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LIGHT ON A DARK SUBJECT.

Lippincott's Magazine.

"I see by the newspaper," says Smith, "that the whale that swallowed Jonah was recently killed in the Mediterranean, and in its stomach they found, written on parchment, the diary that Jonah kept during the three days—"

"You can't make me believe that stuff," interrupts Brown. "In the first place, how could Jonah see to write his diary?"

"Why," says Smith, "don't you suppose the whale had pains in his stomach?"

SARCASM.

Philadelphia Press.

Mr. Klumsay (waltzing)—My! how slippery this floor is. It's hard to keep on your feet.

Miss Sharpe—Oh! you're really trying to keep on my feet, then, are you? I thought it was merely accidental.

A Minneapolis young lady lost a valuable locket. She did not know where she lost it, but she got it back at 10:30 the next morning. Read her letter in the want ad pages to-day.

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BRIDE KNOWN HERE

Miss Lila McCauley Is to Be Married in Washington on Wednesday.

One of the Bridesmaids Will Be Miss Alice Roosevelt.

Minneapolis people will be interested in the approaching marriage of Miss Lillia McCauley and Walcott Tuckerman which will take place in St. John's church, Washington, at high noon Wednesday, Nov. 25. Miss McCauley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward McCauley of Washington and a niece of Will E. Steele of Minneapolis. She is one of the popular group of young girls of which Miss Alice Roosevelt is the leader and is an uncommonly pretty blonde who made her debut two years ago. Her sister, Miss Annie McCauley will be the maid of honor and the bridemaids include Miss Roosevelt, Misses Anita Poor, Harriet Wadsworth, Postlewaite, Sargent, Mary Carlisle, all of Washington; Miss Mabel Taylor, of Philadelphia, and Miss Grace Sedgwick, of New York. Altho Miss Roosevelt has been bridesmaid at the weddings of several of her friends this will be the first time she will serve in Washington and Miss McCauley will be the first Washington bride to be attended by the daughter of a president. Mr. Tuckerman will have his brother, Lucius Tuckerman as best man and his ushers will be a group of Harvard classmates. The wedding will be followed by a breakfast at the McCauley home on Rhode Island avenue.

Another niece of Mr. Steele's was recently married in Washington when Miss Rosa Carlotta Vincent, the daughter of Mrs. Vincent of Rhode Island avenue, and William Hubley Potter of Philadelphia were wed. Minneapolis people will remember the bride's mother was the daughter of Franklin Steele. The wedding was a home affair and took place last Thursday. The bride had her three cousins, the Misses McCauley and Miss Wiltse of New York among her attendants and they wore pink chiffon gowns with large hats of white lace and carried brevadia blossoms. The bride's gown was of chiffon cloth on a foundation of satin. The lace bertha on the bodice was caught with a diamond heart, the gift of the bridegroom, and a crown of diamonds and pearls from the bride's mother. The veil was of tulle and the bridal bouquet of Easter lilies. Mrs. Vincent gave her daughter in marriage and wore black lace and satin over white silk. Mr. Potter and his bride went to Canada on their wedding trip and they will be in Philadelphia for the winter.

Mrs. J. J. Gerber, assisted by the ladies of Lyndale Congregational church, gave a delightful reception this afternoon at her home on Lyndale avenue S for Mrs. L. H. Keller of Milwaukee. The decorations were all in yellow and white and chrysanthemums were the only flower used. The great blossoms were resplendant in the parlors and in the diningroom the large mirror which fills one end of the wall was wreathed with green and chrysanthemums, which were repeated again and again in the glass. On the table was a cluster of the blossoms and ferns were on the sideboard.

Mrs. Gerber and Mrs. Keller were assisted in receiving by Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Burton, Miss Emma White, president of the two societies of the church, and Mrs. Albert Haines, president of the first division. The young women in the diningroom were the Misses Edgerton, Misses Dinsmore, Grinstead and Peet. A charming program was given by Mrs. Theodore Nagle and Mrs. Wilbur Babcock. Master John Crosby also sang a group of numbers. Mrs. Keller is the wife of the former pastor of the Lyndale Congregational church and she has been much entertained in her week's visit with Mrs. J. A. Crosby. She will return to Milwaukee early next week.

