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Three Months

Highway Safety

DECKLESS automobile driving is alike dangerous In the motorist and the pedestrian, but the motorist is in greater danger because the road is the natural place for the motorist while the pedestrian is expected' to remain on the sidewalk. There are occasions, perhaps, when walking along a highway is necessary, h they are rare, and the person walking runs a great risk. Last year there were 7,000 accidental injuries and the supply. 246 deaths every day in the United States. Motor cars were the largest single contributor to the death, hospital and the \$4,000,000,000 money loss.

Some accidents seem unavoidable but by far the greater majority are easily avoidable; by car inspection, by reasonable driving, by fair consideration trian run neck and neck in the fatality list, for them- exist. So long as it is a chase, it lives. selves and for others.

taught to every person, every succeeding generation--- an age. there is no hereditary or racial caution to save any-

lic safety is to be careful himself, and to demand cau-story, happiness turns black as soon as it is caged. tion in his own family whether it walks or rides. This

as possible. There is only one way to signal to the motorist in the rear and that is the correct way. Every motorist! is obligated to learn what the usage in this respect

others if he does not practice it himself. of piness, always setting out hopefully for some Keeping one's self fit to drive an automobile is prime importance if accidents are to be avoided. Drugs, I' intoxicants, too much food, and fatigue are all potential accident factors. If persons making long tours would stop about every 50 miles for a short rest, they will drink plenty of water and eat such fruit as is in season, and make it a rule never to drive more than ten hours a day, they would find themselves in

find much more pleasure on the trip. When considering drunken drivers one should con- makes a startling prediction which appeals strongly to market entrance. Because of the sider also other mental conditions which make one unfit us. to drive an automobile. There is no specific law against the motorist who drives his car after over eat that the time is coming when mankind will receive its mobile, no words should be wasted. ing or over exerting himself but he should be punished sustenance direct from the rays of the sun instead of The message should be complete if he is responsible for an accident.

Liquor and Health

nation at large.

In other words, is national prohibition a detriment or a benefit to the health of the country? A discussion of this kind by medical authorities has been under way, and the other billionaires would promptly "corner" In the controversy, an educator in Columbia Uni- to plug along at the same old grind.

versity brings an array of medical evidence to prove that alcohol consumed even in moderation not only is unnecessary to healthful human diet, but is injurious to brain, nerves and body. He cites statistics on the American death rate to

show that prohibition, by lessening consumption alcohol, has improved the general health in this coun-

and a former president of the American Medical As-signs of progress, is still fortunate when compared with sociation who concedes that excessive use of alcohol England, France and other older lands, in the opinion is harmful and may result fatally, presents other medi-lof the poet Richard Le Gallienne. cal evidence which tends to show that alcohol helps to Over here we still have great forests, mountain form the very tissues of our bodies, and is required in ranges and such vast stretches of natural beauty that needed exercise to co-ordinate the musmoderate quantities by most people to keep the human this commercial invasion cannot begin to disfigure cles of his hands and arms. An exmachine running smoothly.

the layman may also be interested to know that life people crowded into an area only as large as New York inches wide with a shelf 36 inches insurance companies hold highly important the alco-State, the beauty of the once charming countryside long. It is fastened to a bed or a holic tendencies of an applicant as the part of a rigid is being completely erased in this highly commercial table with fron clamps or wooden hand medical examination. If life insurance companies, ized age.

alcohol, and every applicant is investigated by a dis-ern 'progress'." interested person, unknown to the company's agents, as to his tastes for strong drink.

If an insurance company, after years of study on a most dangerous practice and breeds contempt for they kneel before the king and take prohibition, won't take a risk with a person of alco-all law. holic tendencies, then there is surely evidence for the layman to take into consideration, without any argu-

ment based on medical observations, The way some women put it on, one would think business is tax-free.

that paint-up week came every week.

The man who wanted to live by the side of the make it worse by trying to square things. road, of whom the poet sung, and be a friend of man, would probably want to start a lunch stand in this day of heavy motor travel.

