#### Aumorous Department.

Novel Wedding Fees .- "No doubt," said the clergyman, "there are stories of novel wedding fees. On one occa- Notes and Comments About Matters of sion up state, after I had spliced a young couple, the man took me aside. "Be you fond of carrots?" he in-

quired. "Yes,' said I.

"'I'll send you some,' he promised 'You'll find them tasty in soup.' "Two days later a wagon load of the vegetables was dumped into the par- do not know positively that he would be substantiated by statistical inforsonage cellar. As that was in Octo- see the ankles of Gaffney girls in mation. No detective doubts that there ber we ate carrots daily until April, but I believe they improved our complexions

"After another ceremony the bridegroom silently handed me a sealed en-Opening it when he had gone I found a half sheet of note paper on which was scrawled, 'I O U \$10.' That was eight years back. I did not see him again until the other day, when he called at my house.

"'Guess you don't remember me. parson,' he said.

"'I don't remember your face,' I an-

"'Well,' he explained, 'I'm the fellow who gave you an I O U wedding fee a few years ago, and I want to pay you absolutely no end in view. It would the money. Here's the ten. And in another instant he was gone."-New York Herald.

Bluffed It Out .- The stories of the town in order that they may preen of unsophisticated before the young men of the town, diners when faced by highly sophisti- even as a foolish peacock. And right cated menu cards are endless-and us-

A man whose career had confined themselves with attending to business his knowledge of things to eat to such rather than staring at a girl who has standard products as ham and eggs forgotten that "handsome is as handand pork and beans found himself among a company who ordered intel- streets of Gaffney daily, arrayed in ligently from an extensive bill of fare. finery that dazzles the eye, clothing It contained so many classified dishes that throws Solomon's glory into the as to make a fair sized book, the pages shade, while this same girl's mother of which he pawed aimlessly and in is probably at home bending over an dismay. The waiter who needed only ironing board, wasting her life away his order to go to the kitchen; was for an addle-pated girl who hasn't the standing at one side deferentially, sense to appreciate these labors of with his order slip and pencil in hand. love. It's a strange old world, isn't it? The delay was noticeable and irritating to the unskilled diner, and final-

ly he pointed blindly to the middle of high time that the mothers take some a page with his finger. "Give me some of that," he said. The waiter looked over his shoulder, If the mothers won't do it, it might

and remarked: "That's mayonnaise dressing, sir."

"I know it. I can read." "But," apologetically, "what will you

"On a plat, you bonehead. Do you me. One sentence, by its indefiniteness feed your customers in troughs here?" involves every minister and at least -Chicago Post.

Why They Grow Beards.-A medico er has given the name of that minister tells of two physicians in a certain to whom reference was made. Feeltown, the one elderly with a long rec- ing convinced by all the circumstanord of cures, the other young with his ces that I am the merchant referred record still to make. The older doc- to by that article, in justice to myself, tor, it appears, was inclined to sur- my family, my friends, my church, render some of his night work to the and the city which has so kindly re-

One bitter night in winter the vet- give me space in the columns of your eran was aroused by two farmers from paper that I may defend myself a hamlet eight miles away, the wife against an underhand attack, the reaof one of whom was seriously ill. The doctor at once referred them to his idea. I have been living in Gaffney young colleague; but they refused the since the 11th of May, 1908. The Rev latter's services.

"Very well," replied the doctor, not quite two years. I think that I thinking to put a convincing argument am as well known and as favorably "In that case my two guineas, payable now." Whereupon there ensued a remon-

but the doctor was obdurate. Finally one of the men asked the other: "Well, what do think I ought to do?" "I think you'd better pay him the two guineas," said the other. "The funeral would cost you more."-Tit-

strance on the part of the farmers;

The Peculiar Chinee.—A sightseeing visitor recently went aboard a tramp steamer in the harbor. Noting that a Christian life and be a Christian the deck hands were Chinese, she approached one of them and said: "You der and surprise and grief of heart no speak English?" The Chinaman that a professed minister of the Prince looked bored and answered nothing. of Peace should try to wreck my char-The woman continued: "Me go your country soon Me learn speak Chinese, teach little Chinese boy and girl.