Mrs. R. W. Cummings and daughters gave a rose card party this afternoon at their home on Portland avenue. The decorations were in pink and were charmingly carried out in bridesmaid roses. Six tables were played, and each score card represented a large rose. All the favors were roses. This is the third of a series of informal affairs planned by Mrs. Cummings and the Misses Cummings.

Mrs. E. Snow Woodworth gave a prettily appointed luncheon to-day at her home on Lyndale avenue S for Miss Edith Ives. Covers were laid for ten and the guests included the debutantes.

The marriage of Miss Ives and Richard Woodworth, Mrs. Woodworth's brother, will be a pretty event of the winter.

Mrs. E. M. Stewart announces the engagement of Miss Winona B. Orff to Dr. Arthur Teall Mann.

The marriage of Miss Garnet Lowell Butcher, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lowell Butcher, and Edward James O'Brien is announced to take place Wednesday evening, Nov. 25, at 6 o'clock in All Saints church.

This afternoon Mrs. F. G. O'Brien and the Misses Pindell gave a parcel shower at the home of the latter, 216 Tenth street S, for Miss Butcher. The parlors were made pretty with clusters of pink and white flowers and red was the chosen color in the dining room. White chrysanthemums and white ribbons wreathed the bride's chair. The guests numbered twenty.

Mr. and Mrs. James Drummond of New York, who are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George H. Partridge, were the guests of honor at a dinner dance which was given last evening by Miss Prudence Wyman at her home on Park avenue. It was a pink and white dinner and white chrysanthemums and sunset roses formed a beautiful centerpiece while a cluster of violets was at each cover. The name cards for the women were lily-shaped and tied with a bow of white gauze ribbon bearing the monogram of the hostess and the name of the guest in gold. The men's cards were of birch bark with Indian heads and bright colored quills were thrust thru the bark. Covers were laid for twenty-four, and after dinner a group of other guests came for the dance.

Last evening Mrs. Thomas Lowry gave the second of a series of three dinners in honor of her niece, Miss Beatrice Treys. Covers were laid for twenty and the guests were the members of the younger set. After dinner there was dancing. Next week Mrs. Lowry will have the younger married set as guests.

The people of Plymouth church gave a large reception in the church parlors last evening in honor of the fifth anniversary of the coming of Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Hallock to the church. The parlors were made bright with flowers and ferns and white chrysanthemums were in the tangle of green on the mantle. White roses and carnations added their beauty to the decorations. Pink carnations wreathed the frappe bowl and American beauty roses were on another table.

Receiving with Dr. and Mrs. Hallock were Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Slater, Mr. and Mrs. George Lyman. Those assisting thru the rooms were the members of the prudential committee and their wives, C. H. North, David P. Jones, Harrington Beard, George W. Beach, George H. Rust, C. M. Cushman, N. W. Clark, C. F. White, C. M. Shearer, Fred Lyman, O. J. Griffith, Messrs. W. A. Newton and D. C. Bell and the trustees and their wives, Walter A. Eggleston, B. H. Woodworth, E. D. Sewall and F. A. Bovey. Austin H. Young voiced the greeting from the church, and Dr. Hallock made a response. The women at the refreshment tables were Mmes. Hamlin Hunt, J. A. Crosby, Traxler Strong, Misses Chadbourn, Lilla M. Elliott, Anne Bovey and Katherine Lyman. About 500 guests were present.

The active chapter of the Alpha Phi sorority gave a charming informal dancing party last evening at the home of Mrs. Alvin Poehler on Franklin avenue. The freshmen members of the sorority were the guests of honor, and about sixty young men and women were present.

The Alpha Phi sorority will have its annual fair Monday, Nov. 16, at the home of Mrs. H. C. Akeley, 2300 Park avenue. The sorority members have been busy all fall making dainty useful and fancy articles which will be shown at pretty booths. The sale will begin at 4 o'clock and continue thru the evening, and the friends of the sorority will be present.

