

DON'T MISS THE OPENING INSTALLMENT OF "THE FLYING MERCURY" THIS MORNING

TORPEDO DESTROYERS
CAME HERE YESTERDAY

They Took on Oil Fuel
Before Leaving For
Pensacola.

The harbor of Key West presented a lively appearance yesterday, when nine torpedo boat destroyers of the Atlantic Torpedo Fleet put in here for fuel. All of them are oil burners, and a great many thousands of gallons of petroleum were pumped into the wells of those business-looking craft during the course of the day. The fleet is en route from Guantanamo, Cuba to Pensacola where they will engage in target practice. Among those which fueled here were the Sterrett, Walker and Mayrant of the 9th division; the Perkins and Reid of the 7th division; the Ammon, Trippe, Burrows and Monaghan of the 10th division.

The Preston, Smith, Flusser and Jamison of the 7th division and the Bryant and Paulding of the 8th division, came over from Cuba with the others, but instead of stopping here, went direct to Pensacola.

Trim, business-like craft are these torpedo boat destroyers. Of steel throughout, everything is sacrificed to efficiency and to speed. Some of them can reel off forty miles an hour with ease. With their guns and their torpedo tubes they present a formidable and forbidding appearance.

The fleet will probably leave this morning for Pensacola.

SUPERVISOR'S NOTICE.

The registration books for the approaching Democratic primaries will be open at the office of the Supervisor of Registration at the County Court House commencing March 19, 1912, daily during the following hours: 7 a. m., until 12 m. and 1 to 7 p. m., until and including April 16, 1912.

Precinct books will be open in the following precincts as follows:

Precinct 2: Garing Furniture Store, Eaton street, books open on Tuesdays and Fridays between dates specified above.

Precinct 3: Arthur Ingraham's residence, Grinnell street, Mondays and Saturdays between dates specified above.

Precinct 4: Robert Bethel's residence, Olivia street; books open on Wednesdays and Fridays between dates specified above.

Precinct 5: Alfonso Gomez, deputy, in Willie Park's coffee shop, Division street; books open Tuesdays and Saturdays between dates specified above.

Supervisor Registration Monroe Co.
March 10, 1912, March 19 1mo

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mrs. A. Young of New York City, has opened a Beauty Parlor at Mrs. P. L. Weatherford's Millinery parlors, 524 Duval street. Mrs. Young is an experienced manicurist, and is prepared to administer electrical, facial massage, scalp treatment and hair dressing.

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FOR PRESIDENTIAL ELECTOR
Jefferson B. Browne

AUTOMOBILE RACES IN KEY WEST

would most probably act more attention than any other act that could be brought to the Island City, but since we can't have the automobile races here, the next best thing is the great automobile story that begins in The Morning Journal today—THE FLYING MERCURY. Don't fail to read the opening chapters this morning, and then read the paper from day to day. You'll find the story better than the Saturday Evening Post, even, for you only have to wait one day at a time for the next installment of this most interesting story.

CRIMINAL COURT.

Judge W. Hunt Harris, yesterday, sentenced Thomas Mack, guilty of breaking and entering, to six months in jail.

John Barnes guilty of petty larceny was sentenced to ten days in the county jail.

Samuel Davis, assault and battery, drew a fine of \$1 and costs or thirty days.

F. R. Van de Pisse charged with robbing an E. E. C. foreman carpenter will come up for trial today at 10 o'clock.

LABORER FOUND DEAD
REAR ENGLER'S SALOON

Coroner's Jury Want More
Evidence As to Cause
of Death.

Policeman William Fagan was going his rounds at about 5:30 o'clock yesterday evening, when somebody told him that there was a dead man in the yard behind Harry Engler's saloon, corner Front and Fitzpatrick streets. The officer went into the yard and found the dead body of Patrick J. Hagerty, who was also known as Patrick Joyce.

The policeman called a hack and had the remains conveyed to the City Hall, where, later, Coroner Gwynn and a jury, held an inquest. Considering the circumstances surrounding the death, and the testimony of many to the effect that the deceased had been imbibing cheap whiskey for sometime previous, Coroner Gwynn deemed it advisable to adjourn the inquiry until today when more light will be thrown on the affair, and possibly cognizance taken of unfavorable comment as to the character of Engler's bar.

Hagerty was 38 years old, had been employed on the extension and later was working at the clam products factory at Caxambas. He was born in New York City, and afterwards lived at Bayonne, N. J. It is said he has relatives in New York. Unless advised to the contrary the body will be buried by the city.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

FLORIDA—Key West Harbor—Main Channel—Western Triangle Buoy 3, moved March 12, about 25 yards north-west from its former station and re-established in 5 fathoms.

To head off a headache try Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills. They seldom fail.

YOUNG GIRL SUICIDES
BECAUSE OF SUIT

Was Witness Against Her
Father in Divorce
Action.

Chicago, March 19.—A remorse over having testified against her father a week ago in a divorce suit instituted by her mother caused Miss Sachs, a Lake View High School girl, 15 years old, to kill herself today in her mother's home. The girl was found in her bedroom by her mother, in whose custody she had been placed by Judge Bretano. A gas jet was wide open and the room was filled with gas.

MICHIGAN WOMAN
EATEN BY WOLVES

Body Missing But Clothing
Found in Wolf
Tracks.

Hancock, Mich., March 19.—Mrs. Selma Makinen, wife of a farmer living near Alston, is believed to have been killed and eaten by wolves. Last night she set out on skis from a neighboring farm to return home, but did not arrive, and today searchers found her skis and parts of her clothing near the tracks of a large pack of wolves.

NOTICE OF MEETING.

An important meeting of the L. C. A. will be held at the home of Mrs. C. E. W. Dobbs, 524 Eaton street this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

All future meetings of the L. C. A. will be held at the residence of Mrs. Dobbs until further notice. L. C. A.

DO YOU LOVE SPEED?

