

ANGRY WIDOW

Had an Ecuador Student Arrested ON LARCENY CHARGE

SHE PROPOSED TO HIM AND HE REFUSED

The Charming Widow Was Bound to Get Even—The Student Says He Cashed a Draft For Her, But Neglected to Get a Receipt.

New York, Jan. 6.—Antonia Torres Lascanio, a student from Ecuador, who said he was sent to this country by his government to acquire an American education, was taken to the Yorkville police court on the complaint of Dolores E. Des Criche, a widow, who did not give her age, but looked to be about twenty-six.

Lascanio said his folks were wealthy, and as he had all the money he really needed he would not take another one's property.

The warrant was obtained on a long affidavit made by the widow. In it she declares that on October 17 she turned over to Lascanio a draft for \$550 upon the International Banking Corporation, made out to his order. She requested him to get it cashed for her. He was then staying at the Westminster hotel. She learned that he got the draft cashed, but he did not give her the money. She made repeated demands for the money, but he kept promising to give it to her from time to time, but he did not do so.

When the case was called for examination it was discovered that the complainant, who is a native of Porto Rico, spoke only Spanish.

Lascanio said that he went home for a visit last summer and came back in the latter part of September. On board the royal mail steamship Atrato, at Colon, he first met the young widow. She seemed to take a liking to him, and they passed much of their time together. When the steamer stopped at Kingston, Jamaica, the two went ashore for a sight-seeing tour. He had left his money on board the steamship and the widow footed all the bills with pleasure, he asserted.

It was while coming up the coast that he listened to the first leap year proposal, he declared. It took him by surprise, but as delicately as he could he said nay, and promised that he would always remain her friend.

After reaching the city he saw her frequently, and twice more a proposal was made and declined. He said he neglected to get a receipt from her when he cashed the \$550 draft and gave her the money. He had several other drafts cashed for her.

For Release of Phillips Toronto, Jan. 6.—A petition for the release of Joseph E. Phillips, former president of the York County Loan & Savings company, owing to the claim that the York Loan company's affairs are turning out better than was at first thought they would do, and also urging that Mr. Phillips has been punished enough for his crime, is being circulated.

Solid Meat Oysters. Edwards & Jenkin.

DAILY MEMORANDA. Historical Lecture by Prof. Morrison, at Queen's, 8 p.m.

"The Cowboy Girl," Grand Opera House, 8:15 p.m.

Read McKay's full page advt. to-day, for bargains in fur.

Special Meeting Board of Trade, at 7 p.m. by-law, 8 p.m.

Week of Prayer. Meeting, Sydenham street Methodist Church, 8 p.m.

Meeting of Young People's Missionary Workers, Sydenham St. Church, 7:30 p.m.

Bijou Theatre, Wednesday and Thursday, a powerful entertainment. "The Fireman's Daughter," two comedies, "The Women Were Policemen," and "The Dutchman and the Shirt," and a beautiful typical Scotch, illustrated song entitled, "Mary My Heather Queen," sung by Will West.

Jan. 6th, in Canadian History. 1825—The Globe building and several others at Toronto burned, causing a loss of \$1,000,000.

1877—Seven nuns perished in the burning of the Ursuline convent at Roberval, Quebec.

CALLED A FAKIR.

Manipulating Photographs to Prove Contentions.

Berlin, Jan. 6.—Prof. Ernst Heinrich Haeckel, the eminent Darwinian scholar of the university of Jena, Germany's greatest living savant, is under fire on charges of plagiarism. He is accused by a group of distinguished colleagues with deliberately faking a set of photographs of embryonic monkey life from the work of a foreign zoologist and manipulating them, on the lines made familiar by the "art departments" of the American yellow press, into pictures which would prove certain contentions of his own.

Prof. Haeckel replies with a spirited defence, but his detractors claim that the evidence against him is conclusive. The German press demands a rigid and impartial examination into the controversy in order that the fair name of German science may be cleared of an unpleasant stigma.

CONFERENCE ON ROUTE.

Australia Will Be Represented at the Meeting.