The friends of the Ladies' Thursday musicale and those interested in its work will attend the tea which will be given Thursday afternoon. It will be the first social feature of the musicale's season and as this first affair is always largely attended it will be in the Unitarian church instead of the studio. At 3 o'clock a program will be presented by Miss Clara Williams and Miss Rena Burnham. Miss Burnham is a young pianist, only 16 years of age, and a pupil of Sherwood's. Her instrumental numbers will be varied with the vocal selections by Miss Williams. After the program the officers and members of the house committee will receive the guests informally and tea will be served. Mrs. George Dargett is chairman of the house committee.

A large reception will be given Thursday evening in St. Mark's parishhouse for Bishop Edsall and the two vicars, Rev. C. E. Haupt and Rev. George H. Hills, and their families. The guests of honor will be assisted in receiving by the wardens and vestrymen of the church and their wives.

Mrs. C. A. Smith went to St. Paul this afternoon to make the final plans for the entertainment at the flower show for Thursday in Mozart hall, St. Paul. Mrs. Smith has been appointed chairman for the Scandinavian day and she will be assisted by a group of Minneapolis women in the peasant costume of Sweden and Norway.

Miss Elizabeth Calderwood came from Brooklyn, N. Y., and was one of the charming group of young girls at the coming out party of Miss Helen Partridge, Wednesday evening. Miss Calderwood formerly resided in Minneapolis, but has lived in the east for the past few years. She will be the guest of Miss Partridge for two or three weeks and will participate in all of the affairs planned for the debutantes.

A series of five informal dancing parties will be given by the members of Company B, First infantry, M. N. G., in Johnson hall, Eighth street, during the coming winter on the following Thursday evenings: Nov. 19, Dec. 17, Jan. 21, Feb. 25, March 31. These informals will be followed in the early spring by the regular annual military hop, which has been an important social event for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Gladder of 2403 Elliot avenue, gave a dinner of thirty covers last evening. White and pink roses formed the table decorations and clusters of the blossoms were thru the rooms.

Mrs. C. Sparrow and Miss Esther Sparrow of Livingston, Mont., have been the guests of Mrs. J. F. Gerrish on Blaisdell avenue for two weeks. Tuesday evening Mrs. Will Connolly of St. Paul gave a dinner for Miss Sparrow at her home on Ashland avenue and on Wednesday evening Miss Margaret Kelly gave a dinner of eight covers. Thursday evening Mrs. Gerrish was hostess at a dinner for Mrs. Sparrow and her daughter and last evening Miss Kelley gave a theater party. Mrs. Sparrow and Miss Sparrow will leave this evening for their home in Livingston.

Mrs. W. S. Langley entertained at luncheon Thursday in her apartments at the Oak Grove for Mrs. Barker of Lake Geneva, Wis., who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. N. Fowler of St. Paul.

Messrs. Johnson, McClatchie and Dorr entertained for the Eta Epsilon sorority and an equal number of young men at a halloween party.

Miss Ada Wessen and Gustave Carling were married at the home of the bride's parents, 2115 Elliot avenue, Wednesday evening. The service was read by Rev. Mr. Stone. Mr. and Mrs. Carling will make their home for the present at 2115 Elliot avenue.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Luman C. Pryor are home from an eastern trip.

The Union Card club will meet with Mrs. Millar, 1729 Knox avenue S, Tuesday.

Palestine chapter, O. E. S., will give a card party Monday evening in Masonic Temple.

The Emanon Dancing club will give its second informal party this evening in the Phoenix club rooms.

Miss Mame Watson of Dayton avenue, St. Paul, has returned from a two months' trip thru the east.

The Arcadian Card club will meet Monday afternoon with Mrs. A. S. Wilcox, 2713 Fremont avenue S.

The Enterprise Social club will be entertained by Mrs. Mary Bagley, 3524 Thirteenth avenue S, Thursday afternoon.

Lorraine Social club will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Robert Ehrenberg, 507 Girard avenue N, Tuesday afternoon.