If you have good red blood in your veins, you do, and if you do, you will like the story of automobile speed starting in this morning's Journal. Be sure you read THE FLYING MERCURY.

ROOSEVELT STARTS
CAMPAIGN HIMSELF

Tentative Itinerary Will
Embrace Far West-
ern States.

New York, March 19.—Colonel Roosevelt, now that his "hat is in the ring," intends to see that it stays there. He is not going to let any grass grow under his feet in his race for the nomination. Tomorrow night he is scheduled for a speech before the Civic Forum here.

Later this week will talk somewhere on the East Side in New York if a hall can be obtained. Early next week he will start on a short tour of the Middle West and make speeches at Chicago, St. Paul or Minneapolis and St. Louis. Other stops may be arranged later.

In the week beginning March 31, Col. Roosevelt will go into New England. Speeches are to be made in Boston and Concord, N. H., with possibly one in Portland, Me.

A trip to Philadelphia and Newark is to be made during the week of April 7.

None of the speaking dates has been definitely arranged.

Col. Roosevelt yesterday alluded to reports that misleading information in regard to the relative strength of the Taft and Roosevelt forces had been discriminated in news dispatches. Ex-Senator Beveridge, he said, had told him that the situation in Indianapolis had been misrepresented in dispatches, saying the primaries there had resulted in favor of President Taft, whereas, he said they were 2 to 1 in favor of Col. Roosevelt. Gov. Hadley, of Missouri, told him, Col. Roosevelt continued, that a similar situation had arisen on the day of the Republican primaries in Kansas City.

LET YOUR NEIGHBOR KNOW.

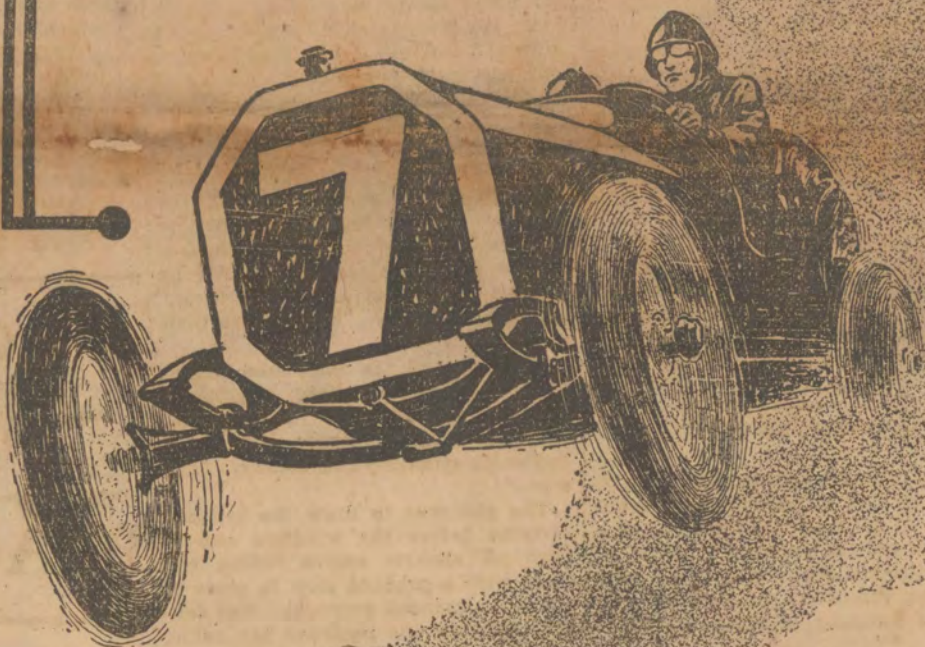
In this morning's issue of The Journal we are publishing the first installment of a great serial, one that is certain to meet with a hearty response from the readers of this paper. If you read the story and like it, we would be glad for you to tell your neighbor about it. If he or she, as the case may be, does not take the paper, but would like to have a copy of this morning's issue, just tell them to call up 85 and they can have a copy free of charge. We shall be glad to send a copy of this morning's paper to any one who does not take the Journal, but who would like to have a copy of the paper. Don't forget that all that is necessary is for you to call 85 and ask the Business Manager to send you a copy. It will not cost you anything to get the sample copy of this morning's issue.

NOVEL BIRTHDAY SOCIAL.

There will be a birthday social this evening at the residence of Richard Peacock, Eaton street, for the benefit of Sparks Chapel. There will be vocal instrumental music and other diversions. This will be the first social of this kind ever given here. For instead of charging guests as many cents as they are years of age, the charge this time will be 20 cents, because it is the 20th day of the month. All invited.

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A. B. Hellyn, Chicago. Bertha Olive, Staesville, N. C., D. Kelley Roberts, Jacksonville, Mrs. A. M. Beaupre, Havana, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Marsh, DeKalb, Ill., Mrs. L. Meeks, Ikel Lederl St. Paul, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Pennell, Atchison, Kan., Y. P. Fortune, Mem. Phils, Tenn., Wm. Robbins, Goshen, N. Y., B. A. Balkley, Southport, Conn., Geo. Wight and wife, Denver, Colo., Mrs. M. A. Wight, Ocean Park, Colo., Mr. Steinitzer, Munich, E. P. Borden, Philadelphia, J. W. Mitchell, F. E. C. Ly., G. F. Winslow, Medical Director, U. S. Navy.

FOR MEMBER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Marcy B. Darnall.

FOR CLERK CIRCUIT COURT
I will be a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Circuit Court in the primary to be held on April 20, and solicit your support. If elected, I will exercise the duties of said office with credit to all concerned.

FOR SUPERVISOR OF REGISTRATION
Frank Cates

Capt. O'Brien Announces.

To the voters of Monroe County:

I am a candidate for Congressman at Large, and take this method of soliciting your votes in the coming primary election.

Should I be the choice of the people I assure that I will always be working for the best interest of the people.