An Increasing Crop

THE ARE living today in an age (along with other) things) that might be termed as a cigaret age, and never in the history of our country has the demand been so heavy as now, for the little "pills" which are sold in practically every store that men (and womer

One well known manufacturer of cigarets recent' AUG. 12. 1932. seven billion cigarets sold—just of that particular It is needless to say that all manufacturers en and mention the name of this paper

> Scientists express different opinions as to the effect of such smoking. There are those in that vast multitude who smoke because they enjoy it, and others do so by force of habit. Practically every smoker will afford the usual vacation. advise anyone not to start the habit.

The tobacco industry, from the man who culti-dacks be expensive?" a part of our great system of supply and demand. the demand increases, which is evident by the present that the Adirondacks offer more place it in amateur hands. But the proper vouchers to the undersigned had day figures, tobacco will soon be one of the leading crops and it will hustle the raisers to keep pace with

The Sunshine of Life

others, by pedestrian decency and care. The speedster "T IS better to travel hopefully than to arrive," said the new map of the Adirondacks. and the jaywalker are twin perils; the foot hog and the Stevenson. Life is a pursuit, not an occupation. The general region has a number of car hog are other twins, alike deadly; the get-out-of- It is something to do, not something to learn. When inexpensive hotels and camps, also, my-way driver and the don't-you-dare-touch-me pedes- happiness becomes an accomplished fact, it ceases to and rates are unusually low this

Doctors agree that there is nothing more ruinous! Safety is largely an individual matter; it must be to health than to retire from active work at too early

The best contribution any man can make to pub. miss it altogether. Like the blue bird in Maeterlinck's trouble?" Think of the days of greatest happiness in your loss of \$4,000,000,000 a year in accidents, most of life. Were they not the days when you were working state since about 1780. It is somethem avoidable, is everybody's business; and until and striving for a goal? When you and your partner times called pear blight because pear everybody does his part, the slaughter and the loss will were facing the world with a modest salary and a grin? trees are especially susceptible; how-When you had a little apartment, and furnished ever, apples have a severe infesta-

linto business for yourself? Those were the happy days. Happy, not because you had finished something. but because you had started something. And you never have been as contented since unand follow it. He can not expect the courtesy from

> tobi etice as seen as you arrived anywhere There are two sides to everything from and the other person's argument.

Stern Reality

much better condition to operate a car and they would IR. DANIEL T. MacDOUGAL, director of botanica' U research at the Carnegie Institute, Washington, slow down before he reaches the

He is of the opinion, as the result of experiments, may be read from a moving auto consuming daily food in the manner of today. As the food we eat represents only the stored up ter is visible at a distance of 80 feet Youth and Beauty were formerly synonomous, but energy of the sun, Dr. MacDougal proposes the creation one and one-half seconds, from that was before youth got to staying up late at night tion of an artificial cell in the human body that will re- a car moving at 35 miles an hour. and Beauty could be bought at the corner drug store. ceive this nourishment direct from the sun, instead of A four-inch letter is visible at 110 thru animal and plant life as at present.

When we read the doctor's prediction in the press letter is visible at 170 feet for our first thought was to have an artificial cell installed three and one-half seconds, WITH over eleven years of prohibition in the United in our own noble body and that of our family and rush W States, the ordinary layman is speculating as to right off to some clime of perpetual sun, where we what effect prohibition has had on the health of the could gorge to repletion without doing another stroke

And then the thud of reality! With such a revolution possible, John D. Henry act 5, sc. 2) in 1716; and as "hurrea, but after all is said and done, the issue still remains sun and dole its rays out at profiteering prices per dole. Stoops to Conquer," act 1, sc. 2) in No, there's no hope of escape. We'll just have

> Jokesmiths laugh at love, but June brides bridegrooms think it is a serious matter after they have tried to live on it a month or two.

