

# LIT OUT WITH THEIR MONEY

Smooth Austrian Boarding House Keeper Slipped Sting Into Slav Quarrymen Last Night.

## THEY TRUSTED HIM

And Foreigner Owning Butchers, Bakers, Brewers and Other "ers" Made a Good Cleaning.

Leaving them without any one to get their breakfast, and worse still, running away to Chicago with nearly \$200 of his patron's money, was the trick Monday evening of George Smaritch, Austrian proprietor of a bunk and boarding house on the canal near the bending works.

Last night Smaritch told all of his boarders to settle up with him for their month's board and lodging. After he had been paid, some time later the foreign boarding house keeper took a train for the east and the Chicago police are today looking for him. Smaritch owed several local retail merchants, large bills for supplies he purchased.

To make a long story brief, a half dozen or more Bulgarians who had been eating and sleeping at Smaritch's boarding house near the quarry where they are employed, had entrusted the runaway Austrian with some of their money, to keep for them until they could send their earnings to the old country.

Smaritch when he left the city, had money from six or seven of the Bulgarians, some giving him five, ten, twenty and one man, forty dollars. The latter contributor to Smaritch's "trust" money is John X. Parvanoff, who today filed information in the superior court against Smaritch, charging him with willful and felonious embezzlement. Parvanoff recited the troubles of his countrymen who waited patiently at breakfast time today for Smaritch to appear and give them their meal but the Austrian had taken flight in the night. Nagel, foreman of the quarry on the edge of the city, found the men sitting about waiting for breakfast, none of them having appeared at work. A little investigation revealed misplaced confidence in the Austrian.

Owed Local Dealers. Aside from skipping with the cash of several of his foreign boarders, Smaritch also owed large bills for groceries, bakery goods, meat and beer.

Smaritch left the city owing Ed Walsmith, the butcher, \$126. The successor to James Furions, the grocer, trusted Smaritch to the amount of \$59 for eatables and a Greek bakery between Eighth and Ninth on Main street, sold the Austrian \$10 worth of its wares.

A local brewery, it is said, sold Smaritch \$65 worth of beer for which it never received payment.

All of these, it is supposed, will want to prosecute should Chicago authorities apprehend the smooth foreigner.

Gave Him Money Last Week. Parvanoff gave Smaritch, the landlord of the bunk house, \$40 last week to keep for him. The other Bulgarians

## How to Safely Peel Your Face

(From Beauty Culture)

If you have a muddy, sallow or blotchy complexion, the most sensible thing to do is to remove it—rather than to patch it over or "doctor" it with any cosmetic, rouge or lotion. The only way to really remove the complexion—aside from resorting to an expensive and painful surgical operation—is by means of ordinary mercurized wax. Spread the wax over the face, as you would cold cream, washing it off in the morning. This gradually absorbs the lifeless and the half-dead outer skin, in minute, almost invisible particles—and gradually the fresh young skin beneath beams forth. Then you have a clear, smooth, velvety, healthy-hued complexion, such as no unnatural method can possibly produce.

Surface defects due to weather, ill-health or the ravages of time, of course disappear with the discarded skin. Ask the druggist for an ounce of pure mercurized wax; this is usually sufficient.

Ians had given their money for safe keeping to the Austrian during the past week or two. The men have been working for Nagel, a government contractor, who has been quarrying stone.

Chief of Police Schvevers sent a telegram to Chief A.W. Nagel, of the Chicago police department early today asking that official to keep patrolmen spotting foreigners answering Smaritch's description.

Catarrh is an excessive secretion, accompanied with chronic inflammation, from the mucous membrane. Hood's Sarsaparilla acts on the mucous membrane through the blood, reduces inflammation, establishes healthy action, and radically cures all cases of catarrh.

## DEATH OF WELL KNOWN CONDUCTOR

Henry Howard Goodell, Known to Hundreds of Travelers, is Dead at Burlington.

