Strange Discovery After Fifty Years of Remains of a Missing Caravan-- A Tragedy Enacted Near a Poisoned Spring. ...

HE treacherous, merciless partner had none for themselves. That of another gruesome, ghastly tragedy fifty to his partner: "Water and whisky years after it was enacted. Yearly, as the white men trav- choice." erse that trapdoor of the nether regions, they play their lives against the low the sea is only about eighteen and some lose. The next year, says the San Francisco Chronicle, their men;" they played the limit and lost. Here's the next that tries.

Fifty-one years ag a party of men, women and children-twenty, all toldleft Independence, Mo., in two wagons drawn by oxen, bound for the goldfields of California. From that day until now they have never been heard of, and their fate has always been a mystery. All these years the bare desert held the secret securely locked, and only recently have its restless, crawling sands disclosed the key-a huge, rusted iron hook of an ancient ox chain.

Don Pickett is a prospector with a frame of tempered steel and thews and muscles as tough as whang leather. He is not well known in San Francisco, but is a familiar figure from Carson to the Mexican line. He has just returned to San Francisco from a prospecting trip to Tonopah through the Panamint country and Death Valley by way of Mojave and Keeler.

"Polson!" At the foot of a spur on the Pana mint Mountains, on its northeastern slope, he, with his partner, Len Gorson, had stopped to rest themselves and their burros from the exhaustion attendant upon their trip across Death of perfectly clear, cold water bubbled from the rocks and lost itself in the sands a few yards further on. They did not drink of the water; they knew it; so did their burros, and the animals hardly sniffed at it as they turned to nibble the scant herbage. It was dead-

a good draught would kill a drinker. Years ago some prospector had scrawled the word "Poison" on a board from a packing oox and had fastened it to a stake by the edge of the spring. It was while resting in the shade of the rocks and the brush that Pickett a rust-eaten book projecting above the sand. He took hold of it, but it did not come away easily, and, exerting his strength, he uncovered an ancient ox chain forty feet in length, the kind that is practically out of use now.

From its rusty condition he and his partner estimated that it must have lain buried in the sand for at least fifty years, and knowing the manner in which the desert concealed its secrets. they took their prospecting picks from their packs, and began drawing them Tests made in psychological laborathrough the sand.

bone after bone and pieces of wagon irons. Some of the bones were of on across the dreary waste that substitute it makes, stretched away before them. They told the story of their find to Indians and old white settlers in the Amargosa the old men they gained the following story:

THE LOST PARTY.

It was in the fall of 1851 that a party came down Amargosa way with two worn-out ox teams. The party had left Independence, Mo., that spring, but had been delayed by sickness, and had once lost its way and had left the trail. Consequently they did not approach the Sierra Nevada Mountains until the nearness of winter prohibited their passage. They had turned south from Humboldt sink and had taken the Southern route by the way of the old Salt Lake and the Los Angeles trail.

One or two of the women and several of the children had died on the way, and one of the wagons had broken down, and the oxen were so thin and worn that all were attached to the best wagon and the other abandoned, as were some of the goods. The remaining women, children and outfit were packed in one wagon, and, with the men on foot the little cavalcade toiled on toward El Dorado. Nothing more was seen or heard of them by the Amargosa settlers, and it was presumed that they had gone through in safety. It is a long, thirsty way from incandescent lamps that light a large water to water between the sink of the Amargosa and Death Valley if one does not "know"-and the party from thirty volts. At Dusseldorf a wind-Independence did not. If they had mill winds up a heavy weight of which they would have dug a few feet in the dry sand of the bed of the lost Amargosa and found water, bitter, it is true, but it would have preserved life.

Neither did they know that if with axe or hatchet they had split the huge lie by the Census Bureau, are as fol-"bull" cactus they would have found lows: Pneumonia, 191.9; consumption. an aerid, juley pulp that would have 191.5; heart disease, 134; diarrhocal moistened the parched throats of their diseases, 85.1; kidney diseases, 88.7; oxen and themselves. But all this apoplexy, 66.6; cancer, 60; old age, 54; they did not know, and struggled on bronchitis, 48.3; cholera infantum, 47.8; with staring eyes and parched and debility, 45.5; inflammation of brain cracking tongues through the hot and and meninge, 41.8; diphtheria, 34.4; tystifling alkali dust, straining their eyes | phoid, 33.8, and premature birth, 33.7. across the dreary, dull gray waste for a spot of green that might mark the presence of water.

They saw that spot at the foot of a spur in the northwestern slope of the Panamints and headed for it, goading on their dragging, jaded oxen. They reached it and all drank their fill. That was fifty-one years ago, and their dry wones have just been found.

