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CALLING CARDS PRINTED IN trail that were neither McLean's nor, e very latest styles at The Poot.

# FRECKLES

others. Freckles' heart leaped nouy.

He ran a quick hand over his belt to

feel if his revolver and hatchet were

there, caught up his cudgel and laid

It across his knees, then sat quietly

waiting. Was it Black Jack, or some

one even worse? Forced to do some-

a tune he had led in his clear tenor

His quick Irish wit roused to the

Through the bushes he caught a

ridiculousness of it and he burst into

glimpse of the oncoming figure. His

heart flooded with joy, for it was a

man from the gang. Wessner had

been his bunk mate the night he came

down the corduroy. This was no tim-

ber thief. Freckles sprang up and

called cheerily, a warm welcome on his

"Well, it's good telling if you're glad

to see me," said Wessner. "We been

so mighty touchy you didn't allow a

"No more do I." answered Freckles.

"If he's a stranger, but you're from

"Oh, curse McLean!" said Wessner.

"And are you railly saying so?" he

"Yes, I am." said Wessner, "So

would every other man of the gang if

they wasn't too big cowards to say

anything unless maybe that other slob-

bering old Scotchman Duncan. Grind-

ing the lives out of as! Working us

like dogs and paying us starvation

wages, while he rolls up his millions

man within a rod of the line."

Freckles gripped the cudget.

inquired with elaborate politeness.

McLean, ain't you?"

a laugh that steadied him amazingly.

Christmas exercises.

CHAPTER V.

FRECKLES FACES TROUBLE.

OMING from a long day on the trail, Freckles saw Duncan's children awaiting him much closer the swale than they usually ventured, and from their wild gestures he knew that something had happened. He broke into a run, but the cry that reached him was, "The books have come!"

They found books on birds, trees, flowers, moths and butterflies. There was also one containing Freckles' bullfrog, true to life. And besides these were a butterfly net, a naturalist's tin specimen box, a bottle of gasoline, a box of cotton, a paper of long steel specimen pins and a letter telling what all these things were and how to use them.

At the discovery of each new treasure Freckles shouted, "Will you be looking at this now!" Mrs. Duncan cried, "Weel, I be

drawed on!" When Freckles started for the trail next morning the shining new speci-

men box flashed on his back. The black "chicken," a mere speck in the blue, caught the gleam of it and wondered what it was. The folded net hung by the boy's hatchet, and the bird book was in the box. He walked the line and tested each section scrupulously, watching every foot of the trail, for he was determined not to slight his work. But if ever a boy "made haste slowly" in a hurry it was Freckles that morning. When at last he reached the space he had cleared out and fitted up around his case his heart swelled with the pride of possessing even so much that he could call his own.

grew in profusion. In front of them

he had planted a row of water hya-

cinths without disturbing in the least

the state of their azure bloom, and

where the ground rose niguer for mis

floor a row of foxfire that would soon

To the left be had discovered a queer

natural arrangement of the trees that

grew to giant size and were set in a

gradually narrowing space so that a

long, open vista stretched away until

lost in the dim recesses of the swamp.

A little trimming back of underbush

rolling out of dead logs, leveling of

floor and carpeting of moss, made it

easy to understand why Freckles had

named this the "cathedral," yet be had

never been taught that "the groves

of the swamp be planted ferns that

grew waist high this early in the sea-

son, and so skillfully had the work

been done that not a freed arrange pecanse of the change. Opposite sa

cleared a space and made a nowerped.

Every day saw the addition of new

On the line side he left the bushes

thick for concealment and entered by

a narrow path he and Duncan had

cleared in setting up the case. He

called this the front door, though he

used every precaution to hide it. He

built rustic seats between several of

the trees, leveled the floor and thickly

carpeted it with rank, heavy woolly dog

moss. About the case he planted wild

clematis, bittersweet and wild grape-

vines and trained them over it until

This morning Freckles walked

straight to his case, unlocked it and

set his apparatus and dinner inside.

He took out the birdbook, turned to

the section headed "V." Past "veery"

and "vireo" be went, on down the line

until his finger, trembling with eager-

"'Great black California vulture.'

"Humph! This side the Rockies will

"Well, we ain't hunting common tur-

keys. McLean said chickens, and

Freckles' finger followed the line,

" 'Common in the south. Sometimes

"'- the Pharaoh's chickens of Euro-

"And sometimes farther," interpo-

lated Freckles, "cos I got them right

bere in Indiana so like these pictures I

can just see me big chicken bobbing

"Golly, I got to be seeing them."

shaped like a hen's, heavily splotched

" - in hollow logs or stumps."

