der has at last been sent to his final

An explanatory note issued by the resting place .. Russian minister of finance states that Russia will regard as a violation of treaty the proposed American countervailing sugar duties.

At Helena, Mont., a lone highwaynan held up Samuel Trevis and James Randall, and after he had robbed them, through the car.

to great Britain, has returned.

The Shenandoah collieries may start A minute later we were both in a np under the protection of troops ansom, driving furiously for the

A Chicago woman has been arrested It was a foggy, cloudy morning, and for starving nine infants to death. dun-colored veil hung over the house tops, looking like the reflection of the

Striking anthracite coal miners say incompetent men are being sent into My companion was in the best of the mines. spirits, and prattled away about Cre-

The Santa Fe railroad has issued circular granting an increase of wages As for myself, I was silent, for the to the carmen.

Eight shots in all were fired, and NEWS OF THE STATE these eight will take some of the effulgence off the reputation of the Oregon convict as a dead shot. Seeing he was

not succeeding in his eudeavors, he left his position behind the rock and made NOTED OUTLAW SUICIDES TO a dash for the wheat field not far dis tant. Just as he was entering the field he stumbled, and failing on his face Commercial and Financial Happenings of Imcrawled on into the field on his hands

This led the hunters to believe that an End to His Existence-Body Found in a Wheat Field Near thi Eddy Ranch, Where they had at least wounded their man, but it was getting dusk, and they did He Spent the Last Few Days of His Life. not dare to proceed, as they could not Fatal Woynd Made by 45 CaliberRevolver see their man nor know how ready he was to take a "pot shot." Therefore,

after holding a consultation, they de-Spokane, Aug 6 .- Harry Tracy is cided to surround the place and wait

outlaw, deseprado and multi-murderer Shortly after Tracy's disappearance into the wheat field the watchers heard committed suicide last evening, after a shot which sounded as though it came being shot twice by his pursuers. His from about the spot to which he had body was found at an early hour this crawled. No investigation was made, morning, cold and dead, lying face however, until morning, but that shot upward, and the hands still caressing is supposed to have been the fatal one and to have been responsible for havthe famous 30-30 rifle and 45-calibre ing sent the noted desperado into the Colt's revolver. The resting place was Great Beyond.

In the morning search was made and are to be ordered by the Portland city the body was found lying face upwards council. near the edge of the wheat field.

Upon examination of the body it was found that the wound which result-The body was taken to Davenport, ed in the outlaw's death was inflicted udner care of Sheriff Gardner of Lin- by the 45-caliber revolver, held close to the head. The top of the head was decided later by the officials in charge badly mangled. Two bullet wounds After defying for nearly two months man's despair and subsequent sicide.

FRIARS SOLD EARLY.

American Occupation.

Rome, Aug. 8 .- According to insold before American occupation to of the month.

A party from Creston, Wash., had syndicates and corporations, registered the honor of running to earth the out- and duly recognized, headed by Amer- F. Hurley, both of Oregon, were elected icans living in New York. It is allaw, and are due to receive the releged by the same authority that, alwards of \$8,000 offered by the governthough the friars hold some shares in ors of Washington and Oregon and by these corporations, they do not own private individuals. The party was controlling interests. The Vatican is compelled Trevis to stop a street car. tie made up of the following persons, citi- surprised at the information, in view handkerchief over his face and go zens of Creston: C. A. Straub, deputy of Governor's proposition to buy the or, authorizes them to make tempora-friar's lands, which are apparently no Or., authorizes them to make temporasheriff; Dr. E. C. Lanter, Maurice longer in their control. It is con- ry withdrawal of the lands that are Whitelaw Reid, special ambassador Smith, attorney, and J. J. Morrison, sidered remarkable that Governor Taft, a railroad section foreman. These fresh from the Philippines, was not

four men, armed to the teeth and bent aware of the situation. on achieving success where others had

ESCAPE CAPTURE.

failed, set out from Creston yesterday Washinton, Aug. 8 .- The war de aftrenoon about two o'clock. They partment has known for some time that be established Sept. 1 at Salem. were working on the information of portions of the friar lands in the Philippines have been disposed of to comthe Goldfinch youth, who had been panies and all of the recent negotiaforcibly made the companion of the tions conducted by Secretary Root have between 12 and 14 cents. Oregon convict for over 24 hours at the carefully taken into account any con-

Eddy ranch, and proved said informa- tingencies which might arise through these transfers. The transf tion to be well founded and worthy

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS OF OREGON.