Melbourne, Jan. 6.—Prospects of the consummation of the All-Red route have been greatly improved by a conference, held yesterday, between Dr. Coulter, the Canadian deputy postmaster-general, and Mr. Fisher, the premier of Australia, with Mr. Thomas, the postmaster-general. It is expected the latter will agree that Australia shall be represented at the proposed meeting of all the governments interested to work out the details of the scheme. Mr. Coulter reported that the British and New Zealand ministries will adopt a favorable attitude. Mr. Thomas personally supports the scheme cordially and the conference will be resumed on January 13th.

WINTER CARNIVAL.

Railways Decide Not to Grant Special Rates.

Montreal, Jan. 6.—A severe setback to the plans for a winter carnival in Montreal, in February, was given when the railways decided not to grant special rates for the event. A special meeting of the Eastern Canada Passenger Association was held at the offices of the C.P.R. and the matter was fully discussed. Opposition to the carnival was practically unanimous among the officials who were at the meeting, and after a brief discussion it was announced that it was decided to refuse to grant special excursion rates asked for by the promoters of the carnival.

BATTLE IN MANCHURIA.

Troops Revolt and Defeated Government Forces.

Amoy, China, Jan. 6.—A revolutionary outbreak is reported in Manchuria, near Mukden. No special cause has been assigned. One thousand mutinous soldiers took the field. Official reports say that in an engagement on Sunday, between government troops and the insurgents, the latter were repulsed. Native reports, however, declare that the government troops were driven back with a loss of sixty killed. Reinforcements have been asked for. The insurgents occupy an impregnable position. Insurgent agents are busy recruiting in Amoy. They are offering a dollar a day for men.

Asking Government Grant.

Toronto, Jan. 6.—The Penny Bank desires a grant of \$1,000 per annum from the provincial government. The bank, which has branches at Toronto, Guelph, Oakville, Orangeville, and Oakville, relies for its operating expenses upon the difference between three and one-half per cent. which it gets from the post-office department with which it makes deposits, and the three per cent. which it pays its depositors. The grant is asked on the ground that the enterprise is an educative one for children.

Will Sail Through Whirlpool.

Niagara Falls, Jan. 6.—Percy Weber, a chemist, working in Niagara Falls, N.Y., said last night he would brave the turbulent waters of the whirlpool in a canoe which he is constructing.

Capt. Watson Retires.

New York, Jan. 6.—With the sending out of the Lucania on Wednesday last Captain John Stoughton relinquished his last duty as superintendent of the Cunard line ships, retiring after twenty-six years of service in that capacity. Captain Watson, though still hale and active, is nearing his eighty-third year and decided recently to withdraw from active work and settle down to simply enjoying life.

Thaw Claimed To Be Safe.

White Plains, N. Y., Jan. 6.—Counsel for Mrs. Wm. Thaw, Harry Thaw's mother, obtained from Supreme Court Justice Tompkins a writ of habeas corpus compelling the Matteawan asylum authorities to produce Harry Thaw before that justice at Nyack, Saturday. Mr. Thaw's contention is that Thaw is not a criminal, having been acquitted by a jury, and that he is now sane.

Completely Burned.

Bellingham, Wis., Jan. 6.—The plant of the Puget Sound Mills and Timber company, said to be the biggest shingle mill in the world, was burned Monday night. The damage was \$415,000; insurance \$150,000. W. L. Cleveland, a saw filer, was burned to death, and several other persons had narrow escapes. The fire started from a hot box.

Dozen Mexican Oranges, 25c. Waxes & Jenkin.

STILL ALIVE

After Being Eight Days in the Ruins.

RESCUED AT REGGIO

GROANS OF OTHERS ARE FREQUENTLY HEARD.

Some Beg For Aid—Children Were Prematurely Born—Typhoid Breaks Out—Thousands Are Maimed For Life.

Messina, Jan. 6.—Earth shocks are continuing here, though they are diminishing in intensity. The fires in the city are being gradually extinguished. Thirty thousand rations were distributed yesterday.

Official figures show that 14,000 bodies have been buried in the four cemeteries, that 9,000 refugees have left the city, and that 9,000 persons still remain here.

Instead of excavating for bodies, it is proposed that every house in which it is believed persons are buried shall be covered with quicklime.

Numerous persons still living were taken, today, from beneath the ruins of Reggio, while the voices of others can be distinctly heard appealing for aid.

