

GREAT RAINS.

Train Service Crippled in Three States by Them.

New Orleans, La., May 31.—Train service on many roads in Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama was badly crippled last night as the result of torrential rains which were experienced throughout those States.

WIND AND L.I.N.—Reports from surrounding country bring news of considerable devastation by rain and wind storms. Mississippi and Arkansas seem to have suffered most. The Arkansas River is out of bank and flood waters are being sent out that other rivers will have to be dammed.

DROWNED THE CROPS.—In both States, the crops are said to have been almost totally destroyed. The numbers of towns are being destroyed and families have been driven from their homes and the means or means of support.

ALL STREET HOUSE.—Chicago, Ill., May 31.—Practically every street in lower Chicago, Mississippi are at flood stage, being in practically drowning condition.

Been Purchased by Bank of Montreal.—New York, May 31.—Canada's largest financial institution, the Bank of Montreal, has just provided a permanent home for its New York branch by purchasing in Wall Street.

HOTEL HOURS.—New York, May 31.—What is being done by the Bank of Montreal for the first time, according to said institution, one of its officers, Mr. J. H. Selden, one of its officers, has been for many years the bank has been for an opportunity to buy a building on the corner of Wall Street and Broadway.

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MONEY ORDERS.—New York, May 31.—A couple of Italian boys at London, Ont., for arrested by the Kenora police this morning. The prisoners, the Dominick Marcondia and his wife, are being held in the Police Station. They are accused of having defrauded the Post Office money order.

CH of PROMISE.—Belleville Case Awarded Three Hundred Dollars.—Despatch.—A breach of promise case was tried at the High Court Judge Britton, here today. Sophia Lawrence sued her fiancé, and are about 50 years old. The defendant was not present. He was represented by counsel. Britton rendered a verdict in favor of the plaintiff, granting her \$300.

The Interrupted Author

McWhannel, having laid down his pen, took up a page of the notes that lay on his desk, and read: "There's cold mutton," said Mrs. McWhannel. "Would you like it curried or in shepherd's pie?" "Please yourself," said Peter. "Shepherd's pie," said Jimmy, and the matter was settled.

"Exactly," said McWhannel; "that's where I've scored, and with an hour's peace to finish the writing of my last chapter, I reckon the stuff should be all right. Now for the door!" He lifted his pen, and, with lips compressed and brow knitted, set himself to work on his climax.

"Peter, I'll take that threepee after all. I've found a penny I didn't know I had. Peter, I'll take that threepee after all. I've found a penny I didn't know I had. Peter, I'll take that threepee after all. I've found a penny I didn't know I had.

"Thank heaven!" murmured Peter to himself as she closed the door on the outside. He turned to his notes again, and read: "The climax must be unexpected. A grim smile, the most beautiful achievement quivered on the wrinkles care and thought had penciled, and he wrote steadily on, pausing only to correct and refine as he concluded each series of pages."

"It's unlocked now," said Peter, apologetically turning the key. "No, Jimmy, said the virtuous Mary. 'We are not going. Your father's busy just now, and must not be interrupted.' All I want to know is (interrupted) 'what do you want for dinner?'"

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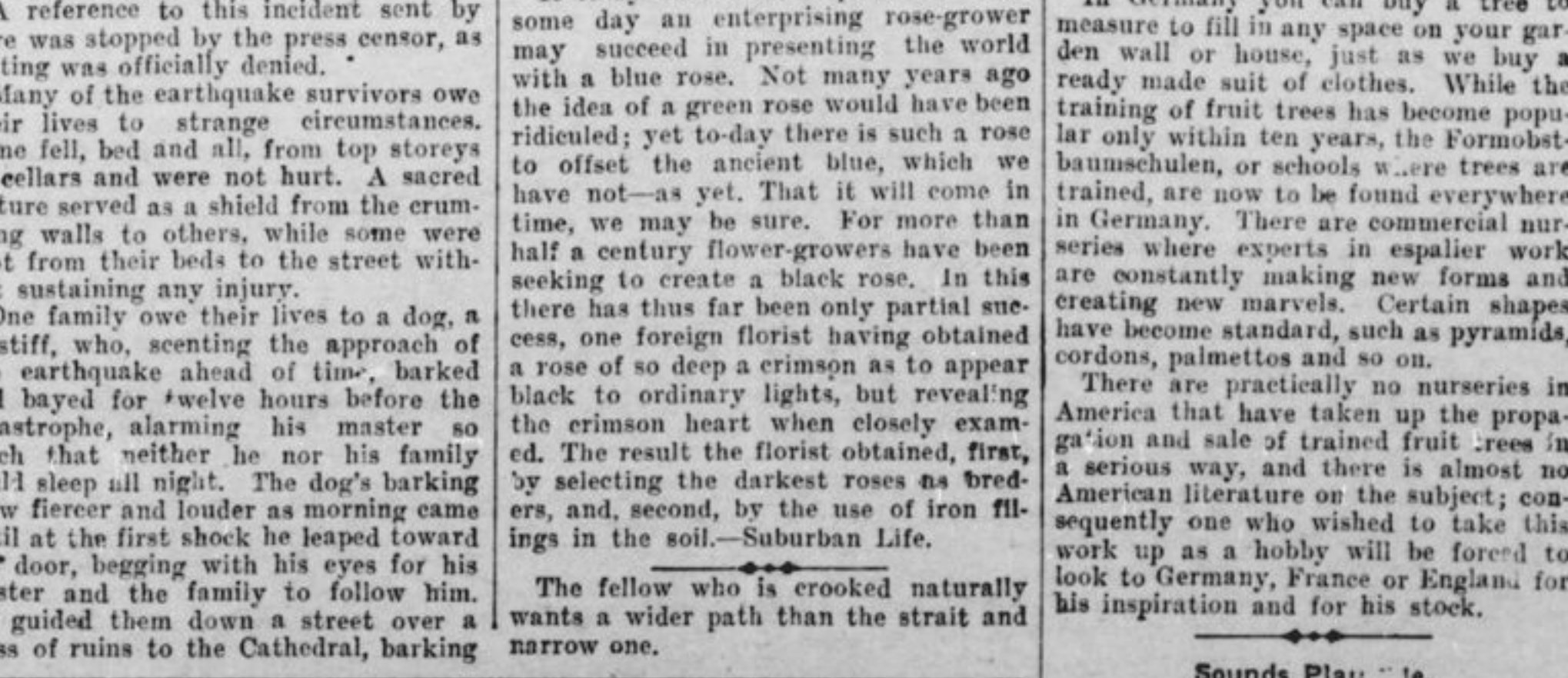
all the time and looking back to see if they were still following him. The master and his family sought shelter under a flight of steps, but the dog refused to stop, and no sooner had they followed him than the stairs collapsed, owing to a fresh shock.