Henry Howard Goodell, the well known Burlington route passenger conductor, is dead at his home in Burlington. His end, though sudden, was peaceful and painless, and hundreds of good friends, not only in Burlington, but all along the Burlington route, were surprised and grieved to learn the sad news. Mr. Goodell, who has had charge of a train on the Carthage branch for some time, brought in his train Saturday evening as usual, intending to take his run out to Quincy Monday morning. About four years ago Mr. Goodell was afflicted with a paralytic stroke, but recovered sufficiently to resume his duties.

For over a score of years Henry Goodell had charge of important passenger trains on the main line of the Burlington route between Burlington and the Missouri river. During that period he endeared himself thoroughly to the traveling public and to his fellow employees. Everybody liked him because it was impossible to know him and not like him. He was a splendid railroad man, careful and painstaking, but the burden of his responsibilities never altered his genial disposition.

Henry Howard Goodell was born in Knoxville, Ill., on August 6, 1853, the son of Nathan and Mary S. Goodell. He came to Burlington in 1873 and entered the service of the C., B. & Q. railroad. He was married to Miss Laura E. Cook on March 12, 1877. Two children, Edna C. and Harry Nathan, were born to them, who with his wife survive him; Edna, now Mrs. Albert Kriebbaum, residing in Minneapolis, and Harry N., residing in Chicago. He is also survived by his mother and sister, Mary H., who reside in Des Moines; a brother, George A., of St. Paul, Minn., and a brother, Clarence S., of Stratford, Conn.

Mr. Goodell was a type of the best citizenship—plain, unassuming, of sterling integrity in his every thought and action. His keenest enjoyment was in his home and family, to which he was deeply attached. He was a member of the O. R. C., the Woodmen of the World and the Court of Honor. The funeral was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The services at the home and the interment were private.

## BELFAST.

We are having cold weather again. A pie supper and a program were held at the Woodman hall Saturday evening, everybody enjoying themselves, and the pies were sold at a very high price, bringing them \$11.

Mrs. M. E. Scheevers had a sale Saturday. A large crowd attended.

Mrs. G. Moline and son Harold made a flying trip to Keokuk Monday.

Mr. Fred Nelson, who has been visiting home folks, went to Keokuk.

Mr. Frank DeHart left for Nebraska Monday.

Miss Verna Spencer visited home folks over Sunday.

Miss Kate Horsey is visiting relatives at Keokuk.

Clifton Bell spent Sunday with Mr. Jim Parsons and wife.

Gyron Christy was a Croton caller Saturday.

Joe O'Neal and Earl Wells attended

# MY DAUGHTER WAS CURED

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Baltimore, Md.—"I send you here with the picture of my fifteen year old daughter Alice, who was restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. She was pale, with dark circles under her eyes, weak and irritable. Two different doctors treated her and called it Green Sickness, but she grew worse all the time. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended, and after taking three bottles she has regained her health, thanks to your medicine. I can recommend it for all female troubles."—Mrs. L. A. CORRIAN, 1103 Rutland Street, Baltimore, Md.

Hundreds of such letters from mothers expressing their gratitude for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has accomplished for them have been received by the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Company, Lynn, Mass.

## Young Girls, Heed This Advice.

Girls who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, headache, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion, should take immediate action and be restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Thousands have been restored to health by its use.

Write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for advice, free.

prayer meeting Sunday evening.

Miss Ethel New visited home folks over Sunday.

Mrs. Moline is visiting her son, Harve.

Take Your Common Colds Seriously. Common colds, severe and frequent, lay the foundation of chronic diseased conditions of the nose and throat, and may develop into bronchitis, pneumonia, and consumption. For all coughs and colds in children and in grown persons, take Foley Honey and Tar Compound promptly. Wilkinson & Co.

## POND'S CREAMERY WITHOUT POWER

Big Butter Plant Boiler Had Some Trouble All Day Monday.

From 11 o'clock yesterday morning until 4 in the afternoon, the S. P. Pond butter plant and creamery was closed because of the end being blown from a blow pipe at the rear of one of the boilers. Two boilers are used by the plant but the other one is "dead" when its mate became crippled, leaving the plant without light or power all during the day. The pipe which was blown, used to drain the boiler and until workmen repaired the break power was impossible in the several departments of the large concern.

