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That suit or overcoat you're going to need mighty soon ought to be cut in the latest style—else you won't look well dressed and up-to-date—

EWERS-McCARTHY CO.

DEATH CAUSED BY OWN HAND

Elmer Hendricks Ended His Life Last Evening at His Home, No. 818 South Sixth Street.

LITTLE REASON GIVEN

His Death is a Severe Shock to Household Who Found Him Dead Upon Arriving Home From Town.

Last evening shortly after 10 o'clock when the Hendricks family returned home, Elmer Hendricks, age thirty-five and an employe of Mills-Ellsworth Co., was found dead with a bullet wound in his head and with every evidence of a suicide.

Returned Home Ill. Mr. Hendricks returned to his home, 818 South Sixth street last evening after work and complained of being ill. He sat down to supper but was unable to eat anything, and later in the evening went to view the street fair with his wife.

The family upon their return to the house found him dead on his bed with a pistol lying near. The bullet had entered the forehead causing death in a short time.

Coroner Called. Coroner Korschgen was called to the scene during the night and made a thorough investigation of the situation.

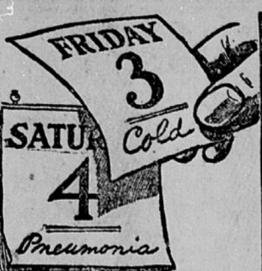
About His Life. Elmer Hendricks was born in Alton, Ill., April 14, 1873 being thirty-five years of age. He had been living in Keokuk for a number of years and of Mills-Ellsworth Co. He had been married for the past four years but had no children.

A Last Letter. My Darling Nellie: Please forgive me for this harsh act, it is not your fault at all, it is all mine, my darling baby love, forgive me for all the bad things I ever said to you.

First Attempt a Failure. Upon investigation by the coroner it was found that two attempts were made. The first time the revolver failed to go off but the second attempt was successful and ended his life.

Are You Only Half Alive? People with kidney trouble are so weak and exhausted that they are only half alive. Foley's Kidney Remedy makes healthy kidneys, restores lost vitality, and weak, delicate people are restored to health.

A Jeweler's Experience. C. R. Kluger, the Jeweler, 1060 Virginia avenue, Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I was so weak from kidney trouble that I could hardly walk a hundred feet. Four bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy cleared my complexion, cured my backache and the irregularities disappeared, and I can now attend to business every day, and recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy to all sufferers, as it cured me after the doctors and other remedies had failed."



The Cold of Today The Pneumonia of Tomorrow. A large proportion of cases of Pneumonia are directly due to neglected colds. That is why you want to cure your cold today.

DR. D. JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT has been successful in relieving and curing Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Inflammation of the Lungs, and similar ailments for 77 years. It is likewise a splendid remedy for Croup and Whooping Cough, and very effective in relieving the attacks of Asthma.

MISSIONARY M. D. OF CHINA HERE

Dr. J. R. Wilkinson of Soochow, China, Was in the City This Morning For Several Hours.

TALKING ON CHINESE

And of Their Government in Which He Condemns the U. S. Exclusion Act of This Country.

J. R. Wilkinson, M. D. missionary physician of Elizabeth Blake Hospital, Soochow, China, and at present on a year's furlough in the United States was in the city this morning for a couple of hours and was quite an interesting gentleman to those who heard him talk on Chinese and foreign affairs in connection with this country.

Dr. Wilkinson has a queer looking business card printed in Chinese characters of which the Chinese alphabet consists of some fifty thousand characters and look very mysterious to all but the doctor.

Dr. Wilkinson's missionary physician work is conducted under the supervision of the Second Presbyterian church of South Carolina and Dr. Wilkinson is in charge of a million Chinamen in Soochow and seem very much taken up in his work in which he has been engaged in China for the past fifteen years.

The physician was on his way to Kahoka this morning to speak on his special work at the Presbyterian church of that place and will return to his home in Carolina when this engagement is filled and make talks there and all through Missouri.