"Oh, hagginy! Wasn't I barking up

Freckles ate and drank his last drop

of water. He sat resting a little and

watching the sky to see if his big

chicken was hanging up there. But

there were steps coming down tue

Duncan's, and there never had been

"Caramels, I suppose. And"-

" - big as a common turkey's, but

up to get his ears boxed. Hey?"

"'Light blue eggs "-

pean species. Sometimes stray north

as far as Virginia and Kentucky"-

called Jim Crow. Nearest equivalent

"'Black vulture of the south."

"Here we are arrived at once."

"'Common turkey buzzard."

it was almost covered.

ness, stopped at "vulture."

be read.

do for us."

what he says goes."

and he read scraps aloud.

to C-a-t-b-a-r-t-e-s A-t-r-a-t-a."

were God's first temples."

specimens.

and lives like a prince!" He had made a large room with the Green lights began to play through door of the case set even with one side of it. On three sides fine big bushes the gray of Freckles' eyes "Wessner," be said impressively. of wild rose climbed to the lower

branches of the trees. Part of his "you'd make a fine pattern for the father of liars! Every man on that walls were mallow, part alder, thorn, willow and dogwood. Below there gang is strong and hilthy, paid all he filled in a solid mass of pale pink sheep laurel and yellow St. John's wort, a gentleman. As for the boss living while the amber threads of the dodder like a prince, be shares fare with you interlaced everywhere. At one side every day of your lives." the swamp came close and cattails

Wessner was not a born diplomat. but be saw he was on the wrong tack and be tried another

"Freckles, old tellow," he said, "It you let me give you a pointer I can put you on to making a cool five hun dred without stepping out of your tracks."

Freckles drew back.

"You needn't be afraid of speaking rp," be said. "There isn't a soul in the Limberlost save the birds and the beasts unless some of your sort's come along and's crowding the privileges of the legal tiniuts.

"None of my friends along." said Wessner. "Nobody knew I came but Black J-1 mean a friend of mine. If you want to bear sense and act with reason he can see you later, but it ain't necessary. We can make all the plans On either side of the trees that con- needed. The trick's so dead small and stituted the first arch of this dim vista | easy.'

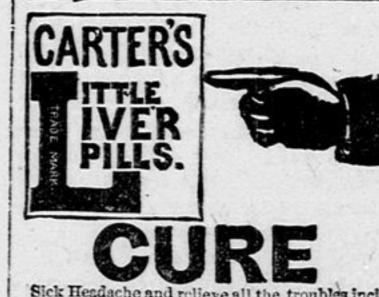
"Must be if you have the engineering of it," said Freckles. But he heard with a sigh of relief that they were alone.

Wessner was impervious. "You just bet it is: Why, only think, Freckles, slavin' away at a measly little \$30 a month, and here is a chance to clear \$500 in a day! You surely won't be the fool to miss it!"

"And how was you proposing for me to stale it?" inquired Freckles "Or am I just to find it laving in me path about the line?"

"That's it, Freckles," blustered the Dutchman, "you're just to find it You needn't know a thing. You name a morning when you will walk up the west side of the swamp and then turn round and walk back down the same side again and the money is yours Couldn't anything be easier than that

"Depinds entirely on the man," said Freckles. The lilt of a lark hanging above the swale beside them was no sweeter than the sweetness of his voice. "To some it would seem to come alsy as breathing, and to some wringin' the last drop of their hearts blood couldn't force thim! I'm no the man that goes into a scheme like



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that with the blindfold over me eyes faithful as I knew. You'll have to be making the thing very clear to me understanding '

"It's so dead easy," repeated Wess ner, "it makes me tired of the sim tine Why, your pottering old Scote tool of a boss nation the wire to ed where the bark had been peeled on this side of the trail just one day we can have it cut, loaded and read) to drive out at night. Next morning you can find it, report and be the isjest man in the search for us. Wi know where to fix it all safe and easy Then McLean has a pet up with a couple of the gang that there can't be a raw stump found in the Limberiost There's plenty of witnesses to sweat to it, and I know three that will There's a cool thousand, and this tree is worth all of that raw. Say, it's a gold mine, I tell you, and just \$500 of it is yours. There's no danger or earth to you, for you've got McLear that bamboozied you could sell out the whole swamp and he'd never mistrust you. What do you say?" Freekles soul was satisfied.

that all?" be asked.

