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VILLA, BANDIT AND BRUTE.

The Mexican General Who Murdered William S. Benton. Imagine a vicious-faced man of 35, very much in need of a shave, a person of big muscles and swagging gait, unkempt of dress and body and crude of speech...

A DEPOSIT NOW REQUIRED.

Frontenac Justice is Threat of Hearing Cases on Pius Evidence. A despatch from Kingston says: In dismissing a charge made against a resident of Verona in a local option township, Justice G. H. Hunter said he had heard of hearing cases of this kind in which there was practically no evidence of guilt.

A WOMAN'S MESSAGE TO WOMEN.

If you are troubled with weak, tired feelings, headache, backache, leading down sensations, bladder weakness, constipation, catarrhal conditions, pain in the sides, irregular or irregularly bleeding or unnatural, cutaneous, states of falling or displacement of internal organs, nervousness, desire to cry, palpitation, hot flashes, dark rings under the eyes, or a loss of interest in life, I invite you to write and ask for the simple method of home treatment, with few doses of entirely free and postpaid, also references to Canadian ladies who gladly tell how they have regained health, strength, and happiness by the method. Write to-day. Address: Mrs. M. Summers, Box 349 Windsor, Ont.

TRAINING SHIP BURNED.

Only a Few of 360 Boys Sustained Injuries. A despatch from London says: The training ship Wellesley, one of the best of England's old-time wooden warships, was burned in Shields harbor. Only a few of the three hundred boys on board were injured.

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dero was impressed with the man and though appreciating to the full the bandit's vicious nature, he decided that Villa was a good man to have around, if for nothing else than his hatred of Diaz.

Once in the Madero fold Villa became one of the fiercest of all the Madero subordinates. His is a jealous nature, and he wanted all the glory for himself. That was why he soon became the bitter enemy of Pascual Orozco, another Madero lieutenant, and of Garibaldi, the young Italian, whose ability as an aviator was so much in the accomplishment of the Madero triumph.

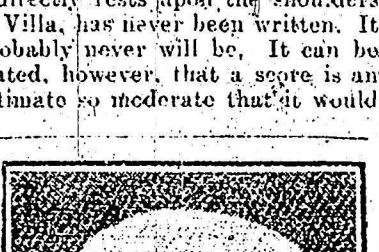
He Reappears.

Not much had been heard of Villa for some time until five months ago. Then he loomed large. Instead of being at the head of a few hundred men, bandits like himself, he comes to the front as 'Gen. Villa,' with an army of several thousand, an army that is growing all the time.

Was Hunted for 10 Years.

Before he became an outlaw Villa owned a small ranch in Chihuahua about 200 miles south of El Paso, Texas. As a ranchman he was a failure, and so in course of time he became a bandit.

General Villa.



make any ordinary Chihuahuan laugh. Villa started his killing of men about nine years before the fall of Diaz. They tell a story in Chihuahua that he killed his first man because that man had insulted a woman member of the Villa clan.

KITCHENER'S STORY.

Thus East and West Do Occasional Meet. 'There was a young woman, a pronounced brunette,' said Lord Kitchener of Khartoum, 'who came out to Cape Town disguised as a lady nurse, her object being to keep her eye on her husband, who held a billet under General Forrestier-Walker at the base. Later on he was unfortunately sent to the front, where he still more unfortunately, he was forthwith picked off by a wandering Mauseur bullet. The widow was so much grieved that it was observed her raven locks turned amber in a single night. Thus,' added his Lordship with a malicious grin, 'East and West do occasionally meet. The stricken widow on the Ganges puts ashes on her head as an indication for her bereavement, and the widow from the banks of the Thames applied peroxide of hydrogen as an advertisement of her uncontrollable sorrow.'

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

EXPERT'S OPINION OF SERVICE. To Pass the Examination Applicant Must Be Clever, but Must Also Be a Business Man. The British taxpayer is one of the largest employers of labor in the world. He spends nearly £1,000,000,000 a year in wages for the Civil Service alone, says London Accountants.

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Sir Edward Carson, Leader of Opposition to Home Rule in Ireland.

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That is its value for money. The Civil Service looks as though it might be a profitable investment. It is a business man's opportunity.

No wonder every Civil Service examination attracts ten times more applicants than there are posts vacant. The Civil Service is a fact, the prince of quill-drivers and the taxpayer a model employer.

But businesses are not carried on from that point of view. They are carried on to do certain work as efficiently and economically as possible.

The average business firm requires its staff to be civil, both to masters and customers. The man in the street is the civil servant's master and customer; but he is generally treated as a cross between a criminal and a lunatic.

When you go to Somerset House with regard to a will, or to an income-tax surveyor in the hope of finding out by what method of calculation your tax has been assessed, you are treated as though you had escaped from Broadmoor.

Most business firms make a point of being prompt. The morning's post is always answered in the course of the day. But the simplest inquiry addressed to a Government department will barely receive an answer in less than a week.

The Civil Service is the worst-managed business in England, and is ridiculously overstaffed. In some offices a fair amount of work is done. But in most of them the average city clerk could do the average Government clerk's day's work before lunch—that is, assuming that everything would have to be done through the present elaborate routine. Cut out the red tape, and he could do two or three years' work in a morning.

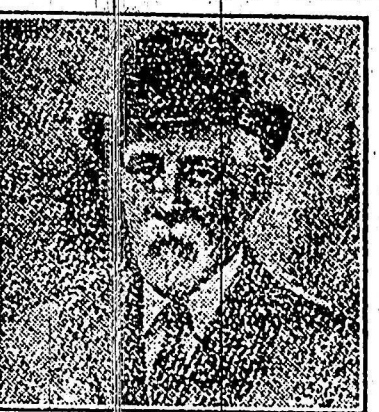
The private employe, who has his own money to lose, and not the taxpayer's, knows how to obtain efficient clerks and get his work done far better than the Civil Service Commissioners. He knows from experience; they only guess from theory.

The Civil Service clerk is an over-examined self-booby. He may be very clever—he must be to pass the examinations—but he seldom has business ability.

Again, there is no need for a Government clerk to exert himself, and so, being human, he doesn't. He knows quite well that, whether he works hard or takes things easy, he will get his rise at the end of the year. So he takes things easy.

At one Government office in Whitehall there is a clerk of studious habits who makes a point of learning a new language every year. He arrives at ten, and studies till lunch. Then he does official work until tea-time. He learns Persian last year. At present he is busy mastering the Turkish alphabet.

Other clerks have literary tastes, and many novels and short stories are penned in Government offices. The ink, paper, and time being provided and paid for by the taxpayer.



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