You savvy 'missionary?' " The Chinaman looked at her a minute and answered: "Madam, if you are not more successful in mastering our language than you appear to have been with your own I fear that your attempt to enlighten our race will prove anything but satisfactory. Good afternoon.'

The Chinaman sought the other side of the ship and the woman sought oblivion. She had been addressing a Yale graduate who was working his passage back to China.-San Francisco Argonaut.

Hard Requirements.-There was of humanity queer old specimen brought to the Cuyahoga county jail. He had been convicted of the crime of cruelty to animals, and there was no doubt in anybody's mind that he richly deserved the penalty inflicted. It is the custom to examine prisoners, mentation, for the handles of knives to save his neck by knowledge relative however, before they are assigned to their cells. When this old reprobate was brought up the interrogation went thus:

"What is your name "Budd Dobbs."

"What is your age?" "Sixty-eight."

"What is your religion?"

"Great snakes! Does a man hafter git religion before they'll let him inter Dealer.

One-Man Power.-In a speech at Denver, Nat C. Goodwin once remark-Washington had achieved such great ends, says the Washington Star.

"When I think," said Goodwin, "of To guard against theft by the divers ried old world of ours. Washington's terrible handicaps my is one of the cares of the pearl shelmind goes back to the town of Nola

"An actor-manager was to appear for one night in Nola Chucky, and accordingly wired the proprietor of the Nola Chucky opera house

'Will hold rehearsal noon. Have stage manager, stage carpenter, property man and all stage hands of theater prompt to hour.

"He received this telegram in reply "'He will be there."

Starting It Too High,-It was in the days before church organs and choirs, that Deacon Dorsey volunteered to ful negligence—in leaving him a little longer than should be under water— and his death is practically certain. lead the singing of an old hymn. He started out very well: "My soul be on thy guard; ten thou-" stopped, unable to go any further because he had such a high pitch. He started over again: "My soul be on thy guard; ten thou-" and once more he stopped, this time pitched so low that he could not proceed.

will be patient and forbearing when we are married?" He—"I can put on a 14½ stand-up collar on a No. 15 shirt "Say, Brother Dorsey," said one of Life. the congregation, "hadn't you better the congregation, "hadn't you better last place?" "I never stays nowhere start it with five thousand?"—Norman long enough to be discharged. I's one E. Mack's National Monthly of these fireless cookers."-Judge.

#### Miscellancous Brading.

WITH NEIGHBORING EXCHANGES Local Interest.

here it might be stated that these

an article which interests every citi-

one merchant in this city. In re-

sponse to a direct request your report-

acter and ruin my reputation. Thank-

ing you for your kindness in publish-

PEARL FISHERS' RISKS.

The Penalty Sometimes Inflicted on

of pearls.

and for buttons.

sands of pounds.

Gruesome are the stories told of

the men engaged mostly savages, no

civilized law runs. Punishment fol-lows quickly on the heels of crime or

jury nor form of trial is needed. Who is to know if a diver or two has dis-

appeared?
The method of the industry makes

easy one form of deadly punishment.

The diving is now mostly in deep waters, the shallow reaches of pearl shell beds having been exhausted. So

the pressure of the water on the man at work at the bottom of the sea. Wil-

That, they say, is the penalty of the thieving diver.—Empire Magazine.

38 She-"But how am I to know you

saying a word."-Variety

Thieving Diver.

got from Irish rivers. But the chief him.

ing this statement. J. G. Simmons.

same young men should be busying

How accidents that have solved crimes are legion. The experienced detective recognizes aid often given Dickens, son of the famous Charles that has led to the complete expose of Dickens, has been spending sometime a murder that would otherwise have up to the topmost rail to bask in the perhaps merged into the mists of the in America on a lecture tour. Dickens past as an unsolved and forgotten said in Boston that his most vivid impuzzle in the annals of crime. The old pression of America was that the saying that "murder will out" cannot American girls had beefy ankles. We case he came to town, but we do know are hundreds of unsolved crimes right that he would see almost the entire female population of the town between the ages of 12 and 29 if he cared to take a stroll along any of the bus-