'No. it ain't." said Wessner. you want to brace up and be a mar and go into the thing for keeps you can make five times that in a week. My friend knows a dozen others we could get out in a few days, and all you'd have to do would be to keep out of sight. Then you could take your money and skip some night and begin tife like a gentleman somewhere else. What do you think about it?" Freckles purred like a kitten.

"Twould be a rare joke on the boss." he said, "to be staalin' from him the very thing he's trusted me to guard and be getting me wages all winter throwed in free. And you're making the pay awful high Me to be getting five hundred for such a simple little thing as that. You're trating me most royal indade! It's away beyond all I'd be expecting. Sivinteen cints would be a big price for that job. It must be looked into thorough. Just you wait here until I do a minute's turn in the swamp, and then I'll be eschorting you out to the clearing and giving you the answer."

Freckles lifted the overhanging bushes and burried back to the case. He unslung the specimen box and laid it inside with his batchet and revolver He slipped the key in his pocket and went back to Wessner. "Now for the auswer." he said

'Stand up!" There was iron in his voice, and he

was commanding like an outraged gen eral. "Anything you want to be tak ing off?" be questioned. Wessner looked the astonishment he

felt. "Why. no. Freckles." he said. "Have the goodness to be calling me Mr. McLean," snapped Freckles. "I'm after resarvin' me pet name for the use of me friends: You may stand with your back to the light or be tak ing any advantage you want."

"Why, what do you mean?" splutter ed Wessner.

"I'm manin'." said Freckles tersely. "to lick a quarter section of n- out of you, and may the Holy Vargin stay me before I leave you here carrion, for your carcass would turn the stummicks of me chickens!" Down at the camp that morning

Wessner's conduct had been so palpable an excuse to force a discharge that Duncan moved near McLean and whispered, "Think of the boy, sir!" McLean was so troubled that an

hour later he mounted Nellie and foilowed Wessner to his home in Wildcat

Hollow, only to find that he had left there a little before, heading for the Limberlost. McLean rode at top speed. When Mrs. Duncan told him that a man answering Wessner's description had gone down the west side of the swamp near noon he left the mare in her charge and followed on foot. When he heard voices he entered the swamp and stiently crept near just in time to hear Wessner whine: "But I can't fight you, Freckles. I hain't done nothing to you. I'm away bigger than you, and you've only one

(To be continued )

# HYMENEAL

LEE-FOX

even ojclock this morning at St. and Mrs. Franklin F. Palen, 41 Fran- white felt hat. Luke's Anglican Church, Ashburnhan, cis-st., when their only daughter, After a short trip to Toronto, Peterboro, when Miss E. Margaret Mabel, was united in mar- Hamilton and other eastern points, until I began taking Fox, daughter of Mr. Jas. Fox, of riage to Mr. John Albert Graham of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson will reside your medicine. I al- Peterboro, was united in marriage to Toronto, son of Mrs. John Graham, in Calgary, Alta. so recommend it for Mr. Frank D. Lee, Photographer, of Toronto.

the ceremony was performed in the of the bride and groom's immediate than usual interest took place this presence of only the near relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee left on the morning train for a short wedding trip on On their return they will reside in

Lindsay. The Post joins with "Judge's" many friends in good wishes to him-

WALKER-MORROW

A very pretty wedding was solemnized last evening at 7 p. m. in Peterboro when Miss Belle Morrow, daughter of the late Wm. Morrow of Peterboro, was united in marriage to Mr. Duncan Walker, principal of the riage to Peterboro normal school.

Miss Morrow is a sister of ex-Mayor Morrow of Peterboro, and a niece of Senator Cox.

residence of her brother, and was conducted by Rev. Dr. Shorey, assisted by Rev. T. J. Mansell, pastor

of the Charlotte-st. Methodist chuech. The drawing room was most beautifully decorated for the occasion, and an orchestra from Toronto rendered sweet music. Mr. Norman Jolliffe, of Toronto, soloist, son of Rev. Jolliffe, sang two beautiful solos.

At the close of the wedding supper Mr. and Mrs. Walker left on an extended motor trip through Ontario. touching at Cobourg, Toronto and other centres.

DAVIS-POLSON

On Wednesday morning, Aug. 28th Miss Isabella Polson, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Polson, of Kingston, was united in marriage to Mr. Harold Wilkie Davis, son of Hon E. J. and Mrs. Davis, of Newmarket, Ont. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride, University ave Kingston, Rev. Jas. Rollins, of Peterboro, an uncle of the bride. officiating. The bride was attired in a satin charmeuse gown with court a beautiful pendant of pearls and en a grease cup. He narrowly escaptrain, and wore the groom's gift, a diamond pendant. Miss Jean Duff, bridesmaid a pearl encrusted cres- by and was in the water fully ten Kingston, was bridesmaid, while Miss | cent; to the best man a gold scarf minutes before able to swim ashore. Nina Polson, as sister, was maid of pin set with pearls, and to the little The boat cut another launch in two honor, and little Miss Margaret Da- flower girl, a bracelet. The gift to before being stopped by running into vis, flower girl. A brother of the Miss Flurey was a bar pin with a a pier. groom, E. J. Davis, Newmarket was groomsman.