I was born in Key West, in October, 1856, and therefore most naturally feel a deep interest in all that pertains to my native town.

Captain J. Ed. O'Brien.

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" 3	1,484.90
" 4	1,878.31
" 5	2,131.67
" 6	1,578.92
" 7	1,178.96
" 8	7,669.71
" 9	925.27
" 10	3,425.33
" 11	260.98
" 12	2,647.29
" 13	260.98
" 14	2,809.18

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E. A. WADDEL
124 Bond Street

rect appeal with more than usual irritation, his level gray eyebrows contracting.

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CHAPTER II.

"We ought to have better drivers. Why do you not get better men, Bailey? You wanted to go into this racing business; you said the cars needed advertising. My brother always said



"He Understands Motor Construction
and Designing."

"Respect for him!" he echoed. "I recognize him! Why, there isn't



"The Journey Will Be Short Now."

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"Meet me at the Airdome Tonight."

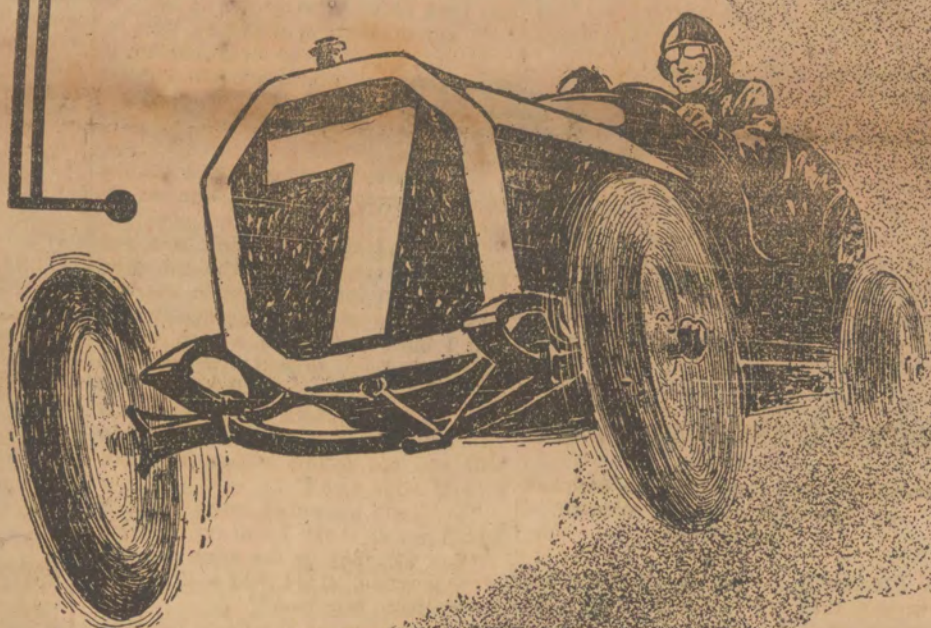


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SPECIAL NOTICE

All copy for advertisements must be in this office by 5 p. m., of the day preceding publication. This rule cannot be deviated from and advertisers are requested to govern themselves accordingly.

THE FLYING MERCURY BEGINS TODAY

The Morning Journal starts the first chapters this morning of one of the best and most interesting series stories ever published by any newspaper in South Florida—THE FLYING MERCURY. We are going to publish several chapters of this story every day, until we have completed the story. We are not going to publish just enough to get the reader interested and then stop off but we are going to publish enough to make it interesting. You don't want to miss the first chapters, published this morning, but you want to read the first installment. Once you read that, you will read the story from day to day. We are publishing fifteen columns of the story this morning, and you just must read it. You will find the first four columns on page two of this morning's Journal, then skip over to page four and you will find one column of the story there; you will find six columns on page five, then three columns on page six, and at the top of page seven you will get the last of today's installment. Read today's installment and then watch tomorrow morning's paper. Don't neglect to read the Journal's great serial—THE FLYING MERCURY.

HARMON IS ALL RIGHT.

The statement has been made more than once that Governor Harmon's strength in Ohio will be seriously affected by the defection of the railroad vote. We do not believe this. It is true that Mr. Harmon raised the tax valuation of some of the largest railroads in the state and thus incurred the enmity of railroad managers and directors. But it is an indisputable fact that these railroads were practically paying no taxes at all, and the state suffered accordingly and the people "grunted and sweat" and were heavily laden. When the railroads were forced to disgorge several hundred thousand dollars yearly into the coffers of the counties and the state, the people—who the taxes "felt grateful" to Harmon. They will not forget him now, when the artillery of "big business" will be trained on him. He will rally to his banner and show that Backeye gratitude is more than skin deep.

To the Democratic Voters of Monroe County.

I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination at the next Primary election for the position of Clerk of the Circuit Court of Monroe County, which position I now hold.

The duties and responsibilities of this office are such that it requires experience as well as ability.

Before aspiring to this office, I served my apprenticeship under a former clerk.

For my ability to perform the duties of this responsible position, I refer you to any lawyer that has ever practiced before the Circuit Court of Monroe County or to any County Commissioner holding office during my term.

I respectfully solicit your support.

Eugene W. Russell.

COMMISSIONERS SALE

By virtue of an order and decree issued out of the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida in and for Monroe County, dated the 29th day of February 1912 in a cause therein pending wherein Sarah Lowe et al. are complainants and Cornelius Pinder et al. are defendants, (bill for partition) we the undersigned will on Monday the 1st day of April 1912 between the legal hours of sale in front of the Court house door of Monroe County, Florida, sell for cash at public auction, the following described real estate, to wit:

In the City of Key West, County of Monroe and State of Florida and is part of lot ten (10) of square three of part of tract seven (7) according to Albury's subdivision of part of tract seven (7); said lot is situated at the corner of Pearl and Division streets and having a front on Pearl street of seventy nine feet on the S. W. side thereof, and a front of fifty two (52) feet on Division street, with the buildings there of situated.