in this generation that probably never will be fully unraveled. On the other hand, records of Amer ican courts show some remarkable cases where the most insignificant aciness streets of the city. He could get tion on the part of a guilty murderer glimpse of them at almost any hour or thief led to his apprehension and of the day and sometimes as late as often to the gallows. Let us, for extwilight. It really seems absurd to ample, take the case of Andy Toth, think that the mothers of the Gaffney who spent twenty years in the penigirls would permit such action, but it tentiary for the alleged murder of is nevertheless true. Some girls in fellow steel worker. Toth laughed bethis town are seen every day at least cause a fellow workman stumbled over five times on the streets and it is notha cuspidor when they arraigned the to lash his animal into obedience. ing unusual to see some of them as workmen in the office after the murmany as ten or fifteen times per day, der, and his fellow countryman was so aimlessly strolling the streets, with incensed that he pointed him out as the murderer. And Toth was sent to seem to one unacquainted with condiprison on circumstantial evidence. tions that they come to town merely How this Hungarian confessed to for the purpose of strutting up and the atrocity and how Toth was freed down the main thoroughfares of the

CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE.

More Trifles That Have Led to th

Complete Expose of a Murder.

daily papers recently, but there are other tales more remarkable than this. We may assume a condition in which no rule of logic will apply-where the police will be baffled and helpless. A and B are enemies. Their mutual acquaintances know of the bad blood that exists on both sides. A decides some does." Girls are seen on the secretly to avenge himself on B to the extent of doing murder. A knows B's habits-what route h

takes from the suburban station home what hour he generally arrives, and departs, and how he conducts himself generally. Selecting a dark, stormy night, A lies in wait for B, and sees form he believes to be his enemy pass ing beneath the blurred radiance of an To one who has little experience with arc light. As the man approaches A the feminine world it would seem steps out from the dark and strikes, inflicting a mortal wound on the othsteps-steps which if taken in time er's temple. The man is found dead may prevent several broken hearts an hour later-and there is no clew to the crime. A walks miles before be well for the fathers to take some boarding a street car and casts his of them in hand......Editor Ledger:

brass knuckles into the river. Your paper of October 24th contains The man murdered is not B, with whom neither A nor B is aczen of Gaffney and especially concerns quainted. No ill feeling has ever exleave the spot or arrive in the neighborhood. Every source of reason exhausts itself. A learns of his error later, carries his secret to the grave, and another unsolved mystery passes into the criminal annals without a single ray of light to illuminate it.

At other times the most trivial cirumstances point the finger of accusaceived me as a citizen, I beg you to ion directly at the guilty one, who has been cautious in all things except the

In Marathon county, Wis., some fev son for which I have not the remotest years back a young girl was attacked in the woods-and was found strangled to death. A man named Fulweil-W. A. Ferrall has been living here er reported the finding of her body and also stated that a few moments prior he had seen two tramps hurrying known in Gaffney as the reverend along the Chicago and Northwestern gentleman who is trying to blast my railway tracks. name, blacken my character and bring

Numerous tramps were arrested and shame and disgrace on the church of held for examination. No evidence which I am a member. Let me say could be worked up against themthat there is not one particle of founand most of them were permitted to go dation contained in fact for the gross on their way.

insinuation contained in the article Some of the residents of the wooded and apparently aimed at me. If I had ricinity, not reared in the detection of been such a villain, fleeing from juscrime, noticed that the footprints of tice, would I have stopped in Gaffney? only one man could be found leading So near my former home and the place to the spot and away from it. These of the alleged crime? Mr. Editor, for marks tallied exactly with the size of many years I have been trying to live the foot of Fulweiler, upon whom detective was put to work. worker. All can understand my won-

Getting his victim drunk, the detecive kept awake while the other slept, and soon the suspect began to babble. telling of every horrible detail of his leed while talking in his sleep. He was entenced to a life term in Waupun.

not to hunt the criminal, but to secure a confession from the one whom popular opinion held responsible for the deed.

At one time pearl shelling as an in-Had Fulweiler left the finding of the dustry was native to Great Britain, body to others, it is questionable if a and pearls are still found in mussels case would have ever resulted against

centre of pearl shelling has long been Some trivial instances have led to the tropical region around the north the arrest, trial and conviction of men of Australia and the East Indies.