Dr. Wilkinson spoke this morning on the advancement and wonderful progress of the yellow men and speaks of the exclusion as wrong measure passed by the U. S. government.

Every eight years the doctor is entitled to a year's furlough and although he speaks during these furloughs he is always glad to return to this country and take a vacation and shake off the malarial temperament which is prevalent in that climate.

Read the advertisements as well as the news in this paper. There are many interesting announcements.



A non-alcoholic beverage, prepared from the juices of the finest barley malt and hops and not from flavored injurious drugs and chemicals; contains no preservatives. It is a delightful, refreshing and healthful drink, not only palatable to United States Government agents for dealers, as it contains less than one-half of 1 per cent. of alcohol by volume. Convince yourself of its merits. Sold by grocers and dealers in soft drinks. Prepared by Anheuser-Busch, a guarantee for its purity.

RED TAG DAY A BIG SUCCESS

Young Ladies All Over the Business Portion of the City Today Displayed Thousands of Tags.

WERE DRESSED IN WHITE

Girls Hold up Every One With the Tag and No One Was Overlooked in the Big Tag Sale.

"Red tag" "Red tag," this was the saying that was on the tongues of dozens of the pretty young girls today who met each and every one at the street corners with a bewitching smile a red covered charity collection box and the ever ready spell, "Red tag."

At the hotels the girls were after everybody that lit and the boxes of money kept getting heavier and heavier until it was thought officers would have to be on hand to protect the fair ones and their change box also the tags.

At the street cars, Y. M. C. A. street corners and every place one would go the girls were always on hand with a smile, tag and box. This novel scheme of raising the money for the Home is indeed a good one and it was expected that the girls would raise the necessary funds by evening as the thousands of visitors were ever on hand to purchase the tags and even horses attached to the ice wagons were covered with the tags and the animals did their little share in helping the thing along.

About one hundred and fifty girls were on the streets today all dressed in white and selling the tags. The affair is in charge of the ladies of the Benevolent home and it is thought that the ladies will raise the money today for their worthy cause as every one on the streets was wearing a tag and was happy because of being able to give toward charity.

TODAY'S WEATHER FORECAST.

Indications for Iowa, Illinois and Missouri Wired From Chicago.

For Keokuk and Vicinity Fair tonight and Friday; warmer Friday. For Illinois: Fair with frost and cooler east portion tonight; Friday fair with rising temperature.

For Iowa: Fair tonight and Friday; warmer Friday and northwest portion tonight. For Missouri: Fair with frost tonight; Friday fair with rising temperature.

Weather Conditions. There have been scattering light showers in eastern Texas, Kansas, Nebraska, Arkansas, Tennessee and the lake region, and rain in the area of low pressure in Florida.

The western area of high pressure, with its cooler weather, is advancing slowly, and extends from the Rockies to the western lake region, frost being general in the Missouri and Upper Mississippi valleys.

The temperature is higher on the Pacific slope and in the southern and extreme eastern portions of the country. The farther advance of the western high barometer will be attended by fair weather in this section tonight and Friday, continuing cool tonight and becoming warmer Friday.

Table with 4 columns: River, Stage, Height, Chng. R'nfall. Rows include St. Paul, La Crosse, Davenport, Galland, Keokuk, St. Louis.

Rise. -Fall. C. B. & Q. Bridge, Burlington, Iowa, October 7—The present stage of the river is 1 foot 5 1/2 inches above low water mark, a fall of 1/2 inch last report.

The river will remain nearly stationary.

Local Observations. October 7. Bar. Ther. Wind. Weather. 7.7 p.m.30.25 53 NW Clear. 8.7 a.m.30.35 36 NW Clear. River above low water of 1864, 1 foot 4 tenths; change in 24 hours, fall 1 tenth. Mean temperature, 56. Maximum temperature, 64. Minimum temperature, 47. FRED Z. GOSEWISCH, Observer.