> portance-A Brief Review of the Growth and Improvements of the Many Industries Throughout Our Thriving Commonwealth -Latest Market Report.

A new large gold dredger on John Day river has started up.

C. A. Francis of Mount Tabor was drowned at White Salmon.

Machinery has been ordered for a conlensed milk factory at Hillsboro.

Forest fires are causing considerable damage in the vicinity of Grants Pass. The Portland Civic Improvement

association is making war on billboards. A large amount of cement sidewalks

Citizens of Independence have decided to give a bonus of \$3,000 to the first railroad building to that place.

F. A. Schracht, who was in the employ of the O. R. & N. Co. for 20 years as a ship and steamboat builder, on the left leg showed the cause of the died Monday at his home near Damascus.

The marriage of L. Bush Livermore, editor of the Baker City Herald, and Miss Ethel Cox, occurred at Stephen's hunters of the Pacific Coast, and travel- Disposed of Their Philippine Holdings Before Episcopal church at Baker City Sunday evening.

> The Sugar Pine Mills, constructed at ormation received by the Vatican, al- Grants Pass, on the site of the old most all the real estate belonging to factory are about completed and will Spanish friars in the Philippines, was be ready for operation by the middle

> > Mrs. C. C. Van Orsdell and Mary respectively grand guardian and banker at the national convention of Women of Woodcraft at Cripple Creek.

A letter of instrucion sent by Commissioner Hermann to the register and subsequently to be embodied in the Blue Mountain forest reserve.

Circuit court is in session at Oregon City.

An additional free delivery route will

Oregon produced, about 19,500,000 pounds of wool this year, and nearly all of it has been disposed of at prices

The first wheat of the season wes stored at the Albany Farmers Company's warehouse at Albany Monday af-

A contract has been awarded H. C. Per-

kins of Grants Pass to survey six town-

ships on the line of the Oregon Central

About 20 tons of hay recently cured

and baled by J. E. Murphy was burned

near Salem. The fire caught from a

spark from the engine which furnished

ternoon. It was of Al quality.

Military Wagon road land grant.

power for the baler.

1 to 5.

in a Condensed Form, Which is Most Likely to Prove of Interest to Our Many house; indeed, the whole affair is a Readers puzzler. If you can come round to the Rumor has it that the king of Siam If has been assassinated. you are unable to come I shall give you fuller details, and would esteem it

you can understand what that is. Here In London we have lots of government detectives, and lots of private ones, When these fellows are at fault they ly. come to me, and I manage to put them on the right scent. They lay all the evidence before me, and I am generally able, by the help of my knowledge of the history of crime to set them straight. There is a strong family resemblance about misdeeds, and if you have all the details of a thousand his hand in a salute and was gone. at your finger ends, it is odd if you can't unravel the thousand and first Lestrade is a well-known detective. He got himself into a fog recently over a forgery case, and that was what brought him here.'

"And these other people?"

They are mostly sent out by private inquiry agencies. They are all people who are in trouble about something. and want a little enlightening. I listen to their story, they listen to my comments, and then I pocket my fee.

"But do you mean to say." I said "that without leaving your room you can unravel some knot which other men can make nothing of, although they have seen every detail for themselves?"

Quite so. I have a kind of intuition that way. Now and again a case turns up which is a little more complex. Then I have to bustle about and se things with my own eyes. You see, have a lot of special knowledge which I apply to the problems, and which facilitates matters wonderfully. Those rules of deduction laid down in that article which aroused your scorn are invaluable to me in practical work. Observation, with me, is second nature You appeared to be surprised when I told you, on our first meeting. that you had come from Afghanistan. "You were told, no doubt."

"Nothing of the sort. I knew you came from Afghanistan. From long habit the train of thought ran so swiftly through my mind that I arrived at the conclusion without being conscious of intermediate steps. There were such steps, however. The train of reasoning ran: 'Here is a gentleman of a medical type, but with the air of a mil-Itary man. Clearly an army doctor. then. He has just come from the tropics, for his face is dark, and that not the natural tint of his skin, for his wrists are fair. He has undergone hardship and sickness, as his haggard been injured. He holds it in a stiff me to believe that he had been a serand unnatural manner. Where in the geant."

seen much hardship and got his arm wounded? Clearly in Afghanistan.' The whole train of thought did not occupy that he was pleased at my evident a second. I then remarked that you surprise and admiration. "I said just came from Afghanistan, and you were astonished '

it," I said, smiling. "You remind me of Edgar Allen Poe's Dupin. I had no brought. idea that such individuals did exist outside of stories."