Hugh Gunn
D. Z. Filer
T. E. Saunders
Geo. W. Reynolds
Solicitor for Complainants.

NOTICE

I have this day filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Florida and in the office of the County Clerk of Monroe County, in the manner and form prescribed by law the following name and words, to be blown, impressed or otherwise produced upon bottles, siphons, containers, tin or glass or other boxes used by me in the manufacturing, bottling or selling of soda waters, mineral or aerated waters or other beverages, to wit:

"Key West Bottling Co., Key West, Fla." in a circle and below the circle the words "Registered".

My principal place of business will be in the City of Key West, Fla.

K. O. Thompson.

EDSSE FOR SALE

A combination Kentucky saddle horse, six years old, will be sold at public auction at the Naval Station at 3 p. m. March 25. A high class animal regard to said horse. It is being sold by applying to the Naval Station at the Naval Station.

(Signed) Landon Y. ...
R. A. ...

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Even at a high price; but we are selling good shoes at a low price.

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WIFE'S CURSE WAS ON HIM

Husband, Who Deserted Her, Stricken by Paralysis as Dying Woman Had Wished.

Cincinnati, O.—The wish of a dying woman that her husband might be paralyzed if he attended her funeral came true. William Huesman of this city is the victim.

Although nearly seventy, and the father of several grown children, he had lived apart from his wife, Minnie Huesman, his junior by only a few years. As the years of their separation extended, Mrs. Huesman became each day more and more embittered against her husband. Time and again she declared that she hoped that when she died he might become paralyzed on the way to the cemetery if he tried to go to the funeral.

Immediately after her death the husband was notified and, forgetting the past, tried to atone by seeing that his wife received proper burial. He provided a coffin for the body and next day he was on his way to the cemetery when he suddenly collapsed on the street.

"Paralysis," said the hospital physician. Huesman is not expected to recover.

CHILD GETS LOST IN DRAIN

Confused in the Darkness Boy of Six Crawls 80 Feet From the Opening.

London, England.—While playing with some boys near his home at Shapperton-on-Thames Johnnie Wilson, aged six years, crawled into a drain pipe. He expected to come out at a joint ten feet away, but missed the place and becoming confused as to directions kept on crawling. As he did not return children gave an alarm and a searching party set to work at once. They dug to the drain pipe, ten feet from the opening. Johnnie was not there.

At some distance from the opening they dug another hole, ten feet in depth. Johnnie heard the picks and mistook the meaning of the noises and kept crawling still further from safety. Finally at 80 feet they made another hole in the drain and caught Johnnie by the feet just as he was crawling past.

The lad had been in the 12-inch pipe for five hours, but aside from being smothered with black mud he suffered no ill effects from the experience.

man on the place who wouldn't give his ears to be seen on the same side of the street with Lestrangle, let alone to work under him. They do read the racing news. That part of it will be all right, if I can have him."

"If it is necessary—"

"I think it is, sir."

Emily moved slightly, pushing back her yellow-brown curls under the ribbon that banded them. On a sudden impulse her uncle looked up at her.

"What is your opinion?" he questioned. "If Dick had been listening I should have asked him, and I fancy yours is fully as valuable. Come, shall we have this racing manager?"

Astonished she looked from her uncle to the other man. And perhaps it was the real anxiety and suspense of Bailey's expression that drew her quick reply.

"Let us, uncle. Since we need him, let us have him."

"Very well," said Mr. French. "You hear, Bailey."

There was a long silence after the junior partner's withdrawal.

"Come where I can see you, Emily," her uncle finally demanded. "I liked your decided answer a few moments ago; you can reason. How long have you been a daughter in my house?"

"Six years," she responded, obediently moving to a low chair opposite. "I was fifteen when you took me from the convent—to make me very, very happy, dear."

"I sent for you when I sent for Dick, and for the same reason. I have tried three times to rear one of my name to fitness to bear it, and each one has failed except you. I wish you were a man, Emily; there is work for a French to do."

"When you say that, I wish I were. But I'm not, I'm not." She flung out her slender, round arms in a gesture of helpless resignation. "I'm not even a strong-minded woman who might do instead. Uncle Ethan, may I ask—it was Mr. Bailey who made me think—my cousin whom I never saw, will he never come home?"

He voice faltered on the last words, frightened at her own daring. But her uncle answered evenly, if coldly:

"Never."

"He offended you so?"

"His whole life was an offense. School, college, at home, in each he went wrong. At twenty-one he left me and married a woman from the vaudeville stage. It is not of him you are to think, Emily, but of a substitute for him. For that I designed Dick; once I hoped you would marry him and sober his idleness."

"Please, no," she refused gently. "I am fond of Dick, but—please, no."

"I am not asking it of you. He is well enough, a good boy, not over-wise, but not what is needed here. Failed, again; I am not fortunate. There is left only you."

"Me?"

Her startled dark eyes and his determined gray ones met, and so remained.

"You, and your husband. Are you going to marry a man who can take my place in this business, in the factory and the model village my brother and I built around it; a man whose name will be fit to join with ours and so in a fashion preserve it here? Will you wait until such a one is found and will you aid me to find him? Or will you too follow selfish, idle fancies of your own?"

"No!" she answered, quite pale. "I would not do that! I will try to help."

"You will take up the work the men of your name refuse, you will provide a substitute for them?"

Her earnestness sprang to meet his strength of will, she leaned nearer in her enthusiasm of self-abnegation, scarcely understood.

"I will find a substitute or accept yours. I, indeed I will try not to fail."

It was characteristic that he offered neither praise nor censure.

"You have relieved my mind," said Ethan French, and turned his face once more to the fire.

CHAPTER III.

It was October when the consultation was held in the library of the old French house on the Hudson; December was very near on the sunny morning that Emily drove out to the factory and sought Bailey in his office.

