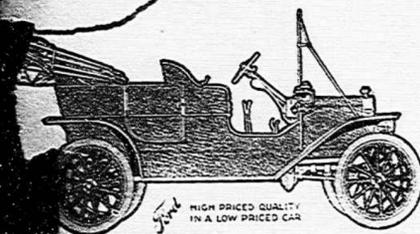


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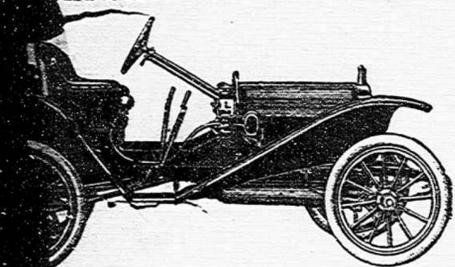
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Notice of Discharge.
 I will apply to the Judge of Probate for Clarendon county, on the
 22nd day of September, 1910, for Let-
 ters of Discharge as Executor of the
 Estate of Andrew J. Tindal, deceased.
W. SCOTT HARVIN,
 Executor.
 Manning, S. C., August 29, 1910.

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 I will apply to the Judge of Probate for Clarendon county, on the
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A QUEER UNIVERSITY.
 Cairo Has the World's Oldest Educa-
 tional Institution.
 "When we think of Harvard or Yale,
 the former dating from 1638 and the
 latter from 1701, we think of them as
 old universities," says a writer in the
 American Educational Review; "but
 when we pass to the other side of the
 world we discover that even the oldest
 American universities are in reality
 very young institutions."
 "The oldest educational institution in
 the world is the University of El
 Ashar, Cairo, founded in the year 988
 by the great Saladin. It is the central
 seat of learning for the whole Mo-
 hammedan world, as well as a foun-
 tain of spiritual life. It occupies an
 ancient mosque in the Arab quarter of
 Cairo, surrounded by a confusing maze
 of narrow streets where the population
 is made up of representatives of every
 race that follows the prophet.
 "The old mosque covers several acres
 and consists of a series of courts sur-
 rounded by long cloisters with low
 roofs supported by forests of columns.
 The floors of red tiles are covered daily
 by a multitude of men and boys, squat-
 ting in semicircles around their teach-
 ers, who sit with their backs to the
 columns lecturing in monotonous
 tones.
 "The chancellor of the university is
 always a descendant of the prophet and
 is usually a man of ability and
 learning. He occupies apartments in
 El Ashar and is not only the supreme
 educational but the ecclesiastical head
 of the church of Egypt.
 "There is no organization similar to
 that in modern universities. Any re-
 putable man who desires to teach can
 obtain the privilege by application and
 is assigned a column where he may sit
 and impart the truth as he thinks
 proper. His fame or ability will at-
 tract more or less students and dis-
 ciples, who pay him fees according to
 their means."

THE SCOLD'S BRIDLE.
 Brutal Punishment to Which Women
 Were Once Subjected.
 The brank, or scold's bridle, or gos-
 tly's bridle, was neither more nor less
 than a muzzle. It was in general use
 in Great Britain from the sixteenth to
 the eighteenth century, and in Scot-
 land as well women were muzzled for
 certain offenses, some at least of them
 more imaginary than real. The instru-
 ment of torture, even a dog's leather
 muzzle, is uncomfortable. How much
 more the scold's muzzle! It consisted,
 according to a high authority, Mr. W.
 Jewitt, of a kind of crown or frame-
 work of iron, which was locked upon
 the head, and it was armed in front
 with a gag, a plate or a sharp cutting
 knife or point, which was placed in the
 poor woman's mouth so as to prevent
 her moving her tongue, or it was so
 placed that if she did move it or at-
 tempt to speak it was cut in a most
 frightful manner. With this cage up-
 on her head and with the gag firmly
 pressed and locked against her tongue
 the miserable creature, whose sole of-
 fending perhaps was that she raised
 her voice in defense of her social
 rights against a brutal and besotted
 husband or had spoken honest truth of
 some one high in office in her town,
 was paraded through the streets, led
 by a chain by the hand of a bellman,
 the beadle or the constable or chained
 to the pillory, the whipping post or
 market cross, to be subjected to every
 conceivable insult and degradation,
 without even the power of asking for
 amendment for the future, and when
 the punishment was over she was
 turned out from the town hall or the
 place where the brutal punishment
 had been inflicted, maimed, disfigured,
 bleeding, faint and degraded, to be
 the subject of comment and jeering among
 her neighbors.—London Family Her-
 ald.