Sherlock Holmes rose and lighted his pipe.

"No doubt you think that you are complimenting me in comparing me to Dupin," he observed. "Now, in my opinion Dupin was a very inferior fel-

low. That trick of his of breaking in him: on his friend's thoughts with an apro-

pos remark after a quarter of an hour's silence is really very showy and super-the night at 3 Lauriston Gardens, off ficial. He had some analytical genius, the Brixton road. Our man on the Press.

ull weather and the melancholy dom shot. ness upon which we were engaged de-"May I ask, my lad," I said, blandly, ressed my spirits. what your trade may be?" 'You don't seem to give much

"Commissionaire, sir," he said, gruff hought to the matter in hand," I said "Uniform away for repairs. at last interrupting Holmes' musical "And you were," I asked, with lisquisition. slightly mallclous glance at my com-'No data yet." he answered. "It is

a capital mistake to theorize before "A sergeant, sir: Royal Marine you have all the evidence. It biases Light Infantry, sir. No answer? Right the judgment.

He clicked his heels together, raised remarked, pointing with my finger, "this is the Brixton road, and that is

CHAPTER III.

theories.

I confess that I was considerably startled by this fresh proof of the

We were still a hundred yards or so rom it, but he insisted upon our \$400. practical nature of my companion's alighting, and we finished our journey My respect for his powers of analupon foot.

You

taken."

vsis increased wondrously. There still remained some lurking suspicion in my mind, however, that the whole thing was a prearranged episode, in though what tended to dazzle me, Referring to the "Pulpit and Pew" earthly object he could have in taking uestion raised by Dr. Horton's inin was past my comprehension. teresting experiment, a North London When I looked at him he had fin

minister writes: shed reading the note, and his eyes assumed the vacant, lack luster expression which showed mental abstraction.

"How in the world did you deduce that?" I asked. "Deduce what?" said he, petulantly,

"Why, that he was a retired ser geant of marines." I have no time for trifles," he re served : plied brusquely; then, with a smile Excuse my rudeness. You broke the thread of my thoughts; but perhaps It is just as well. So you actually afraid I was tedious."

were not able to see that the man was a sergeant of maxines." 'No, indeed."

"It was easier to know it than to explain why I know it. If you were

asked to prove that two and two made four, you might find some difficulty. and yet you are quite sure of that fact. Even across the street I could see a great blue anchor tattooed on the back of the fellow's hand. That smacked of the sea. He had a military carriage, however, and regulation side whiskers. There we have the marine. He was a man with some amount of self-importance and a certain air of command. You must have observed the way in which he held

his head and swung his cane. A steady, respectable, middle-aged man, too, on circumstances .- New York Times. the face of him-all facts which led

"Wonderful!" I ejaculated. "Commonplace," said Holmes, though I thought from his expression

now that there were no criminals. It appears that I am wrong-look at "It is simple enough as you explain this!" He threw me over the note had

"Why," I cried as I cast my eye over it, "this is terrible!"

the common," he remarked calmly, feet, Would you mind reading it to me aloud?

This is the letter which I read to "Huh! "My Dear Mr. Sherlock Holmes-

Damocles had been invited to dine his seat he instantly saw the sword hanging by a hair above his head. "I suppose," he said to the king, 'you call that the hair apparent."

Dionysius, pretending to see humor in the remark, replied: "I don't know about that, my boy but if it falls upon your head it will

"You were not long."

make some crown prints." This shows that the ancients were not aver e to joking, even under trying

Speaking of Royalty.

Unification.

"Sectional lines are vanishing. Soon there will be no north, no south, no

east, no west!" "Yes; I suppose it's only a question of time until they get up a corporation big enough to own the whole country." -Puck.

The Largest Dome.

The largest dome in the world is that of the Lutheran church at Warsaw. Its interior diameter is 200 feet. That

"It does seem to be a little out of of the British museum library is 130 ney in her long illnses.

On the Move,

"They have two servants."

We That's nothing. usually have two in our house-one going and one coming."-Philadelphia Mississippi at St. Louis and a new de-

There is good reason to believe that belief. the United States will secure a coaling station on the west coast of Africa.

Press censorship in Russia has been vigilant and exacting since the assass- party made all possible haste in getting near the Eddy ranch, which is sitination of the minister of the interer.

uated on Lake creek, about three milse In a collision between a passenger directly south of Fellows, on the train and street car at Terre Haute, Washington Central railway, where Ind., three persons were fatally, six the outlaw was said to be located. veriously and two slightly injured. The country is what is called "scab," There is strong talk in Jamaica of

annexation to the United States. surprise.