"I wanted to talk with you," she explained, as that gentleman rose to receive her. "We have known each other for a long time, Mr. Bailey; ever since I came from the Sacred Heart to live with Uncle Ethan. That is a very long time."

"It's a matter of five or six years," agreed the charmed Bailey, contemplating her with affectionate pride in her prettiness and grace. "You used to drive out here with your pony and spend many an hour looking on and asking questions. You'll excuse me, Miss Emily, but there was many a man passed the whisper that you'd have made a fine master of the works."

She shook her head, folding her small gloved hands upon the edge of the desk at the opposite sides of which they were seated.

"At least I would have tried. I am quite sure I would have tried. But I am only a girl. I came to ask you something regarding that," she lifted her candid eyes to his, her soft color rising. "Do you know—have you ever met any men who cared and understood about such factories as this? Men who could take charge of a business, the manufacturing and racing and selling, like my uncles? I have a reason for asking."

"Sure thing," said Bailey, unexpectedly prompt. "I've met one man who knows how to handle this factory better than I do, and I've been at it twelve years. And there he is—"



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UNGCLAUB MEETS WITH INJURY

Manager of Lincoln (Neb.) Team Accidentally Shot While Cleaning Small Caliber Rifle.

Robert A. Unglaub, former first baseman of the Washington American league baseball club, was injured accidentally the other day at Crisfield, Md., while preparing for a hunt. The ball player, now manager of the Lin-



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When making sweet croquettes add a little sugar to the crumbs in which the croquettes are to be rolled.

Cold water is preferable to warm for scrubbing floors because it does not sink into the wood and so dries quickly.

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Holding tomatoes over the gas flame will cause skin to burst and come off easier than when scalded, and the tomato will be less mushy than when scalded.

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Emily paused, contending with the loneliness and doubts which impelled her to speech, the feminine yearning to let another decide her problems. This other's nonchalant strength of decision allured her uncertainty.

"I am discouraged," she confessed. "And tired. I—there is no reason why I should not speak of it. You know Dick, how he can do nothing in the factory or business, or in the places where a French should stand. All this must fall into the hands of strangers, to be broken and forgotten, when my uncle dies, for lack of some one who would care. And Uncle Ethan seems severe and hard, but it grieves him all the time. His only son was not a good man; he lives abroad with his wife, who was an actress before he married her. You know that?" as he moved.

"I heard something of it in the village," Lestrangle admitted gravely. "Please do not think me fond of gossip; I could not avoid it. But I should not have imagined this a family likely to make low marriages."

"It never happened before. I never saw that cousin, nor did Dick; but he was always a disappointment, always, Uncle Ethan has told me. And since he failed, and Dick fails, there is only me."

"You!"
She nodded, her lip quivering. "Only me. Not as a substitute—I am not fit for that—but to find a substitute. I have promised my uncle to marry the first one who is able to be that."

The silence was absolute. Lestrangle neither moved nor spoke, gazing down at her bent head with an expression blending many shades.

"It is a duty; there is no one except me," she added. "Only sometimes I grow—to dislike it too much. I am so selfish that sometimes I hope a substitute will never come."

Her voice died away. It was done; she, Emily French, had deliberately confided to this stranger that which an hour before she would have believed no one could force from her lips in articulate speech. And she neither regretted nor was ashamed, although there was time for full realization before Lestrangle answered. "I did not believe," he said, "that such things could be done. It is nonsense! It is the kind of situation, Mrs. French, where any man is justified in interfering. I beg your pardon, I leave the affair in my hands and think no more of such morbid self-sacrifice."

Stupefied, Emily flung back her head, staring at him.

"In your hands?"
"Since there are none better, it appears. Why," his vivid face questioned her full and straightly, "you did imagine that any man living could bear what you are doing, and pass on?"

"My uncle knows—"
"Your uncle is not for me to criticize. But do not ask any other man to let you go on."

Her ideas reeling, she struggled for comprehension. "You, what could you do?" she murmured. "The substitute—"
"There won't be any substitute," replied Lestrangle with perfect coolness. "I shall train Dick French to do his work."

"You—"
"I can, and I will."
"He can not—"
"Oh, yes, he can; he is just idle and spoiled," the firm lips set more firmly. "He shall take his place, I can handle him."

Emily sat quite helplessly, her eyes black with excitement. Slowly recollection flowed back to her of a change in Dick since his light contact with Lestrangle; his avoidance of even occasional highballs, his awakening interest in the clean sport of the races, and his half-wistful admiration for the village driver-manager.

"I almost believe you could," she conceded.
"I can," repeated Lestrangle. "Only," he openly smiled, "it will be hard on Dickie."

It was the touch needed, the antidote to sentiment. Emily laughed with him, laughed in sheer mischief and relief and leap of youth.

"You will be gentle—poor Dickie!"
"I'll be gentle. He is coming now, I think." He took a step nearer her. "You will leave this in my care, wholly? You will not trouble about a substitute?"

"I will leave it with you. But you are taking some one else's work to do."

"Pardon, I am merely making French do his work. I have seen a little more of him than you perhaps know; I understand what I am undertaking. Moreover, I would forget a great many doctrines to set you free."

"Free?" she echoed; she had the sensation of being suddenly confronted with an open door into the unexpected.

"Free," he quietly reasserted. "Free to live your own life and draw unhampered breath, and to decide the great question when it comes, with thought only of yourself."

She drew back; a prescient dismay fell sharply across her late relief, a panic crossed with strange delight.

"He's off," called Dick, emerging from the park. "I made Anderson take him down with the limousine. At least, Rupert is driving while Anderson sits alongside and holds on; when they came to the turn in the avenue, your previous mechanic took it full speed and then apologized for going so slowly because, as he said, he was an amateur and likely to upset. Is he really a good driver, Lestrangle?"