Thence comes nowadays the bulk of the world's supply of pearl shells and defined circle police officials can often defined circle police officials can often the world's supply of pearl shells and defined circle police officials can often defined circle police officials can often the world's supply of pearl shells and defined circle police officials can often the world's supply of pearl shells and defined circle police officials can often the world's supply of pearl shells and that they were crouching to spring. I jumped forward, yelling as loudly as possible, when, to our surprise and relief, they both turned and prise and relief, they both turned and the East Indies. bring a guilty person to justice. The It is a common mistake to suppose arts and crafts of crookdom carry with pearls as the sole source of its profits. neatness and dispatch with which a gem pearl but simply the pearl shell so thorough a job. Drawn in by the parently not been locked, was rifled of oyster, which yields "mother of pearl," dragnet and put through inquisitorial a material used extensively for ornaexamination each known crook seeks to the special work under advisement. The pearls are really incidentals of

In a strict sense this is detection of the industry. On a good patch of pearl crime after the manner of the threshoysters a fleet would make handsome ing of wheat. The grain is separated his vision was a quill toothpick with profits if never a pearl were found in from the chaff and the net result is the molluscs. It is estimated that on abundant evidence against the guilty an average a pearl of value (that is. person. Beyond the pale of the methodica

worth over 1£) is found in every 4,000 But almost all these shells comes that something else that defies mind as being pure coincidence. But would be valuable otherwise for their explanation, and which is best exmother of pearl, and when the oyster plained by the term "coincidence." jail in this county?"-Cleveland Plain shelters a large pearl of good shape And yet the law depends to a marked fessing his part in the crime, he took or a curiously colored pearl its value degree upon this fortuitous culminamay run to hundreds or even thou- tion.

The reading public frequently ridi-The divers are always alert to these cules the plots of many novels and and had unknowingly drawn the quill ed on the small means wherewith pearls. They are said to know an oy- short stories, designating them as from his pocket, later casting it on the ster which is likely to contain a pearl by a little bulge on the outside shell, things have been lived out in this wor-

All criminals do not have their habitat in the slums, contrary to general he punishment inflicted on dishonest belief. The dragnet fails to connect taken the precaution to lock the door livers by their overseers. In a pearl- with many malefactors whose hands on the inside, break the lock of a winare crimson with the stain of misdeeds dow and leave that way so as to make that are catalogued under the head of the crime appear as the work of robfelonies. The bank cashier who pil- bers. He had taken the money, not the suspicion of crime. Neither judge, fers from his institution must event- because he needed it or wanted it, He ually be caught. He is a case of cause had even burnt the bills, so that no and effect and if he does not run away mark of identification could follow he will be brought to account by the him from that source. He explained discovery of his shortages. This form that his grudge had its origin years of crime makes itself evident in a before in a distant part of the world. great variety of ways. Covering it

with all possible care cases of divers' perpetually is next to impossible.

paralysis are common enough through

A New Englander had long re A New Englander had long retain ed a grudge against a fellow agricul- thoughtlessly-but the quill toothpick turist. It had originated in a horse trade that had made the success decidly one-sided. The spirit of revenge endured for years, and so careful had ned and executed practically free from been the planning that the murderer chance. never so much as voiced an unfair

opinion about his neighbor. Separating the farms of these neighbors was a small forest, covering per- the power of mind and scope of reahaps a hundred acres. The morning son has been removed the "human in-48 "Cook, did you stay long in your of that fateful day a man who lived terest vanishes with it and the tale call Patrick, was hunting for squirrels novel.

in the wooded stretch. He had paused to rest for a few moments and had ahead of its commission. He may proleaned on an old fence, beyond which vide every safeguard for himself, and A Night On an Ice Floe With a Famhe could see Farmer Brown at work, yet fail through some circumstance Just why Patrick happened to scru- that seems so slight nobody would setinize that particular piece of fence riously regard it as suggesting the somay be explained by his distaste for lution.-Chicago Tribune, snakes-a certain copper-tinted spe

Warmth.