After exposure, and when you feel a cold coming on, take Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. It checks and relieves. Use no substitute. The genuine is in a yellow package always. Wilkinson & Co.

## Rev. Richeson Arraigned.

BOSTON, Oct. 31.—The Rev. C. V. T. Richeson was arraigned in police court today on the charge of murdering Avis Linnell. On the advice of his counsel he made no plea and the case has been postponed to November 7.

Biliousness is due to a disordered condition of the stomach. Chamberlain's Tablets are essentially a stomach medicine, intended especially to act on that organ; to cleanse it, strengthen it, tone and invigorate it, to regulate the liver and to banish biliousness positively and effectually. For sale by all dealers.

## Natural Curiosity.

On the hills of Abbeville, S. C., was picked up a piece of quartz about the size of a thimble. It contains a small bead that shifts about and appears to be a drop of water.

## Advice to Those of Baggy Check and Chin

(From Pilgrim Magazine.)

Let the woman whose cheek muscles are beginning to sag and who by the same token is acquiring a double chin, remember to keep her head up, is the advice of a celebrated beauty expert. Let her bathe her face, neck and chin in a solution made by dissolving an ounce of saxolite in a half pint witch hazel. The result will surprise her, the lotion being so quick-effective. This treatment tightens and reduces skin and muscles, also strengthening and toning up the same.

Naturally the tightening effect disperses wrinkles and furrows. The lotion is very refreshing. Be sure to ask the druggist for the powdered saxolite.

# DON'T DO ANY WRONG TONIGHT

A Little Good Advice to the Boys and Girls of Keokuk in Observing Halloween.

## WHAT ONE CAN DO

Harmless Pranks Are Always Good But Destruction of Property Won't Go With the Police.

To the crowd of young people that goes out tonight to tear things up and raise "rough house" in general—look out, there will be extra police watching to see that property is left unmolested and that harmless, unoffensive citizens are not driven to some angry deed by what may appear to the younger generation to be a harmless Halloween prank.

Elsewhere this evening appears a notice of warning given by the chief of police which states that any one perpetrating malicious mischief will be arrested and dealt with according to the law.

There is a lot of harmless tick-tacking and ringing of door bells that are all right in themselves but the turning over of sheds, hanging the family surnames over the barn eaves with the wheels a mile away on a church steeple, carrying away gates and other such tricks of the "Hallowe'eners" will not be permitted.

Keokuk has always been a very orderly place on Halloween eve of late years and it is the desire of the police officers, who were all once boys themselves, to keep up the good record.

## The Right Way to Celebrate.

There has been much work along the line of education, that has proven effective, and it is to be doubted that boys, for instance who have become members of the Boy Scouts would engage in or permit pranks that will injure innocent people or result in losses to property owners. And then the cement walk has gone far toward stopping the old-time destruction of walks and crossings.

But, how much real, innocent fun the night can bring. The pumpkin that has been hollowed out and the lad with the bed sheet and the long pole, who plays ghost and the hundred and one games and tests that were old when the Pilgrim Fathers landed in this country, and that have been preserved everywhere in the land and that are guarded most faithfully in the old southland, all of these afford real amusement that all can enjoy and that will harm none. And, no doubt, the twentieth century and the ingenuity of Keokuk boys and girls can add many new ones to the old games that have so long been held in high esteem and preserved as precious heirlooms, as some of the best things, that have been brought across the big water. It is to be hoped that all the young folks and many, very many of the older folks may enjoy Halloween in Keokuk this year, and that there may be nothing to mar the pleasure of all, and that there may be none so foolish, as to engage in amusement, that will result in an introduction to Judge McNamara. While there are whole books full of innocent entertainment and amusement, and while all bright boys and girls ought to be able to devise new games, interesting and harmless, if the old ones do not suffice, surely there is no reason for having any other kind. Let us have a very happy Halloween. Let all celebrate. But let it be a safe and sane celebration.