"Pretty fair," returned Lestrangle serenely, from his seat on the edge of the ditched machine. "When I'm not using him, he's employed as one of the factory car testers; and when

we're racing I give him the wheel if I want to fix anything. However, I'm obliged to that steering-knuckle for breaking here, instead of leaving me to a long wait in the wilds. Come down to the shop tomorrow at six, and Rupert and I will even up by taking you for a run."

"Who? me? You're asking me?"

"Why not? It's exhilarating."
Dick removed his hat and ran his fingers through his hair, gratification and alarm mingling in his expression with somewhat the effect of the small boy who is first invited into a game with his older brother's clique.

"You—er, wouldn't smash me up?" he hesitated.

"I haven't smashed up Rupert or myself, so far. If you feel timid, never mind, of course; I'll take my usual companion."

Dick flushed all over his plump face, the French blood up at last.

"I was only joking," he hastily explained. "I'll come. It's only that you're so confoundingly reckless sometimes, Lestrangle, and— But I'll come."

Lestrangle gave his fine, glinting smile as he rose to salute Emily. "All right. If you don't get down to the factory in time, I'll call for you," he promised.

CHAPTER V.

There was a change in the French affairs, a lightening of the atmosphere, a vague quickening and stir of healthful cheer in the days that followed. The sober master of the house met it in Bailey's undisguised elation and pride when they discussed the successful business now taxing the factory's resources, met it yet again in Emily's pretty gaiety and content. But most strikingly was he confronted with an alteration in Dick.

It was only a week after his first morning ride with Lestrangle, that Dick electrified the company at dinner, by turning down the glass at his plate.

"I've cut out claret, and that sort of thing," he announced. "It's bad for the nerves."

His three companions looked up in complete astonishment. It was Saturday night and by ancient custom Bailey was dining at the house.

"What has happened to you? Have you been attending a revival meeting?" the young man's uncle inquired with sarcasm.

"It's bad for the nerves," repeated Dick. "There isn't any reason why I shouldn't like to do anything other fellows do. Les—that is, none of the men who drive cars ever touch that stuff, and look at their nerve."

Mr. French contemplated him with the irritation usually produced by the display of ostentatious virtue, but found no comment. Emily gazed at the table, her red mouth curving in spite of all effort at seriousness.

"You're right, Mr. Dick," said Bailey dryly. "Stick to it."

And Dick stuck, without as much as a single lapse. Frenchwood saw comparatively little of him, as time went on the village and factory much. He lost some weight, and acquired a coat of reddish tan.

Emily watched and admired in silence. She had not seen Lestrangle again, but it seemed to her that his influence overlaid all the life of both house and factory. Sometimes this showed so plainly that she believed Mr. French must see, must feel the silent force at work. But either he



Met it Yet Again in Emily's Pretty Gaiety and Content.

did not see or chose to ignore. And Dick was incautious.

"I'm going to buy one of our roadsters myself," he stated one day. "Can I have it at cost?"

Mr. French felt for his niece. "You? Why do you not use the limousine?"

"Because I don't want to go around in a box driven by a chauffeur. I want a classy car to run myself. I've been driving some of the stripped cars, lately, and I like it."

"I will give you a car, if you want one," answered his uncle, quite kindly. "Go select any you prefer."

"Thank you," Dick sat up, beaming. "But I'll have to wait my turn, we've orders ahead now. Lestrangle says I've no right to come in and make some other fellow wait."

Mr. French slowly stiffened. "We do not require lessons in ethics from this Lestrangle," was the cold rebuke. "I shall telephone Bailey to send up your car at once."

Rupert brought the sixty-horse-power roadster to the door, three hours later. And Emily appreciated that Lestrangle was discreet as well as compelling, when she found the black-eyed young mechanic was detailed to accompany Dick's maiden trips;

which duty was fulfilled, incidentally, with the fine tact of a Richelieu.

In May there was a still greater accession of work at the factory. In addition, the first of June was to open with a twenty-four hour race at Beach track, and Lestrangle was entered for it. Excitement was in the air; Dick came in the house only to eat and sleep.

The day before the race, Mr. French walked into the room where his niece was reading.

"I want to see Bailey," he said briefly. "Do you wish to drive me down to the factory, or shall I have Anderson bring around the limousine?"

"Please let us drive," she exclaimed, rising with alacrity. "I have not been to the factory for months."

"Very good. You are looking well, Emily, of late."

Surprised, a soft color swept the face she turned to him.

"I am well, Dear, I think we're all better this spring."

"Perhaps," said Ethan French. His bitter gray eyes passed deliberately over the large room with all its traces of a family life extending back to pre-Colonial times, but he said no more.

It was an exquisite morning, too virginal for June, too richly warm for May. When the two exchanged the sunny road for the factory office, a north room none too light, it was a moment before their dazzled eyes perceived no one was present. This was Bailey's private office, and its owner had passed into the room beyond.

"I will wait," conceded Mr. French, dismissing the boy who had ushered them in. "Sit down, Emily; Bailey will return directly, no doubt."

But Emily had already sat down, for she knew the voice speaking beyond the half-open door, and that the long-prevented meeting was now imminent.

"It will not do," Lestrangle was stating definitely. "It should be reinforced."

"It's always been strong enough," Bailey's slower tones objected. "For years. It's not a thing likely to break."

"Not likely to break? Look at last year's record, Mr. Bailey, and tell me that. A broken steering-knuckle killed Brook in Indiana, another sent Little to the hospital in Massachusetts, the same thing wrecked the leader at the last Beach race and dashed him through the fence. Do you know what it means to the driver of a machine hurling itself along the narrow verge of destruction, when the steering-wheel suddenly turns useless in his grasp? Can you feel the sick helplessness, the confronting of death, the compressed second before the crash? Is it worth while to risk it for a bit of costless steel?"

The clear realism of the picture forced a pause, filled by the dull roar and throb through the machinery-crowded building.

"They were not our cars that broke, any of them," Bailey insisted.