Robbers at Astoria bound and gagged man on a fishing scow and secured

The vatican proposes a gradual withdrawal of the friars from the Philippines.

A Salt Lake mining man shot and where the party stood on a rise of the fatally wounded two persons and then ground. "Is that Tracy?" asked one of killed himself. the party.

The Seattle steamer Jessie Benning has been sold to the Colombian govern-"I think we ministers rather relish ment for \$68,000.

criticism, but we get too little of it." Troops will remain in Shenandoah, One realls in this connection the story of the young minister walking Pa., where the recent riots occurred, nome with one of the elders after the until the strike is ended.

deliverance of his first sermon. After A secret organization in Tayabas protion. some moments' silence the latter obvince, Philippine islands, has been uprooted by the constabulary.

The cruiser Brooklyn, which con-"I am very glad to hear you say so," eplied the youthful cleric; "I was veyed the remains of the late Lord Pauncefote to England, has returned. "Oh." was the crushing reply, "you

An explosion in a colliery in New were tedious."-Westminster Gazette. South Wales resulted in the death of at least 100 persons.

The Louisiana Purchase Exposition with the King of Syracuse. On taking company has secured an additional 50 acres of land for use in the St. Louis Eddy, said: "Who are those men?" fair.

> A tidal wave in Costa Rica, following severe earthquakes, frightened hundreds of residents and caused considerable damage.

\$400 Gift for Children at Portland Carnival Children's Day at the Portland Elks' Carnival will be Sept. 12, the last day but one of the great street fair. On his horse between himself and the that occasion a pretty Shetland pony hunters. In this position he commandwith an up-to-date cart and harness ed the farmer to lead his horse to the will be given to some lucky boy or girl who is present. The pony has been he moved toward the shelter. When given by Dr. W. A. Wise and the cart nearly to the stable he broke and dashis from Studebaker's. Besides this ed inside. He did not linger long, but equipment, it is probable that a saddle, in the twinkling of an eye reappeared, together with a handsomely embroidered saddle cloth will be given with the run down the valley. Turning to the pony. Prize baby day will be Sept. 5. two men looking for him, the desper-

William C. Whitney, of New York, has given a handsome house and lot to effcet, and without waiting for further the physician who attended Mrs. Whit- fighting Tracy took to his heels and

Turners in convention at Davenport, Ia., defeated a proposition to admit women to membership and urged taxation of church property.

St. Louis and eastern capitalists have organized to build a bridge over the pot in the heart of the city.

considered to have been entirely good faith and it is generally believed Proceeding in a southeasterly directhat the friars do in fact hold a major-

tion for about 11 miles, the pursuing ity of stock in the companies which took over the lands. MORE RURAL MAIL ROUTES.

in

Washington Knew About It.

Postoffice Department Authorizes Several A ditional in Oregon.

Washington, Aug. 6 .- Rural delivery and when near the ranch the party of mail has been authorized in Oregon took all precautions as to ambushes or as follows:

Aumsville, Marion county -One They approached the place in safety, carrier; length of route, 23 % miles; and when within some few hundred area covered, 20 square miles; populayards came across Farmer Eddy mowing in a field. The party went to tion served, 535.

Cleone, Multnomah county him, and while engaging him in convercarrier; length of route, 241/2 miles; sation they saw a man issue from the barn, which could be plainly seen from area covered, 23 square miles; population served, 660.

Freewater, Umatilla county - Additional service, route, 2, one carrier "It surely is," laconically replied Fddy. With this information at length of route 231/2 miles; area cov hand, and the man so close to the hunt. ered, 21 square miles; population served, 500. ers, there was naturally a great deal of

Monmouth, Polk county- One carexcitement. The party separated, and Lanter and Smith accompanied Eddy rier; length of route, 211/2 miles; area covered, 30 square miles; population in the direction of the barn, while the served, 465. other two men swung around to cut off

UP IN THE AIR.