WHY SUFFER FROM RUPTURE

Why spend the rest of your life in misery—Not able to get around as you want to—not able to do a man's work—always worrying whether you are interfering with your rupture—There is no need for it, you can be hale and hearty without wearing a truss, without submitting to a dangerous surgical operation. Take your place among men once more. Rld yourself of rupture forever by the simplest, safest and surest method.



I CURE YOU IN ONE TREATMENT

I use no knife. My method which I originated comes nearest to being nature's way of removing the trouble. It is safe and certain, it will not detain you from your business or cause you any inconvenience. Hundreds have been cured—bankers, merchants, lawyers, men in every station of life. I cured them in one treatment. Today they don't know they ever had a rupture. They work when they wish as hard as they want to because they have no rupture to interfere. The same is possible for you. Below are the names of a few cured people, read what they say.

I CURED THESE PEOPLE

Webster City, Iowa, Dec. 18, 1907. DR. H. H. DE PEW, Des Moines, Ia. Dear Doctor: I have just received your letter, asking how I was getting along. I will say I am sound and well. Never felt better in my life. Have done some very hard lifting and am still sound. Would not carry the rupture again for \$1,000. All praise to your method. You are at liberty to use my name where and when I may benefit you. Yours with kindest regards, G. W. COLLMAN.

R. F. D. No. 3, Box 74. Mr. Coleman is a widely known stockman, being a large dealer in Red Polled cattle and Duro-Jersey swine. Mr. Coleman was cured of a bad rupture May 30, 1907.

F. W. Bassett, Fannamville, Ia. R. E. Smith, Ruthven, Ia. T. L. Thompson, Slater, Ia. H. J. Darby, Foster, Ia. Jas. Chittick, Stuart, Ia. M. D. Wheeler, Prole, Ia. W. J. Eiling, Dana, Ia. H. A. Tuttle, Murray, Ia. Robt. H. Cook, Jannata, Ia.

Write to Some of These People. Ask them about my method of treating. Ask them what they think about it; ask them how they feel, they will gladly tell you. Write to me about your case. I will give you any information you want. I will send you free of charge my book which tells all about it. I will prove to you in every way possible that my method is the greatest in the world for the cure of rupture.

When writing to any of these people enclose 2c stamp for reply.

DR. H. H. DE PEW, Suite 531, Utica Bldg., Des Moines, Ia. Hours 9 to 5, Sundays 9 to 12.

FREE RUPTURE BOOK COUPON

Dr. H. H. De Pew, 527-531 Utica Bldg., Des Moines, Ia. Please send me at once your Rupture Cure Book absolutely free, with age and date of cure of your De Pew Method. Name _____ K. G. C. Town _____

HUNG BY FINGERS FOR OVER AN HOUR

Hunter in Peril on Canyon Lodge Until Saved by Chief of Hollywood Fire Department.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 8.—Hanging to a narrow ledge of the wall of the Wheat canyon, with a drop of more than 100 feet below, Louis Lehman of Los Angeles, was rescued from certain death by Chief Shill of the Hollywood fire department.

Lehman left Los Angeles for a day's shooting in the hills near Hollywood. He had worked his way to the ridge of Wheat canyon wall by dusk. His luck had been poor, and when he shot a dove it fell into the soft earth of the wall, a few feet below the ridge. Lehman dropped his gun and started after it.

He reached the dove and started to crawl back to the top, about ten feet above him. The ground slid away, carrying him twenty-five feet before he gained a footing. His position was terrible. His feet rested on a narrow shelf of rock, not four inches wide, while the scale kept shifting from beneath his hands as he clutched at the wall. Below him the cliff dropped sheer to the rocks.

The man had been there almost an hour before his cries attracted the attention of a party of campers some distance away, who sent an alarm to the Hollywood fire department. Chief Shill and two men hurried to the scene in automobile apparatus, and as Lehman was unable to climb a ladder, the chief lowered himself by a rope to his side, then lowered him to the foot of the canyon.