Colors of the Stars.
 Although there is no relation ap-
 parent between the two phenomena, yet
 it is interesting to recall the fact that
 among the stars certain colors ap-
 pear to characterize different stages of
 change, or evolution. Red stars, ac-
 cording to the testimony of the spec-
 troscope, differ widely in their consti-
 tution from white or yellow ones, and
 it has been thought that varying col-
 ors may give a clew to progressive
 changes in the heavenly bodies. Sirius,
 for instance, is said to have changed
 from red to white, and some have sus-
 pected that Arcturus is fading from
 red toward yellow.

A Fairly Good Appetite.
 Kafirs, North American Indians and
 the fat boy in "Pickwick" may well
 be quoted as fearful examples of vorac-
 ity, but even their gastronomic
 feats are exceeded by the full grown
 Eskimo, who will daily eat twenty
 pounds of flesh and oil if he has the
 chance, while on the authority of Ad-
 miral Sir Robert Lytton of Siberia has
 been known to consume in twenty-four
 hours "the hind quarter of a large ox,
 twenty pounds of fat and a quantity
 of melted butter for his drink."

To Be Avoided.
 "There's Wilson! Let us turn back.
 I've no desire to meet that fellow
 again! Last week I asked him to lend
 me five pounds."
 "Well, he certainly might have done
 so; he has plenty of money."
 "Yes, I know—and he did lend me
 the five!"—London Mail.

A Strategist.
 "That fellow is a greater strategist
 than Napoleon ever was."
 "As to how?"
 "He got a two dollar raise of salary
 a year ago and hasn't told his wife
 about it yet."—Pittsburg Post.

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 For Infants and Children.
 The Kind You Have Always Bought
 Bears the
 Signature of *Dr. J. C. Williams*

The Lamp of a Man's Life.
 Dr. Holmes said the lamp of a man's
 life has three wicks—brain, blood and
 breath—and to turn down any one of
 them makes the other two go out.
 The wounds a man will survive and
 even disregard so long as his head,
 heart and lungs are unharmed have long
 been one of the wonders of war his-
 tory.

The Burden of Grief.
 Grief (with a full hair looking for a
 caddy—I say, my friend, do you here
 ten to know of any one who?—Near-
 sighted Villager (testily)—No, I don't.
 All the folks round here does their own
 umbrella repairin'.—Fock.

Watch This Space
For Next Week's Ad.
The J. M. Bradham
Company

THE MANNING HARDWARE COMPANY.
AGENTS FOR:
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TOURING CAR \$1250.00.
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 This is a 4 cylinder sliding gear transmission, cone clutch, 3-
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 The FLANDERS "20," same as above E. M. F. car only
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A CHINESE BANQUET.
 Curious Mysteries That Bewildered
 an Englishwoman.
 One moment we were eating ducks'
 eggs whose blackened, lime flavored
 whites indicated that their age was
 unimpeachable; the next we were grap-
 pling with sea weeds, macaroni and
 the slippery sharks' fins that eluded
 our clumsily manipulated sticks. Now
 we tackled—not without fear—un-
 known meats and vegetables cooked in
 sugar, fresh shrimps, mushrooms from
 Mongolia, young bamboo sprouts, pi-
 geons' eggs and a hundred different
 foreign tasting messes. Then clean
 plates were given to us, and bowls of
 sickly pink sirup, sweet potato and
 Indian corn cakes of dusky hue were
 set before each one. These were only
 crevice fillers and concluded the first
 and lighter portion of the repast. Now
 came the real substantial meal, where-
 in every dish had an accompaniment
 of smaller ones, containing gravies,
 etc., in which to dip the morsel taken
 from the central bowl.
 There was stewed duck cooked with-
 out salt, roast smoking pig, forcemeat
 balls and chicken; there were soups of
 birds' nest, of mushroom, of vegetables
 and of sea slugs. There was grilled
 fresh water fish, which, according to
 custom, was helped from the top side
 only, for the Chinese remembers his
 servant. And, finally, at the conclu-
 sion the inevitable small bowl of rice
 and rice water was set before each
 person.
 After some three hours, with a feel-
 ing of thankfulness that all was over,
 pipes, cigarettes and tea were served,
 and it seemed to me that the delicious
 aroma which rose from the latter
 soothed our senses and almost dis-
 pelled the antipathy that had been
 growing on us for all things Chinese.—
 Mary Moore in London Express.

In the Fight.

The decks are cleared for action. I am now in the race
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 and if not as cheap as the cheapest, then don't buy from me.
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 Yours, etc.,

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