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The bride entered the drawing Mary's church, when Miss room on the arm of her father in a Greenan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. gray tailored travelling suit with hat 'James Greenan, was united in marand grey ostrich plumes to match.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham left on 4.20 C.P.R. train for Buffalo and Detroit, and on their return will reside in Toronto.

THOMPSON-MAUNDER

A very pretty wedding was solemnized this afternoon at half past two o'clock, when Miss Flossie Maunder, eldest daughter of Mr. J. Maunder, 35 Victoria Frank avenue. was united in Mr. William bert Thompson of Calgary, e.dest son of Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Thompson, of Omemee.

The ceremony took place at the The ceremony took place at the family residence, and was conducted by Rev. Dr. S. J. Shorey. The drawing room was beautifully decorated with palms and roses and it was in front of a large bank of these that the principals stood as the marriage took place. . The bride wearing white ivy Duchess satin with an overdress home of the bride's parents where a of chiffon trimmed with pearls with a panel train and a veil with cap effect, was given away by her father. She carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses and lily-of-the-valley.

The bridesmaid, Miss H. Belle Maunder, wore blue satin with lace overdress and carried a bouquet of pink roses.

The groomsman was Bob. J. Thompson, brother of the groom. Little Alice Allin, a cousin of the bride, acted as flower girl, and looked cute in pink silk trimmed with

Miss Mary Flurey played Lohengrin's wedding march and during the signing of the register, 'Miss Vivian Yearsley of Toronto sang "Because."

cross of pearls while Miss Yearsley's was a bar pin set with amethysts and pearls.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at this afternoon at the home of Mr. was a tailored suit of blue-grey with

STEINBURG-GREENAN An event which occasioned

morning at eight o'clock at St. riage with Mr. Frederick Steinburg. Saskatoon, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Steinburg, of Tweed, Ont. The ceremony was performed by Venerable Archdeacon Casey in the presence of a large number of friends of the young couple. The bride entered the church on the arm of her father, while a wedding march was beautifully rendered by Miss Mary Flurey. The bride wore a blue tailored suit and blue velvet hat with willow mount. The bridesmaid, Miss Hannah Greenan, sister of the bride, wore cream Marquisette over pink taffeta, with pink picture hat. The groom was supported by his friend, Dr. Driscoll, of Trenton. During the ceremony solos were rendered by Miss Ella Brady and Miss Nettie O-Boyle, and during the signing of the rehister Miss Mary Flurey sang "Because." The ushers were Messrs Patrick J. and Joseph Greenan, brothers of the bride. After the mony the bridal party drove to the reception was held.

The bride's gift to the groom was a pearl cluster tie pin, and to the soloists dainty pearl pins. The groom presented the bride with a necklace set in pearls, and the bridesmaid with a pendant. The number of beautiful and costly presents testified to the popularity of the young people.

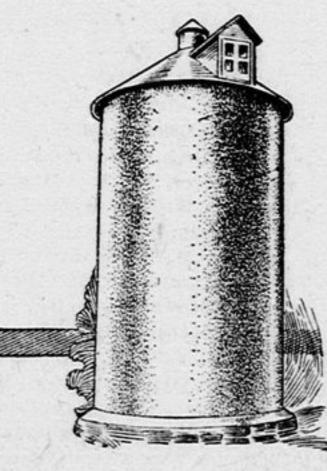
Mr. and Mrs. Steinburg left on the 4.20 C.P.R. train for an extended tour of the West and on their return will reside in Peterboro. Congratula-

### Peculiar Accident

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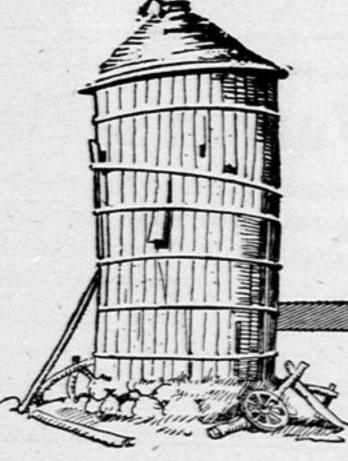
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