The work of rescue at the home in Messina of the British Chaplain Hulst was most pathetic. The rescue party had succeeded last Saturday in reaching a portion of the ruins from under which came groans. This fact infused fresh vigor into the men, and although they worked until late into the night, no success rewarded their efforts.

Work was again resumed at daybreak. Sunday, the men feeling certain that Mr. Hulst, his wife, and four children were alive beneath the debris.

Only one voice was heard now, and that seemingly in lamentation. Evening fell and there was another shock of earthquakes and the tottering walls about the rescuers threatened to collapse and bury them. They stuck to their task, however, and soon found the bodies of Mr. Hulst and one child both dead. The men kept hard at work until finally the groans ceased and the rescuers were convinced that the entire family had perished. Then the men quit work.

The Associated Press had the first correspondent on the scene at Messina. He found a condition of utter confusion existing. The bodies of the dead lay everywhere on the surface of the ruins and limbs protruded here and there from the wreckage. There were small first aid stations, and scores of others were hastily established as soon as possible by relief corps from Italian cities, and the Russian, French, German and British warships.

The home of Mr. Cheney, the U. S. consul, was crumpled to dust in the first shock, and its inmates buried. All of the Americans who have not been heard from may be considered safe.

Money is needed for relief. Hundreds of families have been left without bread winners and thousands of persons have been maimed for life. The horrors of the sanitary conditions in Messina are unspokeable and only the roughest of surgical attention is possible. Many women among the rescued prematurely gave birth to children.

The first cases of typhoid fever have broken out here. This fact will cause drastic action to be taken immediately in the disposal of the dead.

Will Educate Them.

Rome, Jan. 6.—It is stated that the pope has decided to undertake to maintain an educate at his own expense, a thousand children whose parents were killed in the disaster in Sicily and Calabria until they become of age. Another version of the story is that a French ecclesiastic has obtained the pope's promise to choose a thousand orphans whom the ecclesiastic will maintain.

There is a discussion as to the manner of re-building the destroyed cities, whether the work will be undertaken by the state, or by a private company, to which will be conceded, a remission of the land tax for twenty-five years, anyway. The building will not begin before a complete technical commission, not yet appointed, approves of the plans. It is assumed the height of the buildings will be rigidly limited and that general construction will be guided by Japan's anti-earthquake models.

OLD HUDSON BAY FACTOR.

Late William Wylie Spent Forty-Six Years in Wilds.

Edmonton, Jan. 6.—In the sudden death of William Wylie here passes a man who spent forty-six years of his life practically isolated from civilization in the great wilds of Athabasca district. Up to September last Mr. Wylie had been for all those years in the employ of the Hudson's Bay company at Fort Chipewyan. He came to the Canadian north from the Orkney Islands when sixteen years old, in 1862. He came down from the north last year to pay a visit to his old home. He got as far as Winnipeg and returned to Edmonton.

Yuan Shi Kai Quits.

Peking, Jan. 6.—Yuan Shi Kai, the member of the grand council dismissed from office, accompanied by his family left on a special train for Wei Hai Wei, in Honan province. There were only a few railroad officials at the station to see him off.

The public sense is in advance of private practice.

THEY STEP ASIDE.

Candidates Give Place to Theodore Burton.

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 6.—Arm in arm C. P. Taft and Senator Joseph B. Foraker, the one already and the other soon to be a private citizen of Cincinnati, walked into the Union station trainshed and departed for their homes. Both had withdrawn from the senatorial race and both had given out statements in favor of Theodore E. Burton. Mr. Taft saying he retired in the interest of party harmony. It is believed he feared the embarrassment to President-Elect Taft that would follow if he met defeat. Mr. Foraker, with a tinge of bitterness, worded his withdrawal with sentences of praise for his friends and a rebuke for the party machine, which would have named some one other than Burton, the choice of the rank and file. He fought to the last ditch, but when he saw Taft's strength go to Burton, and knew further fighting would be futile, then his wrath turned on the machine, rebuking its power when not used for the public welfare. The senatorial caucus on Saturday night will now be merely a form. It will be a joint one of the republican branch of the legislature, and the endorsement of Burton will be a mere form.

BISHOP INSTALLED.

The Weather Was Not Favorable For the Event.