Lehman was exhausted when the chief reached him. His hands were torn and bleeding. To hold to his perilous perch he had dug his fingers into the scale of rock, and the nails had been broken into the flesh. His arms, neck and face were purplish from the terrible strain which he had been compelled to undergo to keep from pitching headlong to the rocks of the canyon bed far below.

Would Mortgage the Farm.

A farmer on Rural Route 2, Empire, Ga., W. A. Floyd by name, says: "Ducklen's Arnica Salve cured the two worst sores I ever saw; one of my hand and one on my leg. It is worth more than its weight in gold. I would not be without it if I had to mortgage the farm to get it." Only 50c at J. Kiedalsch & Son.

Campaign Contributions.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—The subject of campaign contributions was discussed at length today by Roosevelt and Treasurer Sheldon. Sheldon went from the White House to the state department where he talked with Root. He is taking lunch today with the president together with Chas. S. Francis, ambassador at Vienna.

Advertisement for Gold Medal Flour, featuring a woman holding a bag of flour and text: 'Pure Wholesome Clean Nutritious Excellent Genuine Faultless Worthy Helpful Reliable The Power behind the Cook'.

prevented litigation and has worked so well that it has been introduced into all subsequent openings.

When Mr. Lacey was placed on the Indian committee by Mr. Reed there was a state of chaos in the Indian Territory. A joint committee of the two houses was formed to frame a bill to prepare the tribes of that territory for citizenship, and a complete civilized government. No more complex question was ever considered in Congress.

After months of work a bill was framed and introduced in the name of Charles Curtis of Kansas, and the bill is now known as the "Curtis Act." Senator Platt of Connecticut, Senator Jones of Arkansas, Mr. Curtis and Major Lacey were very active in the preparation of this bill. It is one of the most important bills that has passed within a quarter of a century.

Mr. Lacey also proposed and secured the passage of a bill to permit the allotment to intelligent civilized Indians of their share of tribal funds. This bill was twice urged by President Roosevelt by message to congress, and the President was very active in pressing it upon the attention of congress until it passed. In two of his reports Commissioner Leupp called special attention to the bill and referred to it as the work of Mr. Lacey.

The hundreds of bills introduced by him and enacted into law in his long service are an enduring monument of his legislative work.

As an Author. Major Lacey's pen has always been active. His Railway Digest, in two volumes included all cases on railway in the English language, and is a valuable work for use by all lawyers engaged in the trial of railway cases. He has written some valuable magazine articles on forestry and forestry legislation.

Mr. Lacey's published speeches cover a diversity of subjects. Out of Congress he has delivered speeches on many subjects. He told the story of the History of the Public Domain to the Iowa Bankers last June, at Clinton, and they published the speech in full in their annual report.

A Pioneer in Forest Preservation. In 1896 he delivered an address on the "Destruction and Repair of our Natural Resources," before the American Forestry Association and the National Geographic Society. The Society published and made a wide distribution of this address.

Mr. Lacey was a pioneer on this subject and is greatly gratified to find that the platform of both the great political parties this year have plans endorsing the policy for which he contended so many years in Congress. His address on Comets at Penn College, his address on William Penn at the same college, were greatly relished by the students and faculty, and the address on Penn was widely published. Penn College has conferred on him the honorary degree of A. M. His speech at the Grant Club at Des Moines on Henry Clay gives an admirable view of the great father of the American Doctrine of Protection.

Other Public Addresses. He procured the establishment of a Federal court at Ottumwa, and last October, at the opening of that court delivered, by request, an address upon "The Persistent Influence of John Marshall." This address was extensively copied by the press and read.

Advertisement for Bilious? with text: 'How are your bowels? The doctor always asks. He knows how important is the question of constipation. He knows that inactivity of the liver will often produce most disastrous results. We believe Ayer's Pills are the best liver pills you can possibly take.' Sold for over 60 years.