America's Beauty Vast

MERICA, scarred as its landscape is by gas stations, ten.—Literary Digest. An educator from the University of Cincinnati, A sign boards, quick-lunch stands and other so-called

While medical science is debating the question, But in England, for example, with its 40,000,000 of a plain board 80 inches long and 7

which are expert in matters of human mortality, make "I cannot help feeling that I was fortunate in sash lock, cupboard latch, barrel bolt, it a point to investigate an applicant's habits as to leaving England when I did," he says, "and that those drawer pull, snap switch are attached. moderate or excessive drinking, then it shows clearly who would capture what remains of her unique charms These may be obtained at any hardthat they don't place much faith in the argument of must hurry. She is so small an island that her perfec- ware store, an article in Hygeia Magathe educator who asserts that alcohol builds body tissue. Itions, dependent as they were on the guardianship of | zine explains, On the contrary, insurance companies refuse to tradition and the fostering of leisurely time, cannot consider an applicant who is addicted to the use of but be shattered by the swift and noisy march of mod-

Permitting laws to exist that are not enforced is are presented by the prime minister,

taxes only partly applies to the bootlegger. Altho one of the most successful of our captains of industry, his In the case of a lame minister he is

Fellows who make fools of themselves generally'

When you think you have found the key to success, the next thing is to locate the lock.

WHAT HOW, and WHY?

The Andover News has arranged with the Office of Information he New York State Colleges of Ag-

J. V. B. asks: "Our family cannot an automobile trip thru the Adiron-

Professor Ralph Hosmer of the ground is quite accessible. He sugtakes "alkalies" to neutralize acid.

gests writing to the Conservation takes "alkalies" to neutralize acid.

SAMUEL E. CRANDALL, Executor

Lake Placid trails, Lake George and water counteracts the acid. Apply near Cotulla, Texas. Fire Blight

K. M. asks: "Several branches in my apple trees have died from the tip back, and the tree has an un-The same law holds good in the business of hap-usual appearance. What is the cause piness. To believe that at last the goal is reached, is to and what can be done about the Your trees are affected with fireblight, a disease that has attacked

The ultimate goal of any wide safety movement one room at a time? When you paid off the mortgage tion this year. E. M. Hildebrand should be to eliminate the hazards of motoring as much on your home, or got the big raise, or launched out says little can be done this year i the matter of control except (break or cut off water sprouts. The free Cornell bulletin about growing pears in New York State, E-203, devotes several pages to describing and suggesting ways to control the disless you continued the wise process of pursuing hap-ease. We are sending you a copy

Roadside Market Signs H. R. W. asks: "What type sign is most effective advertising al roadside market?"

F. A. Harper says one or two signs at each approach to the market, besides one at the market, are probably enough. The first sign! should be far enough from the market so that the buyer has time to (limited time during which the sign)

enough to arouse the interest of the feet for two seconds, and a six-inch

Hurrah The exclamation hurrah was in use in New England in 1686, and in England in 1004. In the form whurra, it was used by Addison ("Drummer," hurrea, bravo!" by Goldsmith ("She! , 1778. Beresford in "Lord Auckland's Correspondence," dated 1798 and ref printed 1882, vol. S. p. 834, uses the form hurraying. Moriz Heyne, cited 4 by Grimm, declares that hurrah was used as a war-cry by the Prussian solv diers in the War of Liberation (1813i 1815). The term comes from the Ger- ' man hurra which has been traced to the Middle High German (Twelfth

century) hurren, which means to has Splendid Exercise Board Necessity may truly be called the

mother of invention, for not long ago a ! ercise board was devised. It consists screws. Articles for exercise, such as

Rigid Court Customs No cabinet minister ever kisses the king's hand, when the new ministers' his hand into their own. They make an inclination of the head towards! the royal hand, but do not actually attempt to kiss it, having been warned in advance by an unher not to do so. excused from kneeling. The seals of office are kept in small cases and are handed personally by the king to the cabinet ministers when they take office, and are returned into the king's own hands when a minister resigns.---

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Lordon Mail



POISON IVY

warm weather, and it is a very pain- cohol and lime-water, equal parts. ful guest to entertain. I have seen The alcohol is hard to get—but skins literally on fire and eyes swol- that's another matter. en shut-fever, sometimes delirium

Look out for it, with its three-inone group leaves of lance-head shape, Walter N. Renwick, Surrogate, Al-Would growing vigorously over blighted legany County, notice is hereby givtrunks of trees, upon old fences and en to all persons having claims in neglected places. It is easy to against the estate of Mary A. know and avoid, if one tries.