Lincoln Social club will give a dancing party Monday evening in Royal Arcanum hall, Lake street and Nicollet avenue.

Minneapolis people at New York hotels are as follows: Gilsey, D. J. Griffith; Holland, H. L. Little. Duluth: Imperial, M. M. Tasser.

The fancy drill team of Fern camp, R. N. A., will give a masquerade ball in Richmond hall, Eighth street and Nicollet avenue, Monday evening.

Cedar Leaf camp, 1811, Royal Neighbors of America, will give a card party in the hall, Cedar avenue and Two-and-one-half street S, Monday evening.

Colonel W. B. McCord and family left Minneapolis last night to be gone until May. Mr. McCord went to Urbana, Ohio. Mrs. and Miss McCord will spend some time in Washington.

Miss Mabel Kennerson was pleasantly surprised by a group of friends last evening. Music and games were the amusement and refreshments were served.

Mrs. L. H. Morgan and Mrs. Ross Hazzard will entertain Court of Royal Ladies, No. 5, Thursday at the home of Mrs. Hazzard, 1528 Jefferson street NE.

Union Grove No. 5, Woodmen Circle, W. W., will give a dance in Morgan Post hall Tuesday evening, Nov. 17. Music will be furnished by Schubert's orchestra.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Wood of 3036 Dupont avenue S, were pleasantly surprised Thursday evening by a group of friends, who brought them a handsome gift. A social hour was enjoyed and light refreshments served.

Minneapolis council, No. 793, Knights and Ladies of Security, will give a card party in Morgan Post hall Friday evening. Cinch will be played and after the games there will be a supper and informal dancing.

Mrs. A. N. Anderson of 629 E Eighteenth street entertained the Valkyrians yesterday afternoon. Whist was played and a light luncheon was served after the games. The rooms were bright with carnations and twelve guests were present. The club will have its next meeting Nov. 20, with Mrs. S. J. Swanson, 1114 Emerson avenue N.

The Minneapolis postoffice clerks will give their second annual dancing party in Masonic Temple Thursday evening, Nov. 19. W. H. Rees will be master of ceremonies and the committee on arrangements includes M. J. Kelly, C. W. Kerr, W. H. D. Rees, F. L. Basford, J. A. Dahl and M. J. Harlin.

A pleasant surprise was given Miss Lillian Sonnenberg of Fourteenth avenue S Thursday evening by the Elite Literary and Social club. Contests, music and games were the diversions. Among the guests were Misses Yost, Rue, Beck, Goldman, Miller, Herre, Lindstrand, Sormann, Allen, Gilbert, Root, Silnk, Gerten, Reynolds, Meisnen; Messrs. Bushae, Monahan, Buttrug, McLain, Moen, Scherer, Lambert, Pabst, Rose, Golden, Phillips, Macey, Patterson Rue, Gorman, Miller, Beck, Silnk, Harris, Thompson, Harvey, Cross and Johnstone.

CLUBS AND CHARITIES

Club Calendar.

MONDAY—

Tourists, public library building, 10 a. m.

Guard of Golden Hive No. 8, L. O. T. M., A. O. U. W. hall, 7:30 p. m.

Kenwood Monday club, Mrs. D. E. Smith, 2100 Penn avenue, afternoon.

New Linden Hills Club.

A new club has been formed at Lake Harriet called the Linden Hills Study club. The officers are Mrs. Milton O. Nelson, president; Mrs. F. M. Durgin, vice president; Mrs. W. E. Burnham, secretary, and Mrs. F. A. Mead, treasurer. The year's work will consist of seven trips thru the United States. The first regular meeting will be held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. L. Schoonmaker, 4208 Park boulevard.

Y. W. C. A. Gatherings.

Thanksgiving plans are being made at the Young Women's Christian association and in the afternoon the members of the various Bible groups will act as hostesses for a program of games and festivities specially attractive for those who are away from home or strangers in the city, who will not have family gatherings of their own. In the evening the building will be thrown open and the social committees of the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. will provide an evening's entertainment. In former years this joint reception has been given at the Y. M. C. A. building, and this will be the first time that the young men have been entertained at the new home of the young women. The Sunday following Thanksgiving, Nov. 29, Rev. G. S. Rollins will give a talk emphasizing the true spirit of the season.