"Not our cars, no. But the steering-knuckle of my own machine broke under my hands last March, on the road, and if I had been on a curve instead of a straight stretch there would have been a wreck. As it was, I brought her to a stop in the ditch. There is no other thing that may not leave a fighting chance after it breaks but this leaves absolutely none. I know, you both know, that the steering-wheel is the only weapon in the driver's grasp. If it fails him, he goes out and his mechanic with him."

Emily paled, shrinking. She remembered the road under the maples and Lestrangle's laughing face as he leaned breathless across his useless wheel. That was what it had meant, then, the lightly treated episode!

"You'd better fix it like he wants it," advised Dick's disturbed tones. "Remember, he's got to drive the car Friday and Saturday, Bailey, not us."

"It's not alone for my racer I'm speaking, but for every car that leaves the shop," Lestrangle caught him up. "I'm not flinching; I've driven the car before and I will again. It may hold for ever, that part, but I've tested it and it's a weak point—take the warning for what it's worth."

There was a movement as if he rose with the last word. Emily laid her hand on the arm of the chair, turning her excited dark eyes on her uncle. Surely if ever Mr. French was to meet his manager, this was the moment; when Lestrangle's ringing argument was still in their ears, his splendid force of earnestness still vibrant in the atmosphere. And suddenly she wanted them to meet, passionately wanted Ethan French's liking for this man.

"Uncle," she began. "Uncle—"
But it was not Lestrangle's light step that halted on the threshold.

"Why, I didn't know—" exclaimed Bailey. "Excuse me, Mr. French, they didn't tell me you were down."

He glanced over his shoulder; as he pulled shut the door Emily fancied she heard an echo, as if the two young men left the next room. Bitterly disappointed, she sank back.

"That was your manager with you?" Mr. French frigidly inquired.

"Yes; he went up-stairs to see how the new drill is acting." Bailey pulled out a handkerchief and rubbed his brow. "Excuse me, it's warm. Yes, he wants me to strengthen a knuckle—he's spoken considerable about it. I guess he's right; better too much than too little."

"I do not see that follows. I should imagine that you understood building chassis better than this racing driver. You had best consult outside experts in construction before making a change."

"Uncle!" Emily cried.
"There's a twenty-four hour race starts tomorrow night," Bailey sug-

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gested uneasily. "It's easy fixed, and we might be wrong."

"We have always made them this way?"

"Yes, but—"

"Consult experts, then. I do not like your manager's tone; he is too assuming. Now let me see those papers."

Emily's parasol slipped to the floor with a sharp crash as she stood up, quite pale and shaken.

"Uncle, Mr. Lestrage knows," she appealed. "You heard him say what would happen—please, please let it be fixed."

Amazed, Mr. French looked at her, his face setting.

"You forget your dignity," he retorted in displeasure. "This is mere childishness, Emily. Men will be consulted more competent to decide than this Lestrage. That will do."

From one to the other she gazed, then turned away.



"I—I Would Rather Be Outdoors."

"I will wait out in the cart," she said. "I—I would rather be outdoors."

Dick French was up-stairs, standing with Lestrage in one of the narrow aisles between lines of grimly efficient machines that bit or cut their way through the steel and aluminum fed to them, when Rupert came to him with a folded visiting card.

"Miss French sent it," was the explanation. "She's sitting out in her horse-motor car, and she called me off the track to ask me to demean myself by acting like a messenger boy. All right?"

"All right," said Dick, running an astonished eye over the card.

"No answer?"

"No answer."

"Then I'll hurry back to my embroidery. I'm several laps behind in my work already."

"See here, Lestrage," Dick began, as the mechanic departed, sitting down on a railing beside a machine steadily engaged in notching steel disks into gear-wheels.

"Don't do that!" Lestrage exclaimed sharply. "Get up, French."

"It's safe enough."

"It's nothing of the kind. The least slip—"

"Oh, well," he reluctantly rose, "if you're going to get fussy. Read what Emily sent up."

Lestrage accepted the card with a faint flicker of expression.

"Dick, uncle is making the steering-knuckle wait for expert opinion," the legend ran, in pencil. "Have Mr. Bailey strengthen Mr. Lestrage's car, anyhow. Do not let him race so."

Near them two men were engaged in babbling bearings, passing ladle-fuls of molten metal carelessly back and forth, and splashing hissing drops over the floor; at them Lestrage gazed in silence, after reading, the card still in his hand.

"Well?" Dick at last queried.

"Have Mr. Bailey do nothing at all," was the deliberate reply. "There is an etiquette of subordination, I believe—this is Mr. French's factory. I've done my part and we'll think no more of the matter. I may be wrong. But I am more than grateful to Miss French."

"That's all you're going to do?"

"Yes. I wish you would not sit there."

"I'm tired; I won't fall in, and I want to think. We've been a lot together this spring, Lestrage; I don't like this business about the steering-gear. Do you go down to the Beach tomorrow?"

"Tonight. Tomorrow I must put in practicing on the track. I would have been down today if there had not been so much to do here. Are you coming with me, or not until the evening of the start?"

Dick stirred uncomfortably.

"I don't want to come at all, thank you. I saw you race once."

"You had better get used to it," Lestrage quietly advised. "The day may come when there is no one to take your place. This factory will be yours and you will have to look after your own interests. I wish you would come down and represent the company at this race."

"I haven't the head for it."

"I do not agree with you."

Their eyes met in a long regard. Here, in the crowded room of workers, the ceaseless uproar shut in their conversation with a walled completeness of privacy.

"I'm not sure whether you know it, Lestrage, but you've got me all stirred up since I met you," the younger man confessed plaintively. "You're different from other fellows and you've made me different. I'd rather be around the factory than anywhere else I know, now. But honestly I like you too well to watch you race."

"I want you to come."

"I—"

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Easter will soon be here, see the beautiful line of woollens the Philadelphia Tailors have on hand to make your suit selection from.