Late that afternoon Farmer Brown
was found dead near his barn, with a
bullet hole through his head. Now, nobody in the county would have says: thought of suspecting Farmer Jenkins my brother following the course of of the deed, had it not been for Pat- the river Tiba, a tributary of the Tana going! rick, who, with many others, hurried river, and I making for the plains, to the farm to view the still form of where the grass had all been burned Brown and comment on the crime.

others, offering his most sincere sym-ons. pathies to the widow and children. On antelope and finding on closer inhis way to the Brown estate Mr. Pat- spection that there was a fair head rick has lost his whip, and his horse, without a whip, was a questionable them. At 300 yards I fired at the means of transportation. He recalled finest buck and the bullet told, but that during the morning he had seen too far back. Separating from the to my relief, that there were no several likely willows growing in the herd, he went in a direction for the cracks coming beneath the hut, so ed to cut a few stout, supple branches hill over which he had disappeared, The big cakes do not last very long to lash his animal into obedience.

I heard a growl, and looking in the in Lake Michigan. I could not tell

should borrow a knife from his friend, pasture to the forest.

eptiles again manifested itself, and another lioness which I had not seen. he looked along the top rail cautiously. He espied the knife marks in the wood about twelve yards in front of me amazement thinking some dog had, that had not been there that morning! was a patch of grass which had been "Why," he said to the sheriff, "these flattened down by a hippopotamus; are just two cuts. Whoever was here yards from me. The beaters entered and it was from this direction the bullet must have come."

Alighting on the farther side of the the scene and at this juncture Patrick grass and then fired. The first bulopened Jenkins's knife, and placed it let took her well in the shoulder and on the new surface of the wood that checked her. On receiving the secwas shown in the V-shaped incision. The blade fitted perfectly. The men said nothing, but a quiet

investigation started. The balance of the chain of evidence was soon weld-Jenkins owned a 38-calibre rifle. A though he himself got off without a bullet fired by a gun of this type was found in the ragged wound in Brown's of the adventure: breast. Then a neighbor recalled the old horse trade-and the early threats

Jenkins told at the trial how he had decorated all the bullets he had found in the same manner.

Still not one of these foots would off moving at a quick walk through

laces at the right time-who had forforgotten and whose feelings toward

same restaurant. We will call them ing over and over, ran up to him, and throat in both hands, and we both faced right about and charged. D and E. To E D explained that the D and E. To E D explained that the same night he was going on a jour-called to me to do the. same, but hung on to his throat, but, although the was no tree large I kept the gleaming teeth off I could ecord to work on and was employed ney; that he had, in fact, already se-knowing there was no tree large

ually, that the one D used (and afterward placed in his pocket) had a pe- I culiar dark mark girdling its middle. charge.' He said, The incident passed from his mind knowing that it was the last resort,

that a pearl shelling fleet seeks gem them the fine hand of perfection. The who had failed to return to his home during the night, was found in his of This is by no means so. The chief safe is blown directs suspicion toward fice stabbed. He had evidently died quest, indeed, of the pearler is not the the only safe cracker capable of doing instantly. His safe, which had ap-

its monetary contents. With this agent E had dealt more or land." less for several years and moved more over in by morbid curiosity than by friendship he visited the scene of the mur der. Almost the first thing that caught dark mark encircling its middle, and

Imparting his suspicions to the po lice he dismissed the matter from his was subsequently arrested while embarking for Europe, and, after conhis own life. Being nervous over the act he was about to perpetrate he had talked with F to put him off his guard "yellow," whereas more unreasonable floor. He had killed the real estate man just as the latter was in the act

of closing his safe. Nobody had seen him go; no one had witnessed his departure. He had even D, the murderer, had even been s cautious as not to have anything about him that he might leave

of which he had not thought at all brought about his undoing. A huge business deal may be plan-

No editor cares for a detective story in which results are accomplished by circumstance. Once the element of

A felon may lay his plot months

LIONS EVERYWHERE.