AN EYE WITNESS. Charles II. Fish, of San Francisco. thinks he remembers the party. He crossed Death Valley in 1851, and, delirious from thirst, he finished the trip partner. Mr. Fish remembers that in passed a party in which were some pitcously for water, but he and his volunteered himself.

sands of Death Valley was fifty-one years ago. After regainhave yielded up the story ing consciousness the first words Mr. Fish remembers were from a stranger are the same price-you can have your

That part of Death Valley lying be tales of yellow lucre that lie under it, miles long and three or four miles in width, but the Death Valley proper is about seventy-five miles long and mummified corpses are found by oth- from five to fifteen miles wide. As ers, who may pity them as "good miles go, the distance, with water, is not far off; without water, eternity lies between one and the little black dots on the map that mark the location of water. There are true and correct maps of the valley, but they are seared on the brains of a few hardy pros- faint, which he is in and save him,

HORRORS OF THE VALLEY.

In the cooler seasons men inured to the hardships of the desert have been known to go several days without water, subsisting on the juice of the caetus; in the summer season from twenty-four to thirty-six hours is sufficient to unsettle their reason. A newcomer, a "tenderfoot," will go stark, raving mad in from four to eight hours in hot weather if he has not water.

To such men three gallons of water per day are necessary—the hot, dry atmosphere causing a rapid evaporation and phenomenal thirst. During the days in the middle of the summer the thermometer stands anywhere from 125 to 135 degrees in the shade in the coolest place that can be found. On the sand in the sun the height to which the mercury climbs is almost beyond belief.

Only the excessive dryness of the atmosphere permits one to live in such heat. It is this terrible heat that boils Valley. Where they stopped a spring the blood of a 'tenderfoot'" until the steam cooks the brain and drives him, a naked maniae, shricking wildly across the blistering sands.

Those who "know," in going from one waterhole to another, always carry enough water to last them there and back in the event the objective waterly poison, and the arsenic contained in hole should be found dry. There is water at certain points in Death Valley, but unless one knows the exact location of these springs or waterholes it is death from horrible torture to attempt to traverse the valley in the summer months. The deadly sameness of the country is such that all mountains and saw, a few feet from him, the top of rocks look alike to the stranger, and he may pass to his death within a few yards of where he could have found

CURIOUS FACTS.

Cats and other beasts of prey reflect fifty times as much light from their eyes as human beings.

To economize time in memorizing a poem it should be read as a whole: that is, entirely through each time. tories show that to memorize one verse The points of the picks turned up at a time takes one-fourth longer.

In China the down of the thistle is oxen, and some were of human beings. gathered and mixed with raw slik so a few evidently being those of women ingeniously that even experts are deand children. They reinterred in a ceived when the fabric is woven. It is trench in the sand the human bones also used to stuff cushions as a substithey had uncovered, and then packed tute for elderdown, and a very good

A novelty in the way of an alarm clock has been perfected by an Amercountry, and from one and another of can jeweler. It is about the size of a hazel nut. It is made to wear on the finger. The alarm is not a bell, but a sharp pin, which pricks the finger at the time the wearer wishes to rise.

> Fancy two plants being so unfriendly that the mere neighborhood of one is death to the other! Yet this is the case with two well-known British plants These are the thistle and the rape. If the field is infested with thistles, which come up year after year and ruin the crops, all you have to do is to sow it with rape. The thistle will be absolutely annihilated.

> Dr. Schadenberg claims to have discovered in the Philippine Islands the largest flower in the world. The natives call it the "bolo." It is a fivepetaled blossom, as large as a wagon wheel and weighs upward of twenty pounds. The petals are oval shaped, of a creamy color and grow around a centre filled with a great number of

long violet-hued stamens. In Germany electricity, among other curious results, has rehabilitated the discarded windmill. At Neresheim a invention, may some day find a means windmill applies power for thirty-six paint factory. Another in Schleswig-Holstein keeps a steady current of the descent works a powerful dynamo.

The Principal Weapons of Death. The fifteen principal causes of death, with the rate per 100,000, as made pub-Death from all principal causes shows a decrease since 1899, the most notable being consumption, which shows a decrease of 54.9 per 100.000 .- Dietetic and Hygienic Gazette.

A Chance For a Hero. The obsolete English battleship Belleisle, which has already been made the object of experimental battering, is to be fired at once more, this time to ascertain the effect of shell splinters on the engine room. At the last firing some rats were placed in the conning tower, and they camp out uninjured. F. T. Jane, the naval expert, suggests with a rope around him, led by his that some officer volunteer to stay on board this time, in order to see personthe upper part of the valley they ally the effect of the battering; for in this way only will the experiment women and children who begged really be of value. Mr. Jane has not

TO RELIEVE COMA. A Hospital Steward's Explanation of

"I entered a cafe the other evening and was treated to a surprise, as well as gaining a piece of information which is valuable for everybody to know, but which everybody does not know," remarked a well-known correspondent this morning.