I don't pretend to take the work over, N. Y., to present the same with vacation possibilities for any sized place it in amateur hands. But the vacation possibilities for any sized pointers here are worth while for town of Independence in the purse, than any other section of the my friends to know Room in mind town of Independence, N. Y., on or east. The two million acre play- my friends to know. Bear in mind before the 30th day of October.

My best success with ivy poison- 44 ing the free recreation circulars; ing has been with equal parts of al-

on clothe continually, until the trouble is corrected. Never treat poison try with oint ments or "salves;" they simply hol-Doison in the timeter. Bugar lead is dangerous-lead a know, No ivy remedy should s permitted between eye-lide that been said that ivy poisoning gets well in a few days of itself-and the llast remedy used gets the credit. That nothing is "specific" remedy In such cases. I have taken the ruralists, all in with the mixture of pure grain al-

Notice to Creditors

Pursuant to an order of the Hon.

public use of the forest preserve, cohol and lime-water. The alcohol, Motion pictures of the hunt, from Adirondack camp sites. Adirondack with its affinity for water, rapidly start to finish, were obtained when canoe routes, and trails to Marcy, depletes the inflamed skin; the lime- a panther was caught and caged



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(which we did not have, and which'

By MARY ROBERTS RINEHART

"Fire-tongs?" I repeated.

"Why a man?"

SIXTH INSTALMENT SYNOPSIS

Horace Johnson (who fact that I dropped the candle down city." tells the story), his wife, old Mrs. the next sewer opening, but the Dane, Herbert Robinson and his sis- fact remains that I carried the fire- rather loose ideas. ter. Alice, and Dr. Sperry, friends tongs home. I do not recall doing arranging a spiritualistic scance with had been stolen from a restaurant may not have dared to go back in Tuesday, that the matter of Miss Jeremy, a friend of Dr. Sperry where I and my client had dined, daylight for his overcoat." and not a professional, as the med- The hat offered more serious diffi-

occurring. Later that night Sperry without her following me to the stake. My wife is a difficult person a wail." learns that a neighbor, Arthur front door, which is her custom. to argue with. Wells, has been shot mysteriously. But as a matter of fact. I need residence and they find confirmation hat. When I descended to breakfast amiable people. However, of the medium's account. Mrs. the next morning I found her stand-tunately for our investigation, but Wells tells them her husband shot ing surveying the umbrella stand in luckily for me, under the circumhimself in a fit of depression.

adds details about a summer resort sticks and umbrellas. where Charles Ellingham was known I lied. I lied shamelessly. She It was, it will be recalled, on the which contains some important car long years she has expected me to Sperry was on Friday. It was o of the women, seems thrilled by the of course, such as going out without telephone message from Mrs. Dane, intends to be on hand for every

rletes his investigation. Now go on with the story-

of firearms, but I did realize that a did you get those fire-tongs?" shot from a .45 Colt automatic would have considerable penetrative power. that's so. They are fire-tongs." To be exact, that the bullet had "I am not a curious woman," she probably either lodged itself in a put in incisively, "but when my hus-

But my candle was inadequate for egg over his ear, and puts a pair of amination of the ceiling, which pre- der the impression that it is an um- a woman who, confined to a wheel- "And the day that I had that in sented so far as I could see an un- brella, I have a right to ask at least chair, lived so hard. She did not serted," she said impressively, "this tion, therefore, to the floor. It was debauchery." sound which had so startled me. It broken hat and jammed it on my earnet across the floor boards. Some one, then, had been there toothache, and went out. before me-some one who knew When, at noon and luncheon.