A Hunting Adventure in British East

"We set out in the morning, merrily when-says the doctor: off (with exception of the river bank) Farmer Jenkins was there with the and looked a very likely spot for liamong them, I proceeded to stalk ened, but as there was no help for it

woods beyond the fence, and he decid- river. On walking to the brow of the that if the ice did go out I should Then he made the discovery that he direction saw a lioness. She was then what was happening outside, for the wind was shrieking and howling horedge of a small patch of grass that So, for lack of something better to rick's invitation for a stroll across the carried too high; on my second shot of the fish, after cleaning them outshe sprang right up in the air, and side the hut. In a few minutes the Just as the men were about to climb then turned into the grass. There, ing odor, which, I presume, had "On my right was the river and

ould be seen clearly from this spot, there was a shout, "Look out, she not see her. I therefore waited till fence the officer and Patrick viewed she reached the patch of trampled ond she gave a dying spring which let it go at that, and spent the night landed her in the river, where she quite charmingly together. The next sank like a stone

scratch. The following is his account

"'On the morning of October 7 set out to try for an eland, and after of Jenkins against Brown. The foot- a short march came on a fine herd, sunshine, and now the animal grew prints of Jenkins were found in the but they got our wind and stampeded. Surly and no longer welcomed my soft soil not only at the point in the fence, but also at different places leadget, but he would keep right in the get, but he would keep right in the but that with the approach of day,

wound was found the initial "J" cut 400 yards off and going strong. The with a knife and the youngest son of bull disappeared over a slight rise Jenkins told at the trial how he had into some thorn scrub, and so had distant

Still, not one of these facts would off, moving at a quick walk through have likely come to light had it not this thorn scrub. One lioness stopgotten the vital things he should have a bush, when on my second shot she rolled over dead.

"'Ey this time the other lions had notice the top board of the fence in the morning—when it was free from knife marks—and again in the afternoon when the telltale nick gave the clew. And if Farmer Jenkins had refrained on eight of them immediately across when the telltale nick gave the clew. In the direction of the shot we came and if Farmer Jenkins had refrained on eight of them immediately across our front, and about 150 yards off. Having shortened the range by fifty yards, I fired at the biggest one leadnever have paid the price at the business end of the hemp cord.

That so triffing a thing as a toothpick should lead to the arrest, conviction and execution of a criminal seems too farfetched for any tale—and yet!

One noon two friends lunched at the one of the would call them over the parts of them, and had also exhausted the small number that my Somali carried for my .450. At this moment two lionesses, seeing their mate roll-ling over and over, ran up to him, and the approaching fish boat, but the third took him high up in the front shoulder, putting him immediately out of action. Feeling in my pocket for more carriedges, I found that I had run out of them, and had also exhausted the small number that my Somali carried for my .450. At this moment two lionesses, seeing their mate roll-ling the pack. My first two shots carried high, but the third took him high up in the front shoulder, putting him immediately out of action. Feeling in my pocket for more carriedges, I found that I had run out of them, and had also exhausted the small number that my Somali carried for my .450. At this moment two lionesses, seeing their mate roll-ling the pack. My first two shots carried high, but the third took him high up in the front shoulder, putting him immediately out of action. Feeling in my pocket for more carried high, but the third took him high up in the front shoulder, putting him immediately out of action. Feeling in my pocket for more carried high up in the front shoulder, putting him immediately out of action. Feeling in my pocket for more carried high up in the front shoulder, putting him immediately out of action. Feeling in my pocket for more carried high up in the front shoulder, putting him immediately out of action. Feeling in my pocket for more carried high up in the front shoulder, putting him immediately out of action. Feeling in the party was unarmed, they could not help me. "Immediately upon getting him the party was unarmed, they could him the provide high up in the front shoulder, putting him as the par

"The Somali started to run, and ney; that he had, in fact, already secured his transportation, and that he would be gone some weeks. Indeed, if he found things agreeable he might not return at all.

At the culmination of the meal the waiter brought several quill toothpicks to the diners and E noticed, casually, that the one D used (and after-with a large through within 2,000 yards, I called out, "It is no use running," and stood my ground, keeping my eyes riveted on the big lioness which was charging straight at me, the smaller one keeping out on the left. They ward. Instantly the wolf returned to the diners and E noticed, casually, that the one D used (and after-with his hunting knife drawn. said:

there with his hunting knife drawn. 'Abubuker, I am going to He said, 'No! No!' but fled. In the meantime my other gun bearer had been up a tree, and came up cringing, with the tale that eight lions had attacked him and pulled his boots off." -London Globe.