During September 217 new members were enrolled in the association, and last month the number was 316 new members. Mrs. T. B. Lindsay has been made the sixteenth life member thru a gift of $100 from Lindsay Brothers. The enrollment in the different classes has reached 971, an advance of 181 over last year.

Mrs. J. B. Phelps will give a talk on Leonardo da Vinci Wednesday evening. The Art History club has planned to repeat some of the topics presented at the club before the association on the second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month. Mrs. F. B. Godfrey is chairman of the committee, and each member of the association will be privileged to bring a woman friend.

The Camera club will have a talk on developing negatives at a meeting Wednesday evening, Nov. 18, when Miss Sheridan will discuss many points which will be as helpful to the experienced amateurs as to beginners.

Next week will be a period of prayer observed by the 7,000 branches of the Y. W. C. A. all over the world, and the members have been asked to contribute a small sum to the expenses of the world's executive committee. Monday an informal song service will be held at the local association from 6:30 until 7 o'clock.

Mrs. W. S. Black, who has lived in Jerusalem, will speak about the young women of Palestine to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, and this service will open the week of prayer.

Interesting items about other countries will be given by different members of the local association. On Tuesday noon Dr. Pauline Root, who has been a missionary in India, will speak about young women in that country at the noonday service at the association.

Betsy Ross Chapter.

The Betsy Ross chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, held a meeting of especial interest yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Arthur T. Helliwell, 919 Chicago avenue. Miss Morgan gave a very interesting paper on "Our Colonial Thanksgiving." Longfellow's "Sailing of the Mayflower" was read by Miss Pabody, and Mrs. Yale followed with a paper on "Our National Songs." The chapter is planning for a cake and candy bazaar, which will be held the latter part of this month. The transaction of business was followed by a most enjoyable social hour, and refreshments were served.

Dovre Society's Officers.

The Dovre society held its eighth annual meeting last week at the home of Mrs. H. Pollak. Officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. I. Fergestad; vice president, Mrs. G. C. Holt; secretary, Mrs. A. N. Wasmuth; corresponding secretary, Mrs. A. N. Anderson; treasurer, Mrs. A. J. Leland. Thru the efforts of the society sixty families were aided and eight families were assisted with money for their rent every month. A business meeting of the officers was held Wednesday with the president.

New Epworth League Chapter.

The young people of Hennepin Avenue church met last evening and organized as a chapter of the Epworth League, adopting a constitution and by-laws and electing officers. The following officers were chosen: President, Charles H. Briggs; vice presidents, Mrs. N. W. Tibbot, Miss Caroline Joyce, Miss Irene Dean, C. K. Kinney; secretary, Earl Farnham; treasurer, Frank Pingry.

Addressed by Two Governors.

Special to The Journal.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Nov. 7.—The annual convention of the State Federation of Women's Clubs convened in this city this afternoon with large delegations present from Barnesville, Crookston, Moorhead and elsewhere. An interesting musical and literary program was rendered, including an address by Governor Van Sant, which was very highly appreciated, and papers by leading club women from various parts of the district. The delegates attended Governor La Follette's lecture at the Lyceum in the evening, and at its close were tendered a reception in the Chippewa clubrooms. The convention closed this afternoon with a business session.

CLUB NOTES.

The guard of Golden hive, No. 8, L. O. T. M. will meet in A. O. U. W. hall Monday evening.

The Ladies' Shakspere club will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Carey Emerson, 2215 Dupont avenue N.

The W. C. T. U. of the seventeenth district will hold an institute Wednesday, Dec. 2, in Oak Congregational church.

Mrs. L. N. Gayner of 812 E Eighteenth street, will entertain the Willing Workers of Augustana church, Thursday afternoon.