"At the aid of the bar sticking out in front were the four legs of a chair turned down back to the floor, and over the elevation of the chair thus formed were the feet and legs of a man.

"Around the four legs of the chair and the two legs of the man were grouped several men, including one or two men of the United States Hospital Corps. I thought they were trying to suffocate the recumbent man, and was about to expostulate when one of the hospital corps explained:

"It looks as if we were trying to kill him by causing a rush of blood to the head, doesn't it?' he inquired of me; 'well, we are not trying to kill him, but we are endeavoring to cause the blood to rush to his head, and that will bring him out of the coma, or

"Men and women fall in faints in the public places of all cities every day, and until the ambulance or a physician comes not one person in a hundred in a crowd knows what to do, and, in fact, ninety-nine out of a hundred will do the wrong thing.

"This man, a big, powerful fellow, a stranger, dropped like a shot to the floor as he was about to pay his check. Most people would have elevated his head and poured brandy down his throat. But we elevated his feet over the upturned chair so as to cause the blood to return to the brain. Why? Because his face was white. We just unloosed his collar band, jacked his feet up, and,' continued the hospital steward, 'you see his white features are gradually becoming normal, his eyes are opening, his natural color is coming back, and we now lift him to his feet, so.'

"And they pulled the big fellow up, blinking and staring, but very grateful to the stewards, who had perhaps saved his life.

"'You see,' resumed the hospital steward, 'there are several kinds of coma, but there are two fundamental causes to be borne in mind in these emergency cases:

"'First, as in this case, where the patient's features are white, it means that you must elevate the feet to cause the blood to return to the brain, and under no circumstances elevate the head; don't forget this, and,

" 'Second, when the features are purple or red, indicating a rush of blood to the head, or a semi-apoplectic condition, then elevate the head and depress the feet, and in each instance unloosen a man's collarband, and in the case of a woman her dress. Many are the persons whose lives have been sacrificed just because those who attended them elevated the head in all cases.

"'The heart has a hard time of it in all cases of coma, and where the valves are weak they sometimes are too enfeebled to sustain the pressure of the congested circulation, and they just quit working overtime, the patient passes out, as the press reports put it. "not having recovered consciousness," when he or she might have been saved had either of these two simple suggestions here given been put immediately into effect by those on the ground."-Washington Star.

Beyond the Miners.

Beyond the depth of 4000 feet the physical barriers to coal mining appear, under existing conditions, to be insurmountable, says Tit Bits.

Increase of temperature is the chief obstacle in penetrating to a greater depth than 4000 feet. At a depth of only 3000 feet the temperature of the earth would amount to ninety-eight de-

A further depth of 420 feet is thought possible, however, at which point the temperature of the air would be equal to the heat of the blood. This would give a depth of 3420 feet, beyond which point the continued sinking of the shaft becomes purely speculative, but It is assumed that a depth of 4000 feet may ultimately be reached in coal min-

The effect of pressure is another obstacle. In the Deckinfield colliery, at a depth of about 2500 feet, the pressure became so powerful that it crushed in circular arches of brick four feet in thickness, and in one case a pillar of east-fron, twelve inches square, supporting a roof only seven feet in ex-

tent, was snapped in twain. It is estimated by the Royal Coal Commissioners that the English coal fields contain beneath the mining limit of 4000 feet no less than 48,486,000,000 tons. This gives a hint of the hidden stores of coal beneath the workable limits which science, combined with of bringing within the reach of human needs.

Not to Be Undone,

A correspondent was shown the visitors' book of a worthy London institution, which is at the present moment the centre of very considerable interest. Two or three months before His Majesty's necession to the throne, the King and Queen visited the institution, A new visitors' book was produced, and on the first page their majesties and the Hon. Sidney Greville, who was then equerry, signed their names. Since then many visitors, including a large number of well-known Americans, have signed on the succeeding pages. A short time ago the mayor and mayoress of a metropolitan borough made a tour of the building, and they also entered their names in the book. Instead, however, of writing below the name of the last visitor they took the clear space which had been carefully preserved under the royal signatures on the first page, which now reads:

Alexandra. Albert Edward. Sidney Greville. Edwin Smith, Mayor of ----

Angelina Smith, Mayoress of -We, of course, suppress the real names of the Mayor and Mayoress .-London Chronicle.

Household Sermons. The heat sermons that ever were written to make men good husbands were written in recipes .- New York

HOUSEHOLD + + + * * * * MATTERS

Brend Custard Pudding.