\$₹ Reed-"You know when Colum-Statesman

DANGEROUS FISHING.

ished Wolf. Lake fishermen who maintain that fishing huts are in no danger of being carried away in the ice, and northern hunters who assert with never seen in Michigan save in the farthest recesses of the north, are nature fakers, all of them. Two nature fakers,

rushed outside, but the snow was blinding, and I could, of course not even see the shore line. I stood perplexed for a moment, but as I had no compass, there was nothing Having sighted some Impalla for it but to keep warm and trust to luck. All around the thunderous reports were sounding and the ice was quivering strangely. I was frightwent back to the hut and kept on fishing.

sudden

report

least be on a big cake—for a time had left his knife in his barn, and about 250 yards from me and was ribly, and every few seconds the ice what was more natural than that he lying, or rather crouching, at the would split with a resounding crash. Mr. Jenkins? The county sheriff was lined the river bank. At 150 yards, the little stove, and to keep up my present, and was glad to accept Pattaking my .450. I fired, but the shot food supply, I started frying some over the fence Patrick's aversion to 10 my surprise, she was joined by something to do with what followed. scratched at the door. I opened it is found my hut. To my surprise, howanimal enare just two cuts. Whoever was here was not more than eight tered and fawned about my feet, lick-through the small of your back, uring my boots; and although I had the grass with my brother and kept never seen one I knew that it was a came nervous. I know that Brown their sticks moving well Suddenly gray well. The animal content and the proving well states and although the small of your back, uring my boots; and although I had not never seen one I knew that it was a content to the proving well. never seen one I knew that it was a gray wolf. The animal seemed terrified beyond measure by the splitting ice and the storm, for he kept casting fearful glances at the door, warning of approaching dropsy or fa
ting iny boots; and although I had all displayed and all payments made from the interesting the kidneys with a tested the ist DAY OF MARCH, to the Storm, for he kept to factor of kidney trouble may be nature's ter this date all unpaid taxes will go into executions and all unpaid Single is coming!" As she came nearer I casting fearful glances at the door, perceived the grass moving but could and showed no sign whatever of perceived the grass moving but could and showed no sign whatever of perceived the grass moving but could be used at the first sign wildness."

wolf seemed lonely and showed a years. Read Yorkville testimony: strong desire to make himself at home, so they naturally decided to morning-hear what the doctor says: ank like a stone.
"I awoke to find the sun up, the day bright and clear, and the land hips. brother killed five lions in three hours four or five miles west of us. All the York Drug Store, I received entire ed. Not a single link was missing, and got his horse and syce mauled, around floated cakes of ice, going relief. I can recommend this remedy the same way as ourselves in the grip of some current. My fears passed away with the bright sun-light, and I used up my last wood in cooking some fish for the wolf, while cents. finished the basket of provisions. "so the wolf and I went out in the States.

fence, but also at different places leading from and to his own home.

Another farmer, who had driven past the Jenkins farmhouse (a couple of rods from the country road) had seen Jenkins cleaning his riffe. On and the herd, so I sent my second gun bearer with my light riffe and cartridge bag containing ammunition for both to get round the other side of the herd. This he did, and the herd split up. I took four the bullet extracted from the mortal wound was found the initial "J" cut 400 wards off and going strong. The "The boat was about half a mile

with bristling hair, and suddenly he turned to me with a low growl. have likely come to light had it not this thorn scrub. One noness stop—turned to me with a low growl. I been for the unassuming attitude of Patrick, who had been at the right and hit her hard. We then followed her shoulder, at which I fired, and I began to fear that and hit her hard. We then followed her realized that my rescue would not be places at the right time—who had for—her up quickly and found her under include his. At any rate, he drew back a few steps, his eyes fixed on mine. Then, with a quick movement he sprang at me.

my hand was streaming with from a small gash. I heard shouts from the approaching fish boat, but

fell to the snow together, for the impact of his leap was tremendous. I turned and, running to the side of the icecake, leaped into the water. "I am a good swimmer, and the boat was only 100 feet distant, so in no time I was on board and getting into warm clothes. The engine was stopped, and we lay there watching the wolf. He seemed puzzled at my disappearance, running backward and forward on the ice; then he looked at the boat and howled dismally. None of the men liked to attack him

with knives for their only weapons, and so presently the boat was turned about and we threaded our way out from the ice to the free water. Bebus reached this country he didn't know just where he was going to land." Greene—"Why, did he come over in an aeroplane?"—Yonkers

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