Obeying an impulse, I stood erect had all morning to think it out." and called out sharply, "Sperry," I said. "Sperry."

calling Herbert. But only my own voice came back to me, and the afternoon. whistling of the wind thru the windows I had opened. My fears, never long in obeyance He was murdered, beyond a doubt that night, roused again. I had in- and there in an intelligent effort

stantly a conviction that some hu- being made to eliminate every parman figure, sinister and dangerous, ticle of evidence." was lurking in the shadows of that empty floor, and I remember backing away from the door and stand- who was there last night—" ing in the center of the room, prepared for some stealthy, murderous assault. When none came I looked of his own, didn't he? It may have the only thing in sight, the coal have had no suggestion of Ellingham and never suspected your sense tongs from the fireplace. Armed in all the rest of the material." with that, I made a cursory round of

the near-by rooms but there was no Neighborhood Club, he had a copy mor was to my mind the only flaw one hiding in them. I went back to the rug and ex- and now he brought them out and | "I am not aware---" I began amined the floor beneath it. I was fell to studying them. right. Some one had been there before me. Bits of splintered wood in the ceiling," he reflected. "I sup- Club its only leaven of humor." lay about. The second bullen had pose you didn't look for the box of "Don't spoil it," she begged. been fired, had buried itself in the shells for the revolver?" noor, and had, some five minutes

The extraordinary thing about the He shuffled the loose pages of Horace. The fire-tongs!" way it was solved. the Neighborhood Club. Yet, but of the rest is also extraneous mat-amusing, is it?" Like most mysteries. I have in my book, presumably." of a great mystery. founded on placed them in a drawer.

before been dug out.

Mere absentmindedness.

This is what my wife terms the house." he said. "Whoever took if she were convinced herself. mystery of the fire-tongs. I had left the Wells house as soon one. The difficulty is, of course, I had made the night Arthur Wells as I had made the discovery in the that he probably discovered his er- was shot, and of what we discoverhight nursery. I carried the candle ror and went back again last night, ed; of the clerk at the pharmacy and indeed have been a wretched one. Like and the fire-tones downstairs. I was Confound it, man, if you had his statement, and, last of all, of the strolling player of Shakespeare's apparently. calm but watchful. I thought of that at the time, we my experience in the deserted house. time, his wardrobe was a mass of rags would have said that I had never would have something to go on to- She was very serious when I fin- and his appearance starvation personibeen more calm in my life. I knew day." quite well that I had the fire-tongs "If I thought of a number of drink it. Her eyes flashed with ex- a fair wage for taking part in six or When on entering the library, I "I wish you could help me about the was an air of suppressed excitement high remuneration. Yet the poor per found that my overcoat had disap- fire-tongs, Sperry. I don't seem able that seemed to have nothing to do former frequently found himself in peared, and that my stiff hat, badly to think of any explanation that with my narrative. I remembered arrears of even this inconsiderable broken, lay on the floor. However, Mrs. Johnson would be willing to it, however, when the denouement salary, and a public dispute would be

as I say, I was still extraordinarily accept."

came the following week. "I don't think you understand," Even then she knew, or strongly When I reached the I explained. "She simply wouldn't suspected, the thing that the rest of don Saturday Review. street, however. I had only gone a believe it. And if she did I should us had missed the x of the equation. lew yards when I discovered that I have to agree to drop the investiga- But I think it only fair to record was still carrying the lighted can-tion. As a matter of fact, Sperry, that she was in possession of facts

stopped and was staring after me. |der to remain out last evening, and My composure is shown by the I am bitterly regretting my mendaand neighbors, are in the habit of so. In fact, I knew nothing of the rather tell the truth, but every wo- iably partly from its mooring. She olding weekly meetings. At one of matter until morning. On the way man makes it necessary to lie to her, drew out a newspaper clipping. them, Mrs. Dane, who is hostess, to my house I was elaborating a Forget the fire-tongs, Horace, and "On going over Clara's notes," she Women's White

culties. I fancied that, by kissing But it was not very well, and

Wells, has been shot mysteriously. Dut as a matter of fact, I need with Johnson he goes to the Wells not have concerned myself about the opinion once formed as are all very "There is only one Monday night in She is just as tenacious of an the hall. The fire-tongs were stand. stances, Sperry was called to anoth-At a second seance, Miss Jeremy ing there, gleaming, among my er city that afternoon and did not return for two days.