Montreal, Jan. 6.—Weather conditions, today, were anything but favorable for the ceremonies connected with the consecration of Very Rev. Dean Farthing as Anglican Bishop of Montreal, in succession to the late Bishop Carmichael. Unseasonable temperature, laden skies above and slush beneath constituted the state of affairs which confronted the archbishop and laymen who gathered at Christ Church cathedral, at 11 o'clock this morning, for the ceremony.

The consecration service was fully choral and was witnessed by a gathering which completely filled the edifice, several hundred being unable to obtain admission. Of Toronto, primate of all Canada, presided over the ceremony, and he was supported by Bishop Dumoulin, of Niagara, Bishop Mills of Ontario, Bishop Williams of Huron, Bishop Worrell of Nova Scotia, and Bishop Codman of Maine.

The primates, bishops and their chaplains and the clergy led in the chapter house of the cathedral and marched into the cathedral by way of the south transept, the primate being preceded by his chaplain bearing the processional cross, the choir singing "The Church's One Foundation." Holy communion was then celebrated by the bishops of Ottawa, Niagara and Quebec. The sermon was preached by Canon Welch, rector of St. James' cathedral, Toronto, following which came the presentation of the bishop-elect to the primate by the bishops of Ontario and Huron.

The record by the election to the office was read and the oath of obedience to the metropolitan archbishop taken. After the reading of the litany, the primate addressed the bishop concerning doctrine and conduct. Then the new bishop retired to the chapter house and returned fully attired in the bishop's robes, after which the service proceeded to a close with the remainder of the holy communion office.

Following the service a luncheon was tendered Bishop Farthing by the laity of the diocese at the Windsor Hotel, at which all the visiting prelates and clergy took part, constituting a distinguished company.

Fined \$50 And Costs.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Jan. 6.—M. Bradley, of Michigan, had been fined \$50 and costs for the infractions of game laws. Bradley, an American, came into Canada, secured a resident license instead of taking out a non-resident license. He also trapped along the A. C. R. without proper qualification. Callbeck made a trip up the A. C. R. without proper qualification. Callbeck was in charge at an endeavor to put a trap to illegal hunting and trapping here and is receiving the support of the local branch of the Fish and Game Protective Association, which offers a reward of \$25 for every conviction under the act.

Animals Fought Viciously For Six Hours.

Butler, Pa., Jan. 6.—A big brown bulldog owned by Stephen Morris, in the southern part of this county, yesterday afternoon, killed a two-year-old bull owned by a neighbor named Jackson. It required six hours of most vicious fighting before the bull was finally killed. The dog was so badly hurt that it may be necessary to kill him.

The dog, which weighed about seventy pounds, was tossed by the bull while he was chasing another dog through the barnyard. The dog represented this and attacked the bull.

LATEST NEWS

Dispatches From Near And Distant Places

THE WORLD'S THINGS

GIVEN IN THE BRIEFEST POSSIBLE FORM.

Matters That Interest Everybody—Notes From All Over—Little of Everything Easily Read and Remembered.

It is likely the R. & O. Navigation company will pay six per cent. this year.

The Guelph city council has decided to ask the county judge to investigate allegations of graft.

The Ontario government has asked for a report on the needs of Italian earthquake sufferers.

Alexander Rose, the notorious jail breaker, was sentenced at Toronto to imprisonment for life.

The C.P.R., probably, will withdraw the half-rate fares granted to ministers in parts of the west.

It is understood that the sultan of Turkey will use his influence to keep the Mohammedans of India loyal to British rule.

Returns so far received show that local option by-law, carried in twenty-two municipalities, and were defeated in eight on a straight vote.

At Wainwright, Alta., the eighteen months' old child of James Fuller died from burns received while playing too near the kitchen stove, the mother being in the next room.

Henry Dunlop and John Lloyd, two "listed" politicians, pleaded to having been under the influence of intoxicants since their names had been posted. Magistrate Currie levied fines of \$10 and costs.

A pretty wedding was that of last Wednesday when Miss Alice Sarah, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith, became the bride and wife of Harold M. Carson. The marriage was celebrated at the home of the bride's parents in Cherry Valley.

Dr. Barth, the eminent German publicist, has issued a strong appeal to the "international conscience" to prevent the present expulsion of Jews from Finland, which is ordered, he says, not by Russia, but by the Finnish government.