Make a custard mixture with two beaten eggs, one pint of milk, half a cup of sugar, one teaspoonful of vanilla extract and one-fourth teaspoon ful of salt; butter a border mould and sprinkle it with currant or chopped ci tren; break small pieces of stale bread and put them in the mould; pour the custard mixture over; put the mould in the oven and bake half an hour; let cool a little and turn out on a fancy platter; serve with cream or fruit

Scald one pint of oysters in their own liquor; drain and put in a cool place; when wanted to serve, sprinkle with salt and pepper and mix with mayonnaise dressing, serve on lettuce leaves or make a dressing with one cupful of whipped cream; add one tablespoon of lemon juice, a little at a time; season with a little paprika, and mix in carefully one-fourth cup of horserad-Ish; if not acid enough add one table spoon of vinegar. This is a delicious dressing and a change from mayon-

Oyster Salad.

Orange Roly Poly.

nalse.

Make the dough for this as you would for baking powder biseuit, using a pint of sifted flour, a large table spoonful of shortening and cold water to make a soft dough. Roll in an oblong sheet and cover thickly with three oranges peeled, sliced and seeded; sprinkle thickly with sugar mixed with the grated yellow rind of one orange; then roll up like a jelly cake, folding in the ends to prevent the juice from escaping; the up in a well floured cloth, leaving room for it to swell, and put into a large kettle of boiling water and boil rapidly and continuously for two hours, or steam it for two and one half hours. Serve with tart fruit sauce.

Peanut Candy.

Shell the nuts, remove brown skins and roll them fine (they must be fresh roasted and erisp). To a cup of the rolled nuts allow a cup of granulated sugar. Put the sugar in a smooth-lined saucepan and set over a very hot fire, for to be a success the sugar must melt quickly. Stir it constantly until it melts. In the meantline put the nuts in a shallow dish in the oven to heat: have shallow tins well buttered and placed back on the range where they will be hot. As soon as the sugar is all melted and begins to color slightly pour in the hot peanuts and immedi ately remove from the fire and pour into the buttered pans in very thin layers. As soon as the candy is cold it can be broken into pieces and should be in thin, crisp, shiny chips,

Chicken l'one.

Take two chickens of about four pounds in weight, cut into pieces to pack closely in a saucepan, cover with water, sprinkle with pepper, salt and sweet marjorum, keep the pan covered while it boils. Allow it to boil till the fish drops from the bones. Remove from the fire, take the meat from the liquor, remove the bones, fat, skin and gristle, then cut the meat into very small pieces-it is better not to chop it, as that absorbs the juices, bu' it should be made as fine as possible on a plate. Boil the water down to one pint. Have ready two ounces of gelatine and place it over the fire, stirring until dissolved Then add the seasoned chicken, and let all boil together a few minutes, stirring gently to keep from burning. Pour into molds and when cool set on ice to harden. An old tough fowl served in this way makes a very palatable dish.



little arrowroot.

Mixed mustard will keep its color if a pinch of salt be added. To cut hard boiled eggs in smooth slices dip the knife in water.

It is said that cotton soaked in peppermint oil will drive away mice. An oven door should never be

slammed when anything is baking. To remove the paper from the bottom of a cake neatly hold it before the fire for a moment.

When an oven is too hot for the proper baking of what is in it put a basin of cold water inside.

In blowing out a candle flame hold it higher than your mouth and blow upward. This will prevent the grease

Ordinary glassware may be made to look almost as fine as cut glass if it be washed in hot suds, dried on a linen towel, and then rubbed, while still warm, with tissue paper.

When silver spoons become discolored from eggs scour them with fine table salt. This will remove the discoloration, which is caused by the sulphur in the egg, and will not scratch or wear the silver.

To clean rusty fire irons rub them well with sweet oil, leave them wet for a day or two, and then rub them with unslaked lime. They will remove the rust, and then the fire froms may be polished as usual.

A good perfume for closets and drawers and one that will help to keep the moths away, is made of one ounce of cedar, rhubarb and cloves, pulverized together. Put the powder between cotton and tie in a bag.

Wall papers should be carefully selected as regards color, according to the size of the room. Papers of a light blue shade make rooms look much larger, while dark papers with big patterns reduce the apparent size of the apartment.

Kerosene added to boiled starch-a tablespoonful to a quart-will prevent the smoothing irons from sticking, and will give a gloss to the articles. The scent will all evaporate in the drying. Lamp burners which are in constant use should be boiled occasionally in pearline or soda suds, then scrubbed

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Spring Notes From Billville. Literature has been lively the past

two weeks. All the poets are plowing. While our leading novelist was grubbing stumps last Wednesday, some person who is undoubtedly a friend to the reading public stole the manuscript of his latest novel. The lakes are just right for fishing

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such grew to manhood. When the Mc-

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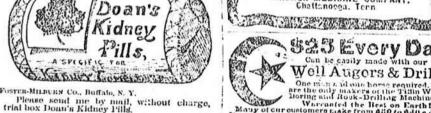
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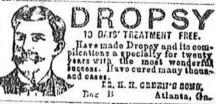
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