to have been at the same time that is a nervous woman, and, as we have Thursday night following the second Mrs. Wells was there. She also no children, her attitude toward me sitting that I had gone alone to the speaks of a pocketbook being lost is one of watchful waiting. Thru Wells house, and my interview with tickets and letters. Mrs. Dane, alone commit some indiscretion-innocent Friday afternoon that I received a my overcoat on a cool day—and she asking me to take tea with her. "At what time?" I asked her sec-!

closed house, had there surprised was waiting at home for further ex- cutting: another intruder at work, had fallen planation of the coal-tongs, and that "Lost, a handbag containing priand bumped my head severely, and the sooner we had it out the better. vate letters, car-tickets, etc. Liberhad, finally, had my overcoat taken. But, on the other hand, Mrs. Dane's al reward paid for its return. Please I know, as it happens, very little "Horce," she said coldly, "where invitations, by reason of her infirm- write to A 31, the Daily News." ity, took on something of the nature I sat with it on my palm. It was "Why. of commands. "Please say that I will be there at yer and presumably reasonably acute

I bought a new hat that after- "You are wasted on us, Mrs. joist, or had penetrated thru the band spends an evening out, and re-noon, and told the clerk to destroy Dane," I acknowledged. flooring and might be somewhere turns minus his overcoat, with his the old one. Then I went to Mrs. see something has come of it." hat mashed a lump the size of an Dane's. She was in the drawing-room, She dived again into the bag, and more than the most superficial ex- fire-tongs in the umbrella stand un- plainly excited. Never have I known brought up another clipping.

broken surface. I turned my atten- if he intends to continue his life of allow life to pass her windows, if I also appeared. They were in the may rut it that way. She called it same column." She read the second when I was turning the rug back I made a mistake then. I should in, and set it moving about her chair, clipping aloud, slowing, that I might that I recognized the origin of the have told her. Instead, I took my herself the nucleus around which gain all its significance: ... were enacted all sorts of small "Lost. on the night of Monday, had been the soft movement of the head with a force that made the neighborhood dramas and romances. November the second, between State Her secretaries did not marry She Avenue and Park Avenue, possibly [lump she had noticed jump like a] " It is curious to look back and re-black handbag containing keys, carwhat I knew, had reasoned as I rea- tried to tell her the truth, she lis- member how Herbert and Sperry tickets, private letters and a small

ability, still lurked on the upper think you could have done better in her, in the Wells case. She was questions asked if returned to Daily than that," she said. "You have not to be ignored, as I discevered News office." However, if things were in a state |. of armed neutrality at home, I had half sick, Horace." Perkins Quick to See

Nothing escapes her eyes, so a certain compensation for them when I told my story to Sperry that was careful to place myself with the her. But I fancy she saw it, for her "You can stay out of this, or come eyes twinkled. "Horace, Horace!" she said. "How have detested you all week!"

"I don't feel up to the mark," he "I? You detested me?" Baid to the man of medicine. "Can "Loathed you." she said with uncyou give me a tohic?" .. "You are cruel and ungrate-The doctor surveyed him for a mo-Herbert has influenza. And Sperry i love—oh, yes, I know it. I know a curred to you that there's a great dee great many things. But you!" in imagination, Mr. Perkins?" I could only stare at her. "Certainly, doctor," "The strange thing is," she went

about for a weapon, and finally took been—it's curious, isn't_it, that we on, "that I have know you for years, matter with you. Come back in a .. You'll forgive me, I know, The patient went, doctored himself, "Ah," said the doctor. "You are of the proceedings at the two seances in an otherwise perfect character." stiffly. "I have always believed that "That's true," said Perkins. "What "She was right about the bullet I furnished to the Neighborhood is your charge?" "One guinea," said the doctor. "Well, imagine you've got it," said