James J. Jeffries is about to make some proposition to the Australian promoter of the recent championship fight between Burns and Johnson, looking to a championship battle some time during the coming year between Johnson and himself.

The winter is in the grip of a real old-fashioned cold snap, the thermometer everywhere having dropped under twenty below, making thirty-three below at Winnipeg, on Tuesday morning, while Regina recorded forty-five below, and Battleford fifty-one below.

LABOR WILL FIGHT.

First Address Since His Sentence to Prison.

New York, Jan. 6.—John Mitchell, vice-president of the American Federation of Labor, made his first public address last night since he and President Samuel Gompers and Secretary Frank Morrison, of the Federation, were sentenced to prison by Judge Wright, of the United States district court in Washington. The address was made before the Women's Trade Union League. Mr. Mitchell dwelt almost entirely upon the status of women in the world of trade, saying that he believed in equality for equal work for equal pay when he declared of hearty them. He received a round of hearty applause when he declared himself he would prefer to see them in the home, rearing children and making life brighter. Mr. Mitchell spoke a little on free speech, and the freedom of the press, and said the incarceration of a few men would not put an end to organized labor.

"Labor will not yield; it will fight to maintain its rights at any cost," he said.

LESS CRITICAL

Is the Trouble Between Austria and Servia.

Vienna, Jan. 6.—Although the Austro-Servian strain continues, the position seems less critical than it was twenty-four hours ago. The cause of Austria's attack on M. Milovanovich, Servian minister of foreign affairs, that Austria had reduced the Bosnians and Herzegovinians to slavery. The official text of M. Milovanovich's speech shows that "subjection" and the word was mistranslated in the version being read in Vienna. This relieved the tension, although, according to some accounts, the incident had not been wholly smoothed away. Neither the Austrian nor the Servian minister has been recalled.

DOG KILLED BULL.

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Local Option Failed.

Renfrow, Ont., Jan. 6.—Local option failed to carry, yesterday, in the united townships of Bagot and Blythville, whose chief business centre is Galabogie village. There was a majority for the by-law, but not the necessary three-fifths.

TOWN OF GANANOQUE.

The Missing Man Guernsey Has Been Found.

Gananoque, Jan. 6.—Leeds-Lodge, No. 201, A. F. & A. M., installed the same officers as held positions during 1908, last evening. Bro. Dr. J. A. Black took charge of the ceremony. After the business session the brethren sat down to a supper.

The man Guernsey, reported as missing since Saturday last and likely drowned, has been found alive and well.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Faucett, of Wolfe Island, are spending part of their honeymoon with local relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. George Laughton, of Alexandria, Ont., spending their honeymoon here with the former's mother, Mrs. Laughton, Stone street, have left for home.

Mrs. E. H. Hurd, Charles street, has been confined to her home during the past few days, seriously ill.

Miss Jessie Bennett, Mrs. D. A. Shaw, of Kingston, left for home on Monday after a pleasant holiday visit with their cousin, Miss Alice DeWitt, Stone street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kendall, Guelph, have returned home after spending the holidays here with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Thomson, King street. Miss Stella Johnston, stenographer for the Skinner Co., Ltd., has resumed her duties after enjoying the holiday season at her home in Deseronto. Miss M. M. Bennett, who has been holidaying here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett, Sydenham street, has returned to her duties in the Toronto public schools. Mrs. M. Spence, East Saginaw, Mich., is visiting with her sister, Mrs. J. A. C. Thomson, Brock street. W. Y. Colquhoun, of Kingston Business College, spent the holiday season with his parents near Atkinson. Miss E. Wilson, Wilkesboro, spent some time during the past week with local relatives. Mrs. F. Storey has returned to her home in Brockville after a visit with her father, Wm. Edwards, King street. Miss White, Merrickville, after holidaying with her parents for the past two weeks, has returned home. T. A. Mackay, of the head office of the Merchants' Bank, Montreal, returned yesterday after spending the holiday season with Rev. and Mrs. Henry Gracey, at the manse. George Hay, of the local staff of the Bank of Toronto, returned Monday after a short holiday at his home in Galt.

WOLFE ISLAND'S REEVE

Is John Spoor—Ferry Rate to Be Raised.