Sweet Clover hive will hold its regular review in A. O. U. W. hall, 17 Seventh street S, Friday evening, when important business will be transacted.

Miss Annie Robbins, formerly of the United States army, will speak to-morrow evening in Simpson M. E. church, on "Life in Manila." Miss Robbins will have a number of curios to show.

The Ladies' Social circle of the Church of the Redeemer will hold an all-day meeting Wednesday in the ladies' parlor of the church. A box lunch will be served and preparations will be made for the annual fair, which will be held Dec. 2.

ARISTOCRATIC PEOPLE UNITED

Miss Elizabeth Van Rensselaer, the Bride of Benjamin Arnold, a Lumber Baron.

New York, Nov. 5.—Miss Elizabeth Van Rensselaer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kilaen Van Rensselaer, was married today in a costume of white chiffon and silk and Irish lace, in a room decorated with white flowers at the home of her parents, 75 East Fifty-fourth street, to Benjamin Walworth Arnold, a rich Albany lumber merchant. She is his third wife. The Rev. Dr. Anson P. Atterbury performed the ceremony. There were no attendants.

The bride is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kilaen Van Rensselaer of 75 E Fifty-fourth street. The bridegroom is the senior member of the firm of Arnold & Co., dealers in lumber in Albany, and owners of extensive timber lands in Michigan and Minnesota. He was graduated from Hamilton college with the class of 1886, and is a member of the Reform, Strollers and Alpha Delta Phi clubs of New York; the Fort Orange club of Albany, the Society of Colonial Wars, the Mayflower Descendants and the American Geographical Society.

WHEN TRUSTEES APPROVE

College to Train Young People for Servants to Be Started.

Special to The Journal.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 7.—In an address to the collegiate alumnae association last night Professor C. R. Henderson, chaplain of the University of Chicago, said that a college for the practical instruction of young people as servants was to be established at that university as soon as the trustees approve the plan.

EXCELSIOR

August Skoog of Minneapolis will open a jewelry shop in Excelsior.

Miss Jeanette Foster of St. Anthony Park visited at the home of Miss Marjorie Perkins.

Mrs. L. F. Sampson has returned from a month's visit in Boston and other New England cities.

The A. O. U. W. will give a ball in Excelsior Thanksgiving night. Good music will be furnished.

The local branch of the W. C. T. U. has erected a pretty ice water pavilion on a vacant lot on Main street.

The Alexander sisters, colored singers, will give a concert in Excelsior Monday evening under the auspices of the Epworth League.

The local post of the G. A. R. will have a campfire and chicken pie supper in Excelsior Nov. 24. Eminent speakers and singers have been engaged.

The first meeting of the Magazine club will be held at the home of Colonel James Goodnow Tuesday evening. A short program will be carried out and the annual election of officers will take place.

P. M. Endsley, who spend eight months of the year with his family on his farm on St. Albanys Bay, left for Chicago and other points in Illinois last evening, where he will remain for several weeks.

The Excelsior casino will be kept open all winter, and will afford a convenient center for social and other events. The place will open early next summer with a full casino orchestra, and will be conducted on the same liberal plan which characterized the management last season.

A farewell reception was given at the Sampson house in honor of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Birge, old residents of Minneapolis, who have been sojourning here for a year or two, and left last evening for Los Angeles, where they will spend the winter. They will return to Minnetonka in the spring. The rooms were prettily decorated with autumn foliage, and the floors were covered with a profusion of oriental rugs. Freeman P. Lane made a happy speech bidding the couple farewell. Refreshments were served.

For Convenience of Shoppers

In the up-town district The Journal has a branch office in Donaldson's Glass Block in the office in front of the new elevator on the main floor.

Want ads, social items and subscriptions will be received.

MYSTERIOUS ORIGIN

Of the Word "Yegg," Which Is Applied to Certain Criminals.

New Orleans Times-Democrat.