V. A. Johnson is manager and Michael Rossi of Philadelphia is the cutter of the Philadelphia Tailors 122 Duval street.

The twenty-third annual report of the State board of health, prepared under the direction of Dr. Joseph Y. Porter, has just been completed.

Fish were not plentiful at the dock yesterday.

The sewer leading from the Jefferson Hotel to the water between the P. O. and Taylor's docks is being enlarged under W. G. Lane's direction.

The sum of \$703,000 has been spent on Key West Harbor by the government, according to a report lately made by the secretary of the treasury to the senate. Sums in excess of this, appropriated for river and harbor improvements in Florida, are \$1,813,003.75 for the St. Johns River, \$1,184,030.01 for Pensacola Harbor, \$908,346.85 for Hillsborough Bay, \$740,911.80 for Tampa Bay.

A party composed of two teachers and ten young ladies from the Colonial Seminary, Washington, D. C., went on the Halifax to Havana yesterday.

D. Secord of Miami was in Key West yesterday in the interest of a Pure Food Cabinet for which he is the agent. This ingenious article is made in Cincinnati, O. of tin, is fitted with various compartments for bread, cereals, sugar, meats, coffee, milk, spices, salt etc. and is an adjunct to any household, no matter how well managed.

The pelican, which makes his home on the fish dock has not been home for several days. However, he is well able to take care of himself.

Come in and make your selection for your spring suit. The Philadelphia Tailors will make your suit as you want it.

On the Lampasas from Galveston yesterday were those Key West passengers: E. M. Kirby, Mrs. Z. Brown, L. W. Brown, D. Harrison.

For fine tailoring see the Philadelphia Tailors.

The Jackies off the torpedo destroyers had the town to themselves last night. They enjoyed themselves thoroughly and conducted themselves like gentlemen. The storekeepers, especially, will regret to see them leave today.

See the Philadelphia Tailors

Train No. 87, The New York and Florida Special, rolled into Key West on time yesterday morning. Southbound travel is getting light, and northbound travel increasing.

R. Fernandez, president of the Fernandez Clear Havana Cigar Co. with Mrs. Fernandez, left for New York yesterday, on the Mallory liner Lampasas.

The following were passengers on the Olivette for Port Tampa last night: Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bissell, R. M. Youngling, Mrs. Reba Youngling, Mrs. Arma Fried, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Frank, Mrs. Lizzie Traver, Mrs. M. R. Bolles, A. H. Trench, E. W. Tinsors, D. Kelly Robert, Wm. W. Reid, R. M. Calloway, Mrs. Bertha Curie, Madalina Garcia, E. M. Aiken, Mrs. Aiken, Kathryn Aiken and 17 second class.

Prof. Jones of the Publicity department of Rollins College, Winter Park, Fla., came over from Port Myers on the Mildred Monday night. Rollins College, according to Professor Jones, is the oldest college in the state. It has over 200 students, and spent \$150,000 on new buildings in the last three years. Prof. Jones addresses high schools and similar institutions of learning throughout the state on the benefits of higher education and especially of the advantages presented by Rollins. Prof. Jones addressed the students of the Harris School. Today he will talk to the pupils of Ruth Hargrove Institute, and go north at 10.45 on No. 38.

The best coffee on the market today is Cabrera's coffee. Two grades, 30 and 35c per pound.

The Mary F. Baird, now discharging coal at Taylor's dock will, as soon as she is unloaded, go to Havana for a cargo of bones to be turned into fertilizer in Baltimore.

D. Kelley Roberts publisher of the Automobile and Good Roads Advocate was in the city yesterday. He left last night for Tampa on the Olivette.

Key West will not get the foremost of the Maine as a memorial to the worthy dead. It will be erected in Arlington Cemetery near Washington.

The Four Brothers, the beach patrol boat, was at Taylor's dock yesterday for supplies.

The lighthouse department is in the market for an automatic acetone gas installation for Tortugas Harbor light.

The Mildred sailed for Port Myers and Tampa at 5 o'clock this morning instead of 6 o'clock.

The fourmest schooner Josephine, Capt. McGee which discharged 1100 tons of coal at the P. & O. dock leaves today for Jacksonville, where she will load yellow pine for either Philadelphia or Baltimore.

A Jewish weighing over 200 pounds was brought to the fish dock yesterday. The operation of skinning and dressing proved interesting to many visitors.

Dr. J. B. Maloney was in Miami yesterday on professional business.

Herbert S. Phillips, who is a candidate for congress in the first district, is scheduled to address the voters of this city on things political, on April 9.

The public should by all means attend the benefit performance at the San Carlos tonight, given in behalf of the Public Library.

Found—Knights Templars emblem. Owner may have same by applying to Chas. Wilson at the Social Bar on Duval St. 16-3t

Found—A pair of gold rimmed eye glasses in a leather case at the Monroe Theatre last night. Owner may have same by calling and describing the glasses. 16-3t

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From March 20th to April 20th we will sell six pound electric irons for \$3.00. After the last day of this sale iron will be sold at the regular price of \$4.00.

Each iron is guaranteed to last until Jan. 1st, 1917.

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Bright, New, Stylish, Spring and Summer wearing apparel are being received most every day.

DRESS GOODS, SHOES, HOSIERY, MUSLIN, UNDERWEAR, CORSETS, LACES, EMBROIDERIES AND TRIMMINGS OF ALL KINDS

The real rush for spring goods is just beginning, and a rush it will be for Easter falls on April 7th this year, and all the buying will have to be crowded into a very short time.

Hundreds of different styles, of shoes, for Ladies, Misses and children in white, black and brown leather, and patent leather, canvas and buck skin, are awaiting your inspection.

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When the work is considered the prices are most moderate.

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For children have just arrived in a large variety of styles, among them a big assortment of white canvas pumps and high button shoes from \$1.25 to \$3.00.

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