Portland Elks Carnival.

everal weddings "in high life" in

Woodburn, Marion county - Two any break for liberty in another direcoutes, two carriers; length of route, 431/2 miles; area covered, 47 square Neairng that structure, the two man

hunters stepped behind the barn on a miles; population served, 1,175. slight eminence, from which they could watch everything that went on, and the farmer continued up to the barn door. When he arrived there Tracy came Several Balloon Weddings to Occur During from the barn again and began helping the farmer unhitch the horses. He car-Portland, Aug. 6 .- There are to b

ried no rifle, althouh he had his revolvers in place. Portland during the September carni-The fugitive saw the men carriyng val of the Portland Elks. The ceremony rifles, and turning shraply on Farmer of tying the connubial knot will be "I don't see any men," said the host. Whereupon Tracy pointed out the two men on the hill, waitng to be sure of of the novelties that will be seen durtheir man before they began shooting. ing the early days of the Elko' carni-Eddy informed his companion who the val, which will open with a grand men were, and at that time the officers, prize parade on September 1. Several stepping a little closer, commnaded: applications have already been re-"Hold up your hands!"

ceived by the management from willing At this juncture the outlaw jumped be candidates. For their willingness to hind Eddyand placed both the man and experience this unique, if not sensational, ceremony in a balloon, the management is prepared to set the happy couple up with about \$500 worth of barn, and remaining under this cover housekeeping equipment, including everything from a piano to a sack of flour. If any swains from outside Portland are anxious to receive a handsome dower, all they have to do is to adrifle in hand, and started on a dead dress a letter to the secretary of the ado fired two shots, but without his

usual precision. Neither bullet took made all possible haste down the valley leading south from the barn. The man hnuters were off in pursuit

firing as rapidly as possible at their fleeing quarry. Coming to an immense rock, the out

capitalization of \$3,000,000 in and \$3,500,000 in stock. The old buildlaw saw a chance to get rid of his pur suers, and accordingly dodged behind it ing at Madison and State streets will be nary of New York, disposes of an estate and began a fusilade which he proba- torn down and a 12-story structure will estimated at \$12,000,000 to \$15,000.bly imagined would end the struggle. be erected in its place.

Governor Geer has appointed Z. Z. Riggs, of Salem, a member of the state board of pharmacy to succeed G. C. Blakley, of the Dalles, term expired; also A. D. Charlton and A. L. Craig, both of Portland, delegates to the miners' congress at Butte, Mont., Sept.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Wheat-Walla Walla, 60@61c for new crop; 63@64c for old; valley, 65c; bluestem, 65@66c.

Barley-\$17.75 for old, \$16.50 for new crop.

Flour-Best grades, \$2.05@3.60 per barrel; graham, \$2.95@3.20.

Millstuffs - Bran, \$15@16 per ton; middlings, \$21.50; shorts, \$18: chop, \$16.

Oats-No.1 white, \$1.00@1.05; gray, 95c.@\$1.00.

Hay - Timothy, \$12@15; clover, \$7.50@10; Oregon wild hay, \$5@6 per ton.

Potatoes - Best Burbanks, 75@85c per cental; ordinary, 50c per cental, growers prices; sweets, \$2.50@3.00 per cental; new potatoes, 1c.

Butter-Creamery, 20@21c; dairy 17@18c; store, 17@17%c.

performed in a balloon in mid-air, a Eggs-20@21c for Oregon. thousand feet above the ground, in plain view of thousands. This is one

Cheese - Full cream, twins, 12% @13c;YoungAmerica, 13%@14%c; factory prices, 1@ 1%c less.

Poultry-Chickens, mixed, \$3.50@ 4.50; hens, \$4.00@5.50 per dozen, 11@11%c per pound; springs, 11@ 11%c per pound, \$2.50@4.00 per dosen; ducks, \$2.50@3.00 per dozen; tur-keys, live, 13@14c, dressed, 15@16c per pound; geese, \$4.00@6.00 per dozen.

Mutton-Gross, 2%@3c per pound; dressed, 6c per pound.

Hogs-Gross, 6 %c; dressed, 7@7%c per pound.

Veal-7@8c per pound.

Beef-Gross, cows, 3@3½c; steers, 3½@4½c; dressed, 7@8c per pound. Hops-16@17c; new crop 17@18c. Wool-Valley,12½@15;Eastern Oregon, 8@14 %c: mohair. 25@26c pound.

Yale university gave degrees to a class of 650. Plans for a Chinese volunteer mission were announced.

A Chicago dispatch says that the lear of a bituminous miners' strike is causing coal dealers and railroads to store thousands of tons as a reser ve supply

The will of very Rev. E. A. Hoffman, dean of the general theological semi-000.

CONTRACTOR STOCK

Portland Elks' Carnival, to make the final arrangements in advance. **Dry Goods Combination** Chicago, Aug. 6 .- The business schlesinger & Mayer, retail dry goods

merchants, has been purchased by a new corporation, headed by Henry Seigel, of Seigel, Cooper & Co. The new company, under the same name, has bonds