## Gored to Death by a Bull.

ELPHINSTONE, Man., Oct. 30.—The mystery of the disappearance of Mrs. Johanna Ghtconys, wife of a farmer, who disappeared two weeks ago, has been cleared up. Her body was found not far from her home, trampled and torn into an unrecognizable mass. Standing near by was an ugly bull, the cause of her death. The animal had stood guard over the body of his victim for two weeks.

## Wednesday Reading Club.

The Wednesday Reading Club will meet with Mrs. J. W. Townsend tomorrow afternoon.

## Oskaloosa Ladies Guests of Honor.

Mrs. Chas. Anderson and Mrs. J. B. Doll were honored by a company of friends of Mrs. C. B. Kellogg at her residence, 822 Morgan street, last evening.

## Hallowe'en Social for Rebekahs.

The Rebekah lodge will have a Hallowe'en social at their hall this evening for the members only.

## Wedded by Dr. Newcomb.

At the Manse yesterday afternoon, Scott A. Neaterour and Ferte R. Anderson of Toga, Ill., were married by Dr. E. H. Newcomb, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian church. They were accompanied by Fred R. Doyle and Miss Leslie Neaterour.

## Wardens Will Lose Jobs.

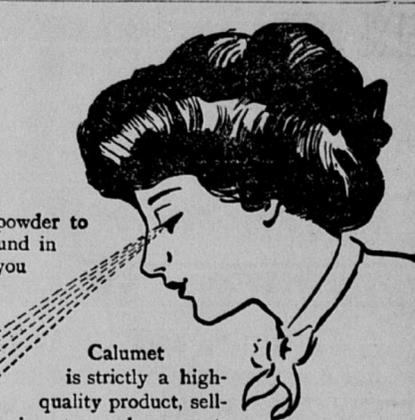
BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Oct. 31.—Word reached William Courey of this city, fish warden of the central Illinois district, that the fund appropriated for the department of wardens had become exhausted and that no more bills could be honored until the

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# SOCIETY

## Alumni Class Party Postponed Because of Miss Owens' Illness.

The Halloween party of the 1911 graduating class of the High school which was to have been given at the residence of Miss Helen Hodge this evening, has been indefinitely postponed because of the illness of one of the class members, Miss Helen Owens, who underwent a surgical operation today for appendicitis.

## Mask Social Furnished Amusement.

One of the Halloween season parties of an enjoyable nature, was the mask social given by the Epworth League in the parlors of Trinity M. E. church last night. A number of those present were masked and first and second prizes were awarded for the best disguised. Miss Lena Chapman and Miss Flora Wustrow were awarded first favors, being dressed as a bride and groom. Mr. Vernon McKay received second prize, dressed to represent a German farmer. Those who did not mask had much amusement guessing the names of those disguised. Refreshments were served during the evening. Miss Florence Arnold was chairman of the committee of Epworths in charge of the affair.

## Photographs and Fortunes From the Tents of Witches and Ghosts.

Quite a large number, about seventy-five persons, were the guests of the Intermediate society of the First Christian church at a Halloween social last evening in the Sunday school rooms. Decorated in attractive style and in keeping with the coming of the event of "Hallow eve," jack-o-lanterns leered cunningly and other decorations made the spook like occasion one of much pleasure.

The tents of two witches and a duet of ghosts were places where photographs of visitors were given in the former and the abode of "apparitions" supplied fortunes for the guests. No general program was observed but every one had a jolly good time. For refreshments, pumpkin pie and milk were served. Mrs. Roscoe E. Lowe is leader of the Intermediate society.

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## KEEP YOUR SKIN COMFORTABLE AND YOUR COMPLEXION CLEAR DURING THE HOT WEATHER.

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## legislature had made a new appropriation.

Activity among officials in prosecuting offenders is ascribed as reason for exhaustion of the fund at an unusually early period in the fiscal year. Forty-five wardens will lose their positions.

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# Any Doubter Can Know

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