Wolfe Island, Jan. 5.—The elections passed off quietly here on Monday. Joseph Greenwood had the honor of heading the poll by 270 votes. John Spoor was elected reeve. The four councillors are as follows: Joseph Greenwood, G. G. Ganshaw, W. Fawcett and John Niles.

Dr. Thomas Baker and wife are visiting his mother here, who is very low. D. McRae has left for Oregon, on a business trip. Miss McDonald, of Portmouth, will take charge of the front school for the coming season. Mrs. Joseph Melton has left for Chicago on Monday. Mrs. Spoor is moving into her house, lately occupied by James Davis. J. White, of Hamilton, is visiting his brother, Edward, here. Charles Halliday and daughter, Irene, are visiting friends here.

J. O'Brien, of the foot, has purchased the schoolhouse in that section and is moving it on his farm. The section is building a new structure. Joseph McCampy is home from the west. James Kehoe is home from sailing. Mrs. Eva Pryner is home from Bath, where she spent the holidays. Mrs. Steward Armstrong is visiting her parents at Sherbrooke. Hugh Berry is in very poor health.

E. Bricefield has been appointed high chief ranger for Kingston and Portmouth branches of the C.O.F. for 1909. D. Cosgrove has been engaged again as teacher in the village separate school.

The five-cent rate in ferry all around was carried by 245, against 81. T. Hutchinson proposes to lease the ferry for another year.

CHILDREN AND FIRE.

Little Girl Succumbs to Injuries at Colborne.

Colborne, Ont., Jan. 6.—A very sad death of a little child took place at the home of G. Turner, near the G.T.R. station, here. It appears that Mrs. Turner went to a neighbor's on children in the house. During her absence they twisted some paper into torches, and in waving them about the clothes of a little girl, four years old, were ignited. The other children tried to extinguish the flames without success, and the terrified child rushed out-door with her clothing in a blaze. Capt. C. Redfern was at the station, and with his heavy coat put out the flames, but the shock and injury were so great that the little one died a day later.

Farmers' Institute.

Wilton, Jan. 6.—A convention is being held this week in the Holiness Movement church here. Walter Brown left on Monday to attend Albert College. Mrs. C. W. Balloch, Lynn, spent New Year's at her father's, W. H. Neilson. Mr. and Mrs. York, Ottawa, are at Mrs. York's father, James Wallace. Miss A. Kerz and F. Sandall, Toronto, were the guests of Mrs. Charles Stover last week. Herbert Hodge is recovering from an attack of bronchitis. The Farmers' Institute meeting is to be held on Friday of this week in the Grange hall.

PROBABILITIES.

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 6.—(10 a.m.)—Strong north-westerly winds which will clear snow furries, Thursday, westerly winds, fair and decidedly cold.

Stacy's Remnant Sale

Is Still Going

The last two days we've cleaned up a tremendous lot of odds and ends of all kinds, but there are hundreds left to choose from and to make things more interesting we've put in some longer lengths.

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Invited Finance Minister.

London, Jan. 6.—The Canadian Associated Press learns that the German-Canadian Economic Association, a body of influential Germans formed for the promotion of better trade relations between Germany and Canada, has invited Hon. W. S. Fielding to visit Berlin as its guest and to accept a public banquet. Owing to his intended early departure for Canada Mr. Fielding has been obliged to decline the invitation.

To Marry Her Manager.

Atlantic, Ga., Jan. 6.—Mrs. Florence Maybrick, the American woman who was convicted in England of poisoning her husband and sentenced to life imprisonment, but, who was released a few years ago, is soon to be married to Charles L. Wagner, of Chicago, secretary of the Slaton Lyceum Bureau. Mrs. Maybrick has been lecturing under the auspices of the bureau.

At Conson, on Saturday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Weeks was solemnized the marriage of their eldest daughter, Miss Lola Rao, to Wilfrid William Ward, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Ward, Conson. The bride, wearing a pretty gown of cream crepe de chine, was given in marriage by her father. She was attended by Miss Nellie Weeks, H. Ward, Kingston, brother of the groom, was best man.

The Venezuelan revolution, led by Gen. Mendible, has failed and the insurgents are fleeing.

Two-quart hot water bottles, made of pure rubber, from 35c. to \$2 each, at Wade's drug store.

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