After the earthquake. Battle With Convicts—Saved by a Dog—Courage of Women. The following incident was recounted in a secret report sent by Capt. Cagni of the Italian navy, now in command of the battleship Napoli, the first war vessel to reach Reggio after the earthquake.

Fortified at Fifty. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Health and Strength to Women at a Critical Time. Few women reach the age of fifty without enduring much suffering and anxiety. Between the years of forty-five and fifty health becomes feeble and acute weaknesses arise with rheumatic pains in the back and sides, frequent headaches, nervous ailments and depression of spirits.

Blue Rose Possible. It is by no means improbable that some day an interesting rose-grower may succeed in presenting the world with a blue rose. Not many years ago the idea of a green rose would have been ridiculed; yet to-day there is such a rose to offset the ancient blue, which we have not as yet. That it will come in time, we may be sure.

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FOREST RESERVES

The Dominion forest reserves occupy an important place in the reserve work of the year 1908 of the Superintendent of Forestry, Mr. R. H. Campbell, which has lately been issued.

Another important aspect of the management of the Moose Mountain reserve results from its use as a summer resort, especially about the shore of Fish Lake. Regulations for granting concessions of camping sites by lease or otherwise are under consideration.

During the season of 1907 forty-seven fire rangers were employed patrolling the forest reserves and forested districts, distributed as follows: British Columbia, 21; eastern slope of the Rocky Mountains (from the international boundary to the Saskatchewan River), 7; Edmonton district, 5; Prince Albert district, 7; rangers were also kept along the C. N. R. from Erwood to The Pas, two along the Athabasca River from Athabasca Landing to Lake Athabasca, and in the Lesser Slave district.

Chinese Scholar on Marriage. Sir Robert Hart, speaking of marriage and death customs in the Far East, tells a story of a great Chinese scholar and high official who said that his foreign wife of letting the young people fall in love and choose and the Chinese wife of first marrying and then making acquaintance with the groom.

Training Young Butchers. An apparatus used in Berlin for training butchers' apprentices in the killing of animals by the hammer method is described in Popular Mechanics. The apparatus has an indicator and scale which tells the force of the blow, so that the apprentices soon learn just the force the equivalent of the killing as humane as possible.

After Suffering Years. Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. MARLTON, N.J.—I feel that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has given me new life. I suffered for ten years with serious female troubles, inflammation, ulceration, prostration, nervousness, and could not sleep. Doctors gave me up, as they said my troubles were chronic. I was in despair, and did not care whether I lived or died, when I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; so I began to take it, and am well again and relieved of all my troubles.

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CORNS CURED

You can safely remove any corn, either corn, soft or bleeding, by applying Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor. It is a small, simple, and effective device, and is guaranteed to be effective.

SNOW 40 FEET DEEP. Took 600 Soldiers to Clear the Way in the English Blizzard of 1836. The mogg engines which were stalled in the recent blizzard out west do not appear to be worthy successors of a certain Hercules engine which worked a noble figure in the English blizzard of 1836.

Timber Regulations. The amended timber regulations adopted in December, 1907, are given in full. The main principle of these regulations is that the timber is to be sold by public auction at the office of the timber agent for the district, and that before being offered for sale each berth shall be surveyed and shall be examined by a competent cruiser.

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