"Where did Billy Pinkerton, and the other men engaged in the detective business, stumble upon the word 'yegg,' which is applied to a certain class of mendicants?" asked a man who takes much interest in the study of words. "I have not been able to find any trace of the word in any of the etymologies at my command, and hence have been at a loss to understand where they found the word 'yegg.' They refer to a class of mendicants as 'yeggs' or 'yeggmen,' and I noticed a few weeks ago that the police of Boston had made a raid on this objectionable class, and were making an effort to rid the city of them. The 'yegg' is a rather curious member, and is looked upon as one of the most dangerous men engaged in a shady calling. He is a desperate sort of offender, and while his crimes are not of the larger and more aggravated sort, he is a hard proposition to deal with. The 'yegg' is the fellow who will slip around the back way in the garb of a beggar; who will ask you for food, and who will talk to you for a while, in fact as long as you will stand for it, and who will in the meantime carefully survey the premises, examine the doors and windows visually, find out just where everything is located, and leave the place with a mental map, as it were, of the whole situation. If he thinks it worth while he may come back and see what he can pick up in the wee small hours of the night. If the prospects are not good, if there isn't a prosperous look about the place, the chances are that he will not honor you with a call. But I was speaking more particularly about the word 'yegg' and how the detectives and police of the country happened to pick it up. As I said before I have been unable to find any sort of trace of the word in the dictionaries and etymologies at my command. There is nothing to even suggest it in anything I have been able to find. Where did they get the word 'yegg?' I suppose they have simply picked it up, like many other words now current have been picked up. The offending classes of the country have added vastly to the current vocabulary. Many of the words originating with them have become of common use, many others are understood only by the police and the crooks, while still others are understandable only to the men who bring them into existence, the esoterics of the criminal cult who invent words to meet the secret requirements of their calling. It may be that 'yegg' was brought into existence just in this way. At any rate, the word is here, and it is pretty generally understood over the country by men who have been in touch with police departments in the larger cities."

SAHARA RAILWAY

Projected Enterprise May Lead to the Desired Trans-African Road.

Philadelphia Record.

A great deal of interest is now being shown in France with reference to the projected Sahara railway, for which three routes have been suggested. These routes are from Igli to the Niger, from Biskra, 214 miles southeast of Algiers, to the west shore of Lake Chad, and from Bizerta, in Tunis, to Lake Chad. M. Paul Bonnard, who is an acknowledged expert in African affairs, delivered recently a public lecture, in which he set forth the claims of the route from Bizerta to Lake Chad, as compared with the two other routes. According to M. Bonnard's idea, the projected railway should not be built solely with the object of crossing the Sahara. On the other hand, it ought to become a trans-African railway, and here lies the real importance of the route recommended by M. Bonnard, for it would connect the French possessions in North Africa with the French Congo. Starting from Bizerta, or Bugara, it would reach Lake Chad by way of Bilma; thence it would be taken would have its terminus in Loango or would have its terminus in Lonago or Libreville, on the Atlantic coast. The construction of this line would unite the French possessions in Africa and it would make it possible for French Central Africa to be defended; but the other lines, starting from Igli or from Biskra, would reach French Congo only either by way of the British Soudan kingdom of Sokoto or across the German Cameroons, and in both cases without touching the Central African possessions of France. M. Bonnard showed also the advantage of the route from Bizerta, as compared with another project to build a railway either from Philippeville, in Algeria, or from Biskra to the east shore of Lake Chad, for a line starting from Bizerta would be 500 kilometers shorter, and one from Bugara would be 1,000 kilometers shorter than a line built from Philippeville. The leading French transport companies, the syndicate for building African railways and the commercial world generally are all in favor of building the projected railway from Bizerta, and this fact will have great weight when the final decision has to be made by the authorities.

The women of Toms River, N. J., have formed a village improvement association to beautify the city, and have elected Mrs G. E. Burr president.

Deer Hunting.

The best place in Wisconsin for deer, bear and wolves is around Radisson, thirty-nine miles from Rice Lake, on the new branch of the Omaha Road. Previous to the opening of this new line, the Radisson country had been visited only by lumbermen and loggers, so that the game had not been disturbed, and in November, hunters who visit there will find rare sport, as the woods are full of game.

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