"Don't. If you could know how I Perkins.-London Tit-Bits. "I meant to, but it slipped my have enjoyed it. All afternoon have been chuckling. The fire-tongs Toll of Horseshoes Arthur Wells story was not his kill- the record. "Cane-washed away Then I knew that my wife had The levying of horseshoes from faing. For killing it was. It was the by the water—a knee that is hurt—been to Mrs. Dane and I drew a mous riders has been long a custom the curtain would have been safer—long breath. "I assure you," I said at Oakham, in Rutlandshire, England Here was a young woman, Miss Hawkins—the drawing-room furni- gravely, "that while doubtless I car- These shoes have been levied as Jeremy who had not known young ture is all over the house. That last, ried the wretched things home and tribute from famous men who have Wells, had not known his wife, had Horace, isn't pertinent. It refers -er-placed them where they were ridden through the town, for no vis-

until that first meeting at Mrs. clearly to the room we were in found, I have not the slightest rec- ltor of high rank was formerly per-Dane's, never met any member of Of course, the point is, how much ollection of it. And it is hardly mitted to enter unless he paid a toll of one horseshoe. The shoes, many of for her, Arthur Wells would have ter?" He re-read one of the sheets. "Amusing!" she cried. "It's de- them large and ornamental, now hang gone to his grave bearing the stigma "Of course that belongs, about licious. It has made me a young in the county hall, which was original-Hawkins. And probably this: 'It woman again. Horace, if I could by the banqueting hall of the castle. The solution. when it came, was will be terrible if the letters are have seen your wife's face when she it seems that the manorial rights of amazing, but remarkably simple, found.' They were in the pocket found them, I would give cheerfully the castle were once held by the count almost anything I possess." of Derby, who was official farrier to own house, for instance, an example He folded the papers and re- But underneath her mirth I knew William the Conquerer. His descendthere was something else. And, af- ants still have six black horseshoes on "We'd better go back to the ter all, she could convince my wife a silver ground in their arms. your coat by mistake probably left I told her of the visit Sperry and

ished. Tea came, but we forgot to fied. Tenpence a night was thought my hand. Just when I ceased to things, I'd have stayed out of the citement, her faded face flushed, seven successive performances, while be cognizant of them was probably place altogether," I retorted tartly. And with it all, as I look back, there seven shillings a week was considered / carried on between actor and proprie-

Penny Theater Actor

The Penny theater actor's life must '

she did not divulge until the end. "You have been so ungenerous!" UNHEARD OF SHOE PRICES with me," she said finally, "that ' am tempted not to tell you why I' sent for you. Of course, I know I am only a helpless old woman, an you men are people of affairs. But now and then I have a flash of intel-

. bag at her side, which was as much | a part of her attire as the false am afraid. front she wore with such careless abandon, and which, brown in color "would and indfferently sewed, was invarvaries the program by unexpectedly story to the effect that my overcost forget Mrs. Johnson tonight. He said, "I came to the conslusion, last missing handbag and the letters was important. More important, probably than the more record shows. At the first sitting the medium my wife good-by at the breakfast knew it. I felt that, in a way, my table, I might be able to get out whole domestic happiness was at Miss Jeremy's voice? It was almost

I had noticed it. "I have plenty of time to think," the week, and—the days are long.

"In what way?" "How does any one trace lost articles?" she demanded. "By advertising, of course. Last Wednesday

advertised for the bag." I was too astonished to speak. 'I reasoned like this: If there was no such bag, there was no harm! done. As a matter of fact, if there was no such bag, the chances were that we were all wrong, anyhow. If Johnson goes alone and investigates the deserted house. He is frightened by strange noises, as of introder in the house, but com- introder in the house, but com- ing I had burglariously entered a I hesitated. I felt that my wife I hesitated. I felt that my wife She gave me a small newspaper there was such a bag, I wanted it. Soles that last, any size

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